

THE SUPER RETRIEVER SERIES

SUPER DOCK

The sport of Dock Jumping has been seen all over the country by many organizations. The growth of the sport is ongoing and Super Retriever Series continues to support this sport. This competition is fun for everyone – young and old. Boys, Girls, Moms, Dads and Grandparents all can participate with their canine companions. Seeing the sheer exuberance of a dog jumping from 1 foot to 20 feet into a pool of water is a great expression of joy in the outdoors.

SRS SUPER DOCK RULES AND REGULATIONS

Dock Specifications

- Dock length: 40 feet up to 50 feet
- Dock Height from water: 24 inches
- SRS Approved surface
- Pool up 50' x 20' 4 feet deep.

General Rules

All games on the dock are open all breeds and all ages - dogs and handlers. You do not have to be a registered purebred canine to participate in any of the SRS Dock events. A SRS Dock "Team" consists of 1 dog and 1 handler. Only 1 person is allowed on the dock during competition with the dog, unless you are a Tyke Flyer, Amateur/Novice Flyer, or Junior Flyer that would need assistance with 2 people on the dock. If you participate with 2 handlers on the dock you are only eligible for UKC titles. *(SEE UKC DOCK TITLES)*

SRS Qualifying competitions will require only 1 person on the dock. Double handling is considered 2 handlers on the dock or a handler in the area off the dock giving commands to the dog on the dock. If you are interested in UKC titles, you will need to be registered with UKC.

No choke, prong, retractable leads will be allowed on the dock and No E-collars on site.

Dogs in season will not be allowed to compete. If a competitor attempts to bring a dog in season to the dock, that team will be immediately disqualified, and the handler and all of their dogs will be barred from competing for the remainder of the year including the SRS Crown Championship.

The Event staff may not allow a dog to compete on the dock that appears to be injured.

No dog may be pushed/thrown off the dock.

If a dog has problems getting out of the pool, it is the handler's responsibility to get him out.

If a dog snaps or growls aggressively at any of the organizers, it is at the SRS Organizer discretion whether to let the dog continue to compete.

Dogs must be restrained on leash or always kenneled when they are not on the dock competing. Owners must have dogs' vet/health records available if need be.

Preregistration is available online at www.HuntSecretary.com. If not available online, you will register on-site 1 hour prior to competition. These events do sometimes fill up, so we suggest you arrive early.

The competition dock times will be listed in the Schedule of Events on the website and under Events on www.Facebook/SuperRetrieverSeries. Dock times listed on the schedule of events may change based on various factors, it is the competitor's responsibility to verify the schedule on site and each splash time.

No practicing will be allowed without SRS personnel present. If the bar is up, the dock is closed.

All handlers should be prepared to be on camera and should dress accordingly.

Handlers can register an unlimited number of dogs and there is no limit to the number of dogs the handler has advanced to the final round. However, if you and someone else are jumping the same dog and both make it to the finals round in the same division, you will have to choose a handler to participate in that final round. The dog will only jump with one handler in the finals round.

There will be a 1-minute time limit on the dock per jump for all Pro, Elite and Marvel Division teams. 2-minute time limit for all other categories.

All rules stated will be in effect for the Super Retriever Series. All decisions made by the Super Dock organizer and/or tournament officials will be final in all matters. The tournament director and/or tournament officials may make a change to these rules when the safety of a team or the integrity of the Super Retriever Series is in question.

SRS SUPER DOCK EVENTS AND DIVISIONS

There are different levels in each event representing Novice*, Intermediate**, and Advanced*** levels.

SRS Super Fly Regular Competition Divisions & Distances

Double handling on the dock will be allowed in any regular competition division if earning UKC titles. For SRS qualifying Doubles is only allowed in the Amateur / Novice Division or Tyke Fly Division.

SRS Super Fly

Super Fly Amateur/Novice*	- Distance 1' - 9' 11"
Super Fly Junior*	- Distance 10' - 14' 11"
Super Fly Senior **	- Distance 15' - 19' 11"
Super Fly Pro ***	- Distance 20' - 24' 11"
Super Fly Pro Elite***	- Distance 25' - 29' 11"
Super Fly Marvel***	- Distance 30' +

SRS Super Fly Specialty competition Divisions

- Tyke Fly - Human handlers up to 12 years old
- Mini Fly - Dogs 16" below withers
- Silver Fly - Dogs 9 years old and above

Super V or Super Vertical

Regular Competition Heights in Super V or Vertical.

Super V Nova *	- Heights 4' 6" - 6' 2"
Super V Pro**	- Heights 6' 4" - 7'
Super V Elite***	- Heights 7' 2" +

RAIDER RUN

Raider Run - Speed Retrieve

SRS SUPER FLY

Super Fly is like the long jump in track and field. You will sit your dog at the end dock, throw their favorite toy and your dog will jump. The dog is measured in feet and inches from where the base of his tail meets the water. The best of 2 jumps is recorded. Top Jumps will excel in the competition. Super Fly has at least 5 splashes in a weekend and has many different divisions to compete in.

Competition Rules

Running order is determined randomly by the Super Dock Organizer and will be posted in staging area.

Teams will be staged in a specified area. If your name is called and you are not in the staging area ready to jump your dog, your jump will be forfeited.

Each qualifying round consists of two jumps. Each team will complete one jump rotation or back to back rotation. This will be decided by the Super Dock Organizer.

Handlers will be allowed up to 2 minutes once they hit the deck of the dock to jump their dog. Pro, Elite and Marvel are allowed 1 minute.

NOTE: If you have jumped over 19' 11" on two or more occasions at any organization, you are considered an Intermediate or Advanced Flyer. SRS takes your word on the division you enter. We will look into this if we feel that someone is taking advantage.

Advanced Flyers –If you have jumped above the division you have entered on two or more occasions at any organization you are required to move up a division. An advanced flyer may NOT play down a level. An Amateur/ Novice team may play in an intermediate or advanced level division. An Intermediate or Advanced level team may NOT play down a level.

Unsportsmanlike behavior or abuse/harsh correction to a dog (as determined by the Super Dock Organizer) will not be tolerated. One warning will be given prior to disqualification. You will be asked to leave the dock venue.

Handlers are responsible for cleaning up after their dog. Failure to comply may result in disqualification.

A tie in the final round will result in a “jump-off”. Each dog will have one jump and the longer of the two will be declared the winner.

Ribbons are given out to 1st – 3rd place for all SRS divisions at a SRS qualifying events.

1st – 3rd place will all qualify and automatically invited to the SRS Crown Championship in the current year.

Scoring System - An electronic scoring system will be used in the Super Retriever Series Crown Championship competitions. Regular competition will be manually judged by a certified judge or electronic scoring system.

Division Entry

Novice Division - Amateur & Junior *

Super Fly Amateur/Novice* - Distance 1" - 9' 11"
Super Fly Junior* - Distance 10' - 14' 11"

- \$25.00 per Splash
- 2 jumps per team / per Splash
- Space limited to first 50 teams
- 1st through 3rd place will qualify for the SRS Crown Championship.

Intermediate Divisions – Senior **

Super Fly Senior ** - Distance 15' - 19' 11"

- \$25.00 per splash entry fee
- 2 jumps per team /per splash
- Space limited to first 50 teams
- 1st through 3rd place will qualify for the SRS Crown Championship.

Advanced Divisions – Pro, Pro Elite & Marvel ***

Super V Nova *	- Heights 4' 6" – 6' 2"
Super V Pro**	- Heights 6' 4" – 7'
Super V Elite***	- Heights 7' 2" +

- \$25.00 per splash entry fee
- 2 jumps per team /per splash
- Space limited to first 50 teams
- 1st through 3rd place will qualify for the SRS Crown Championship.
- There will be a 1-minute time limit on the dock per jump for all Advanced Division events.

Specialty Divisions – Tyke, Mini & Silver

The Specialty division is designed for our 3 special groups, little folks, little dogs and our older dogs. Our Tyke Flyers or kids under 12 years old have the ability to have a kids only competition and a good way to get our kids and dogs having fun together. Our Mini Flyers are for the dogs 16" below the withers, giving them fair play in competition and our Silver Dogs, dogs over 9 years old, but still have the competitive spirit in competition.

Tyke Fly

Handlers 12 years old and younger and accompanied by an adult.

2 handlers on the dock are allowed for Tyke Fly.

All competition Rules will be the same for the Tyke.

- \$25.00 per splash entry fee
- 2 jumps per team /per splash
- Space limited to first 50 teams
- 1st through 3rd place will qualify for the SRS Crown Championship.

Mini Fly

You must be a short-legged dog, for example dachshund or Jack Russell. (16" and below from the withers)

All competition Rules will be the same for the mini.

- \$25.00 per splash entry fee
- 2 jumps per team /per splash
- Space limited to first 50 teams
- 1st through 3rd place will qualify for the SRS Crown Championship.

Silver Fly

Your dog must be at least 9 years old or older.

All competition Rules will be the same for the Silver Fly.

- \$25.00 per splash entry fee
- 2 jumps per team /per splash
- Space limited to first 50 teams
- 1st through 3rd place will qualify for the SRS Crown Championship.

SUPER V / VERTICAL

Super V is like the High jump in track and field. the competition. Some dogs have Ups and this event will give them the chance to show off their height.

Equipment

SRS will use an official Vertical Extender.

The Vertical Extender suspends a bumper exactly 8' out from the end of the dock and is adjustable in height. The bumper will suspend from the Extender so that it is parallel to the surface of the water and perpendicular to the path of the dog. The bumper used in competition will be provided by SRS and will be approximately 1-1/2 inches in diameter and 12 inches long.

Objective

The object of the competition is to have to dog utilize any portion of the dock to run, jump and successfully remove the bumper from the Extender. If a dog is successful at removing the bumper, the dog advances on to the next round. A successful removal of the bumper is defined as the dog grabbing the object and carrying it into the water or the dog knocking it off the Extender and having it fall into the water. A dog must have a successful removal of the bumper, either in the first or a second attempt, to advance to the next round.

Points 2 - Success on 1st attempt

1 - Success on 2nd attempt

0 - Pass

x - Miss - 3 Misses is an out

The qualifying rounds will be limited to 12 Semifinalists and 6 finalists. Each dog will have 2 successive attempts to remove the bumper. If the dog is successful on the first attempt, the dog will NOT take a second attempt. A dog must have a successful removal either in the first attempt or the second attempt to advance to the next round. Each dog will receive 2 points on the first grab and 1 point on 2nd grab. Dog will not receive any point for 2 missed grabs. The qualifying rounds will be limited to 12 Semifinalist and 6 finalists.

Super V Pro and Elite dog teams will have 1 minute on the dock. Super V Nova will have 2 minutes if needed. If tied for 1st place in points, there will be a Jump off to determine the winner. Each dog will get one (1) attempt during the jump off.

Divisions - Starting Height and Passes

Super Nova - Starting height of 4'6" - 6'2" 3 Passes, 1 minutes on the dock.

Super V Pro - Starting height of 6'4" - 7' 3 Passes, 1 minute on the dock.

Super V Elite - Starting height of 7'2"+ 3 Passes, 1 minute on the dock.

•\$25.00 per entry fee

NOTE: During qualifying in Super V - If you made 2 or more successful grabs (or 4 inches) out of your current division, you must move into next division for finals SRS takes your word on the division you enter. We will look into this if we feel that someone is taking advantage.

The starting heights of the Vertical competitions are listed above. Each round height will increase by 2". You will be given 3 passes, in any order within your division's competition.

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RAIDER RUN

Raider Run is a fun family friendly race like event. Any dog that loves to retrieve is a candidate for this game. Dog and handler will be timed by a stopwatch, at most locations, from the time they leave the end of the dock to the time they reach the determined finished line.

Each team will get 1 minute on the dock. Start line will be set at the 10 ft mark on the dock.

Count down will start, Dog will leave dock on final number 1.

Dog will swim to bumper extended from the end of the pool, take bumper and head back to ramp.

Time will stop once the dog reaches a designated finish line.

(40 foot pool will be the 10 ft mark, 50 foot pool will be 20 ft mark.)

Finish line will be determined so that dogs don't slow down as they approach the ramp.

No toys on the dock will be used to entice the dog. Toy can be used at bottom of exit ramp to exchange for bumper.

Semifinals will consist of the top 12 teams, Finals will consist of the top 6 teams.

The Raider Run is open to all dogs.

- \$25.00 splash fee for each Raider Run Competition.
- Space limited to first 30 teams.

FUN JUMP

Fun Jump is an open dock for all to participate. Many of the SRS venues request Fun Jumps for new folks and the Locals to participate in. They will possibly get hooked with the Dock jumping bug. Many

newcomers have come in and won an Amateur competition. There is no fee for Fun Jumps. You just must sign a waiver.

Must sign Waiver to be on the dock.

2 – 3 minutes on the dock.

Remember this is a practice time for the Elite, Pro and Amateur competition dogs as well. So when we welcome newcomers to the dock, please be patient as they learn the Rules of the Dock and introduce the wonderful sport of Dock Jumping to their canine companion. SRS has found that dock folks are the most wonderful teachers so don't be shy!!!

SRS SUPER DOCK CROWN CHAMPIONSHIP

These divisions are open to qualifying teams who have place 1st, 2nd or 3rd within the qualifying year or have earned an invite with National Standings. Super Fly and Super V pay a flat fee of \$100.00 to enter per team per division. Specialty Teams will pay a flat fee of \$50.00 per team per division. This includes Tyke, Mini and Silver Fly Divisions. Raider Run will be a flat fee of \$50.00 per team.

- \$100.00 per Team (Super Fly and Super V)
- \$50.00 per Team (Tyke, Mini and Silver Fly)
- \$50.00 per Team (Raider Run)
- This cost includes the entire weekend.
- 90% of entry fees are paid back to 1st through 3rd in every division.

1st place payout of 60% of entry.

2nd place payout of 30% of entry.

3rd place payout of 10% of entry.

1st – 3rd place ribbons and trophy will be given out and all placements will auto qualify for following year to defend their title.

•You must provide your contact information: Name, Address, Phone number, Email address and Social Security Number that is upon registration to receive your payout. Please allow 4 to 6 weeks for your winning payout to be mailed to you.

UNTIED KENNEL CLUB REFERENCES

UKC Title Reference:

Distance

- o **United Novice Jumper (UNJ):** 1' to 9'11"
- o **United Junior Jumper (UJJ):** 10' to 14'11"
- o **United Senior Jumper (USJ):** 15' to 19'11"
- o **United Master Jumper (UMJ):** 20' to 22' 5"
- o **United Elite Jumper (UEJ):** 22'6" and up

Vertical

o **United Supreme Vertical (USV):** 4'- 5'11"

o **United Radical Vertical (URV):** 6' and up.

You are also eligible to earn your Champion and Grand Champion Dock titles as well.

For more information on UKC DOCK RULES <https://www.ukcdogs.com/dock-jumping-forms-rules>.

UKC REGISTRATION: RULES & INFO FOR TL NUMBERS

Entering a UKC Event

Dogs must be permanently registered, have a Performance Listing number (performance events & Junior Showmanship), or have a valid Temporary Listing Number.

Dogs not permanently registered

Dogs that are not permanently registered or do not have a UKC Performance Listing number must have a Temporary Listing number to enter UKC licensed events.

RULES APPLYING TO TEMPORARY LISTING (TL) NUMBERS

Temporary Listing numbers are only valid at events licensed by Show Operations and the Pointing Dog events program.

Temporary Listing numbers may also be purchased and issued on the same day by calling Show Operations at UKC during regular business hours. All Temporary Listing numbers are non-refundable, non-transferable, and do not apply to the cost of permanent registration or Performance Listing numbers.

Temporary Listing Numbers must be assigned on or before the show date. TL Numbers that are issued after the event will be considered invalid.

TL numbers are not valid for events that have already occurred.

TL numbers may be used to enter as many UKC events licensed by Show Operations as the owner wishes before and until the dog is permanently registered or permanently listed with UKC. TL numbers are no longer valid once a dog is permanently registered or permanently listed with UKC.

Dogs permanently registered/listed that include the TL number on the application for registration/listing will automatically have any wins posted to their permanent record.

Any wins, titles earned, Top Ten points, or All Star points will not reflect on the dogs record until it is permanently registered/listed. If the dog is not able to be permanently registered/listed any wins or points earned on the dog's TL number will be invalid.

Temporary Listing numbers are not valid for events held under the rules that govern licensed Coonhound or Beagle events. TL numbers are not valid at Hunting Retriever Club (HRC) events. No dog may compete in these events on a Temporary Listing number.

A Temporary Listing (TL) number may be issued to any dog that does not already have a permanent registration number or that has not already been issued a Performance Listing number is eligible to receive a Temporary Listing number. Obtaining a Temporary Listing number does not guarantee or imply that a dog will be eligible for permanent registration.

There are individual requirements for each breed to apply for registration. Owners assume all responsibility for obtaining the registration requirements for the breed they are purchasing a TL number for.

Dogs ineligible for Temporary Listing (TL) numbers:

- A dog that has previously been issued a UKC permanent registration number
- A dog that has previously been issued a UKC Performance Listing number

Please fill out the following items and select "Submit" when finished.

<https://www.ukcdogs.com/tl-numbers>

The fee for a temporary listing is \$20.00.

NOTE: Requests for Temporary Listing Numbers are available 24/7. You will receive your TL Number by email within 10 minutes of submission.

If you do not receive your TL number via email within 10 minutes, check your SPAM folder. Temporary Listing Numbers are NOT valid for events held prior to the issue date of the Temporary Listing Number. (See more UKC Rules at www.ukcdogs.com)