



# DOG DAYS

*of Summer*

AUGUST 1, 2022

FARM TRIALS

Judge: Tenley Dexter **Hado-Bar Farm, 324 County Rd 1171, Nova, OH**

*The ASCA Stockdog program is open to all herding breeds! A tracking number is required if you want to earn ASCA titles. For more information contact the course director.*

**Entries** By postmark date order. Pre-entries open on **June 13** for ASCA registered Australian Shepherds, **June 20** for all Other Breeds. Pre-entries close **July 20** for all.

If a trial fills, a waiting list will be maintained. No refunds will be made unless entry can be filled from the waiting list. No selling of runs. Changes must be made through the trial secretary.

Farm trial entries are limited to 24 runs (combined sheep and ducks) each trial. Day-of entries will be taken if a trial hasn't filled.

**Stock** Sheep - Mixed hair sheep (5-7 head), Ducks—Mixed breeds (5-7 head)

7:45 AM Day-of-trial Entries Close	8:00 AM Handler's Meeting	8:15 Trial Start Time
Course Directors: Karen Wimbush ( <a href="mailto:wimbush.4@osu.edu">wimbush.4@osu.edu</a> )		

<u>Fees</u>	<u>Pre-Entry</u>	<u>Day-of (if available)</u>
Farm (sheep)	\$50	\$60
Farm (ducks)	\$40	\$50

**Classes** Open and Advanced

**Entry Information**

- Entries must be made on the official ASCA entry form. Mail entries with check payable to BASC to: Karen Wimbush 10461 Twp. Rd. 267, Millersburg, OH 44654
- Email: [wimbush.4@osu.edu](mailto:wimbush.4@osu.edu), Cell: [330-231-3574](tel:330-231-3574) (do not call after 9:00 p.m.)
- Post-dated checks and entries not accompanied with a check will not be accepted as a valid entry. Overnight entries are NOT necessary.
- Run order will be drawn day of trial.
- Bitches in season will run in order.

## **INDIVIDUAL TRIAL AWARDS**

- Qualifying ribbons earned
- First through Fourth place ribbons for each division and class
- HIT Rosette and award

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

1. The trial will be run and judged under ASCA rules as published in the most current rulebook.
2. Run order will be drawn in advance and posted the day of trial.
3. Bitches in season will run in order.
4. All non-ASCA registered dogs must have an ASCA tracking number to receive ASCA titles (See <http://www.asca.org/> or call (979) 778-1082.
5. Dogs must be confined or on leash at all times when not working or in a designated exercise area. Individuals are responsible for any damage done to stock and/or facilities. Dogs that attack or maul any person, dog or livestock will be disqualified.
6. Stock replacement fee (injury is vet on-call fee): \$40 ducks, \$300 sheep
7. There is some shade on site, but please bring shade for you and your dogs.

## **DIRECTIONS**

From the West, take SR 224 east, past SR 60 to CR 1171 , Hado-Bar is the first farm on the right.  
From the East, take SR 224 west to CR 1171 , Hado-Bar is the first farm on the right.

## **CONCESSIONS**

Water will be available for all entries and workers; Fast food within 10 minutes of trial site. Please bring your own food as there will be limited food on site.

## **HOTELS (check pet policies)**

Surrey Inn, 1065 Claremont Ave, Ashland, OH, 4190289-7700  
Motel 6, 1423 Montgomery Rd., Ashland, OH, 419-496-0377  
Super 8, 736 US 250 E., Ashland, OH, 419-210-5896

## **CAMPING**

Rustic Lake Campgrounds, 44901 New London-Easter Rd. Sullivan, OH, 440-647-3804  
Terrace Lake Campground, 622 Twp. Rd. 462, Sullivan, OH, 419-0736-3463

## Farm Trial (sheep)

Stock: 5-7 head sheep

1. Move the sheep from the Paddock (**Pen 1**) and move them into the Middle Pasture. Handlers should remain close to the gate while the dog sweeps the Paddock. (6 pts)
2. Once in the Middle Pasture, move the sheep along the barn side into the Corner Pen (**Pen 2**). Both gates must be closed and sheep settled before sheep are moved into the Capone Field. (6 pts.)
3. **Fetch or drive** the sheep to the Back Pasture Gate (**Task 1**). *Advanced Handlers must drive, Open Handlers may Fetch or Drive.* Once the sheep are within 30' of the Back Pasture Gate, call the dog off. Dog and Handler should go to within 30' of the Duck Arena Gate at the opposite end of the field. (20 pts.)
4. **Gather** the stock from the Back Pasture Gate. *Advanced Handlers should send the dog from their side and be within 30' of the gate. Open Handlers should leave the dog within 30' of the Duck Arena gate, but may go ½ to the sheep to send the dog.* Both Open and Advanced Handlers may move once the dog is sent. (20 pts.)
5. Once the stock have been gathered. Proceed into the Corner Pen (**Pen3**) and then into the Middle Pasture. (6 pts.)
6. Proceed to the **Footbath (Task 2)** and move all sheep through it. Once complete, return to the Paddock. (20 pts.)
7. Put all of the sheep into the **Chute**. *Open handlers must inspect the sheep. Advanced handlers must 'mock' spray them with fly spray.* Once done, take them out of the Chute. (20 pts.)
8. **Sort 3** marked head into the Test Arena. Sort may be done from either side, but the 2 unmarked head should be left in Paddock. (25 pts.)
9. Move the 2 unmarked sheep from the Paddock (**Pen 4**) and put them into the Test Arena with the 3 marked head. Course is complete. (7 pts.)

*Time Allowed 18 minutes*

*Warnings at 3 minutes*

*Tie Breaker 1: Sort, Tie Breaker 2: Gather*

## Farm Trial (ducks)

Stock: 5-7 head ducks

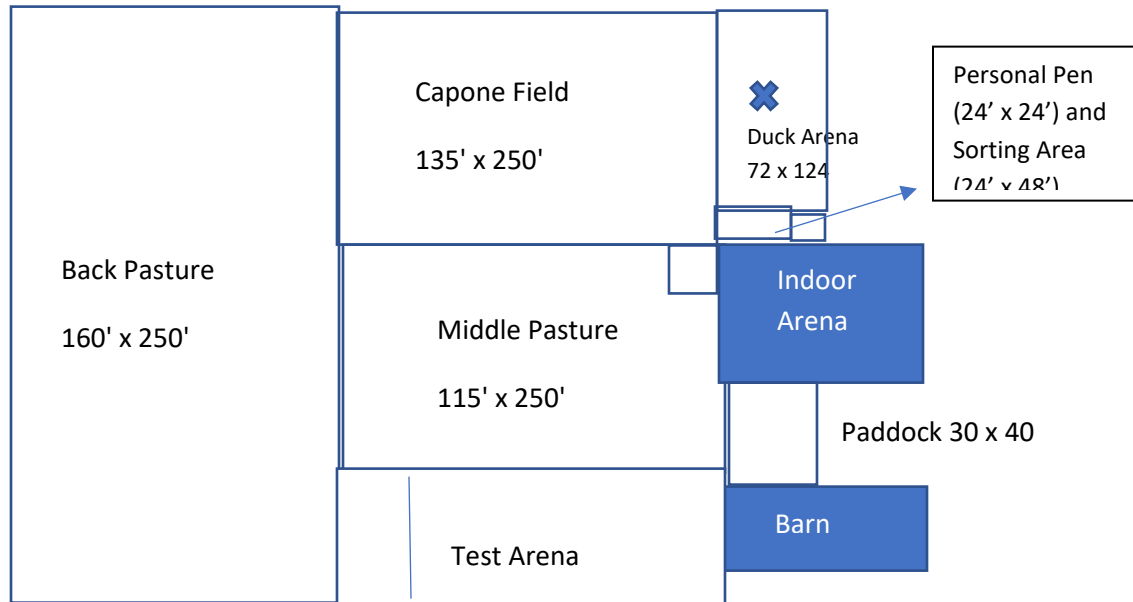
1. Move the ducks from the sorting area (**Pen 1**) into the Personal Pen (**Pen 2**). Close gate of Pen 2 before moving ducks into the Duck Arena. (10 pts.)
2. Move ducks into the Capone Field and **Fetch or Drive** ducks to the feed pan. (**Task 1**) *Advanced Handlers must drive and stay within 8' of the gate, Open Handlers may Fetch or Drive.* Once the ducks are within 10' of the feed pan, call the dog off. (20 pts.)
3. **Gather** the ducks from the feed pan. *Advanced Handlers should send their dog from their side. Open Handlers should leave their dog within 15' of the gate and may go ½ way to the ducks to send the dog.* Both Open and Advanced Handlers may move once the dog is sent. (20 pts.)
4. Once the ducks have been gathered. Proceed back into the Duck Arena. Proceed to the **Chute**. Load the ducks into the chute and into the waiting crate. Once the ducks are in the crate. Pivot the crate 90 degrees and release them back into the Duck Arena. (20 pts.)
5. Move the ducks thru the Maltese Cross. Ducks may enter at any opening but must travel straight through the cross (without turning). (**Task 2**, 20 pts.). *Advanced Handlers must drive from the hold area to the Maltese Cross. Once the ducks have entered the Cross, they may move anywhere. Open Handlers may move anywhere.*
6. Move the ducks into the Personal Pen (**Pen 3**, 5 pts.) then into the Sorting Area (**Pen 4**, 5 pts.)
7. **Gate sort** 3 un-marked head into Personal Pen (25 pts.). Once complete, reunite all the ducks into the sorting area. Dog may or may not enter the personal pen as long as the ducks are reunited. In the sorting area. Course is complete once the ducks are back in the sorting pen and dog and handler have left.

*Time Allowed 15 minutes*

*Warnings at 3 minutes*

*Tie Breaker 1: Maltese Cross; Tie Breaker 2: Gather*

## Layout of Area



### Notes:

#### Ducks:

The chute will be set up along the east duck arena fence.

The 'hold area' will be approximately in the middle of the duck arena

The maltese cross will be centered in the north end of the duck arena

#### Sheep

The corner pen in the middle pasture is 16' x 16'

The footbath will be situated on the west fence of the middle pasture





# AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA

## Stock Trial Entry Form

Entry Number

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE ALL INFORMATION CLEARLY

Host Club	
Trial Dates	

Registration/Tracking #: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Registered Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  Male  Female

Sire: \_\_\_\_\_

Dam: \_\_\_\_\_

Breeder(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Handler: \_\_\_\_\_

(If other than owner)

Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Junior DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

(Enter Junior Member ID# If JR is handling dog) (If Junior is handling dog)

						Date	Date	Date	Date				
	STD	OPN	ADV	FTD OPN	FTD ADV	Trial #1	Trial #2	Trial #1	Trial #2	Trial #1	Trial #2	Trial #1	Trial #2
Sheep													
Cattle													
Ducks													
Mixed													
	NOV	Wrk.Jr Hndlr	FEO	Post Adv	RTD	Trial #1	Trial #2	Trial #1	Trial #2	Trial #1	Trial #2	Trial #1	Trial #2
Sheep													
Cattle													
Ducks													
										<b>Total Entry Fees</b>		<b>\$</b>	

### AGREEMENT

**IMPORTANT LEGAL AGREEMENT**—Please read the following carefully as it, among other things, may prevent you from suing ASCA® and persons/entities affiliated with it. This agreement could even require you to defend them from demands and suits by third parties that include an assertion of wrongdoing by you. (1) The person signing this Agreement represents being authorized to enter into it on behalf of him/herself, as well as (if different) the owner(s)/exhibitor(s)/handler(s) of the dog(s) for which an entry form is being submitted (all these parties collectively referred to herein as “Applicant”). (2) “Releasees” here collectively refers to the Australian Shepherd Club of America® (ASCA®); its affiliate clubs; and the officers and board of directors, staff, contractors, insurers, attorneys, and agents of ASCA® and of those clubs. (3) This Agreement voluntarily is entered into by Applicant in exchange for the acceptance of the associated entry form and permission to participate in related activities. (4) Applicant agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of ASCA® and any other rules and regulations applicable to this event. (5) Applicant certifies that the entered dog will not pose a hazard to people, property, stock animals, or other dogs, and further that the dog is current with rabies shots along with any other vaccinations required by its state of residence. (6) Applicant acknowledges and assumes the risks to Applicant and Applicant’s dog associated with participation in the event, among which could be ones associated with poor condition of the facilities and surrounding areas; security measures or lack of them; electrical appliances; fittings; show rings; the presence of unfamiliar persons; and the presence/involvement of other animals—whether stock, dogs, or otherwise. (7) Applicant further agrees to comply with all recommended and required health and safety precautions, among which may be those related to social distancing; quarantining; wearing of face coverings; and non-participation of persons exhibiting symptoms or for whom there otherwise has been a likelihood of recent exposure to COVID-19 or other contagious diseases. (8) Applicant additionally acknowledges and agrees to assume the risks associated with taking part in the event though others might neglect compliance with health and safety precautions/requirements or pose an undue risk of spreading disease. For example, as is true as to any public event, there is some risk that Applicant and/or those affiliated with Applicant may catch COVID-19 or another contagious disease at the event. (9) To the maximum extent permissible, this release is to be interpreted under Texas law, without application of its choice of law rules. (10) To the extent that Applicant—or another party suing on behalf of Applicant, or suing to recover based on injuries/death/damage to Applicant/Applicant’s dog/Applicant’s property—sues ASCA® (or a board member or staff member or agent of ASCA®) as a defendant, the sole appropriate forum (to the maximum extent permitted by law) for the suit shall be the state or federal courts serving Brazos County, Texas (where ASCA® has its headquarters). (11) Applicant hereby releases and waives any claims Applicant otherwise might assert against the Releasees as to any injury or damage claim connected in any way to any alleged act or omission arising out of, or occurring concurrent with, the event and related activities, interactions, communications, and even adjacent premises. (12) This release is made not only as to Applicant but also for anyone who might assert a claim on behalf of Applicant or based on purported injury or damage to Applicant/Applicant’s dog/Applicant’s property, as well as any heir, beneficiary, assignee, executor, trustee, agent, or survivor of Applicant. (13) Applicant further agrees to assume sole responsibility for and indemnify and hold Releasees harmless from related claims, demands, judgments, and settlement payments. (14) These waiver, release, and indemnification provisions extend even to claims or demands asserting that the acts or omissions resulted in bodily injury or death or from intentional wrongdoing, as well as to attorney fees and other costs of defense. (15) The duties of indemnification further extend to any claims or demands asserted against Releasees that are alleged to have arisen out of the acts or omissions of Applicant, Applicant’s dog, or others affiliated with Applicant. Among other things, this means that Applicant would pay the legal defense of Releasees if someone sued them based on a claim Applicant carelessly exposed the claimant to COVID-19. (16) Applicant’s promises in this agreement apply without regard to the type of claim or cause of action asserted against Releasees. (17) To the extent any provision of this agreement is unenforceable, the remainder of it nonetheless is to be enforced. (18) This agreement is to be interpreted to provide Releasees with the maximum permissible legal protection from—among other things—claims and suits pursued by Applicant (and/or those acting on behalf of Applicant or over injury/damage to Applicant), as well as from ones based on the purported wrongful acts or omissions of Applicant. (19) Nothing in this Agreement requires you to indemnify Releasees from claims by third parties that involve no allegations of improper acts or omissions by you, those affiliated with you, nor your dog(s). (20) Applicant acknowledges having read, understood, and had the opportunity for independent legal review of this document prior to signing it.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE OF OWNER/HANDLER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18)  
PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ERRORS AND RULE VIOLATIONS**

AS USED HERE, “ASCA®” MEANS THE OWNER AND THE OPERATOR OF THE EVENT PREMISES, THE AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD CLUB OF AMERICA, ITS AFFILIATE CLUBS, AND EACH OF THEIR MEMBERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, SHOW CHAIRMEN, SHOW COMMITTEES AND AGENTS.

October 8, 2020

Emergency Contact Name & Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
EXHIBITOR/OWNER OR PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF JR IS UNDER 18) MUST READ AND SIGN THIS FORM