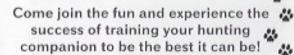
## Umpqua Valley Retriever Club MEMBERSHIP FORM

The Umpqua Valley Retriever Club is a not-for-profit organization that was formed to promote the training of retrievers while supporting the growing sport of field hunting retrievers. Current membership includes both amateur and professional trainers, novice and experienced, who hunt as well as compete their dogs in field trial and hunt test events.



# PERSONAL INFORMATION NEEDED

Dues are \$40 annually; necessary for insurance coverage, training day supplies, equipment and sponsored club events.

(Print)	
Name:	
Address:	
City/State/	
Zip:	
Tele:	
Email:	
Dog's Name(s), Breed, Sex:	

Please make checks payable to: Umpqua Valley Retriever Club. Detach this section and mail to the address listed on the back of the brochure.

#### ESSENTIAL TRAINING EQUIPMENT

\* TRAINING BUMPERS/DUMMIES: Small canvas for puppies (buy 2), White rubber 2" diameter for older dogs (buy six)

- \* WHISTLE with Lanyard: Pea less and plastic is best. (Won't stick in cold weather)
- \* FLAT COLLAR & CHOKE CHAIN: 2" longer than snug
- \* LEASH: 6' or under. Puppies will need check cord 20-50' long.

\* PORTABLE KENNEL/CRATE: To safely transport and contain your canine while training

> \* ELECTRIC TRAINING COLLAR: Optional

Visit our webpage for club info, training days, and more !

https://UVRConline.weebly.com

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Your Local Retriever Club formed to promote the training and working of field hunting retrievers.





Umpqua Valley Retrievers



2018 Master National Qualifiers from UVRC

#### **OUR HISTORY**

Since the club's inception in 1992, we have continued to grow in both members and accomplishments. This 'can do' attitude creates a lot of fun for everyone as we cheer on and support each other in our field hunting endeavors; whether it be waterfowl, upland, hunt tests, or field trials.

Umpqua Valley Retriever Club is located in the Roseburg area of Southern Oregon. Our membership consists of hunting enthusiasts from Oregon, California, and Western Idaho.

#### **OUR ANNUAL HUNT TEST**

UVRC is licensed by the American Kennel Club to hold hunt test events. Each year, on Father's Day Weekend, we host a family oriented hunt test where many participants 'camp out' on the private grounds. Additional activities over the weekend often include a buffet style bbq, raffle and auction. There's plenty of fun to be had and stories to be heard!!

#### TRAINING DAYS

We schedule several training sessions throughout the year in which all members can participate. Quite often the more tenured members can be seen providing guidance and instructional insight to our newer members and their pups.

It's all about the dogs!!

#### **AKC HUNT TESTS**

The purpose of a Hunt Test is to evaluate the abilities of retrievers in the field and determine their suitability as hunting companions. These tests are designed to simulate the conditions of real hunting situations. All members are encouraged to become involved in the production of our Annual Hunt Test in June.





Shasta and Fisher





Abby

Mac

# Our member's dogs at play!

The American Kennel Club (AKC)
recognizes over 21 breeds of dogs eligible to
participate in Retriever Hunting Tests.
Let us help you and your dog
succeed as a team!

#### GREAT YOUTH ACTIVITY

We strive to include young members as a means to keep them involved in hunting traditions, education of animal behavior, and responsibility of animal ownership.



Member's daughter working with one of their dogs preparing for an upcoming Hunt Test.

# MEMBER BENEFITS

- \*Opportunity to increase knowledge
  - \* Valuable training assistance
- \*Involvement in mock Hunt Tests
- \*Train with others who judge Hunt Tests
- \* Better your dogs natural hunting abilities
- \* Forge new friendships