
BY-LAWS ADDENDUM – BREED SPECIFIC RULES OF ELIGIBILITY

The breed specific Rules of Eligibility (ROE) shall be as follows:

Retriever (Golden)

Size: Medium/Large.

Coat Colour: Lustrous golden of various shades, ranging from cream to deep red-gold; feathering may be lighter than body coat.

Colour Markings: Areas of white hair on head, chest and feet and areas of black hairs may occur.

Coat Texture/Length: Dense, water repellent, resilient with good undercoat. Straight or wavy. Moderate feathering on back of forelegs, heavier on front of neck, back of thighs, underside of tail.

Body: Level topline, well-balanced, short coupled, well-sprung rib cage. Chest depth reaches to elbows.

Ear Shape/Placement: Rather short, drop ear with front edge attached well behind and just above eye; rounded tips reach to inside corner of eye.

Tail Shape/Carriage: Set on following natural line of croup, well-feathered, bone reaches to point of hock, carried level or with some upward curve.

Unique Characteristics: Head: kind, friendly expression. Brown, medium large eyes. Black or dark brown pigment. Skull broad, slightly arched. Muzzle nearly as long as skull.

Genetic/Observable Variability: Dudley nose.

Feet: Medium size, round, compact, thick pads.
