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UPCOMING 2010 ETRC EVENTS

June-July, 2010





August 28 MEMBER COOKOUT/SEMI-ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

A member cookout and semi-annual business meeting will be held Saturday, August 28 beginning at 3 PM on a private farm at the Franklin Pavilion, Hwy 411, Maryville, TN. New members are especially invited to attend and meet with ETRC membership. The club is furnishing grilled hamburgers, hot dogs, and drinks. Members are asked to bring a covered dish of their choice and a chair. The pavilion, located beside the Little River, has a large charcoal grill and picnic tables. Parking in large field along side of Hwy 411. Children are welcome. No dogs. Pavilion is rented for the whole day. Grill will be fired up at 5 PM. A short business meeting to plan Fall Events will be held after the meal. Pavilion is three miles east of downtown Maryville on Hwy 411.

DIRECTIONS: From I-40 West, Exit 364: Take Hwy 321 to Maryville, then take Hwy 411 East toward Sevierville three miles. Pavilion will be on the left.

From I-40 East/Knoxville take Exit 386/Alcoa Hwy/Airport/Hwy 129 to Maryville, then left on Hwy 411.

From I-40 East Exit 407 take Hwy 66 toward Sevierville. Go four miles to Hwy 338 on left. Take Hwy 338 ten miles to intersection with Hwy 411. Follow Hwy 411 West toward Maryville eight miles to pavilion on right.

ETRC Fall Club Trial-Chota Refuge- Vonore, TN-9/25/2010

Sept 25 Chota Refuge is a TWRA Wildlife Management Area in Vonore, TN. The ETRC Fall Club Trial will start at 9 AM with Junior Hunter, Senior Hunter, Master Hunter, Puppy Stakes, and Singles Classic tests. To all new members this club trial will be practice and a learning session as a tune-up for your retriever in the AKC Hunt Test. The fee is \$10.00 per dog per event except Puppy Stakes fee is \$5.00. Ducks will be thrown in each event. Puppies will have the option of bumpers or birds. **DIRECTIONS (On next page)** Bring your lunch and a chair.

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Saturday, August 28 COOKOUT Business Meeting 3 PM to 7 PM Maryville, TN 3 333333333333333333333333333

ETRC Fall Club Trial-Chota Refuge-Vonore, TN 9/25/2010—DIRECTIONS

Go 20 miles south of Maryville on Hwy 411 to Vonore, TN. Turn on Hwy 360 and go 8.2 miles to splitintersection. Turn left on Citico Road and go 5.0 miles to Chota Refuge sign on left.

OCTOBER 30-31 AKC FALL AKC HUNT TEST-HIWASSEE REFUGE-Birchwood, TN

ETRC's AKC Fall Hunt Test will be held at the Hiwassee Wildlife Refuge, Birchwood, TN. The TWRA has agreed to allow our club for the first time ever to use the WMA in the Fall. ETRC's Hunt Test will be sandwiched between the WMA's managed deer hunts for one weekend. We have received a permit for the dates of October 30-31 (Halloween weekend). An application has been approved by AKC for the new grounds and the date but the judges panel is still pending. Entry will be by <u>entryexpress.net</u> online or a paper entry may be obtained by calling (800) 863-3647. The event will be a single Master, and a double Senior and Junior. The closest AKC Hunt Test to ETRC for the Oct 30-31 date would be Central KY's test in extreme western Kentucky (a distance of 350 miles). Contact Hunt Test Secretary, Roberta Williams, for further info @ <u>sharphlw@usit.net</u> or (865) 428-0139. The closing date for entries will be October 20.

NEW AKC FIELD TRIAL/HUNT TEST CLUB-Northeast Tennessee Retriever Club

A newly organized AKC Field Trial/Hunt Test Club has been formed in northeast Tennessee with grounds in Piney Flats, TN. The AKC has approved the new club to hold a Licensed AKC Hunt Test with the condition that an existing AKC Hunt Test club must be a mentor for their initial event. ETRC was asked to be a mentor. The ETRC board and officers voted to assist and mentor the new club with AKC paperwork and regulations, and loan our equipment to them with Board Member Kelley Eller as custodian. Their first AKC Hunt Test will be held on October 23-24 with a single Master stake and single Junior stake starting on Saturday. A single Senior stake will be held on Sunday. The new club's website is: <u>netnrc.com</u> for information on their club and they are using a different entry service (<u>retrieverentry.com</u>).

SURROUNDING AKC HUNT TESTS and ETRC Fall Events

August 28 ETRC Member Cookout/Fall Business Meeting, Franklin Pavilion, Maryville, TN 3 PM to 7 PM September 25 ETRC Fall Club Trial, Chota Refuge, Vonore, TN. Master, Senior, Junior, Puppy Stakes 9 AM Start September 25 Labrador Retriever Club of the Piedmont, Patrick, SC, AKC Hunt Test, Single Master, Double JH&SH October 10-17 Master National Retriever Club, Corning, California, (3) Flights, Entry Fee \$250.00 Lumber River Retriever Club, Rocky Point, NC, Single Master, Double JH&SH October 16-17 Middle Tennessee Retriever Club, LaVergne, TN. Single Master, Double JH&SH, O/H Qual Friday October 15-17 October 23-24 Atlanta Retriever Club, Grantville, GA, Single Master, Double JH&SH Yadkin River Retriever Club, Louisburg, NC, Single Master, Double JH&SH October 23-24 October 23-24 Northeast Tennessee Retriever Club, Bristol, TN, Single Master, Single JH Saturday, Single SH Sunday East Tennessee Retriever Club, Birchwood, TN, Single Master, Double JH & SH October 30-31 October 30-31 Central Kentucky Retriever Club, Kevil, Kentucky, Single Master, Double JH & SH Carolinas Retriever Club Association, Rocky Mount, NC, Single Master, Double JH & SH November 6-7 November 12-14 Black Warrior Retriever Club, Greensboro, Alabama, Single Master, Double JH & SH O/H Qual Friday November 19-21 Cooper River Retriever Club of SC, Rembert, South Carolina, Double Master, Double JH & SH

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

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