

NORTH COUNTRY GORDON SETTER CLUB

2009 BIRD DOG AWARD

Purpose

1. Dog must be an AKC registered Gordon Setter.
2. Dog must be owned by a North Country member in good standing at the time points were earned and who attends at least 3 NCGSC events during this calendar year, verified from the club roster book. These events include: 1) January Specialty 2) Awards Dinner 3) Fun Field Day 4) Hunting Tests 5) June Specialty 6) Picnic-Auction 7) Field Trial(s) 8) Fall General Membership Meeting (if held).
3. Points must come only from 2009 AKC sanctioned events. Results will be verified from the AKC GAZETTE AWARDS
4. A dog that has finished a hunting title or field trial championship may still be campaigned for this award at the particular level of its title.
5. It is the owner's responsibility to nominate their dog for this award.
6. The Field Committee is responsible for the determining the criteria for this award. Co-winners are acceptable, however, 3-way or more-way ties are not and the single winner in such a situation will be determined by the Field Committee, excluding those Committee members with dogs in contention for the award.

Point Schedule

AKC Hunting Tests

Junior Hunter	1 point for each leg passed
Senior Hunter	3 points for each leg passed
Master Hunter	6 points for each leg passed

GSCA Working Certificate

Working Dog	1 point for each leg passed
Working Dog Retrieve	3 points for each leg passed

A traveling trophy purchased by NCGSC will be awarded to the winner (co-winners would each have the trophy for a six month period).

This award may not be given out each year if the above criteria in not met by at lease one applicant.

