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# **MANITOBA GUN DOG ASSOCIATION**

**ANNUAL REPORT**

**For the Year Ending October 31, 2021**



**Manitoba Gun Dog Association Inc.  
Annual General Meeting Agenda  
December 4, 2021**

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1. Welcome/Address from our 2021 President Matt Mutcheson
2. Shaun Booth, Kevin Howarth & Gail Komadoski Tribute
3. Approval of the proposed AGM Agenda
4. Review and Approve minutes of the 2020 AGM
5. Business arising from minutes
6. Report of the Grounds Committee
7. Report of the Treasurer
8. Report of the Nominating Committee (Past President)
9. Elections of Officers and Nominations from the floor
10. New Business
  - a. Letter of Intent submitted for the 2023 Field Trial Retriever Championship
  - b. Change in order of field trial events for August 2022
  - c. Call for volunteers for the 2022 events (formal & informal)
  - d. Change in membership fees. Dues would be \$100.00 if paid before March 1st and \$125.00 thereafter
  - e. Proposed By Law Changes
11. Adjournment:

## **Message from the President/2021 Year in Review**

Dear friends/fellow MGDA members,

2021 was the 86<sup>th</sup> year for MGDA and our most challenging to date. As well as drought conditions, we continued to deal with Covid restrictions which limited events, work parties and training groups. Against all odds we were able to have a very successful year.

These events would not be able to happen without the hard work of many volunteers, so I want to send a huge thank you to everyone who volunteered to be on committees, judge, throw, and/or help out in any other way. A special thank you to Medie Robinson for the use of her property; without her ponds most events would not have gone forward.

A lot of hard work went into our grounds this year, so a big round of applause goes out to our awesome grounds committee – Colin, Dewayne, Murry and Bob. Thanks to these guys for taking on a really big job and with the help of numerous volunteers, you've continued to keep our grounds looking great. The work did not go unnoticed, as we had many comments from both club members and visitors regarding how good the grounds looked.

We lost two field trial icons with the passing of Gail Komadoski and Kevin Howarth this fall. They mentored many of the current members, including myself and without them I would not be where I am today. Their winter training sessions, informals, post training “huddles” and their legendary Winnipeg Field Trial Club spring trial will surely be missed.

Unfortunately, due to Mother Nature, we were not able to host the 2021 National which was a huge disappointment but things are in the works for a bid for 2023. Congrats to James Oake and his dogs Avery & Lily for competing at this year's National in Brighton, Ontario. A big thank you goes out to Bob and Nancy Norris for coming all that way to cheer us on.

2022 will be a busy year for MGDA - improvements to our ponds will continue and we hope to have a full slate of events with the possibility of hosting a Kevin Cheff seminar. I look forward to seeing you all at one or more of these events.

Thanks again to all our great volunteers – our club cannot function without all of the hard work and time that you all put into it. Also thanks to our members for selling nearly all our raffle tickets which nets a great profit for the club.

Thank you to everyone for coming out to the AGM today.

Sincerely,

Matt Mutcheson



**Manitoba Gun Dog Association Inc.  
Annual General Meeting Minutes  
& 2020 Member Awards November  
26, 2020**

**Attendance via Zoom:**

Carrie Whenham, James Oake, Percy Ruddock, Bob Norris, Cale Mogg, Ross Pedan, Colin McMichael, Blake Hasiuk, Helen Hasiuk, Charlie Ross, Kelly Booth, Shaun Booth, Gail Komadoski, Kevin Howarth, Stan Scoble, Larry Baker, Murry Milne, Glynnis Erichsen, Doug Robinson, Larry Lewarton, Dewayne Hay, Keith Levin, Geoffe Plouffe, Crystal Fulton, Matt Mutcheson, Babette Cohen, Tannis Peikoff

1. Welcome/Address from our 2020 President Bob Norris
2. Presentation of the 2020 Awards

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**New Titles:** Congratulations to our MGDA members and their dogs in earning their new titles this year. Achieving a title is not an easy task. This takes hours of training of the handler and their dog. It is learning new techniques, being receptive to coaching, working with their training team, whether that is you and your dog, or your spouse, or friends and other club members. It is a goal that is reached and we are very happy to be able to recognize these teams today:

**Dewayne Hay and his dog “Heads Up for Goldenworks” Roo QFTR, MH, WCX** will now add Grand Master Hunter to their name. Dewayne is currently a member of our executive and has been in the game for many years. He is a volunteer on our MGDA grounds and also a judge at various events. Congratulations Dewayne and Roo.

**Our next recipient is Medie Robinson and her dog “Rosewood Millpond Scarlet” Poppy QAA**, who will now add the title of Master Hunter to her name as well as her Qualified Field Trial Retriever title. Medie is an active member with our association who participates as a volunteer at work parties and also acts as a judge at various events. Medie will be one of the judges at the upcoming 2021 National in Iron Bridge, Ontario. Congratulations Medie and Poppy.

**Medie was also successful with her junior pup, “Baypoint Black Bugatti”** receiving their Junior Field Trial Retriever title. Medie had a very successful season.

**Our third title goes to Judy Andrews and her partner “CH Audeo’s Life is a Highway WCX JH CDX VC** with their title of Senior Hunter. Judy has been an active member of the MGDA for a number of years and is always offering to volunteer when needed at various club events. Congratulations Judy and Audeo.

**Scott Anderson and his dog, “Razor’s NX Generation” Tosh** also had a lot of success this season entering his junior dog in the Manitoba field trial events with the help of his teammate Dustin Dola. Tosh achieved her JFTR. Congratulation to Scott, Dustin and Tosh.

**Blake Hasiuk and his lady “Baypoint’s Ramblin Rose” Rosie** earned their WCI this summer at the MGDA grounds. Blake is an active executive member and a volunteer for all events. Blake was our secretary for the August Hunt test and did a fantastic job, his very first time wearing that hat.

**Doug and Debbie Robinson and “Rickways Licorice Stik” handled by Doug Robinson** achieved their Junior Hunter. Doug is one of our newer members to the MGDA. We hope you have enjoyed your season!

**High Point Field Trial Dog & Handlers**

This year the MGDA was only able to host one field trial at the grounds due to our pandemic situation, however, this did not stop our members from diligently training all season and performing at our event with our other members and guests and professional from the various provinces.

**Our Top Junior Field Trial team a tie both with 9 points!**

Our first team was Medie Robinson and “Baypoint Black Bugatti”. Medie’s partner is currently ranked 7<sup>th</sup> for Junior Field Trial dogs in Canada on our National Retrieve Club of Canada website. Congratulations.

Our Second team was Scott Anderson and Dustin Dola who worked together with “Razor’s Nx Generation” Tosh. Tosh is currently ranked 7<sup>th</sup> for Junior Field Trial dogs in Canada on our National Retriever Club of Canada website. Congratulations.

### **Our Top Qualifying Field Trial Teams**

In 3<sup>rd</sup> place was Larry Baker and his pup, “Baypoints Mighty Tarnation” Tar with 1 point. Tar is currently ranked 13<sup>th</sup> on the NRCC page. Coming in 2<sup>nd</sup> place was the team of Shaun Booth and Gail Komadoski with Amraam’s Irish Storm with 2 points who is currently ranked 12<sup>th</sup> on the NRCC page. Our Top Qualifying Field Trail team was **Rosewood Millpond Scarlet” Poppy QFTR, Poppy is currently ranked 9<sup>th</sup>** overall on the National Retriever Club of Canada website. Poppy took first place with five points at the Delta trial this summer. Congratulations Poppy!

### **Moving onto the Big Dogs – Our Open level Retrievers.**

In 3<sup>rd</sup> place was the Team of Scott Anderson and James Oake with “Razor’s Livin on Da Edge” Quinn who is currently ranked 12<sup>th</sup> on the NRCC page. Coming in 2<sup>nd</sup> place was James Oake and “Razors Puddle Duck Teal” Avery with 6 points who is currently ranked 11<sup>th</sup> on the NRCC page.

This year we are very proud to present Larry Baker and his loyal, talented, and determined team mate – The MGDA clubs National Field Trial Champion, Amateur Field Trail Champion “OCG’s Equalizer” Mace. With the award to Top Open Dog.

Mace has had an incredible career and it shows each time this team comes together at an event. This year Mace earned himself 10 points with a double header weekend at the Brandon Retriever Club event. Larry can be overheard telling others, that Mace, owes him nothing. Mace has given Larry everything he has ever wanted to achieve. And Mace – you have continued to show perseverance to this sport. Mace is currently ranked 7<sup>th</sup> on the NRCC page for Top Open Dogs. Congratulations Mace.

On another note, not something we give out awards for, but is nice to recognize our club members on the national stage. Larry Baker, James Oake, Dustin Dola are listed in the list of Top Handlers on the NRCC page for Combined All age, which includes both professional and amateur handlers. A great showing for a short season in the Field Trial community.

Members were asked if they were missed in the awards, please reach out to the executive so it can be included on our website for the 2020 achievements. For all members who participated this year, they were thanks for their attendance and if they were not successful in your title, you did a great job and we hope to see you continue next season.

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### **Robert “Gordon” Bryce tribute and donation –**

Gordon passed away on October 10, 2020 at the age of 95. He was a MGDA Lifetime Member. He trialed with his dogs during eh 1950’s and 1960’, and eventually went on to become a judge the sport that he loved. The family donated some of his training items that were won by a draw by Keith Levin.

### **Admin Details for conduct of the 2020 AGM**

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3. Review and approve minutes of 2019 AGM – The minutes were moved for approval by Ross Peden and seconded by Charlie Ross. All in favor to approve.
4. Business arising from minutes – there was no business arising from the minutes.
5. Report of the Grounds Committee – the report was move for approval by Shaun Booth and seconded by Murray Milne. All in favor to approve.
6. Report of the Treasurer – the report was moved to approve by Carrie Whenham and seconded by Colin McMichael. All in favor to approve.
7. Report of the Nominating Committee: There was no report from the Nominating Committee to present.
8. Election of Officers and Nominations from the Floor – the proposed slate was presented by the nominating committee as follows:

<b>President</b> Matt Mutcheson	<b>Past president</b> Bob Norris
<b>1st Vice</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Vice</b>

## **Annual General Meeting Grounds Report**

The grounds committee consisting of **Dewayne Hay, Colin McMichael, Murray Milne and Bob Norris** met and reviewed various tasks required to make our grounds safer and more useable in October of 2021. Most of this work falls into the "finish what we started" category and should be easily affordable in the immediate future. Dewayne will be the liaison between the club and contractors doing the work. Additional discussions will be held regarding a long term plan for further development with the 2022 committee.

### **West Side Middle Pond**

1. slope sides
2. remove boulders
3. extend berm on east side to causeway
4. build bridge at southwest corner

### **North-East Pond**

1. slope sides
2. remove boulders
3. raise culvert to maintain proper water level
4. raise first point on west side
5. dig out bays
6. raise north island
7. clean up the ugly mound
8. clear bushes just north of the road, east side
9. slope rip-rap cover with material
10. prune tree infringing on road to east side
11. repair/replace boardwalk at SE corner

### **2 Island Pond**

1. slope sides as required
2. remove boulders
3. NW side extend point to centre of island
4. SE side extend point to S end of island
5. widen and deepen swail, use material to build up islands
6. build new mound at south end east side as marked
7. clean up south end of pond and extend the point at south west corner 10 feet
8. clear brush from mound south of pond to roadway south of pond

### **Other**

1. repair mound at south end of field behind clubhouse
2. add new mound at SW corner of same field

Dewayne Hay	Blake Hasiuk
<b>Secretary</b> Carrie Whenham	<b>Treasurer</b> Helen Hasiuk
<b>Director 2<sup>nd</sup> year</b> Gail Komadoski	<b>Director 2yr term</b> Charlie Ross
<b>Director 2yr term</b> Medie Robinson	<b>Director 2yr term</b> Geoff Plouffe

There were no nominations from the floor. The proposed slate for the 2021 MGDA executive was approved.

9. Proposed By-Law Changes – the proposed wording for the by-law change that was approved at the 2019 AGM was approved by all. Wording is as follows:

In order to be eligible for membership in the Association a person must be at least eighteen (18) years of age at the date of making the application, except where the applicant is requesting admission as a Junior Member.

A Junior Member is one who has one or more family members who are active adult members and/or is sponsored by an active adult member and who is between the ages of 12 - 17. Junior members can participate actively in the promotion, operation and endeavors of the Association but may not vote. Junior members between the age of 12 - 17 must be accompanied by an active adult or active adult spousal member while on the grounds. Membership of a Junior member will be the same as an associate membership.

10. New Business:

- a. NRCC Representatives – Charlie Ross – 2<sup>nd</sup> year and James Oake – 1<sup>st</sup> year
- b. NRCC Special Meeting of Members - Discussion for MGDA Vote, this vote is to voice the MGDA club recommendation to continue with a National Open, or a National Combined Open/Amateur for 2022.
- c. Change in order of field trial events for August 2021 – the order of the fall field trials have been approved for change for August 2021. This was an effort discussed with the Brandon Field Trial Club, the Delta Club and MGDA. This is only for this year due to the MGDA hosting the National in September, to allow for the pre national works to be done at the grounds, as well as to provide some relief to our members before the volunteers are required to commit for the National event.
- d. 2021 National to be held at the MGDA Grounds (Current Status)

11. Adjournment: Ross Peden made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:49pm, Colin McMichael seconded the motion. All in favor.

## **Annual General Meeting Treasurer Report**

The attached report reflects the revenue and expenses of the Manitoba Gun Dog Association ("The Club") for the year ended October 31, 2021.

The Club hosted four trials in 2021, two Hunt tests and two Field Trials. All the trials in 2021 returned a profit to the club and came within or very close to the estimates that each of the Test/Trial Committees submitted. In total the events raised a net profit for the club of \$8,458. This is an increase from last year of \$910. Details of each event are attached to this report.

The Club also ran a *Stock the Bar* funding raising event again this year earning a profit for the club of \$3,074. This is an increase over last year of \$456. The net decrease of \$1,714 in fundraising is due to the Grey Cup. Net income from the 2019 Grey Cup fund raiser is included in the 2020 figures but the Grey Cup Fund raiser was not done in 2020 or 2021 so there are no funds included in the 2021 year for this event. Details of this year's fund raiser are attached.

Membership revenues are \$4,700 an increase of \$775 from last year. Some of this is new members and some is timing when memberships are paid.

Other revenue includes donations of \$850 and other various small deposits of \$81. This has decreased from last year by \$45.

Overall, this results in revenues for the year of \$17,164 a net decrease of \$74 from last year.

Expenses for 2021 are \$14,518, which is lower than last year by \$811.

The reduction in expenses is due to:

- Lower insurance costs. Bob Norris was able to find us a new insurance company that provides similar coverage but at a lower cost, saving us approximately \$207
- Lower club house expenses offset by an increase in equipment costs for a net decrease in expenses of \$172
- Lower taxes, memberships and award costs offset by higher grounds costs, administrative costs, bank charges, miscellaneous costs and National costs for a net decrease of \$432. There were no National costs in 2021 as we ended up not hosting the event this year.

Based on these changes the Club earned a net income this year of \$2,646 an increase of \$737 from last year.

The Club currently has \$22,822 in the bank. The value of the Equipment, Land and the Club House are recorded at their original cost so the amounts shown are consistent with prior years.

Thank you,

*Original Signed by Helen Hasiuk*

MGDA Treasurer

TO THE MANITOBA GUN DOG ASSOCIATION INC.

November 14, 2021

We have in accordance with Article IX, Section 2, of the MGDA Bylaws, audited the Treasurer's report/ bookkeeping and records for the period ending October 31 2021. In our opinion the Financial Statements present fairly and accurately the financial position of the MGDA as of October 31, 2021 and the treasurer is doing an excellent job.

Observation:

The club presently has two accounts open and the treasurer does not have access to the BMO account

Recommendation:

1. Either combine the two bank accounts or give access to both accounts to the treasurer.
2. The following was a recommendation from the 2020 audit.

*That event committees (Field Trial, Hunt Test, and Working Certificate) submit an operating budget to the executive for approval, 60 days prior to the event being held.*

This process should be evaluated by the Executive to ensure that this additional duty is providing value added information for financial decisions.

Respectfully Submitted

Original Signed by:

Monika Robertson  
Larry Baker

**The Manitoba Gun Dog Association**  
**Estimated Statement of Revenue and Expense**  
**As at October 31, 2021**

	2021	2020
<b>REVENUE and TRIAL NET INCOME</b>		
Tests and Trials		
Spring Hunt Test	\$ 1,194.04	\$ 1,870.01
Spring Field Trial	2,303.79	-
Fall Hunt Test	1,538.06	2,154.49
Fall Field Trial	3,422.92	3,524.08
Total Tests and Trials	\$ 8,458.81	\$ 7,548.58
Fundraising	3,074.32	4,788.74
Membership Dues	4,700.00	3,925.00
Other Revenue	931.53	975.85
	\$ 17,164.66	\$ 17,238.17
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
National Expenses	\$ -	\$ 300.00
Grounds Expense	7,625.33	7,448.66
Equipment	2,497.18	1,093.90
Insurance	1,762.00	1,969.00
Clubhouse Expenses	9.16	1,585.80
Taxes	693.29	705.55
Office Expenses	536.87	242.37
Memberships	274.15	450.25
Awards, Ribbons and Trophies	500.74	1,026.57
Bank Charges	161.25	131.25
Miscellaneous	458.42	376.07
Total Expenses	\$ 14,518.39	\$ 15,329.42
Net Income (Loss) for the Year	\$ 2,646.27	\$ 1,908.75

**The Manitoba Gun Dog Association  
Statement of Assets  
As at October 31, 2021**

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
Cash	\$ 22,822.95	\$ 20,176.68
Equipment and Supplies	51,224.00	51,298.00
Club House	102,224.00	102,224.00
Land	28,000.00	28,000.00
Total Assets	<u>\$ 204,270.95</u>	<u>\$ 201,698.68</u>

Cash Balance	\$ 22,822.95
Less Reserve	\$ 5,000.00
Total Cash Available	<b>\$ 17,822.95</b>

## 2021 Spring Hunt Test

	Budget		Actuals	
<b>Income</b>				
Saturday	5 Junior x \$45	\$ 225.00	4 Junior x \$45	\$ 180.00
	5 Senior x \$55	275.00	4 Senior x \$55	220.00
	5 Master x \$60	300.00	6 Master x \$60	360.00
Sunday	5 Junior x \$45	225.00	4 Junior x \$45	180.00
	5 Senior x \$55	275.00	4 Senior x \$55	220.00
	5 Master x \$60	300.00	4 Master x \$60	240.00
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<u>30</u>	<u>\$ 1,600.00</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>\$ 1,400.00</u>
<b>Expenses</b>				
Judges Gifts (\$15 Each)		\$ 200.00		\$ 120.00
Printing		50.00		26.30
Judges Fees				
Misc		50.00		58.38
CKC		250.00		1.28
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>		<u>\$ 550.00</u>		<u>\$ 205.96</u>
<b>PROFIT</b>		<u>\$ 1,050.00</u>		<u>\$ 1,194.04</u>

## 2021 Spring Field Trial

	Budget			Actuals		
<b>Income</b>						
Saturday	8	Junior entries x \$45	\$ 360.00	12	Junior entries x \$45	\$ 540.00
	8	Qualifying x \$55	440.00	7	Qualifying x \$55	385.00
	12	Open entries x \$70	840.00	13	Open entries x \$70	910.00
Sunday	8	Junior entries x \$45	360.00	12	Junior entries x \$45	540.00
	8	Qualifying x \$55	440.00	8	Qualifying x \$55	440.00
	12	Open entries x \$70	840.00	11	Open entries x \$70	770.00
Total Listing Fees						63.00
	56		\$ 3,280.00	63		\$ 3,648.00
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>						
<b>Expenses</b>						
Catalogue			\$ 60.00			\$ -
CKC			275.00			368.97
Gunners			-			408.00
Judges Travel & Lodging			-			95.20
Judges' Gifts			200.00			227.16
Tailgate, Pop, Water & Alcohol			75.00			69.09
NRCC Fees (\$5 per Open dog)			120.00			115.00
Scratch/Overpayment/Refund			-			55.00
Postage			10.00			5.79
Other			40.00			-
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>			<b>\$ 780.00</b>			<b>\$ 1,344.21</b>
<b>PROFIT</b>			<b>\$ 2,500.00</b>			<b>\$ 2,303.79</b>

## 2021 Fall Hunt Test

	Budget		Actuals	
<b>Income</b>				
Saturday	5 Junior x \$45	\$ 225.00	4 Junior x \$45	\$ 180.00
	5 Senior x \$55	275.00	8 Senior x \$55	440.00
	5 Master x \$60	300.00	10 Master x \$60	600.00
Sunday	5 Junior x \$45	225.00	4 Junior x \$45	180.00
	5 Senior x \$55	275.00	8 Senior x \$55	440.00
	5 Master x \$60	300.00	8 Master x \$60	480.00
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<u>30</u>	<u>\$ 1,600.00</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>\$ 2,320.00</u>
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<u>30</u>	<u>\$ 1,600.00</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>\$ 2,320.00</u>
<b>Expenses</b>				
Judges Gifts		\$ 200.00		\$ 200.00
Printing		50.00		
Gunners		250.00		252.00
Lunches				64.85
Misc		50.00		57.82
CKC		200.00		207.27
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>		<u>\$ 750.00</u>		<u>\$ 781.94</u>
<b>PROFIT</b>		<u>\$ 850.00</u>		<u>\$ 1,538.06</u>

## 2021 Fall Field Trial

	Budget			Actuals		
<b>Income</b>						
Saturday	12	Junior entries x \$45	\$ 540.00	6	Junior entries x \$45	\$ 270.00
	12	Qualifying x \$55	660.00	10	Qualifying x \$55	550.00
	26	Open entries x \$70	1,820.00	27	Open entries x \$70	1,890.00
Sunday	12	Junior entries x \$45	540.00	5	Junior entries x \$45	225.00
	12	Qualifying x \$55	660.00	7	Qualifying x \$55	385.00
	26	Open entries x \$70	1,820.00	24	Open entries x \$70	1,680.00
Total Listing Fees						52.50
	100		-	79	Scratch	- 70.00
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>			<b>\$ 6,040.00</b>			<b>\$ 4,982.50</b>
<b>Expenses</b>						
Catalogue			\$ 40.00			\$ -
CKC			470.00			437.43
Gunners			800.00			612.00
Judges Travel & Lodging			100.00			-
Judges' Gifts			220.00			213.67
Tailgate, Pop, Water & Alcohol			60.00			40.01
NRCC Fees (\$5 per Open dog)			260.00			250.00
Postage			10.00			6.47
Misc.			20.00			-
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>			<b>\$ 1,980.00</b>			<b>\$ 1,559.58</b>
<b>PROFIT</b>			<b>\$ 4,060.00</b>			<b>\$ 3,422.92</b>

## 2021 Stock the Bar Fundraiser

	Budget	Actual
<b>INCOME</b>		
Ticket Sales	800 x \$5.00    \$4,000.00	734 x \$5.00    \$3,675.00
Donations (tickets not returned/sold, but paid for)		20 x \$5.00    100.00
<b>Potential Total Income</b>	<u><b>\$4,000.00</b></u>	<u><b>\$3,775.00</b></u>
 <b>APPROXIMATE EXPENSES</b>		
Prizes	\$550.00	\$550.00
Ticket Printing	125.00	112.00
Postage/Envelopes	75.00	33.18
Raffle License	5.00	5.50
Approximate Total Expenses	<u><b>\$755.00</b></u>	<u><b>\$700.68</b></u>
 <b>POTENTIAL PROFIT</b>	 <u><u><b>\$3,245.00</b></u></u>	 <u><u><b>\$3,074.32</b></u></u>

1st Place - \$250 MLCC Gift Card  
 2nd Place - \$150 MLCC Gift Card  
 3rd Place - \$100 MLCC Gift Card  
 4th Place - \$50 MLCC Gift Card

Unsold Tickets	4
Unsold/Not Returned	40
Lost	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>41 Tickets (\$225)</b>



**Manitoba Gun Dog Association Inc.  
Annual General  
Report of Nominating  
Committee**

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The Nominating Committee has communicated with the following MGDA members and has received their approval for interest in the following positions with the 2021 MGDA Executive Committee:

**Past President** – Matt Mutcheson

**President** – Dewayne Hay

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President** – Blake Hasiuk

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President** – Medie Robinson

**Secretary** – Crystal Fulton

**Treasurer** – Carrie Whenham

**Director** – Geoff Plouffe

**Director** – Charlie Ross

**Director** – Dustin Dola

**Director** - Peter Dozois



**MANITOBA GUN DOG ASSOCIATION**  
**APPLICATION TO HOST 2023 NATIONAL**  
**SEPTEMBER 10 – 16, 2023**

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On behalf of the Manitoba Gun Dog Association I would like to make application to host the 2023 National. The key positions of the committee are as listed:

Chairperson – Medie Robinson

Secretary – TBD

Chief Marshall – Gord MacKenzie

Treasurer – Larry Lewarton

Gun Captain – Carrie Whenham

Equipment Manager –

Fund Raising –

Hospitality –

Grounds Captain – Dustin Dola and Murry Milne

As you are aware, the MGDA was prepared to host this event in 2020, but due to the pandemic that hit our country, we were unable to move forward with the event. We continued to prepare our grounds to host the 2021 event, investing a significant amount of our club's finances into grounds improvement, with the assumption in mind that we, as a club, would earn the monies spent back by hosting the National. Again – matters that were out of our control hit our province with a significant drought situation, calling a state of emergency in many areas of our province. We were not able to host the national as we did not have the water that would be appropriate for a national event.

As a club we have discussed the desire to be selected to host again. The 2022 season will give our grounds the opportunity to recover, and we have continued plans for even further improvements.

The National would be held on our privately owned grounds north west of Balmoral Manitoba, as well as privately owned farmland in the surrounding area. We have hosted many successful national events on

this property and it is well known in retriever circles as being a premiere location. The Manitoba Gun Dog Association has a membership of approximately 70 enthusiasts, many of whom are active field trial participants, as well as a growing community of new field trailers. The experience to be a volunteer and see what a field trial at a national level looks like is one that we feel will continue to grow the sport in Manitoba.

Our club has hosted annual licensed trials for over 60 years and was pleased to have hosted the 1982, 1992, 2004, 2011 National Retriever Championship. As well as the 1997, 2002, 2007, and 2015 National Amateur Retriever Field Trial Championship were run on our grounds.

The City of Winnipeg is located at the junction of the Red and Assiniboine River, almost at the geographic centre of North America. It is an ideal location for all participants across the country to travel to easily. Including our American participants.

The event will be held on challenging grounds, owned by the club, located 45 minutes northwest of Winnipeg, Manitoba. Our grounds are 160 acres in size with a good mix of land and water, with our improvements that we have undertaken improving that amount available. We are a club that is continuously are trying to grow the sport and have improved training and trialing grounds.

We hope you will consider the financial impact we have put into our grounds to keep them a premier training location, the unfortunate circumstances our club has faced with the pandemic and mother nature, and allow us to host the National we have been waiting over ten years to host.

Thank you

Carrie Whenham

MGDA Executive



**Manitoba Gun Dog Association Inc.  
Annual General Meeting  
Proposed Wording Change to the  
MGDA Constitution**

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Below are the suggested changes to the MGDA constitution regarding retrievers that are identified as those recognized by the CKC and that we are a club that supports the CKC recognized retriever breeds, retriever events, membership, activities, as well as the use of our grounds by members for those interests. This is not meant to preclude current members who own other breeds but to ensure that new members abide by the objects of the club. Text in green is an addition, text in red is to be deleted.

**Current Wording:**

Article III

**Objects**

The objects of the Association shall be:

- To hold or arrange retriever field trials and hunt tests and working certificate events, either formal or informal; matches; competitions and displays and to offer and grant to contribute towards the provision of prizes, awards and distinctions.
- To advance the knowledge and practice of conservation by the breeding, training and the proper use of the retrievers and other dog breeds approved eligible recognized by the Canadian Kennel Club.
- To elevate the breed standards of all retrievers and other dog breeds approved eligible recognized by the Canadian Kennel Club.

**Proposed Wording**

As such the Objects would now read as follows:

- To hold or arrange retriever field trials hunt tests and working certificate events, either formal or informal; matches; competitions and displays and to offer and grant to contribute towards the provision of prizes, awards and distinctions.
- To advance the knowledge and practice of conservation by the breeding, training and proper use of the retriever breeds recognized by the Canadian Kennel Club.
- To elevate the breed standards of all retrievers recognized by the Canadian Kennel Club.

In addition to the above changes are suggested:

- a) All bullet points throughout the document be replaced by a common numbering system. Eg: a), b), c), or i), ii), iii), etc. This will simplify discussion when referring to a particular point in the document.
- b) Fix typo in last point of the "Objects"  
"residents orto or to Manitoba"
- c) Change wording in Bylaws Article 1, Section 1 to replace the word "work" with "objects".  
"Section 1– A member of the Association shall be anyone interested in the promotion of the work objects of the Association and whose application and or dues have been received and accepted."

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#	ITEM	QTY	Model/Description	Location	Condition	Book Value	Comments/Serial
1	.209 primers	0	Packages of 100	Storage Trlr 1	New	\$0	
2	.22 ramset charges	1	boxes of 100, yellow	Storage Trlr 1	New	\$40	
3	Banner	1	Vinyl Logo (32 sq. In.)	Gun Cabinet	Excellent	\$40	White vinyl & black logo
4	Barrel	1	Rain Barrel-Costco	Clubhouse	New 2009	\$152	Water Storage - Kitchen
5	Battery Tester	1	Battery Bulb & Fuse in One	Orange Storage	New 2008	\$9	To check AAA & AA Batteries
6	BBQ	1	Master Chef	Clubhouse	New 2017	\$285	
7	BBQ grill type	1	Centro	Clubhouse	Good	\$200	
8	Blasters	3	Retriever Trainers Ducross	Win-Toba?	Good	\$532	.22 Cal blank
9	Blasters	7	Max 1000 Blasters	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$3,264	16 carry bags not used sell all
10	Blasters	2	Thunder 100	Matt's	New 2019	\$1,000	
11	Blinds	3	Zinger Camo Box Blinds	Storage Trlr 1	New 2011	\$467	1 broken
12	Blinds	9	K-JO	Storage Trlr 1	New 2010	\$600	Camo Deep Green
13	Blinds	3	Camo, fabric	Storage Trlr 1	New 2019	\$500	
14	Blind markers	5	Plastic stakes	Storage Trlr 1	New 2021		
15	Blower	1	Stihl BR600 Backpack	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$650	Ser # 516501925,
16	Blower	1	Stihl BR600 Backpack	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$650	Ser # 516501929
17	Boats	1	Prince Craft-Aluminium-Duck	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$869	Green - Flatt Bottom
18	Broom	1	Push Broom	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$0	Hair Bristle Push Broom
19	Broom Set	1	Vinyl broom & dust pan	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$10	Purple in Color
20	Calls - Duck/Goose	9	Various	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$20	Orange Storage Boxes
21	Camp stove	1	3 burner camp chef	Clubhouse	New 2015	\$350	
22	Cans-for Spray Mix	2	5 Gallon - Red Plastic	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$27	For use with Sprayers
23	Cell booster	1	WE Boost 3G-M	Clubhouse	New 2019	\$700	Ser # 4248366
24	Chairs	12	Red Canvas folding	Storage Trlr 1	New-2011	\$363	Costco Executive
25	Chairs	62	Folding Plastic & Metal	Clubhouse	New 2007	\$628	Metal & Plastic Folding
26	Coffee Urn	1	Large	Clubhouse	Good	\$50	
27	Coolers	7	CTC red & blue	Storage Trlr 1	Excellent	\$300	For Judges Lunches Etc.
28	Coolers	1	Coleman Small White & Blue	Storage Trlr 1	Excellent	\$43	
29	Decoy stakes	26	16 metal, 10 plastic	Storage Trlr 1	Poor	\$0	
30	Decoys	45	Mallard duck floaters	Storage Trlr 1	New 2011	\$600	2011 Can. Nat.Master
31	Decoys	12	Canada goose shells (good)	Storage Trlr 1	New 2011	\$1,075	2011 Can. Nat.Master
32	Decoys	12	Canada goose shells (cheap)	Storage Trlr 1	Fair	\$0	
33	Defibrillator	1	Zoll	Clubhouse	2019	\$2,000	Ser # 3023229
34	Drying Box	1	Wooden Screened	Duck Building	Fair	\$195	Built by P.Ruddock
35	Drying Racks	4	Aluminum Trestle Style	Storage Trlr 1	New 2009	\$280	1 broken
36	Ear Protectors	11		Storage Trlr 1	Used	\$0	
37	Easel	1	White board & stand	Clubhouse	New 2007	\$153	White Easy Erase
38	Extension Cord	1	For generator	Storage Trlr 2	New 2010	\$163	
39	Fire Extinguishers	3	Garrison	Clubhouse & Tr	New 2010	\$189	
40	First aid kit	1	New	Clubhouse	New	\$60	
41	Flags	4	2 Cda, 1 USA, 1 SK	Storage Trlr 1	Excellent	\$60	
42	Flourescent vests	1	Purina	Storage Trlr 1	New	\$0	
43	Flushing Box	1	Tritronics box & electronics	Storage Trlr 1	New 2005	\$412	Model150R&150T
44	Fork	1	Garden/Manure	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$40	
45	Freezer	1	Small	Clubhouse	Fair	\$100	
46	Freezer	1	Large Coldspot	Clubhouse	Fair	\$100	
47	Freezer	1	Chest Type-18 Cubic Feet	Medie's	Good	\$300	
48	Fridge	1		Clubhouse	Poor	\$160	Kitchen
49	Garbage barrel	1	Small white Vinyl	Clubhouse	Fair	\$10	
50	Garbage drums	3	45 gallon drums	Clubhouse	Good	\$68	
51	Garbage can	5	Black Vinyl	Clubhouse	Poor	\$50	No Lids
52	Garden hose	1		Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$20	
53	Gas can	6	20L-Red plastic	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$400	
54	Gas can	1	2 Gallon-Red plastic	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$9	For use with Gas
55	Gas can	1	1 Gallon -Red plastic	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$14	For use with Gas
56	Generator	1	Durcar DFY6500H- ( AC110/	Storage Trlr 2	Excellent-New	\$1,082	
57	Gun Cabinet	1	Gun Cabinet	Storage Trlr 1	Damaged	\$350	
58	Gun Cabinet	1	Metal Gun Cabinet	Win-Toba?	Excellent	\$12	
59	Gun cases	2	Wooden	Storage Trlr 1	Poor	\$0	2 scrapped in 2019
60	Gun Ramrods	3	Wooden Black	Gun Cabinet	Good	\$0	
61	Gun/Blaster Stands	9	Shotgun Stands- Metal-Green	Storage Trlr 2	New 2000	\$376	no longer used - scrap
62	Gunner Jackets-Camo	7	Camo	Storage Trlr 1	Used	\$0	
63	Gunner Jackets-White	28	White	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$180	

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64	Gunner bibs	4	White	Storage Trlr 1			
65	Guns - Shotgun - Wood	5	Imitation Wooden Shotgun	Gun Cabinet	Good -2 New	\$75	
66	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	Stevens Double 331 19AYSSZ	Win-Toba?	Good	\$1,000	D859665
67	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	Stevens Double 311 7VXSSZ	Win-Toba?	good	\$1,000	D660031
68	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	stevens ?	Win-Toba?	good	\$500	C137096
69	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	Hammer Coeey MDL 840.Single	Win-Toba?	Good	\$700	54736
70	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	Stevens Double 311 5GUSZ	Win-Toba?	good	\$700	D860035
71	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	ERA Made in Brazil-Double	Win-Toba?	good	\$700	S 205588H79C
72	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	I J 58 MAE-Double	Win-Toba?	out of service ejector pin		C20392
73	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	I J58 MAE-Double	Win-Toba?	out of service ejector pin		C23785
74	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	3	Hammer Remington-812 Singles	Win-Toba?	out of service ejector pin		C137543
75	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge		Make?	Win-Toba?		\$200	C98126
76	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	Winchester 37	Win-Toba?		\$200	C9775511
77	Guns - Shotgun-12 Gauge	1	Winchester 37	Win-Toba?		\$200	C977898
78	Guns - Starting Pistols	3	N.E.F.-.22	Storage Trlr 1	Need repair?	\$300	Evaluate and repair or replace, Ser # s?
79	Guns - Starting Pistols	2	N.E.F.-.209	Storage Trlr 1		\$493	Missing
80	Hammers	3	Claw-Black with Rubber Grip	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$34	Located Black Tool Box
81	Hammers	2	Maul-Short Wooden Handle	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$45	"
82	Hip waders	1		Storage Trlr 1	Poor	\$0	
83	Hot plate	1	Salton 2 burner electric	Clubhouse	Good	\$100	
84	Key Safe	1	Metal Combination-ColorWhite	Hidden Loc'n	Excellent-New	\$45	Bldg. Access Keys
85	Ladder	1	Foldable	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$50	
86	Ladder	1	22ft extension	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$150	
87	Lanterns	2	Coleman Naptha Gas	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$180	
88	Life Jackets	6	Adult-PFD-DLX	Storage Trlr 1	New 2008	\$141	5 foam, 1 kapok
89	Loppers	1	Metal, green	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$30	
90	Microwave	1	GE Spacemaker	Clubhouse	Good	\$50	
91	Mower	30	Kunz heavy duty field mower	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$5,000	Model MR55K Ser # 0209028
92	Oars	4	Wooden-Oars	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$45	
93	Padlocks	7	Master	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$33	Equipment Chests,
94	Poppers	15	Boxes	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$200	
95	Propane tanks	2	20 lb	Clubhouse	Good	\$150	Also 2 outdated, need to replace?
96	Radios	3	Motorola	Storage Trlr 1	9 old, 3 new	\$100	In orange boxes 9 missing
97	Rake	1	Leaf rake	Storage Trlr 2		\$20	
98	Ratchet straps	2	Yellow 2" new 2021	Storage Trlr 1			
99	Ratchet straps	2pr	Erickson single ended	Storage Trlr 1	New	\$40	
100	Running Mats	6	Rubber Black	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$54	2 full size, 4 half size
101	Saw	1	Buck type, orange	Storage Trlr 2		\$20	
102	Shovels	3	2 round nose, 1 square	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$100	
103	Sign - Field Trial	1	Sandwich-Open	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$50	Need to be organized, repaired or scrapped
104	Sign - Field Trial	3	Stake -Open	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$60	Our count:
105	Sign - Field Trial	2	Sandwich-Qualify	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$100	8 puppy
106	Sign - Field Trial	3	Stake-Qualify	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$60	6 junior
107	Sign - Field Trial	3	Sandwich-Junior	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$150	4 qally
108	Sign - Field Trial	3	Stake-Junior	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$60	3 jr hunt
109	Sign - Hunt Test	3	Master-Real Estate Style	Storage Trlr 1	New-2004	\$105	3 sr hunt
110	Sign - Junior Hunt	3	Junior-Real Estate tyle	Storage Trlr 1	New-2004	\$105	15 misc national
111	Sign - Master National	2	Other-?	Storage Trlr 1	New 2007	\$0	
112	Sign - National Field Trial	2	Training Area-Real Estate Style	Storage Trlr 1	New 2004	\$50	
113	Sign - Senior Hunt	3	Senior-Real Estate Style	Storage Trlr 1	New 2004	\$105	7 master national
114	Sprayers	4	Back Pack 20L	Storage Trlr 2	1 new '19	\$382	2 Swish-mix 1 broken, 1 Princess new in box
115	Storage Box	5	Shell Boxes Camo-Plastic	Storage Trlr 1	New 2008	\$79	Popper Storage
116	Storage Box	2	Marine Boxes Orange	Storage Trlr 1	New 2003 &	\$96	For Radios & Duck Calls 2 missing
117	Storage Box	3	Tool Boxes-Black Plastic	Equip.Chests	Good	\$54	For Trial kits-hammers etc
118	Storage Tote	2	Clear	Storage Trlr 1	Poor	\$21	Jacket Storage Need 3 new ones
119	Storage Tote	6	Vinyl White & Blue,shallow	Storage Trlr 1	New 2006	\$63	Ribbon Storage
120	Storage Tote	10	Rubber Maid-Tote-Blue /Grey	Bird Bldg	New 2020	\$79	
121	Tables Folding 5ft	3	60" Wd. Top Mtl. Leg	Clubhouse	New 2007	\$590	Club House Luncheons,
122	Tables Folding 8ft	5	96" Wd. Top Mtl. Leg	Clubhouse	New 2007	\$600	Meetings, Etc.
123	Tables Picnic	6	Wooden round	Clubhouse Patio	New 2012	\$1,360	Outside Patio Use.
124	Tarps	1	Low, camo - for gallery	Storage Trlr 1	Fair	\$0	With metal stakes
125	Tarps	2	Blue	Storage Trlr 1	Fair	\$50	
126	Tent	2	Canvas White Pop-up	Storage Trlr 1	New 2007	\$125	Sun Shade

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127	Tent	1	Screened cook tent	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$75	Cook tent
128	Tiger torches	3		Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$150	
129	Toilet seats	2	new	Storage Trlr 1	New	\$40	
130	Towing Balls	1	Regular 1 7/8 Steel	Black tool box	New 2011	\$27	
131	Towing Balls	1	Regular 2" Steel	Black tool box	Good	\$45	1 missing
132	Trailer	1	ATV Wagon	Storage Trlr 2	New 2012	\$800	Multiple Use.
133	Trailer	2	5 x 8 ft utility trailer	Storage Trlr 1	new sept 201	\$1,864	Squirrel Creek Ser # 2S9V8E1A8JA168020
134	Trailer	2	5 x 8 ft utility trailer	Storage Trlr 1	new sept 201	\$1,864	Squirrel Creek Ser # 2S9V5E1A7GA168020
135	Trigger Locks	11	Regular	Win-Toba?	New 2009	\$81	Didn't find. @ Win-toba??
136	Trophies	11	Various	Clubhouse	Old	\$0	Older Awards
137	Turkey roaster	1	Nesco Roaster/slow cooker	Clubhouse	Good	\$150	
138	Wading pool	1	Blue	Storage Trlr 1	Good	\$20	
139	Water Pump	1	Power Fist 98cc	Storage Trlr 2	Good	\$100	Dewayne has
140	Water Tank	1	50 gallon Poly Leg Tank & Trailer	Storage Trlr 2	New 2003	\$754	
141	Water Tank	1	Poly Leg Tank-300 Gallon White	Storage Trlr 2	New 2003	\$512	
142	Weedeater w/blade	1	Marliyama B27	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$1,000	Ser # 18364-8115
143	Weedeater w/hedge cutter	1	Marliyama M27	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$1,000	Ser # 18364-00126
144	Weedeater w/blade	1	Marliyama B30	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$750	Ser # 18364-00075
145	Weedeater w/blade	1	Marliyama M 30	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$750	Ser # 18354-00209
146	Weedeater hedge head	2	Marliyama	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$500	Ser # 17133, 026250
147	Weedeater bush head	3	Marliyama	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$500	Ser # N/A
148	Weedeater strung head	1	Marliyama	Storage Trlr 2	New 2018	\$150	Ser # N/A
149	Wingers	3	Steel Wishbone/Rubber	Storage Trlr 2		\$0	Not used - scrap
150	Wingers	4	Guns Up-Original Full Size	Storage Trlr 1	New 2009 & 2	\$1,890	
151	Wood stove	1	With chimney	Clubhouse	Good	\$1,000	
152					TOTAL	\$51,224	
153							

**COMMENTS:**

Comments for items highlighted in yellow are listed below for further discussion.

Items in red type are to be confirmed as being at Wintoba or not.

Item 9	7	Max 1000 blasters & bags	Suggest disposal.
Item 61	9	Green shotgun/blaster stands	Suggest disposal
Item 78	3	NEF .22 pistols	Evaluate to keep or dispose, list serial #'s
Item 79	2	NEF .209 pistols	Missing
Item 95	4	20lb propane tanks	2 are out of date recertify or replace
Item 96	9	Radios	Missing
Item 116	2	Orange marine storage box	Missing
Item 118	2	Clear storage tote	Poor condition, get 3 new
Item 131	1	2" towing ball	Missing
Item 149	3	Steel wishbone wingers	Suggest disposal