

# Dog Scouts of America

## Activity check-off sheet

### Hunt Retriever Training:

All behaviors must have been taught or re-taught to the dog (preferably using a new cue), using only positive reward based methods.

### Land Retrieves:

- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve a plain field dummy on level, unobstructed ground, short grass
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve a plain field dummy in moderate cover
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve a plain field dummy on short grass, unobstructed ground, with shot fired from blank pistol about 50' away from the dog just before dummy is thrown
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve plain dummy in moderate cover with shot fired
- \_\_\_ Dog shows interest in pheasant, quail or duck wing, when it's moved around or thrown
- \_\_\_ Dog retrieve scented field dummy in short grass, level unobstructed ground
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve scented dummy in moderate cover
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve wing-covered dummy in short grass on level, unobstructed ground
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve wing-covered dummy, slightly hidden in moderate cover
  
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve wing-covered dummy, in short grass on level ground, with shot fired
  
- \_\_\_ **Dog comes to handler on whistle only cue from a sit-stay**
  
- \_\_\_ **Dog will perform a blind retrieve thrown or dropped at least 50 feet away (handler and dog must turn their backs while the dummy is thrown or placed)**
  
- \_\_\_ **Dog will do a single retrieve of a wing-covered dummy, thrown 50 to 100' away from the dog in moderate cover, with a shot fired about 50' away from the dog. Dog must be steady to shot.**

### Water retrieve:

- \_\_\_ Dog is willing to go into the water at swimming depth, with handler
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve plain dummy in water at swimming depth
- \_\_\_ Dog will retrieve wing-covered dummy at swimming depth
  
- \_\_\_ **Dog will remain in an unrestrained stay while the tester or a steward throws a wing covered into swimming depth water (at least 25 feet from shore). Dog must not anticipate the release and must stay until told to "fetch". Dog must retrieve the dummy to hand.**