



RATINGS TEST PREMIUM LIST

# WCA Ratings Tests

## Shooting & Retrieving Dog

**Sunday, September 28, 2003**

First brace will begin at 8 am

G-BAR RETRIEVER RANCH (GRUPES) \*, THORTON ROAD, LODI, CA

*These ratings are offered by the  
Weimaraner Club of America to its members only.*

**NOTE:** Entries close 7 pm, Wednesday, September 17, OR WHEN LIMIT IS REACHED. *Entries must reach* 1542 Estee Ave., Napa, CA 94558 by closing date where the drawing will take place at 8 pm, Wednesday September 17. After the drawing the running order will be posted on the SVWC website (<http://www.weimaraner.org/svwc/html/2003vx.htm>).

Mail entries with checks payable to SVWC. Entries without payment will not be accepted. No phone, fax or email entries will be accepted. No changes or substitutions will be accepted after the closing time.

### LUNCH

Lunch at the Ratings Test is being provided through the generosity of Rockville Weimaraners (Debbie and Bruce Gross). Any donations to SVWC Weimaraner Rescue will be gladly accepted.

# TESTS – SCHEDULE – ENTRY FEES

## Shooting Rating Tests NSD – SD – SDX

<b>SDX</b> (Shooting Dog Excellent)	1 <sup>st</sup> brace will begin exactly at 8 a.m.	\$50
<b>SD</b> (Shooting Dog)	Immediately following SDX	\$40
<b>NSD</b> (Novice Shooting Dog)	Immediately following SD	\$35

## Retrieving Rating Tests NRD – RD – RDX

(Land tests will be run for all three levels before any water tests will be run)

<b>RDX</b> (Retrieving Dog Excellent)	Will begin exactly at 8:30 a.m.	\$50
<b>RD</b> (Retrieving Dog)	Immediately following RDX	\$40
<b>NRD</b> (Novice Retrieving Dog)	Immediately following RD	\$35

**A lunch break will be inserted in the schedule at the discretion of the judges and chairperson.**

All tests will use chukar, quail, or pigeons. All tests will use 20 gauge or larger shotguns or .22 caliber blank cartridges. All participants must wear blaze orange in the field.

## **RATING TEST CHAIRPERSON**

Debbie Hopkins  
(916) 481-1647 • tophatweims@earthlink.net

## **RATING TEST SECRETARY**

Cydney Hansen  
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## **WCA REPRESENTATIVE**

Frank Sommer

## **SHOOTING JUDGES**

John Perry • Robert Bluhm

## **RETRIEVING JUDGES**

Sarah Chvilicek • Esteri Hinman

## **LINE MARSHALLS**

TBA

## **GUNNERS/PLANTERS/BIRD HANDLERS**

Jim Hopkins • TBA

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### **\* DIRECTIONS TO G-BAR RETRIEVER RANCH (Grupes) :**

From Hwy 5 - East on Hwy 12 to Thornton Rd. (Frontage road to Hwy 5) - Turn Left - Go 8/10 mile. Turn right on gravel road and follow signs to Hunt Club.

From Hwy 99 (Lodi) turn west on Hwy 12 to Thornton Rd. (Frontage road to Hwy 5) - Turn right - Go 8/10 mile. Turn right on gravel road and follow signs to Hunt Club.

## ***ELIGIBILITY OF DOGS***

1. Any Weimaraner with an individual AKC number, including an AKC "limited registration" and/or an ILP number who has obtained the age of six (6) months on the first advertised day of the tests may compete for any or all of the ratings offered.
2. Rating tests are open to all Weimaraners whose owners and co-owners are members of Weimaraner Club of America.
3. Spayed bitches or neutered males may compete for and receive ratings. Neutered males must present a veterinary certificate stating the presence of two normal testicles at the time of neutering to the WCA representative before competing.
4. No cryptorchid, monorchid, or dog bearing disqualifying characteristics (as listed in the current standard for the breed) shall be eligible to compete for or receive ratings. (Minimum height requirement shall not apply to dogs under 12 months of age.)
5. Bitches in season are eligible to be tested. Secretary must be notified before dog is tested. (Note: If your bitch comes in season before closing date, entry may be cancelled & fee refunded if secretary is notified before closing date.

## ***RULES & REGULATIONS***

1. No dog is permitted to practice on the rating test grounds on the day of the rating test.
2. Dogs cannot be off lead on the test grounds except for the actual time they are being judged.
3. Only a leather or nylon collar and/or a red, yellow or green reflective collar can be worn by dogs participating in rating tests. No training aids, check cords, pinch, spike or choke collars, electronic devices or dummy devices are permitted.
4. No dogs other than those called to the line are to be in the staging area.
5. No children are to be in the staging area. They will distract the dogs. All children must be in an adult's care. Since we are at a water site, they are never to be left alone.
6. All injuries must be reported to Cydney Hansen for First Aid.
7. All entries must be signed and accompanied by payment of entry fee, and received prior to closing date.
8. There will be no changes to the running order once it is drawn unless a bitch is in season.

ENTRY FORM FOR WCA RATING TESTS  
**SACRAMENTO VALLEY WEIMARANER CLUB**

**Sunday, September 28, 2003**

G-Bar Retriever Ranch (Grupes) - Lodi, California

*Mail entries with checks payable to SVWC to:*  
Cydney Hansen, 1542 Estee Ave., Napa, CA 94558

**I submit \$ \_\_\_\_\_ NSD, NRD-\$35, SD, RD-\$40, SDX, RDX-\$50**

**Test(s) Entered \_\_\_\_\_**

NAME of Dog		CALL Name	
AKC Reg. No.		OR AKC Litter No. (if Dog Not Reg.)	
OR Foreign Reg. No.		And Country of Registry	
Date of Birth		Male or Female?	
Sire			
Dam			
Breeder			
Name of Actual Owner (Print)			
Owner's Address			
City		State	Zip
Name of Handler (Print)			

I certify that I am the owner of this dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations of the WCA governing this Hunting test and any decisions made in accord with them, and I further agree that the dog is entered in this event at my own risk and that I will hold the event giving club, its members and agents free from liability for any claims arising out of the entry of the dog or its presence at the event.

**Signature of Owner:** \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_