



ASCA / NADAC



DUAL SANCTIONED AGILITY TEST

Hosted by

**The Australian Shepherd Club of New England
(ASCNE)**

**May 28 & 29, 2005
Hopkinton State Fairgrounds
Contoocook, NH**

JUDGES:

**Pamela Bryant-Meeks (TX)
Jason Meeks (TX)**

CLASSES OFFERED:

**Regular (2 Runs per day)
Jumpers (1 Run per day)
Touch n Go (1 run Saturday only)
For Novice, Open, and Elite
Standard, Veterans and Jr. Handlers**

Exhibition Class for Retired Canine Competitors (Saturday only)

LIMITED TO 650 Runs per Day

NO POSTMARKS EARLIER THAN April 6, 2005

ENTRIES CLOSE May 9, 2005 @ 9 PM

MOVEUPS CLOSE May 18, 2005 @ 9 PM

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

This trial will be held under the current rules and regulations of ASCA/NADAC. In dual-sanctioned ASCA/NADAC agility trials, in the event of any conflict between ASCA's Agility program rules and NADAC's Agility rules, NADAC rules shall govern. Exhibitors, through submission of an entry, acknowledge that they are knowledgeable of current ASCA/NADAC rules and regulations and agree to abide by all rules in effect at the time of this trial, including, but not limited to, the following:

- This test is open to all dogs being at least eighteen (18) months of age, including purebred and non-purebred, except bitches in season, dogs suffering from any deformity, injury or illness that may affect the dog's physical or mental performance, or dogs exhibiting any signs of aggression towards people or other dogs.
- **All dogs are required to have a valid NADAC registration number when entering a sanctioned trial.** Pending numbers are no longer accepted. NADAC now has on-line registration and exhibitors can receive their numbers within 48 hours after submitting the on-line form. Go to www.nadac.com, click on "dogs" on the home page, then on "dog reg form". Handlers do not need to be ASCA or NADAC members.
- **Receipt of ASCA Titling Certificates –**
 - **Starting 1/1/2003 for non-ASCA registered dogs – In order to have ASCA qualifying legs tracked and to receive ASCA titling certificates, each non-ASCA registered dog will be required to have an ASCA Tracking Number. This is a one-time fee of \$10/dog. At the time of applying for the tracking number, the individual owner must also be an ASCA member (minimum membership type of Service). ASCA membership does not need to be maintained in subsequent years. It will be the responsibility of the owner to identify to ASCA the shows and legs earned when applying for a Tracking Number after ASCA qualifying legs have already been earned. The ASCA Membership and Tracking Number Application form is included in this premium. For additional membership information, please go to www.asca.org.**
- Current jump height table, breed exemption list, description of classes, levels, and divisions can be found at NADAC's web site.
- THE MANAGEMENT will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any exhibitor whether the result was by accident or any other cause. It is distinctly understood that every dog at this event is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Show Committee be asked to leave the show site. **In such case, no refund of fees paid will be made and NO scores for that exhibitor will be submitted to NADAC or ASCA. In addition the NADAC and ASCA offices will be informed of the problem.**
- Agility obstacles shall be chosen from those described in the current edition of ASCA/NADAC Official Rules and Regulations.
- Safety shall always be of foremost consideration in actions and conduct by handlers at all times.
- No leads, collars, food, toys, other aids or devices will be permitted on the course or within 10 feet of the rings at any time.
- The Event Committee may refuse any entry other than on the basis expressly provided through ASCA/NADAC rules and regulations. Anyone not in good standing with ASCA/ NADAC will not be allowed entry into the trial.

RULES & REGULATIONS:

- NADAC rules: NADAC, 11522 South Hwy 3, Cataldo, ID 83810. Web: www.nadac.com; e-mail: info@nadac.com
- ASCA rules: ASCA, 6091 E State Hwy 21, Bryan, TX 77808-9652. Web: www.asca.org; e-mail: activities@asca.org.

TRIAL COMMITTEE

Show Chairperson	Jean Janotta (jjanotta@rcn.com ; (603) 895-5436)
Trial Secretary	Jean Janotta (jjanotta@rcn.com ; (603) 895-5436)
Chief Ring Steward(s)	Robin Goodman / Sue Winters
Chief Course Builder(s)	Pete Dolan / Don McCormick
Equipment Manager	Don McCormick
Chief Scorekeeper	Sue Schroeder

ENTRY FORM / ENTRIES / CONFIRMATIONS:

- Entries will be accepted in the order they are sent, not received. For entries sent via Postal Service, the valid reference date is the postmark. Otherwise the valid date is the ship date. Entries with an early postmark will be processed after Day 5 receipts. Unreadable postmarks will be assumed to be the day previous to receipt.
- No entries will be accepted or changed (except for move ups) after the closing date.
- ASCA Registration/Tracking No - If your dog is an ASCA registered Australian Shepherd, write your dog's ASCA registration number in this space. Otherwise, write the dog's ASCA Tracking Number in this space. If this field is left blank, the ASCA Business Office will assume this dog is not registered with ASCA and will not automatically track qualifying legs.
- A dog must compete in the height division in which they have been entered. Exception: when a dog is required by the judge to move to a higher height. These dogs will be placed last in the running order of the new jump height.
- **Junior Handler entry fees will be one-half of the published fees. The Junior Handler must own or co-own the dog they are showing.**
- 'For Exhibition Only' entries will not be accepted.
- Canadian Exhibitors: All fees MUST be submitted in US Funds via International Postal Money Order.
- Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. Returned checks will incur a \$20 service charge.
- Telephone calls returned/initiated with questions on any entries will be made collect.

SHOW SITE:

- This event will be held on grass outdoors in flagged rings. Each ring will be scored as an individual trial.
- There is ample room for crating, chairs, and shade tents.
- A warm-up area, a single practice jump, and a set of weave poles will be provided for exhibitors.
- ALL dogs must be held on leash or crated except when competing or in the warm-up area.
- Enthusiasts of agility have earned a reputation for being among the most considerate and tidy. We thank everyone in advance for upholding the respectful tradition of leaving the trial site and related lodging sites cleaner than we found them.

REFUNDS / WITHDRAWALS:

- There will be no refund/credit for entries withdrawn after the closing date, except for a dog's injury and/or illness or for bitches that come into season after the closing date. These entries will be eligible for a voucher for the amount of the total entry fee paid less \$15.00. A signed letter from your veterinarian must be included with your written request. Requests must be received by the trial secretary prior to the start of the trial. Voucher must be used towards another ASCNE agility trial.
- There will be no refunds if the test cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, strike, or any other cause beyond the control of the Event Committee. There will be no refund in the event dog/handler are dismissed from the competition, regardless of reason.

TRY-STOCK-N-GO:

- Curious about how your dog would be at working stock? Want to try them on sheep?
- ASCNE will be offering a Try-Stock-n-Go on sheep, run by Matt Mason, on Saturday, limited to 25 runs. To be eligible, the dog must be at least 6 months old and must be an ASCA herding breed or cross of those breeds (refer to www.asca.org/Programs/Stockdog, Rules, Appendix 1 for the list of breeds).
- Refer to the entry form in this premium for more information.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE AND RING ASSIGNMENTS

In an effort to reduce the amount of course building required, **judges will remain in the same ring all weekend and exhibitors who show both days will move to the other ring on Sunday.**

Saturday – Ring 1: Jumpers, Touch n Go, and Regular 1 & 2. **Ring 2:** Jumpers, Regular 1 & 2, and Touch n Go. Within each class, the level order will be Novice, Open, Elite. Running order will be from lowest to highest within jump height category.

Sunday – Ring 1: Regular 1 & 2 and Jumpers. **Ring 2:** Regular 1 & 2 and Jumpers. Within each class, the level order will be Elite, Open, Novice. Running order will be from highest to lowest within jump height category.

In the Novice classes, running within jump height will begin with Novice A, then Novice B, then Veterans, then Junior Handlers (i.e., NovA 8", NovB 8", Vets jumping 8", JrH jumping 8").

The running order of classes is subject to change at the discretion of the judges and/or the host club. The final order will be included in the confirmation packet.

REGISTRATION / MEASURING

- Friday between 5:00 and 6:00PM
- Saturday and Sunday between 7:00 and 7:45AM
- All dogs not jumping the maximum jump height must be measured at each trial unless they present a permanent height card (Standard jumping 16" & under, Vets/JrH jumping 12" & under).

MOVE-UPS:

- Dogs receiving titles after the closing date may be upgraded by providing written notice to the Show Secretary, prior to the move up cutoff date listed on the front of this premium. Letters and e-mails containing the owner's full name, the dog's call name and NADAC number, entered class, and from and to level are acceptable.
- Move-ups from Saturday to Sunday will not be permitted.

PRIZES / AWARDS

- Purple & Green Qualifying Rosettes will be awarded to all dogs achieving a qualifying score.
- Placement Ribbons will be awarded to all dogs placing 1st through 4th in each class and jump height. For Novice A Regular, placement ribbons will be awarded to all dogs placing 1st through 6th.
- Ribbons/prizes must be picked up during the weekend. These WILL NOT be mailed.

FOOD / VENDORS

- A food vendor will be available on site.

JUMP HEIGHTS

Dog's height at withers	11" & under	14" & under	18" & Under	20" & Under	Over 20"	Over 20" Optional
Standard	8"	12"	16"	20"	20+ (jumps 20")	24"
Vets/JrH	4"	8"	12"	16"	16"	16"

- A dog may be entered in a class at a jump height higher than they are eligible provided the dog is not entered in the Junior Handler or Veteran Division classes.
- No dog shall ever jump lower than 4" in the Junior Handler or Veteran Division and no dog shall ever jump lower than 8" in the Standard Division.
- Any exhibitor whose dog measures over 20" may choose to enter the 20+ class or the optional 24" class. 20+ and 24 will be scored and placed together as one class.
- Refer to the current NADAC rulebook for the NADAC Jump Height Exemption List.

DIRECTIONS TO TEST SITE:

From Massachusetts & Points South - Take Route 93 North to Concord, NH. Take Route 89 North to Exit 7. Turn right onto Rt 103/127 (Park Ave). Go 2.25 miles to the Hopkinton State Fairgrounds. The Blue Parking Gate will be on the right.

From NY, VT, and points West - Take Route 89 South to Exit 7. Turn left onto Rt 103/127 (Park Ave). Go 2.25 miles to the Hopkinton State Fairgrounds. The Blue Parking Gate will be on the right.

From Keene, NH area - Take Route 9 East to Route 89. Take Route 89 North to Exit 7. Turn right onto Rt 103/127 (Park Ave). Go 2.25 miles to the Hopkinton State Fairgrounds. The Blue Parking Gate will be on the right.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Comfort Inn, 71 Hall St., Concord, NH (603) 226-4100 (pet fee – check for details)

Best Western, 97 Hall St, Concord, NH (603) 228-4300 (pet fee – check for details)

Comfort Inn, 298 Queen City Ave, Manchester, NH (603) 668-2600 (first floor in smoking rooms)

Holiday Inn at the Center of New Hampshire, 700 Elm St, Manchester, NH (603) 625-1000 (pet fee – check for details)

Peterborough Manor, Peterborough, NH (603) 924-9832 – pets crated and under 20 pounds

SOME MOTEL COURTESIES TO OBSERVE:

- Cover the motel's bedding with a sheet, whether or not you think your dog will get on the bed.
- If you crate your dog, please bring a towel to put under the crate to keep marks off the rug. Bring a towel to put under your dog's food dish.
- Make every effort to have your dog free of fleas BEFORE arriving.
- All poop must be picked up, bagged, and disposed of properly by the dog's handler. The Event Committee will excuse competitors who fail to pick up after their dogs at the test site or the motel.
- Don't leave your dog unattended. If you must leave, take them with you.

ON-SITE CAMPING – On site camping is available for self-contained units and tent camping. With electric: \$20/night. With no electric: \$5/night.

On-Site Camping Registration

\$20 per night with electric

\$5 per night for no electric

Camping on: Friday Saturday Sunday Total Fees: \$_____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Check one:

Trailer ___ Motor Home ___ Fifth Wheel ___ Van ___ Tent ___

Length ___ feet x Width ___ feet Slide-out ___ Yes ___ No

Send in with your agility entries. Please enclose a **separate** check payable to ASCNE.



ASCA MEMBERSHIP AND TRACKING NUMBER APPLICATION FORM

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Please type or print clearly. Incomplete or illegible forms will be returned.

Membership Application:

Owner's Name (1) _____

Owner's Name (2) _____

Owner's Address: _____

City, State, Postal Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Service Membership Fee: \$5.00 per person

(If you are interested in other membership types, go to www.asca.org)

I (We) agree to abide by the ASCA Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, and all ASCA Rules and Regulations governing the ASCA Registry and all other ASCA programs.

Owner's Signature (1): _____

Owner's Signature (2): _____

Dog Information: Lifetime fee for tracking number is \$10.00 per dog for ASCA Members

Dog's Full Name: _____

Dog's Call Name: _____

Any/All Previous Registration Numbers Used: _____

Sex: _____ Birthdate: _____

Breed: _____

Events/Qs Earned Since 1/1/2003 _____

Mail completed form with check or money order to:

**ASCA Business Office
PO Box 3790, Bryan, TX 77805-3790**

Volunteer Sign-Up (...We Really Need Your Support)

As at every event, no club can pull off a trial without the help and support of our exhibitors to keep the agility trial running smoothly and efficiently. **We will not be able to do this without your involvement.** Working in and around the ring is a great way to increase your knowledge and understanding of the sport. If you have a guest or significant other who would be willing to work at the trial, we'd be thrilled! A list of jobs and their associated description is on the back of this page.

We appreciate your help and will do what we can for your comfort, including the volunteers' refreshment area for trial workers and helpers.

Please fill out this form and send it in with your entry. This will help us schedule you in an appropriate job without class conflicts. We'll let you know in which classes you're working when you arrive at the trial.

Thank you for volunteering and making this a better show for everyone. We couldn't do it without you!

Name: _____

Work Preferences:

I am volunteering for the following jobs:

- Timer Scribe Ass't Scribe Gate Steward Ring Steward
 Course Build Scoring Runner Registration

Job Descriptions

(Starred (**)) jobs are for rank novices – little training required)

Timer (1 per ring)

- Restriction - Cannot be changed during the course of a class
- Tells handler when to begin
- Using a stopwatch, records the time for each dog's performance

Scribe (1 per ring)

- Verifies entry number/breed as each dog enters the ring
- Records on the scribe sheet all penalties signaled by the judge and gives the scribe sheet to the transcriber at the completion of each dog's run

** Assistant Scribe (1 per ring)

- Gives the scribe the scribe sheet for the dog on the line ready to run
- Writes the time (minutes/seconds/hundredths) on the scribe sheet of the dog that just ran

Gate Steward (1 per ring)

- Maintains a constant and orderly flow of exhibitors into the ring by keeping three (3) exhibitors ready to go at all times
- Communicates any change in run order to the assistant scribe
- Informs ring stewards when it's time to change the jump heights
- Need to be assertive, have good organization skills, and knowledge of ring procedure – helps to know exhibitors

**Ring Steward (2-4 per ring)

- Quickly sets each jump for each class/jump height level, straightens the chute on the collapsed tunnel after every dog, replaces poles on jumps during or immediately following each dog's run

**Leash Runner (1 per ring)

- Brings leashes from start line to finish line

**Score Runner (1 per ring)

- Brings scribe sheets from the transcriber to the scorekeepers

Scoring (2 per ring)

- From scribe sheet, calculate total dog time and faults / points for gamblers
- Transfer information from the scribe sheet to the scoring catalog

For Your Records - Summary of Entries

Entries Mailed: _____

Check #: _____ Amount: _____

Dog 1: _____

Dog 2: _____

Dog 3: _____

Accommodations:

Hotel: _____

Phone: _____ Confirmation #: _____

Directions: _____

Other Notes: _____

AGREEMENT

Ck# _____ Amt _____ Entry # _____

The patron who signs this agreement represents that he/she is authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of both exhibitor and the owner of entered dog. In consideration of acceptance of this entry:

1.1 As used here "ASCA" means the Australian Shepherd Club of America, Inc., its affiliate clubs and each of their members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees, and agents. As used here "NADAC" means North American Dog Agility Council, Inc., its members, officers, directors, employees, show chairs, show committees, and agents.

1.2 Exhibitor/owner is knowledgeable of and agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of ASCA and NADAC governing sanctioned agility trials, and any other rules and regulations appearing in the premium for this event.

1.3 Exhibitor/owner certifies that the entered dog is not a hazard to persons, dogs, or property and that the entered dog's rabies vaccination is current in accordance with the requirement of the state in which the dog resides.

1.4 Exhibitor/owner acknowledges all hazards presented by the event and the event premises, including, but not limited to, the condition of the floors, stairways, halls, lighting, security measures or lack of, electrical appliances, fitting, show rings, parking areas, and the presence of unfamiliar animals and people; exhibitor and owner assume the risk of any harm arising from these.

1.5 Exhibitor/owner releases ASCA and NADAC (including ASCA and NADAC officers, directors, employees, and members), the Australian Shepherd Club of New England (including its officers, directors, members, agents, employees and event organizing committee), the Hopkinton State Fairgrounds (including its officers, directors, members, owners, and employees) and will defend them and hold them harmless from all present and future loss, injury, damage, claims, demands and liabilities involving the entered dog, event, or event premises. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing hold harmless provisions, exhibitor/owner hereby specifically assume sole responsibility for, and agree to indemnify and save aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages because of bodily injuries, including death, at any time in consequence of my(our) participation in this event, howsoever such injury, or death may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be or alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents or any other persons.

I have read, understood, and I acknowledge the above Agreement.

Signature of Owner/Exhibitor	Date
Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian of Minor	Date
Junior Handler entry fees are one-half of the published entry fee. The junior must own or co-own the dog being shown.	
Does this junior exhibitor own or co-own the dog being entered? Yes No	
Retired Canine Bio: _____	

**OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM
DUAL SANCTIONED ASCA / NADAC AGILITY TEST**

Australian Shepherd Club of New England (ASCNE)
May 28 & 29, 2005 – Hopkinton State Fairgrounds – Contoocook, NH

Use one entry form per dog entered. PRINT or TYPE all the following information. Refer to cover page for opening and closing date details. **Express mail entries must include signature permitting them to be left at the Secretary's address without recipient signature. Entries with an early postmark will be returned.** This is the only acceptable entry form. Return this completed entry form with entry fees made payable in U.S. funds to:

ASCNE, c/o Jean Janotta
24 Country View Drive, Raymond, NH 03077-2479

Entry is not valid unless reverse side has been completed and signed.

Owner/Handler Information _____ check if new address

Owner: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail _____

Handler (If different from Owner): _____

Dog's Identification

Dog's Call Name: _____

Breed: _____

Dog's Date of Birth: _____ Dog's Height At Withers: _____

Circle STANDARD Jump Height: 8" 12" 16" 20" 20+" 24"

Is the Handler Disabled or a Veteran and taking jump height exemption? _____

Dog's NADAC No. (Required): _____ ('Pending' is no longer accepted)

Dog's ASCA Registration/Tracking No: _____ (See Entry Form section)

Registered Name: _____

Check off all classes you are entering, and a Level and Division for each of those classes

TRIAL DATE	CLASSES	LEVEL	DIVISION	FEE
		Check ONE per CLASS	Check ONE per CLASS	
SAT.	Regular Round 1	<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE A <input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE B <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> ELITE	<input type="checkbox"/> STD <input type="checkbox"/> VET <input type="checkbox"/> Jr.H.	\$11
SAT.	Regular Round 2	<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE A <input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE B <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> ELITE	<input type="checkbox"/> STD <input type="checkbox"/> VET <input type="checkbox"/> Jr.H.	\$11
SAT.	TOUCH N GO	<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> ELITE	<input type="checkbox"/> STD	\$11
SAT.	JUMPERS	<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> ELITE	<input type="checkbox"/> STD <input type="checkbox"/> VET <input type="checkbox"/> Jr.H.	\$11
SAT.	RETIRED CANINE	Circle Jump Height (Fill out Short Bio on back of entry) <input type="checkbox"/> Bars on Ground <input type="checkbox"/> 4" <input type="checkbox"/> 8" <input type="checkbox"/> 12" <input type="checkbox"/> 16"		\$ 3
SUN.	Regular Round 1	<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE A <input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE B <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> ELITE	<input type="checkbox"/> STD <input type="checkbox"/> VET <input type="checkbox"/> Jr.H.	\$11
SUN.	Regular Round 2	<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE A <input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE B <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> ELITE	<input type="checkbox"/> STD <input type="checkbox"/> VET <input type="checkbox"/> Jr.H.	\$11
SUN.	JUMPERS	<input type="checkbox"/> NOVICE <input type="checkbox"/> OPEN <input type="checkbox"/> ELITE	<input type="checkbox"/> STD <input type="checkbox"/> VET <input type="checkbox"/> Jr.H.	\$11
TOTAL ENTRY FEE - CHECKS PAYABLE TO 'ASCNE' =				

____ YES I CAN HELP!! Please enclose the Volunteer Sign-Up sheet included in the premium
If entry cannot be read or is incomplete, secretary can: _____ call collect _____ return entry _____ e-mail

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I have read, understood, and I acknowledge the above Agreement.

Signature of Owner/Exhibitor

Date

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian of Minor

Date

TRY-STOCK-N-GO

Australian Shepherd Club of New England (ASCNE)
May 28, 2005 Hopkinton State Fairgrounds, Contoocook, NH

Eligibility: the dog must be:

- at least 6 months old
- an ASCA herding breed or cross of those breeds (refer to www.asca.org/Programs/Stockdog, Rules, Appendix 1 for the list of breeds)

Limited Entry: 25 runs – Preference will be given to ASCNE members for one dog/member

Start Time: Saturday at 11:00 am – will run in conjunction with the agility trial

Running Time: Approximately 15 minutes/dog

Handling: Assistance will be provided by Matt as needed to insure a safe and positive experience

Alternates: Day-of substitutions will be accepted if there are cancellations and eligibility requirements are met

Waiver: You will be required to sign a waiver before participation

Cost: \$15 per dog (\$5 will be donated to an ASCNE supported scholarship or fund)

For More Information: Contact Matt Mason at (603) 648-2973 or masonpr@tds.net

When filling out the form and checks:

- Use one entry form per dog.
- PRINT or TYPE all the following information.
- Opening postmark date is April 7, 2005 (put it in the mailbox on April 7)
- **Please send separate checks for Try-Stock-n-Go and Agility (i.e, do not combine entries for stock and agility on one check)**
- Please make stock entry fees made payable in U.S. funds to ASCNE

Return this completed entry form with entry fees payable to ASCNE in US funds to:

ASCNE Try-Stock-n-Go,
c/o Matt Mason
557 W. Salisbury Rd., Salisbury, NH 03268

Owner/Handler Information

Owner: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail _____

ASCNE Member: Yes No

Dog's Identification

Dog's Call Name: _____

Breed: _____

Dog's Date of Birth: _____

Has this dog ever been on stock before? Please circle one: Yes No

What kind of stock? Ducks Sheep Cattle

ENTRY FEE: PAYABLE TO ASCNE - \$15.00