



KALAMAZOO VALLEY HUNTING RETRIEVER CLUB

Land Use Regulations

1. Only members with land use privileges will have access to training grounds. Those members will have exclusive rights to train from April 1st through September 30th. Other interested parties may use the land free once as a land use member's guest. Thereafter, a guest (accompanied by a member with land use privileges) must pay \$25 per day. Land use members are responsible for collecting this fee and remitting it to the club treasurer.
2. All driveways will be marked by a white pole with an orange ribbon. Drive only on the perimeters, not through fields. Stay on the two-track roads at all times. If you get stuck and make ruts, please fix them.
3. Members must display club identification prominently. Use a white stake until a more permanent means of identification is arranged.
4. Smokers – Do not discard butts on the grounds. Please take them with you.
5. No alcoholic beverages are permitted before, during, or after any training, testing or work session on club grounds.
6. No glass containers permitted on grounds. Cans and plastic bottles MUST be removed.
7. Children are the responsibility of their parents. All children of members are welcome and we encourage family involvement. Members are responsible for their children's activities and behavior and are expected to supervise them at all times. Be aware that there are lots of "hazards", including dogs, vehicle traffic, ponds, snakes, etc.
8. Members will be required to sign a liability waiver yearly that will be kept on file. They are also responsible for having a guest sign a waiver before using the grounds and forwarding that waiver to a club officer.
9. **GUN SAFETY WILL BE ENFORCED AT ALL TIMES.** All hunting, testing and training situations require ultimate gun safety.
10. Live ammunition is prohibited. Nothing louder than primer loads are to be used for training. The use of "popper" loads is prohibited.
11. All shell casings must be picked up and disposed of. Please pick up anything that isn't "natural" to the property, such as trash, cans, wrappers, etc.
12. Dead birds used in training must be removed from grounds and disposed of properly.
13. Bitches in heat are not permitted on the grounds.
14. Dogs must be on lead except when working or in a designated exercise area.
15. Aggressive dog behavior will not be tolerated. Keep your dog under control.
16. Corrections to your retriever must be within reason. Treatment of a retriever beyond an acceptable correction will not be tolerated.

17. Markers, tape, flags, posts, etc., must be removed after training for blinds or tracking tests. Anytime you see marker tape, please remove when training session is completed.
18. Don't disturb other members' training sessions. Young dogs are easily distracted by other dogs or bumpers at a distance. Please use common sense and courtesy.
19. **Be aware that consistent violations of the above could result in KVHRC Board Action** in accordance with Article V, KVHRC Constitution and By-laws.

**LEAVE THE LAND AS YOU FOUND IT!
HAVE FUN!!
TREAT OTHERS AS YOU WISH TO BE TREATED!!
WHEN IN DOUBT, DO THE RIGHT THING!!**

**ANY QUESTIONS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO JIM PRICE
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