

Australian Shepherd Club of New England

(ASCA sanctioning pending)

End of Summer FARM Trials

AM - Sheep, PM - Ducks

Friday, September 12th, 2014

Judge: Betty Williams from Montana

Location: The Landry Farm, 368 North West Road, Canterbury, NH 03224 Pre-entries (by postmark) open Aug 4th, 2014 and close Aug 30th, 2014 Entries if available will be taken day of show from 7:30 to 8:00 am Handlers' meeting at 8 am followed immediately by first run

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Trials will be run according to ASCA Stockdog rules as found at www.asca.org
Bitches in season will run in order and must be crated at all other times
Run orders will be determined prior to day of trial

All dogs must be kept on leash, except during trial runs, and be kept a suitable distance from the pens and fields. Please clean up after your dog

Livestock: Sheep: Cheviot or Clun Forest crosses \$50/run (up to 16 runs - \$60 after August 30th)

Ducks: Khaki Campbell's \$30/run (up to 16 runs - \$40 per run after August 30th)

Injured livestock are the responsibility of the dog's owner and handler. Replacement cost for sheep \$250

and ducks \$25

Entries: Use ASCA entry forms, make checks payable to ASCNE and mail together to: ASCNE c/o Carol Landry,

368 North West Road, Canterbury, NH 03224

Awards will be presented for 1st through 4th in each class of stock in each division.

Lunch: Bread, cold cuts, snacks and drinks available for a nominal donation

Directions:

From the North or South, take I 93 North to exit 18. Take a left off of the exit and travel about half a mile and take a right at the fork. Follow Carter Hill Road to the end and bear left onto Rte 132 (Northwest Road). The Landry house will be the second house on the left. Drive just past the barn and park in the field.

Accommodations that allow dogs, but may have fees:

Camping:

Riverfare Farms Webster, NH (no hook ups)

Mile Away Campground, Henniker, NH 603-428-7616 or 1-800-787-4679

Sandy Beach Campground, Contoocook, NH 603-746-3591

Motels/Hotels:

Elmwood Motor Lodge, Boscawen, NH 603-796-2411

Best Western, Concord, NH 603-228-4300

Comfort Inn, Concord, NH 603-226-4100

Red Roof Inn, Loudon, NH 603-225-8399

All of these accommodations are within 10-30 minutes of Riverfare Farms.

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Sheep Farm Trial Instructions

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1) Remove 5 head of sheep from Pen A and put into Pen B. (Pen 1 - 5 points)

2) Gate sort 3 marked head of sheep from Pen B into Pen C. Once sort is complete, add remaining 2 to Pen C

(Gate Sort – 25 points)

3) Bring 5 sorted head back into Pen B. (Pen 2 – 5 points)

4) Bring all 5 head out of Pen B into Field. (Pen 3 – 5 points)

5) Bring all 5 head through Chute. Advanced Handler must remain behind cone 1 until last sheep enters chute. Take an inventory of the 5 tag numbers. Open gate. (Chute Work – 20 points)

6) Load stock trailer with all 5 head of sheep, close door, open door, unload trailer, close door. You must use the full width door. Open handlers will have an 8' panel as a wing.

Advanced handlers will not. (Task 1 – 20 points)

7) Drive or fetch sheep to grazing area beyond cones 3 & 4. Advanced handlers must remain within 8' of stock trailer. Open handlers may fetch. Call off dog and return to cone 1 with dog.

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(Task 2 - 20 points)

8) Have dog fetch sheep back to the 11' main gate. Advanced handlers have to stay behind cone 1. Open handlers may move to cone 2 before sending dog.

(Gather - 20 points)

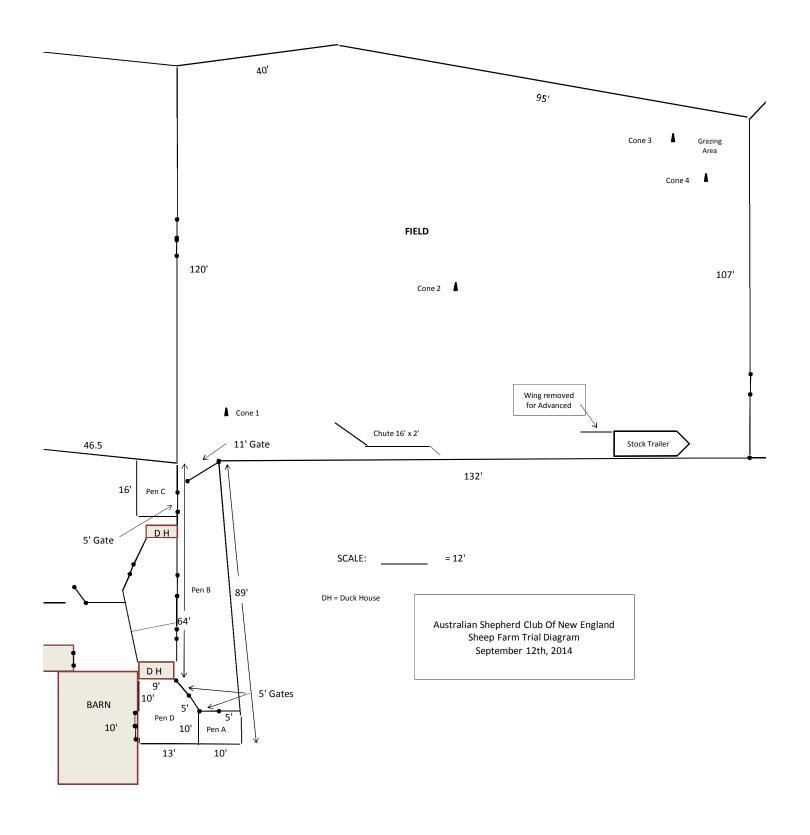
9) Bring sheep through Pen B and into Pen D (Pen 4 – 10 points)

10) Time ends when the gate to pen D is closed (TOTAL – 130 points)

All gates must be closed.

Total Course Time = 15 minutes, warning at 3 minutes

Ties broken first by Task 1 (#6 Trailer work), second by Gather (#8)



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Duck Farm Trial Instructions

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1) Remove 8 head of ducks from Pen E and put into Pen B.	(Pen 1 - 5 points)
2) Gate sort 3 marked head of ducks from Pen B into Pen F.	(Gate Sort – 25 points)
3) Bring 5 remaining head into Pen C.	(Pen 2 – 5 points)
4) Bring all 5 head out of Pen C into Field.	(Pen 3 – 5 points)
5) Bring all 5 head over Bridge. Open handlers will have two 4' wings; advanced handlers will have just 1 on left. This task does not require all 5 head to cross bridg You may move on with only 1 head crossing. Tell judge if moving on.	ge. (Task 1 – 20 points)
6) Drive or fetch ducks beyond Cones 3 and 4. Advanced handlers must remain with 8' of bridge and drive to area. Open handlers may fetch. Call off dog.	thin (Task 2 – 20 points)
7) Bring dog beyond Cone 1. Have dog fetch sheep back beyond cone 1. Advanced handlers have to stay behind cone 1. Open handlers may move to cone 2 before sending dog.	d (Gather – 20 points)
8) Bring ducks through Pen C and into Pen B	(Pen 4 – 10 points)
9) Have dog load ducks through chute and into Vari-kennel	(Chute – 20 points)
10) Time ends when the Vari-kennel door is closed.	(TOTAL – 130 points)

All gates must be closed.

Total Course Time = 12 minutes, warning at 3 minutes

Ties broken first by Task 1 (Bridge), second by Gather

