



# WORKING AUSSIES OF VIRGINIA (WAV)

**AN ASCA AFFILIATE CLUB**

**TRIAL WILL BE HELD UNDER CURRENT ASCA RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**One Post-Advanced and Five Stockdog Trials\***

**May 6, 7, 8, 2022**

**Keepstone Farm, 412 Russell Road, Berryville, VA, 22611**

**JUDGES: Cheryl Padgett and Sue Kelly**

*\*ASCA Sanctioning Pending, All Breeds Welcome*

**Friday AM Post-Advanced:** Trial 1 – Cattle & Sheep/ Cheryl Padgett

**Course:** Cattle (3 head) & Sheep (5 head) Post-Advanced Course A.

**Friday PM Arena Trial:** Trial 2 – Cattle & Sheep/ Sue Kelly; Ducks/ Cheryl Padgett

**Courses:** Cattle (3 head) & Sheep (3 head) Course B, counterclockwise; Ducks (5 head) Course D, left hand pen

**Saturday Arena Trials:** Trial 1 – Cattle & Sheep/ Cheryl Padgett – Ducks/ Sue Kelly

**Trial 2 – Cattle & Sheep/ Sue Kelly – Ducks/ Cheryl Padgett**

**Sunday Arena Trials:** Trial 1 – Cattle & Sheep/ Sue Kelly – Ducks/ Cheryl Padgett

**Trial 2 – Cattle & Sheep/ Cheryl Padgett – Ducks/ Sue Kelly**

**Courses:** Cattle (3 head) & Sheep (3 head) Course H with a gather counterclockwise all weekend;

Saturday: Ducks (5 head) Course D, left hand pen;

Sunday: Ducks (5 head) Course H with a gather, counterclockwise

**Saturday and Sunday: Trial 1 Ducks will run concurrently with Trial 1 Cattle.**

**Course Director:** Diane Sobel-Meyer, 973-670-7587, dsobelmeyer@gmail.com

**Trial Secretary:** Regina Bures, 703-795-7420, bellewoodsheep@gmail.com

## ENTRY INFORMATION:

**By postmark:** Pre-entries open for **Aussies only** on **Monday, 03/28/22**; **All other herding breeds**, pre-entries open **Monday, 04/04/22**. Pre-entries close on Friday, 04/22/22.

**No overnight, phone, or email entries.** Entries will not be accepted without payment. A wait list will be maintained. No refunds after the closing date unless runs can be filled from the wait list.

**Post Advanced Trial Fees:** Cattle - \$60, Sheep - \$50; **Arena Trial Fees:** Ducks - \$35, Sheep - \$45, Cattle - \$55, Junior/Novice - \$20 per class

**Spring Special Pre-Entry Packages: Both post-advanced classes (Friday) \$100;**

**All 5 arena trials, all stock (Fri PM/Sat/Sun) \$575**

Make checks payable to: **Working Aussies of Virginia ASC.**

Mail check and completed current ASCA Stock Trial entry form to:

**Regina Bures, 38177 Britain Rd., Lovettsville, VA, 20180**

Trial site opens at 7 AM. Handlers' meeting at 8 AM each day. Day-of entries will be taken at 7:30 AM each day, if runs are available. Additional \$5.00 per class for day-of entries (if available).

**COVID-19 STATEMENT:** All State and Local COVID-19 regulations will be followed. Per ASCA's guidelines, competitors showing any symptoms or with relatives showing symptoms must stay home and not participate in events. People who test positive or have relatives who test positive for coronavirus should follow state and local quarantine rules. Entry fees will be refunded for any COVID-19 related cancellations.

**POLICIES:**

- This trial shall be run under all ASCA rules and regulations. See [asca.org](http://asca.org) for current rules.
- Use the current official ASCA Stock Trial entry form:
  - <https://www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/stockdogentryform.pdf>
- Non-ASCA registered dogs – To have ASCA qualifying legs tracked and 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 per dog. At the time of application for the tracking number, the individual owner must also be an ASCA member (minimum membership type, the Service membership, is required). For more information and applications go to: <http://www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/trackapp.pdf>
- Each individual is responsible for any damage caused by himself, his family or his dog while in the trial arena or on the trial grounds. Livestock replacement costs are as follows: Ducks - \$75, Sheep - \$350, Cattle - \$1,200. ASCA, WAV, and Keepstone Farm assume no responsibility for any accident or injury.
- Substitutions allowed per ASCA Stockdog rules.
- Bitches in season will run in order. They should be crated away from trial arenas when not competing.
- All dogs must be on leash when not competing. Please clean up after your dog.
- Entry confirmation will be sent by email. Please include a legible email address.
- Trial committee will draw run order prior to the trial.
- Entry fees will only be refunded if request is received before pre-entry closing date or if runs can be filled from a wait list.

**AWARDS** (including but not limited to): Ribbons for all qualifying runs. Ribbons for 1st - 4th place, each stock, each trial.

Arena Trials: Rosettes for HIT Aussie, HIT Other Breed, HIT Started Aussie, and HIT Open Aussie.

Special Rosette for any dog completing a WTCH.

***BELT BUCKLE AWARDS for WEEKEND ARENA TRIALS:***

**High Combined Started Aussie, High Combined Aussie, High Combined Other Breed**

**FOOD:** Please plan to bring your own lunch, etc. WAV will provide bottled water for trial participants.

**HOTELS:** Both Winchester, VA, and Charles Town, WV, are nearby. Below is a list of some local hotels. Check for current pet policies when you make reservations.

Wingate by Wyndham, 150 Wingate Dr, Winchester, VA, 22601, 540-678-4283

Red Roof Inn, 911 Millwood Pike, Winchester, VA, 22602, 540-667-5000

La Quinta, 1055 Millwood Pike, Winchester, VA, 22602, 540-684-3489

Motel 6, 106 Jefferson Terrace Rd, Charles Town, WV, 25414, 304-725-1403

**CAMPING:** Candy Hill Camp Ground, 165 Ward Ave., Winchester, VA 800-462-0545

Dry camping (no hook-ups) is available on site. Contact Susan Rhoades at [keepstonefarm@aol.com](mailto:keepstonefarm@aol.com) if you are interested.

**VET:** Valley Emergency Veterinary Clinic, 210 Costello Drive, Winchester, Virginia, 540-662-7811