

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the American Herding Breed Association in effect at the time of this event and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to person(s) or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and agreement: SIGNATURE of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry:

X _____

TELEPHONE # _____

E-Mail: _____

AGREEMENT

In consideration for participation in an event sanctioned by the American Herding Breed Association (AHBA) and held at Guy & Julie Lawrence's, I (we) agree to assume all responsibility for any claim, loss or damage, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, which may be caused at or near this event, either directly or indirectly, by me (us) or the dog(s) I (we) have entered in or brought to this event. I (we) further agree that I (we) will hold the AHBA, its officers, directors, agents and members and Guy & Julie Lawrence and their employees/help working this event, harmless and defend them from any and all liability for any injury, claim, damage or loss, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, caused at or near this event. I (we) agree to indemnify the AHBA, its officers, directors, agents or members and Guy & Julie Lawrence and associated persons, for any loss, cost or expenses, including attorney fees and costs, to which the AHBA, its officers, directors, agents or members and Guy & Julie Lawrence and associated persons might be subject as a result of any claim, suit, loss or damage caused in any way by any act or negligence on my (our) part or on the part of any dog(s) I (we) have entered in or brought to this event. I (we) acknowledge that while the AHBA may provide sanctioning for this event with regard to the issuing of titles, it and Guy & Julie Lawrence and associated persons do not have and do not exercise control over the conduct of those present. I (we) certify and represent that the dog(s) I (we) have entered in or brought to this event is/are not a hazard to other dogs, other animals, or to people.

I (we) will pay for any livestock injuries or replacement value in the event of death of any livestock by my (our) dogs. In case on any injury to any stock caused by the dog(s) entered or said dog(s) actions thereof, I (we) will assume total responsibility for any damage. I (we) agree to pay the full market value, as set forth and noted in this event's premium, of the injured animal in case of serious injury, or the veterinarian bill or its equivalent if the injury is slight.

Signature of entrant: **X** _____

AMERICAN HERDING BREED ASSOCIATION ENTRY FORM

Sponsor: Windy Acres Stockdogs
AHBA Herding Trial
Friday, June 22, 2012

Judge: Carol Lucero (Sheep)
Entry Fees - \$30 pre-entry; \$35 day-of
Closing when limits reached
Entry limit: 25

Day of entries accepted ONLY as space and/or time allows.

Mail entries with fees payable to Julie Lawrence 11190 Ibsen Ave. Northfield MN 55057.
Use a separate entry form for each dog entered.

IMPORTANT—Read and sign reverse side before completing.
Must sign BOTH signature places.

Trial Classes

Stock Type: Sheep

HRDs I: _____ HRDs II: _____ HRDs III: _____ Leg: _____

I enclose \$ _____ for entry fees.

Breed: _____ Sex: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Full Name of Dog: _____

Registry & Number: _____ Call Name: _____

Breeder: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Actual Owner(s): _____

Owner's Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Name of Handler, if not owner: _____

PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE AMERICAN
HERDING BREEDS ASSOCIATION (AHBA) TO HOLD THE
TRIALS UNDER AHBA RULES AND REGULATIONS

A complete list of the rules governing AHBA events can be found at
www.ahba-herding.org. Entrants are encouraged to review and become
familiar and knowledgeable with these regulations.
(Dogs must be 9 months or older for trials)

JUDGE: Carol Lucero

Entry: This is a Kelpie Preferred Entry trial.

Order of preference is as follows:

1. Purebred Kelpies
2. Crossbred Kelpies
3. All Other breeds

Entry Fees: \$30 pre-entry / \$35 day-of

Entry Limits: Total of HRD. Entries will close when limits are
reached.

Day of event entries will be accepted **ONLY** if space and/or time
allows. **NO EXHIBITION ONLY** runs at these trials.

Stock:

Sheep – Value \$200

Goat – Value \$400

Cheviot/Boer/Commercial

NOTICE: A small quantity of Boer goats may be mixed into the yard
stock portion of the HRD.

**RIBBONS WILL BE AWARDED FOR FOUR PLACES IN EACH
CLASS/QUALIFYING RIBBONS TO EACH QUALIFIER**

Trial hours are from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm each day
This event will be held outdoors regardless of weather

Handlers meeting: 8am

Trial Secretary
Julie Lawrence
11190 Ibson Ave.
Northfield, MN 55057
(507) 210-1528
kelpiedog@northfieldwifi.com

Course Director: Guy Lawrence
Stock Supervisor: Guy Lawrence

VETERINARIAN (on call):
Countryside Vet Hospital
708 Schilling Ave. Dundas, MN
(507) 645-4522

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Super 8 Motel
1420 Riverview Dr
(507) 663-0371

No RV accommodations available.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS:

A separate entry blank for each dog entered. Notify event secretary of
bitches in season. Dogs may wear only plain buckle or snap collar (no
tags) or may work without a collar at trial levels. Entry fee will not be
refunded in the event that the dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a
veterinarian or judge, or barred from competition by action of the host of
the facility. Decision of management is final. Entry fees will not be
refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of riot, civil
disturbance, fire or act of God, public emergencies, act of public enemy,
strike or any other cause beyond the control of the host. Dogs need to be
present for scheduled judging. Judges need not wait for any dog holding
up the class. No unentered dogs (except set-out dogs) will be allowed at
the trial site. All dogs must be kept on leash or kenneled except when
being judged in the arena. Please bring your own chairs and additional
shade. This is a working facility and contains the normal hazards
thereof. Children **MUST** be under adult supervision at ALL times.

AHBA Trial
Friday, June 22, 2012
Northfield, MN

HRD Trial Course – Sheep

Judged according to the Working Kelpie Council of
Australian National Kelpie Field Trial Championship guidelines

(<http://www.wkc.org.au/Trial-NKFTC-Judging-Guidelines.php>)

Directions: I-35 to State Hwy 19 (Exit 69), Go east on State Hwy 19 to State Hwy 3, Go south on State Hwy 3 to County Road 1, Go east on County Road 1 to stop sign, Go straight at stop sign onto County Road 81 for 2 miles, Turn south onto Ibson Ave., Trial site is first place on the right, Look for “Windy Acres Stockdogs” sign.

AHBA Secretary
C/O Lawrences
11190 Ibson Ave.
Northfield, MN 55057

Dated Material
Please Rush!!!

HRD Course Description

Legend:

- HP – Handlers Post
- SO – Set Out
- G* - Gate
- P* - Pen
- LH* - Livestock Handling area

Course Time is 20 minutes

This course is modeled after the WKC National Kelpie Trial, and will be judged in accordance with the WKC Judging Guidelines found at <http://www.wkc.org.au/>

Judging Guidelines:

“The Course:

The course as set in the National Kelpie Trial is designed to access the ability of kelpies to carry out effective work under conditions simulating paddock and yard conditions. Points allotted are a maximum of 70 for fieldwork and 30 for yard work.

Cast Lift & Draw:

The cast should be wide enough that the sheep are not unsettled before the cast is completed. The ideal is a free-running cast with the dog steadying and lifting the sheep cautiously. The dog should stop in the position where he has most control before commencing the draw and fetch. The sheep should be delivered to the handler in the circle in as straight a line as possible; the handler is free to move to any position within the circle. The sheep, on delivery to the circle, should be steadied but do not necessarily have to be halted. The judge will indicate when the sheep have been steadied to his satisfaction. The sheep are then taken in as straight line as possible to the yards. The handler should stand with one hand on the open gate at yards until sheep are in.

Yard Work:

Throughout the work in the yards, the handler should take up his position at each gate. If this position is not maintained points are deducted. However, he may assist the dog at any time for the loss of points, according to the amount of assistance given.

If any sheep are distressed or down, they must be assisted to their feet with no penalty incurred, except in the case where the dog causes the sheep to go down.

Overworking and unnecessary aggression, causing the sheep to jam, should be penalised. A free flow around the yards is the aim, with the least possible stress to the sheep. In the case of stubborn sheep, barking, light nipping and mouthing of sheep by dogs is permitted. The latter two may incur a penalty. Severe biting must mean disqualification. Dogs are allowed to start sheep in race and draft by pulling topknot of sheep whilst backing. The handler must fasten all gates in the yard and loses points (maximum of 2 points) if not done. In the event of a sheep jumping into a wrong yard, the worker should return the sheep to correct yard for a loss of points. **If, however, a sheep jumps out of**

the perimeter of the yards it shall be deemed a LOST SHEEP and trial will terminate. Whilst working in the yards, any method can be used to fill the race and draft, but effectiveness is the criterion of the work and points allocated accordingly, ie if a dog goes over the sheep and they do not move to the desired position, points should be deducted for ineffective work. Points should also be deducted for a dog being in the wrong position or wrong yard to carry out the Work to be done. **If a dog leaves the area of the yards it should be disqualified.**

Drafting:

When drafting, the worker may attempt to fill the race before taking his place at the drafting gate. If sheep refuse to enter the race the worker may assist by starting them off, for a loss of points each time a sheep is handled. Any mistakes in drafting must be corrected for a penalty of 2 points per mistake.

Obstacles

On leaving yards with drafted sheep, they must be kept on a right hand course to the obstacles, with sheep travelling as quietly as possible and with the dog in a position of control at all times. Any unwarranted assistance given at obstacles should be **heavily penalised** and all points for an obstacle deducted if the assistance given so warrants.

Length of Trial

The time for the trial should be at least 15 minutes and possibly more if the cast is over 200 yards. Crossing outside the yards should incur disqualification unless a drive is included in the course. “

Elements:

1. Gather: 5 Sheep will be placed in Pasture A near the Set Out (SO). Handler will remain within the Casting Circle. Once the sheep are brought to the handler, the handler will proceed to the yard through P2.

2. Yard Work:

Mixing field sheep with yard sheep is an automatic NQ.

Losing a sheep from the yard area is an automatic NQ.

- a. Penwork: Handler will proceed through P2/G8 (there is a gate on either end). There will be 20 sheep in both P4 & P5. Take 20 sheep out of the marked pen and into the yard, and place in tub. Handler will proceed to H1 upon closing the gate to the tub.
- b. Sorting Chute: Pack the sorting chute. HRD3: Mark 5 sheep for sorting. Handler will proceed to H2 upon completion marking.
- c. Sort: Sort 5 sheep into P6, allow the other 15 out into the yard. HRD3: Must sort off the 5 marked sheep. Place the 15 unmarked sheep in empty

P4/P5. Take the 5 sheep from P6 and place them in P4/P5 with the 15 sheep.

d. Handler will proceed to P2, collect the 5 sheep there and proceed to the trial arena.

3. Fetch/Drive to First Panel.

a. HRD1, the handler may fetch the panels.

b. HRD2 the handler may proceed $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance to the panels.

c. HRD3 the handler is required to stay at the gate and drive the stock to the first panel.

4. Fetch/Cross-Drive to Y-Trap.

a. HRD1, the handler may fetch to the Y-Trap.

b. HRD2, once the sheep clear the panels, the handler may proceed West staying South of the handlers line to execute a cross-drive to the Y-Trap.

c. HRD3, the handler is required to stay at the gate and drive the stock to the Y-Trap.

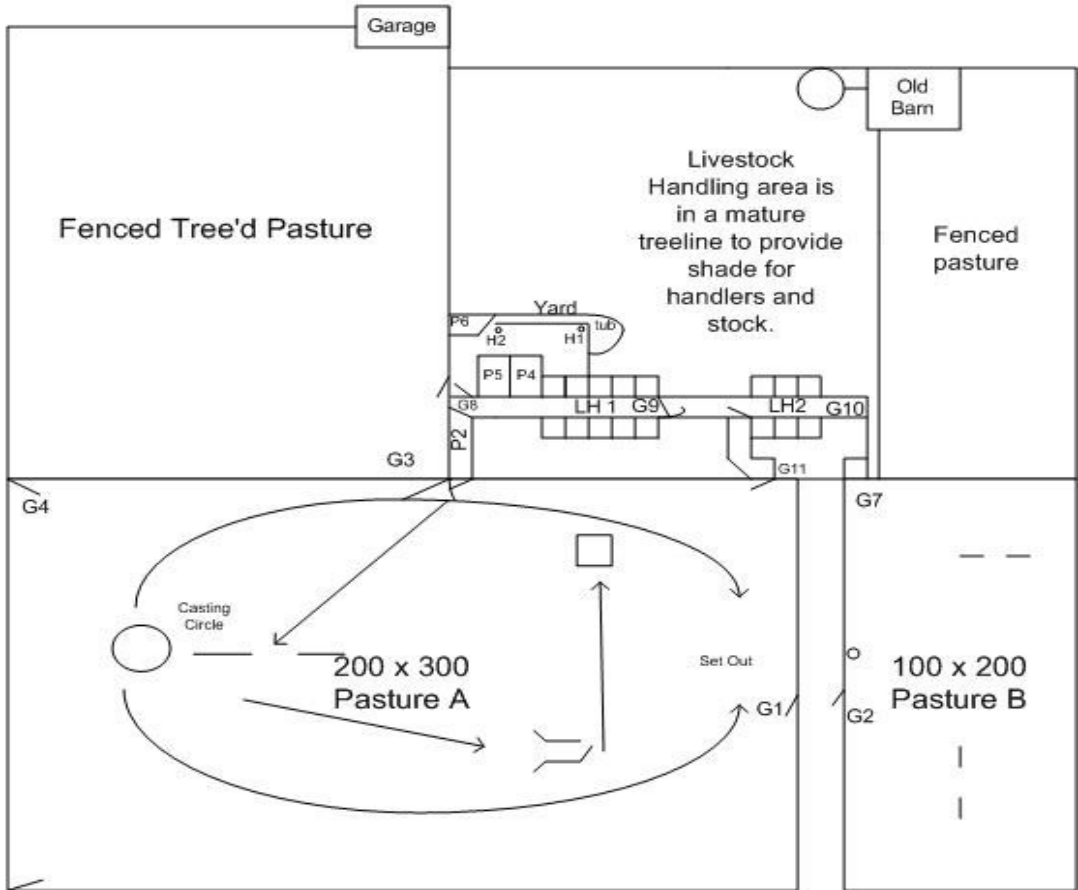
The drive ends when the stock are in an area 10ft in front of the Y-Trap.

5. Y-Trap: The Y-Trap is essentially a free standing Y chute with a gate at the exhaust. The goal here is to test the dogs ability to hold the stock within the obstacle while the handler proceeds around the obstacle and opens the gate.

6. Repen. Once the stock have exhausted the Y-Trap the handler should proceed to the trailer/pen and place the stock in it. Time stops when the stock are in trailer/pen, and the door is shut.

Ibson Ave

House and Lawn



4.65 Acre Hay Field