

THE MARITIME BIRD DOG CLUB PRESENTS

The 51st Running of the

NORTH AMERICAN WOODCOCK CHAMPIONSHIP

— A Purina Coverdog Points Trial —

The North American Woodcock Championship is forever dedicated to the memory of Jack Mayer Jr., Robert Buzzell and Jack Mayer Sr.

Begins 8:00 A.M. (local time), Friday, September 8, 2023

[Note: The North American Woodcock Futurity will be held prior to the Championship and begin on Thursday, September 7. See details below.]

To be run on wild bird courses near McAdam, NB

Meet at Hoof & Paw Outfitters, 80 Farm Rd., McAdam, NB, each day at 7:30 A.M.

The Championship is sponsored by Inukshuk Professional Dog Food



Judges: Eric Rizza, Everett, MA, and Doug Dix, Whitingham, VT

Reporter: Russell Ogilvie, Jefferson, ME • **Stake Manager:** Robert Little, McAdam, NB

Courses: One-hour heats over multiple courses of natural woodcock and grouse cover. Course order will be announced prior to the draw. Six braces maximum per day. **Guaranteed Purse:** 40% of the entry to winner of Championship. If a runner-up is named, the purse will be split 70%-30%. **Champion's Prizes:** A painting of the champion will be provided by Larry Costigan of Calgary, AB. **Entry Fee:** \$125.00 (U.S. Funds or Canadian Equiv.) **Qualification:** A recognized placement in an Open Derby, Open Shooting Dog or Open All-Age stake. Minimum .32 blank pistol or primer pistol with manufactured barrels only. **Drawing:** Entries to Robert Little (contact info below). A public drawing will be conducted on Wednesday, September 6, 9:00 P.M. (AST), at Hoof & Paw Outfitters, McAdam, NB. Entries close at drawing. **Accommodations:** Hoof & Paw Outfitters, Farm Rd., McAdam, NB—(506) 784-3102; Palfrey Lake Lodge, St. Croix, NB—(207) 796-2592; Winsome Inn, St. Stephen, NB—(506) 466-2130.

The 47th Running of the

NORTH AMERICAN WOODCOCK FUTURITY

The North American Woodcock Futurity is forever dedicated to the memory of Richard C. Shear.

Thursday, September 7, 2023 • Meet at Hoof & Paw Outfitters at 7:30 A.M.

Judges: Steve Forrest, Hampden, ME, and Robert Little, McAdam, NB

Reporter & Stake Manager: Joe Dahl, Danforth, ME

Entry Fee: \$60.00 (U.S. Funds or Canadian Equiv.). **Purse:** 50% of entry fees split 60%-40% to owners and breeders.

Courses: 30-minute heats over multiple courses of natural woodcock and grouse cover. Course order will be announced prior to the draw **Drawing:** Entries to Robert Little (contact info below). A public drawing will be conducted on Wednesday, September 6, 9:00 P.M. (AST), at Hoof & Paw Outfitters, McAdam, NB. Entries close at drawing.

Entries for both stakes to:

ROBERT LITTLE • Phone: (506) 784-7047 • Email: robert.little551@gmail.com

Entries accepted for both stakes with the understanding The Maritime Bird Dog Club, its officers and landowners are not in any way responsible and cannot be held liable for any accidents to anyone attending the trials, their guests, dogs or equipment.