

SHETLAND SHEEPDOG CLUB OF GREATER BALTIMORE, INC.
 American Kennel Club Licensed Herding Test/Trial - Event #2009181915



Saturday, February 28, 2009

Test/Trial Hours: 7 AM – 7 PM (or ½ hour after the last test run)

Keepstone Farm, 412 Russell Road, Berryville, VA 22611-2326

TEST/TRIAL SECRETARY: Rhonda Toren
 5474 Delphinium Court, Columbia, MD 21045-2232
 Phone: 410-997-3698 e-mail: herding@clantyre.net

JUDGING SCHEDULE

Running order is as listed below, with the first handlers' meeting occurring no earlier than the posted time.
 Judging will begin immediately after the handlers' meeting
 All exhibitors should check in with the Trial Secretary at least thirty (30) minutes before classes begin.

**There will be a separate handlers' meeting held for each class before it begins.
 Classes will be judged in the following order:**

Judge: Cathy Hartley

8:00 A.M. – First Handlers' Meeting

- 10 **Advanced Class Course A (sheep)..... A501 – A510 (1 alternate: A511)**
- 5 **Intermediate Class Course A (sheep) A401 – A405**
- 15 **Started Class Course A (sheep) A301 – A315 (1 alternate: A316)**

- 8 **Pre-Trial Test.....201 – 208 (3 alternates: 209 – 211)**
- 12 **Herding Test..... 101 – 112 (4 alternates: 113 – 116)**

There are 50 dogs entered in this test/trial, for a total of 50 entries.

Move-Ups / Alternates

Requests to **move up** must be given to the Herding Secretary at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the event.
 Entrants on the **alternate's list** must check in with the Herding Secretary on the grounds
 no later than 30 minutes before the commencement of their level.

Notice To Exhibitors

- ❖ **SITE:** Bring your own shade. Water will be available at all times.
- ❖ **DOGS** must be leashed or otherwise controlled by their owners while waiting to compete. It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. The trial will be held rain or shine. Dress for the weather and bring chairs.
- ❖ **FOOD is not available at the show site.** Bring your own lunch.
- ❖ **PARTICIPANTS PLEASE NOTE:** You are requested to clean up and leave the test site and grounds as we received them. **THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR COOPERATION!**
- ❖ All dogs present which are not being worked in the arena must be kept quiet, off course, on leash and away from the fences. Please do not allow them to disturb the resting stock or interfere with the working dog.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL	Emergency Numbers	Day-of-Show Emergency Contact
Valley Emergency Veterinary Clinic 146 Garber Lane Winchester, VA 22601 Phone: 540-662-7811	Fire/Ambulance/Police, Dial 911	Rhonda Toren Phone: 410-241-1679

DIRECTIONS To Valley Emergency Veterinary Clinic: Turn right on Va-7 W for 5.7 miles. Merge onto I-81 S. toward Roanoke (2.2 miles), merge onto US-17S/US-50E/US-522 via Exit 313A (0.3 miles). Turn right onto Front Royal Pike/US 522 (0.3 miles). Turn right onto Garber Road.



ACCOMMODATIONS

These establishments have graciously agreed to accept guests with **well-mannered dogs**.
Please return the trust and assume full responsibility for your dog's behavior. Thanks!

Hotels

Quality Inn East.....603 Millwood Avenue, Winchester, VA 22602
Phone: 540-667-2250

Travelodge of Winchester.....160 Front Royal Pike, Winchester, VA 22602
Phone: 540-665-0689

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

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

Campgrounds

Candy Hill Camp Ground.....165 Ward Avenue, Winchester, VA 22602
Phone: 540-662-8010

DIRECTIONS

Keepstone Farm is located at 412 Russell Road, at Keepstone Farm in scenic Berryville, Virginia; less than a mile from Route 7 West. It is easily accessible from Northern Virginia, West Virginia and Frederick Maryland via major roadways.

From the East: From Leesburg VA, take Route 7 West. Passing 2 traffic lights after the Rt 340 exit for Berryville, turn Right on Russell Road (Rt 660).

* Go 3/10 mile, turn Right at large Keepstone Farm sign (Dog Gone Healthy sign below). Follow farm lane to Left turn at # 412, and go to end of Driveway.

From the West: From I-81, Take Exit 315, Rt 7 East at Winchester VA. Go about 6 miles, and turn Left on Russell Road (Rt 660). Follow * directions above.

From the North: From Frederick MD, take Rt 340/15 South, bearing right on 340 South at the split. Follow 340 to Charles Town WV, and continue South on 340 to Rt 7 West at Berryville VA. Follow Rt 7 West through 2 traffic lights, to Russell Rd on right. Follow * directions above.

From the South: From Rt 66 West - Take Rt 17 North toward Paris VA. Take 17 to traffic light, and turn Left onto Rt 50 West toward Winchester. Follow Rt 50 W to a Right turn at Rt 340 North. (Sheetz Station at light). After following through the towns of Boyce and Berryville, turn Left onto Rt 7 West. Follow * directions above.

