

AKC Herding Events: 2017137411 and 2017137412
The Entry period opens September 1, 2017

Entries close on October 20, 2017 at 4:00 P.M. at the Trial Secretary's home, after which entries cannot be accepted, changed or cancelled, except for move-ups. **The Drawing for running order** will take place at the home of Jack Gurney, Trial Secretary on Friday, October 20, 2017. Jack Gurney, Trial Secretary, 245 Springvale Road, Great Falls, VA 22066.



PREMIUM LIST

Saturday, November 4, 2017

Two trials running concurrently

Classes Offered (Both Trials)

Course A Cattle, Ducks and Sheep: Started, Intermediate, Advanced

Course B Ducks and Sheep: Started, Intermediate, Advanced

Herding Instinct Test, Herding Test (HT) and Pre-Trial Test (PT)

Farm Dog Certificate (FDC)

Show Hours: 7:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M. or ½ hour after the last run.

Keystone Farm, 412 Russell Road, Berryville, VA 22611

Entry Limits: 50 runs per judge per day. Ducks limited to 40 runs per day.

Herding Instinct Test: DAY OF SHOW Entries accepted until judging limits are reached.

Farm Dog: DAY OF SHOW Entries accepted between 9:00 A.M. and 1:00 P.M.

American Kennel Club Certification

Permission is granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

James P. Crowley, Secretary



2017 PVSSC Officers

President: Cathie Skoog
Vice President: Michael O'Shea
Recording Secretary: Fran Beacham
Corresponding Secretary: Donna Richards
Treasurer: Jack Gurney
Directors: Richard Gurney and Deborah Lauritzen

TRIAL COMMITTEE

All PVSSC Officers and Board of Directors, Dayna Dreger and Maribeth Keitz

Trial Secretary, Jack Gurney

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Trial Chair, Cathie Skoog

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JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Event #1: 2017137411

Judge Barbara Lockard, #36160, 27025 Oak Shadow Lane, Mount Dora, FL 32757
Farm Dog Certified Tester: Sandra Getz, #102235, 5566 Balls Mill Road, Midland, VA 22728

Event #2: 2017137412

Judge Louis Thompson, #23204, P.O. Box 850, Fairfield, FL 32634
Farm Dog Certified Tester: Cathie Skoog, #102302, 7265 Winnipeg Court, Gainesville, VA 20155

ENTRY INFORMATION

ENTRY FEE FOR ALL ENTRIES: \$45.00 per run. MAIL entries with check or money order payable to PVSSC to Jack Gurney, 245 Springvale Rd., Great Falls, VA 22066.

DOGS MAY BE ENTERED in a course trial or test AND FDC in the same event.

DAY OF TEST ENTRIES:

- Herding Instinct Tests until the judging limits are reached. Exhibitors should submit an entry form one (1) hour prior to the listed start time for Instinct Tests. The Judging Program will be on the PVSSC website prior to the trial date.
- Farm Dog Certification will be accepted between 9:00 A.M. and 1:00 P.M.

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- When trial entry limits have been reached all additional entries received prior to the closing date will go on an alternate's list for each level that exceeds the published limit(s). This trial will keep an alternate list of five (5) runs per stock/course.
- Entrants on the alternates' list must check in with the Herding Secretary at the trial 30 minutes before the commencement of their class.
- Entry fee will be refunded to the alternates whose dogs do not have an opportunity to run.
- Requests for move-up must be given to the Secretary 30 minutes prior to the trial starting.

BITCHES IN SEASON will be run at the end of the running order in all trial and test classes, **EXCEPT for Farm Dog**. Dogs in season are NOT permitted to enter FDC tests.

ELIGIBILITY OF DOGS

AKC Herding Regulations

HT and PT: Open to all herding breeds nine months or older and registered with the AKC or have an IL/PAL and are eligible to compete in herding trials and tests.

Herding Instinct Test: Open to all herding breeds six months of age or older who are registered with the AKC or have been granted an IL/PAL and are eligible to compete in herding trials and tests. DAY OF TEST ENTRIES will be accepted ONLY if the judging limits have not been met.

Farm Dog Certification: Open to all dogs 9 months and older that are individually registered with the AKC, recorded in the FSS program, have PAL numbers or enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners program. Females in season may **not** enter. Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to enter provided, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the test.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

REFUND POLICY:

- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, or excused by the Judge or Veterinarian, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbances, or other acts beyond the control of the show giving club, it is impossible to open or complete the show, no refunds will be made.
- Refunds of entries pulled after closing date will be made as long as an alternate is available to replace the run.
- No refund for duplicate entries or any other cause beyond the control of the PVSSC after the closing date (Rules Applying to Dog Shows, Chapter 11, Section (6) including injured or sick dogs or handlers. In the event of a spouse, sibling, parent or entered dog's untimely death, an event committee refund decision will be made.
- The PVSSC may decline any entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness, or other cause and no one shall have any claim or recourse against the PVSSC or any official thereof. In this case, no refund will be made.

A-COURSE LAYOUT: Sheep and cattle use the same field. The A-Course layout for ducks, sheep and cattle is a mirror image of the diagram shown in the AKC Regulations.

LUNCH: Lunch will be provided to all volunteers. Exhibitors may purchase lunch for a nominal cost.

PHOTOGRAPHER: Carl Gernazio will be on site taking action photos and posed title photos.

FARM DOG CERTIFICATION TESTS: PVSSC will be accepting DAY OF SHOW Entries between 9:00 A.M. and 1:00 P.M. To register fill out the attached entry form and present it to the Trial Secretary for scheduling. Day of Show entries will be tested following those that pre-registered.

LIVESTOCK:

- Sheep (Assorted mixes), 3-5 sheep/run in trial classes. Value of sheep: \$300 each
- Ducks (Blue Swede and Blue Swede hybrids), 5 ducks per run Value of ducks: \$75 each
- Cattle (Assorted breeds), 3 cattle per run Value of cattle: \$1,200 each

RIBBON PRIZES FOR TRIAL CLASSES

First Prize.Blue Rosette
Third Prize.Yellow Rosette
Fifth Prize.Pink Rosette

Second Prize.Red Rosette
Fourth Prize.White Rosette
Qualifying Score. . . . Green Rosette

High in Trial. Blue, Red & Yellow Rosette
Reserve High in Trial. . .Red, Yellow & White
High Scoring Shetland Sheepdog. . . .Rosette

RIBBON PRIZES FOR TEST CLASSES

PT, HT, Herding Instinct Test, Farm Dog Certification.Green & White Rosette

NEW TITLE

All Dogs earning a new title will receive a New Title Rosettes

TROPHIES

High in Trial, Reserve High in Trial & High Scoring Shetland Sheepdog
receive an appropriate herding theme trophy.
No trophies or prizes will be mailed.

ACCOMMODATIONS NEAR KEEPSTONE FARM

Please be sure to clean "up" after your dogs

HOTELS

Comfort Inn: 1601 Martinsburg Pike, Winchester, VA, 22603 Phone: (540) 667-8894
A block of rooms have been reserved for the trials.
Use the code "**Keepstone**" for special rate reduced dog fee

Red Roof Inn: 991 Millwood Avenue, Winchester, VA 22602 Phone: 540-667-5000
15% discount by using Keepstone Farm, a Red Roof partner, click on
https://www.redroof.com/partners/keepstone_farm/

Best Western: 711 Millwood Avenue, Winchester, VA 22601 Phone: 540-662-4154

Super 8: 1077 Millwood Avenue, Winchester, VA 22602 Phone: 540-665-0689

CAMPGROUNDS

Candy Hill Camp Ground: 165 Ward Ave, Winchester, VA 22602 Ph: 540-662-8010

DIRECTIONS

Keepstone Farm: 412 Russell Road, Berryville, Virginia. Russell Road (Rout 660) is off of Route 7, between Rt. 340 and I-81. Note: Route 7 is also called Harry Byrd Hwy.

There is a blue road sign for MacIntosh Fruit on Route 7 for the Russell Road turn. Go 3/10 miles on Russell Road and turn Right at large Keepstone Farm sign onto a gravel road. Turn left at the first driveway on left.

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM

PVSSC Herding Tests/Trials
Saturday, November 4, 2017

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Mail Entries with Fees to: Jack Gurney, Trial Secretary
245 Springvale Rd., Great Falls, VA 22066

Make checks payable in US funds to PVSSC. \$45 per run.

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Circle Appropriate Classes Below

| Trial 1: Event # 2017137411 Judge Barbara Lockard FDC: Sandra Getz | | | | Trial 2: Event # 2017137412 Judge Louis Thompson FDC: Cathie Skoog | | | |
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| A Cattle | Started | Intermediate | Advanced | A Cattle | Started | Intermediate | Advanced |
| A Ducks | Started | Intermediate | Advanced | A Ducks | Started | Intermediate | Advanced |
| A Sheep | Started | Intermediate | Advanced | A Sheep | Started | Intermediate | Advanced |
| B Ducks | Started | Intermediate | Advanced | B Ducks | Started | Intermediate | Advanced |
| B Sheep | Started | Intermediate | Advanced | B Sheep | Started | Intermediate | Advanced |
| Pre-Trial Test | Herding Test | Instinct Test | Farm Dog Certification | Pre-Trial Test | Herding Test | Instinct Test | Farm Dog Certification |

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| BREED | VARIETY | SEX |
| FULL NAME OF DOG | | CALL NAME |
| ___ AKC REG NO. ___ PAL/ILP NO. ___ FOREIGN REG. NO. AND COUNTRY | Enter Number: | DATE OF BIRTH: PLACE OF BIRTH: |
| BREEDER | | |
| SIRE | | |
| DAM | | |
| ACTUAL OWNER(S) | | |
| OWNER'S ADDRESS | | |
| NAME OF OWNER'S AGENT/HANDLER (IF ANY) AT THE SHOW | | |

The Agreement Page with Signature **MUST** be sent with Entry Form

AGREEMENT
THIS PAGE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THE ENTRY FORM

I CERTIFY 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 Kennel Club 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". I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the forgoing representation and agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting from, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons.

I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

SIGNATURE of owner or agent
duly authorized to make this entry: _____

TELEPHONE / Cell # _____

E-MAIL Address : _____

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available
on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org.