



## **Northern Newfoundland Club**

### **Judges Criteria – Water**

#### **Judging Criteria – Water Introduction:**

- Submitted a written application to Working Section Sub-Committee detailing previous experience and reasons for wishing to judge.
- Must have read & understood the Test Regulations.
- Keep own record judging experience.
- Must apply in writing to the NNC WSC for consideration for promotion from either junior to senior, or to higher levels.
- Judging & stewarding may be at NC, NNC & SNC events.
- Judges & Stewards are expected to attend training days as organized.

Promotion from Novice to Senior, or to next level is subject to approval by the majority at a NNC WSC meeting.

#### **Section A Qualifications:**

- Stewarded Section A at two separate events.
- Handled a dog in Section A.
- First judging appointment to be with a Section C judge or above.
- Conduct judges briefing (entrants & Stewards) at novice level at one event.
- Judge a minimum 20 dogs at a minimum of two events as novice judge before being eligible for promotion to senior judge.
- Conduct judges briefing (entrants & Stewards) at senior level at one event.

#### **Section B Qualifications:**

- Stewarded or handled a dog at Section B at two events.
- Judged a minimum 10 dogs at a minimum of two events as senior judge at Section A.
- Conduct judges briefing (entrants & Stewards) at novice level at one event.
- Judge a minimum 20 dogs, at a minimum of two events as novice judge before being eligible for promotion to senior judge.
- Conduct judges briefing (entrants & Stewards) at senior level at one event.

#### **Section C Qualifications:**

- Stewarded or handled a dog at Section C at two events.
- Judged a minimum of 10 dogs at a minimum of two events as senior judge at Section B.
- Conduct judges briefing (entrants & stewards) at novice level at one event.
- Judge a minimum of 15 dogs at a minimum of two separate events as novice judge before eligible for promotion to senior judge.
- Conduct judges briefing (entrants & stewards) at senior level at one NNC event.

**Section D Qualifications:**

- Stewarded or handled a dog in Section D at three events.
- Judged a minimum of 10 dogs as senior judge at Section C.
- Conduct judges briefing (entrants & Stewards) as Novice Level D.
- Must judge as Novice at two events before eligible for promotion to senior judge.

**Section E Qualifications:**

- Stewarded or handled a dog in Section E at three events.
- Judged a minimum of 5 dogs in Section D.
- Conduct judges briefing (entrants & Stewards) at novice level at one NNC event.
- Must judge at two events as novice E judge before eligible for promotion to senior judge.

**Stewards**

- No steward is permitted to drive the boat without RYA powerboat level 2, relevant experience, and insurance.
  - Stewards must attend judges and stewards briefing for the relevant section.
  - Stewards must have trained a dog and handled a dog in Section A.
  - Stewards must have read and understood the Test Regulations.
  - Stewards must start at Section A and work through each Section.
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**Judges Promotion Criteria**

Criteria to move from Novice to Senior judge:

- In Sections A, B, & C, must have judged at least two events and a minimum of 20 dogs in total at novice level.
  - In Sections D & E, must have judged a minimum of 3 dogs at novice level, over at least two events.
  - In addition, in Sections A, B, & C, must have conducted judges briefing (entrants & Stewards) at novice level at two events.
  - In addition, in Sections D & E, must have conducted judges briefing (entrants & Stewards) at novice level at one event.
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