

2009

John F. Russell

Accomplishments:

- Involved with Retriever Field Trials since 1971
- Had multiple Field Champions and/or Amateur Field Trial Champions
- Double header winners with 4 different dogs
- Finalist in National Championship with 3 different dogs
- Won 2003 National Amateur Championship in McCall, ID
- Competed in the National Open and National Amateur with 8 different dogs

Contributions:

- In my local club, Colonial Retriever Club, I have done pretty much every job offered or drafted
- Judged many All-Age and minor stakes through all four time zones
- Worked at multiple Nationals on different committees i.e. Marshalls, Stewards, Grounds
- Served on Guns Committee for 28 Nationals
- Chief Marshall 1992 National in Batavia, NY
- Field Trial Chairman 1996 National Amateur in Stowe, VT
- President National Amateur 2000
- Served as secretary/treasurer for the National Amateur Retriever Club from 2000-2007
- Delegate AKC
- Served on AKC Delegates' Breeder's Awards Committee
- Currently Serving on AKC Trial Board for Performance Events
- Board of Directors to The Retriever News

From the 2010 Inductions to the Field Trial Hall of Fame program