

Balgrae Dog Training

Offers a 3-Day Seminar with renowned Herding Handler
and Judge

MOLLY WISECARVER

Double M Stockdogs

JUNE 16-18, 2017



The format of this seminar will follow this general format:

Breakfast 8-9

Work starts promptly at 9 with a skills course designed by Molly. Each handler will attempt to negotiate whatever course or portion they wish, and will be video taped. Over lunch, videos will be reviewed and discussed for learning opportunities, and in the afternoon each handler will work with Molly on strengthening their skills. Different skills will be highlighted each day, so those attending all days will gain a succession of skills that build upon each other and their dogs will gain with the consistent work.

Auditors are invited to bring a video of themselves running their dog in one course (trial or practice, makes no difference) and participate in the critiques and learning.

This seminar is limited to 10 working spots and 5 auditor spots per day. Entries will be taken on a first received basis. The cost is \$150/day working spots, \$280 for 2 days or \$410 all three days. Auditing will be \$60 per day, or \$150 for all three days. Closing date is June 1, 2017, after which refunds will be made ONLY if and when the spot is filled.

(Breakfast, Lunch, Snacks and Water will be provided each day)

About Molly

Molly started herding in California in 1989 after purchasing her first Aussie. With her experience in competitive equine events, her knowledge of livestock, and her training and trialing of numerous breeds of herding dogs, she has acquired a wealth of information on training stock dogs. Molly purchased her first Border Collie in 1991, and immediately started competing in United States Border Collie Handlers Association (USBCHA) field competitions. She found this venue to be very exciting and a true test for the breed.

When Molly moved to Arizona in 2000, there were not many field trials so she began to compete in AKC arena trials. While she expected this venue to be easy after competing in USBCHA trials for years, she was surprised to find it very challenging. On the first day of competition, she timed out on both cattle and sheep. The next day was much better with a High In Trial win in the Advance Class on sheep, ducks and cattle with her dog ,Murdoch.

Molly continues to compete in USBCHA field trials but I also compete in AHBA, ASCA and AKC, and believe the true test for a handler and dog is versatility. Molly works with her own dogs, and also trains and trials client dogs. She has worked with many breeds, including Border Collies, Australian Shepherds, Belgian Malinois, Belgian Tervuren, Belgian Sheep Dogs, Australian Cattle Dogs, Cardigan Welch Corgis, Pembroke Welsh Corgis, Bearded Collies, Shelties, Berger Picards and Rottweilers and German Shepherds. She enjoys the diversity of the herding breeds and applying her training methods differently, depending on both the breed and the temperament and drive of individual dogs.

Molly is an AKC, ASCA, AHBA and USBCHA Judge

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

AKC

- ✦ 6 Dual Champions
- ✦ 12 Herding Champions
- ✦ 58 Herding Excellent Titles
- ✦ 65 Herding Intermediate Titles
- ✦ 70 + Herding Started Titles

USBCHA

- ✦ 5 Time USBCHA National Finalist Qualifier Nursery, Cattle, Open
- ✦ 2012 BCSA National Herding Specialty
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- ✦ Invitational Herding Judge
- ✦ AHA President, BCAZ Herding Director
- ✦ Lifetime member to USBCHA Handlers Association
- ✦ BCSA member

ASCA

- ✦ 4 Time ASCA National Finalist Qualifier w/Top 10 Finishes
- ✦ 12 Champions titled in Excellent (most in 9 months)
- ✦ Lifetime member to ASCA (over 28 years)



RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY!

ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN BEGINNING MAY 1 2017 FIRST RECEIVED.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

DOG (Name, Breed, your/dog's experience level):

WORKING SPOTS: \$150/DAY, \$280/ 2 DAYS, \$410 ALL THREE DAYS

AUDITING SPOTS \$60/DAY OR \$150 FOR ALL THREE DAYS 50% DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED TO HOLD A SPOT

WORKING SPOT

AUDITING SPOT

JUNE 16

JUNE 17

JUNE 18

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

Teams working toward trial level work will gain the most from a working spot. Those still working on the 'dance' between the dog/stock/handler would gain valuable experience auditing. Handlers may not split a day spot between two dogs, although they may bring different dogs different days, and ask questions regarding other dogs. Until the interest level of this event is ascertained, we will limit to one working spot per handler/day, however a second completed entry would be placed in a priority position on the wait list. Should there be a tie in first received, those currently working at the farm (rental or lessons) will have priority.

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