# **Shetland Sheepdog Club of Greater Baltimore**

October 17 & 18, 2013 Agility Trial Heart's Home Farm, 1660 Magin Lane, Westminster, MD 21157 Judging Program



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Armband Numbers and Check-In: Armbands will be available at the check-in table (alphabetical by owner).

**<u>Check-in for measuring</u>**: Begins both days at 8:00 a.m. Additional measuring time will be provided (as available) as courses are being set. If a measurement is necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their dog(s) measured prior to running. **Reminder:** All exhibitors should carry their dog's original AKC official Jump Height Card with them to each trial, in order to present the card upon request.

We expect an AKC Field Representative to be present. If you do not have a permanent height card, your dog MUST be measured for one. Remember to bring your dog's information with you (particularly AKC number) so that you can fill out the Measurement Form prior to being measured.

<u>Move ups</u> for the October 17 trial must be received by 6 p.m. on Monday, October 14. Moveups will be allowed between the October 17 and October 18 trial dates and must be submitted in person to the trial secretary by the end of judging on Thursday, October 17. The "Move-Up" book will be located on the check-in table.

### DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE (GPS Coordinates: N39° 29'05.7" / W077° 02'47.7")

## DIRECTIONS TO HEART'S HOME FARM, 1660 MAGIN LANE, WESTMINSTER, MD 21157 Phone: 410-428-6262

**FROM DC/VIRGINIA:** From DC Beltway (I-495), take I-270 exit towards Frederick. From I-270, take Father Hurley Blvd/Damascus exit, which becomes Rt 27/Ridge Rd. Stay on Rt 27 North about 20 miles. After crossing intersection at Rt 26, continue on Rt 27 North about 2 miles. Turn right onto Magin Lane (directly across from the driveway of Calvary Baptist Church). Follow agility signs, almost 1 mile.

**FROM BALTIMORE**: From Baltimore Beltway (I-695), take Exit 19 (I-795). Continue until I-795 ends, bearing right onto Route 140 West/Westminster. Follow Rt 140 west for about 10 miles. At Town Mall, get in right lane & take exit ramp to Route 27 South. At end of ramp, turn left onto Route 27. Go about 8 miles. Turn left onto Magin Lane (directly across from the driveway of Calvary Baptist Church). Follow agility signs, almost 1 mile.

**FROM I-70**: Take Exit 68 (Rt 27) towards Mt. Airy/Westminster. Continue on Rt 27 North about 9 miles. After crossing intersection at Rt 26, continue on Rt 27 North about 2 miles. Turn right onto Magin Lane (directly across from the driveway of Calvary Baptist Church). Follow agility signs, almost 1 mile.

Parking: Parking is available close to the ring on the grass. Please obey all signs and parking attendants!!

No RV's, please, due to space limitations. There is no overnight parking at the show site. Please do not block the driveway.



**IMPORTANT NOTICE!** The road to the agility site is a single-lane driveway with a speed limit of 15 miles per hour. **Please go SLOWLY and watch for on-coming vehicles.** 

Heart's Home Farm is a Christmas tree farm. Please do NOT allow your dogs to relieve themselves on the Christmas trees!!



No food vendor on site: A light lunch will be available to all workers free-of-charge. . A convenience store with sandwiches and subs is 1

mile away, a pizza restaurant is 2 miles away.

Crating/setup: NO SET-UP is available on Wednesday evening. There is plenty of space, as this is an outdoor trial. ©

### We wish to thank all those who have volunteered to help at this trial!

The worker's list will be sent via e-mail early next week. The worker coordinator will be Barb Miller (e-mail: barbscottmiller@embarqmail.com / phone: 717-334-7394). Any and all assistance makes for a smoother running trial, so if you have not yet volunteered, please let Barb know which job you'd like. <u>A light unch</u> will be provided free of charge to volunteer workers.

**Course-building** will begin each morning at 8:00 a.m., so don't hesitate to jump into the ring and ask questions. Experienced club members will be on hand throughout the day to help you learn a new skill. Volunteer to do something you've never done before! It's a great way to learn!

### EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Veterinarian on call: Westminster Veterinary Hospital (410) 876-2717 After Hours Emergency Vet: Central Carroll Animal Emergency (410) 871-2000 Emergency Services: Fire / Ambulance / Police Dial 911 Rhonda Toren (410) 241-1679 (Day of show contact number – EMERGENCY ONLY)

### $\Rightarrow$ This is a one-ring trial $\Leftarrow$

(Trial hours: 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.)

### Judge: John Defilippi

### Classes will be run Tall-Small both days.

Walk-Throughs may be split at Judge's discretion. Lunch Break to be taken at Judge's discretion.

#### Electronic Timers will be used.

**Briefing and official walk-through** for the first class will begin: **Both days:** 8:45 a.m. Judging will begin at 9:00 a.m.

Running Order as of October 8, 2013. Preliminary running order contingent on move-up entries not yet received.

Classes will be run concurrently (B, A, Preferred) within height divisions in the following order:

Thursday	
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Class	Level	26"	24"	20"	16"	12"	8"	4"	Total
JWW	Open	0	2	4	1	4	3	0	14
JWW	Novice	0	5	16	11	4	3	0	39
STD	Open	0	2	4	2	1	5	0	14
STD	Novice	0	4	14	10	6	1	0	35
FAST	Open	0	0	2	2	3	0	0	7
FAST	Novice	0	3	8	7	3	1	0	22
	TOTAL RUNS								131

### Friday

Class	Level	26"	24"	20"	16"	12"	8"	4"	Total
FAST	Open	0	0	2	1	2	0	0	5
FAST	Novice	0	3	7	5	4	2	0	21
STD	Open	0	2	4	1	0	5	0	12
STD	Novice	0	3	14	10	6	2	0	35
JWW	Open	0	2	5	1	3	3	0	14
JWW	Novice	0	4	13	8	5	4	0	34
	TOTAL RUNS								121

#### Please be at the gate at least 4 dogs before your turn to go to insure a timely trial. \*

\*Note: Armband numbers were randomly assigned by computer program. The classes are small. Every effort was made to separate handlers with multiple dogs, but ....

Should you find that your dogs have been placed uncomfortably close in the running order, don't PANIC! Simply ask the gate steward to move one of your dogs in the running order.

Enjoy!

