



MITCH WHITE WORKSHOPS
GAMEKEEPER RETRIEVERS

Premium List

Swamp Dog Farm
Black Creek, BC

May 28th to June 2nd 2026

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The Water Workshop—Mitch White at SDF



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3 Days - Thursday May 28th to Saturday May 30th, 2026

\$600 - *Working Spot (Limit 12)

Audit all 3 days \$250

Workshop Costs

are in \$CAD



GST is Included

Join us for 3 full days of progressive and motivational training!

The Water Workshop is designed to improve confidence, team work and develop marking and blind running skills on the water. This workshop will focus on Water Marks, Drills to Advance Water Skills, Tune Up Drills, Water Blinds, De-Cheating and Problem Solving. Dogs will get exposed to situations which arise in hunt tests and develop skills to overcome hazards such as decoys, islands, crossing land points and developing memory. Individualized attention will be given to all working dogs. Working spots are limited and auditors are welcomed and encouraged. Watching participants work their dog is an invaluable way to learn.

This Workshop is suitable for a dog in Basics to Late Transition (Late transition typically means you haven't completed a MH, HRCH or QFTR title or you have titled your dog and are problem solving). Trained Retrieve and Reliable Recall are prerequisites.

Workshop book is included for all participants. Q & A at the end of the workshop day.

More details and registration on [page 4](#).

The Blind Workshop—Mitch White at SDF



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3 Days - Sunday May 31st to Tuesday June 2nd, 2026
\$600 - *Working Spot (Limit 12)
Audit 3 days \$275

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The Blind Workshop is designed to help handlers succeed in training and running better blinds.

The focus of this workshop is solely on blinds (both land and water) and will only utilize marks as influence for blinds. During the workshop, working teams will perform various drills to improve whistle sit, lining, casting and handling on blinds. In addition, multiple types of blinds will be run each day. Blinds will be run that represent different levels of difficulty and each blind will be rated so that handlers may chart their progress during the seminar. In addition to yard and field work, discussions will be held on topics such as; how elements will affect blinds, understanding the mechanics involved in setting up a good blind and learning how to design good training blinds. Maintaining attitude and confidence, evaluating blinds at tests and developing a strategy for success will also be discussed.

As with our other workshops, Working spots are limited and auditors are welcomed and encouraged. If you and your dog have not advanced to the point of beginning blinds, watching each working team being guided through various drills and blind work will help give you a greater understanding of why your foundation work is so important and will help you establish your goals for advancement.

This Workshop is suitable for a dog in Basics to Late Transition (Late transition typically means you haven't completed a MH, HRCH or QFTR title or you have titled your dog and are problem solving).

Trained Retrieve, Reliable Recall, Whistle Sit, Basic Casting are prerequisites.

Workshop book is included for all participants. Q & A at the end of the workshop day.

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Registration and FAQ's—READ before registering.

1) What is the difference between the Workshops and a Working or Audit Spot?

Working Spots: A Working spot means you are a Dog / Handler team, will handle your dog at the Workshop and receive instruction from Mitch. If you are unsure about what level of Workshop to register for, please contact us by email at swampdogfarm@gmail.com and we would be happy to help. (bitches in season may participate)

Audit: Workshops offer Unlimited Audit spots. An Audit spot means you will participate as a member of the audience but will not handle a dog in the workshop. Occasionally drills will be left set up that you would be welcome to run.

2) When can I register for the Workshop?

Registration for the Mitch White Workshop will open on Monday Jan 19th, 2026 at 6pm. Registration closes Thursday April 30th, 2026 at 6pm. Payment must be received in full by the closing date.

3) How do I make sure to get an Audit spot?

Audit spots are unlimited but payment and registration must be received by the closing date to make sure we get enough material & work-books printed for everyone! Auditing is a GREAT way to learn how to train your dog!

4) *How do I make sure to get a Working spot?

The limited working spots will be filled **on a first come first serve basis and a \$50 CAD deposit is required within 5 business days to hold your spot.** If the limit fills before the closing date a waiting list will be kept and no deposit is required to be on the waiting list.

5) Can I handle more than one dog in a working spot?

A Working spot is considered a "one handler /dog team". You may list up to TWO dogs but you will only be able to run ONE of your dogs per training segment. Mitch will decide which handler / dog teams run which segments depending on the dog's level. In other words a handler with one dog will be given equal time to a handler with two dogs since only one working spot was purchased.

6) Can I purchase more than one working spot?

At this time please only purchase ONE working spot at each workshop unless the Workshops do not fill.

7) Registration Fees are in Can Funds, how do I pay in US Funds?

We will accept US funds at par with Canadian so it's best to go to your bank and get a Canadian Bank Draft.

8) How do I submit payment for my registration? Email Transfer to: swampdogfarm@gmail.com

OR Cheque or Bank Draft: Payable to - Barbara Loree & Kathy Miner. Address: 7531 Albert Rd., Black Creek BC V9J 1G4.

9) What is the refund and cancellation policy?

The \$50 CAD deposit for a Working spot is Non-refundable. There will be NO refunds for ANY registrations after the closing date April 30th, 2026. If a dog cannot participate in a working spot due to illness or death, a refund may be requested in writing and must be accompanied by a veterinarian's certificate prior to the start of the Workshop. If any of the Workshops are cancelled due to un-forseen circumstances, all registration payments including deposits will be refunded in full.

10) Information Package: We will send out an information package 15 days prior to the workshops and will ask you fill out a current training critique for your dog when registration closes.

REGISTER—CLICK HERE