

## Notice to Exhibitors

Test/Trial location will be available from 7:00 am to 6:00 pm, or one hour after conclusion of event. No unentered dogs (except set-out dogs) are allowed at the test/trial site. Limited shade is available. Bring your own canopies. Bath/Cool off tub will be provided. Please bring your own chairs. Schedule will be provided. Bitches in season will be allowed but will be moved to the end of the class in **test** classes. Please notify the Test/Trial Secretary if your bitch is in season.

ALL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES REGARDING CONDUCT WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

No refund for duplicate entries or for any other cause beyond the control of the club after closing of entries.

RETURNED CHECKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID ENTRY. NO CONDITIONAL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

ENTRY FORMS MUST BE SIGNED.

**Any type of overnight mail must be marked "No signature required."**

A separate entry blank for each class must be completed for each dog entered. If the dog is being entered in the identical class or classes for both Saturday and Sunday, you may simply check both boxes indicating the day entered. If your dog is entered in a different class each day, please fill out separate entry forms. Entries not on Official AKC Entry Forms and Photocopies of Entry Forms without the 'Current' Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC Entry Forms are NOT ACCEPTABLE. Owners or their agents are solely responsible for the presence of their dog(s) at the test/trial arena. Judges are not required to wait for dogs. Exhibitors are expected to maintain the premises in a clean and tidy condition. Entry fees shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a Veterinarian or Judge or barred from competition by action of the Test/Trial Committee. If, because of riots, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency or other acts beyond the control of the Club it is impossible to open or to complete the test/trial, no refund of entry fee will be made.

**Children must be under the supervision of their parent or guardian at all times. Non-compliance with this rule will force the committee to ask them to leave the premises.**

### Exhibitors: Please Note

- ❖ The "A" course sheep (130ft x 215ft) and duck arenas (110ft x 110 ft) will be laid out as in the diagram in the Rules and Regulations.
- ❖ The "B" course outruns will be set at the minimums for both goats & ducks
- ❖ The "D" course will include a chute, sort, and gateway
- ❖ Exhibition-only entries will be accepted, entry fee \$25/run and can be accepted up 30 minutes prior to the start of trial the day of the trial provided the entry limit has not been reached.

**It will be necessary for exhibitors to bring their shade and water for themselves and their dogs. There will be lunch available for purchase.**

Event # 2023222705, 2023222704 & 2023222706

Entries Close: 8:00 PM, Wednesday, September 13, 2023.

Limits: A and B course Sheep/Goat and Duck runs limited to 30 runs per day. C Course goats limited to 8 runs per day. D Course Goats limited to 10 runs. Test runs limited to 18 per day. Entries close when numerical limit is reached, or on September 13, 2023 after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled or substituted. Drawing for run order: 8:00 pm, September 15, 2023 at the home of the secretary. A waiting list of 10 alternates will be kept.



## AKC Licensed Herding Tests & Trials

These Tests & Trials will be held under "AKC Herding Regulations"  
Trial Livestock will be sheep/goats and ducks. Test Livestock will be goats.

### Thursday, September 28, 2023 AM

Course "D" Goats – All Levels 2023222705

### Friday, September 29, 2023

Course "A" - Sheep and Ducks – All Levels 2023222704

Course "B" – Goats and Ducks – All Levels 2023222704

Course "C" – Goats – All Levels 2023222704

Herding Tests, Pre-Trial (with/without Boundary) – Goats 2023222704

### Saturday, October 30, 2023

Course "A" – Goats and Ducks – All Levels 2023222706

Course "B" – Goats and Ducks – All Levels 2023222706

Course "C" – Sheep – All Levels 2023222706

Herding Tests, Pre-Trial (with/without Boundary) – Goats 2023222706

Farm Dog Certification – Goats 2023222704 & 2023222706

Rancho Terra Norté

1227 East County Road 82, Wellington, CO 80549

Event hours: 7:00 am to 6:00 pm or one hour after conclusion of the Test/Trial

These Tests/Trials will be held outdoors regardless of weather

Test/Trial Secretary: Ellen Hughes

PO Box 272943, Fort Collins, CO 80527

(970)377-9990 herdingsecretary@gmail.com

**Club Officers**

President: Val Manning  
 Vice-President: Amy Turner  
 Treasurer: Cindy Kelly.....2244 Gordon Creek Lane, Livermore, CO 80536  
 Secretary: Molly McNamara .....PO Box 1219 Lyons, CO  
 Board of Directors: Maggie Buzzard, Joan Beien and Debby Courtier

**Test/Trial Committee**

Test/Trial Chairman: Val Manning  
 Test/Trial Secretary: Ellen Hughes PO Box 272943 Ft Collins, CO 80527

Course Director: Joan Beien  
 Chief Livestock Handler: Doug Richardson  
 Chief Gate Steward: Cindy Kelly and David Birch  
 Hospitality: Val Manning, Diane Simcik, and Debby Courtier

DATE/EVENT #	JUDGE	CLASS	STOCK	LEVELS
Thur (AM) Sept 28 2023 2023222705	Karen C Trimble (51369)	D Course	Goats	All Levels
Fri Sept 29 2023 2023222704	Ken Ferrill (101555)	A Course	Sheep	All Levels
Fri Sept 29 2023 2023222704	Janna Duncan (15369)	A Course	Ducks	All Levels
Fri Sept 29 2023 20202227206	Ken Ferrill (101555)	B Course	Goats	All Levels
Fri Sept 29 2023 2023222704	Janna Duncan (15369)	B Course	Ducks	All Levels
Fri Sept 29 2023 2023222704	Janna Duncan (15369)	C Course	Goats	All Levels
Fri Sept 29 2023 2023222704	Ken Ferrill (101555)	HT/PT/PT boundary	Goats	Tests
Sat Sept 30 2023 2023222706	Janna Duncan (15369)	A Course	Goats	All Levels
Sat Sept 30 2023 2023222706	Ken Ferrill (101555)	A Course	Ducks	All Levels
Sat Sept 30 2023 2023222706	Janna Duncan (15369)	B Course	Goats	All Levels
Sat Sept 30 2023 2023222706	Ken Ferrill (101555)	B Course	Ducks	All Levels
Sat Sept 30 2023 2023222706	Carol Lucero (ZD585)	C Course	Sheep	All Levels
Sat Sept 30 2023 2023222706	Janna Duncan (15369)	HT/PT/PT boundary	Goats	Tests
Sat Sept 30 2023 2023222704	TBD	FDC	Goats	Tests
Sat Sept 30 2023 2023222706	TBD	FDC	Goats	Tests

**Judges:**

Janna Duncan (15369), 32230 Angeles Forest Highway, Palmdale, CA 93550  
 Ken Ferrill (101555), 29 Soloman Road, Estancia, NM 87016  
 Carol Lucero (ZD585), 23795 County Road 35, La Salle, CO 80645  
 TBD  
 TBD

Note: AKC's recent ruling effective September 3, 2013, the three qualifying scores required to be awarded a herding trial title may be earned under two or more different judges. The current Regulations require the three qualifying scores to be earned under three different judges. The effective date means that the second qualifying score under the same judge will only count if earned after September 3, 2013. The requirement of two passing legs earned under two different judges is still in effect for Herding Instinct Tests, Herding Tests and Pre-Trial Tests. This trial weekend will have the alternating test judges and trial judges for both BVKC and CDHA. If you are entering the test classes, be certain to enter under different judges

**Livestock**

Sheep – Dorper, Katahdin and Mixed breed sheep (value \$250 each) – Three to Five head of stock per run in A and B trial classes, Twenty head minimum of stock per run in C trial classes, and 10 – 15 head per run in D trial classes;  
Goats – Registered Kiko and Crossbred Goats (value \$ 350 each) - three to five head of stock per run in B trial classes and 3 head per run in test classes. Note: PT **without** boundary will be run on three head of goats. PT **with** boundary will be run on a minimum of five head of goats.  
Ducks - Mixed runner or call ducks (value \$50 each) Five head of stock per run.

**American Kennel Club Certification**



Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.  
 James P. Crowley, Secretary

**Ribbon and Rosette Prizes**

Qualifying Run..... Green Ribbon  
 Tests  
 Trials  
 First Place ..... Blue Ribbon  
 Second Place..... Red Ribbon  
 Third Place..... Yellow Ribbon  
 Fourth Place ..... White Ribbon  
 Fifth Place..... Pink Ribbon  
 Qualifying Score ..... Green Ribbon  
 High In Trial..... Blue, Red, & Yellow Rosette  
 Reserve High In Trial... Red, Yellow & White Rosette

**Trophies**

**High In Trials:** Cable tie with removable handle offered by CDHA  
**Reserve High in Trials:** Cable tie with removable handle offered by CDHA

**Highest Combined Score Award** – Solar Powered Metal Sheep Patio light, Offered by Val Manning, Terra Norte' GSD

Awarded to the dog who earns the highest combined weighted score compiled from Thursday PM (D course Sheep), Sun (A Sheep or Ducks, B Goats or Ducks, and C Goats) and Monday (A Sheep or Ducks, B Goats or Ducks, or C Goats). In calculating the winner of the High Combined Award, only qualifying scores count. A dog's three best scores from Thursday (Course D), Sunday (Course A,B, and/or C) and Monday (Course A, B, and/or C) will be added together. Each score must be from a different course OR stock (e.g., D Sheep, A Sheep, A Ducks, OR A Sheep, C Goats & B Goats, etc.). Scores used will be weighted by level (80% Started, 90% Intermediate, 100% Advanced).

**Classes Offered**

Herding Instinct Test, Herding Test, Pre-Trial Test (sheep or goats)  
 Course A (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) Sheep/Goats and Ducks  
 Course B (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) Goats and Ducks  
 Course C (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) Sheep/Goats  
 Course D (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) Goats  
 Farm dog Certification Test

**Entry Fees: \$50.00 per dog per A & B course and \$60 per C & D trial class, \$45.00 HIC/HT/PT/FDC test classes**

If you are planning to enter day of event – please send an email to [herdingsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:herdingsecretary@gmail.com), or text to 970-970-218-2886 so we can add you to the running order by 8 PM the evening prior to the trial.

### **Veterinarian (on call)**

Richard Wheeler, DVM Poudre River Veterinary Clinic  
970-227-2320

### **Directions to Test/Trial Location**

Rancho Terra Norté, 1227 East County Rd. 82, Wellington, CO 80549  
From I-25, take exit #288 (Buckeye Road), travel west approximately 4 miles to driveway on south side of the road. Look for Terra Norté Kennel sign.

### **Motels That Will Accept Dogs**

Days Inn, 7860 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Wellington, CO (970) 568-0444 (check online for best rates)  
Days Inn, 3624 E. Mulberry, Fort Collins, CO (970) 221-5490  
Fort Collins Plaza Inn, 3709 E. Mulberry, Fort Collins, CO (970) 493-7800  
Sleep Inn, 3808 E. Mulberry, Fort Collins, CO (970) 484-5515 (dog friendly, mention BVKC) Mulberry  
Inn, I-25, Ault exit 269A, 4333 East Mulberry, Fort Collins, CO (970) 493-9000  
La Quinta, I-25, exit 269B, 3709 E. Mulberry, Ft. Collins, CO (970) 493-7800

### **Camping Grounds -**

Wellington KOA – 4821 E County Rd 70 (Owl Canyon Road), Wellington, CO (970) 568-7486  
Fort Collins / Poudre Canyon KOA – 6670 US-287, La Porte CO (970)493-9758  
Fort Collins/Lakeside KOA 1910 Lakeside Resort Lane, Fort Collins, CO (970)484-9880  
Terry Bison Ranch Resort – 51 I-25 Service Road East, Cheyenne, WY 82007 (307) 634-4171

\* Limited RV parking is available on site for self contained units. Please contact Val Manning  
([TerraNorte@aol.com](mailto:TerraNorte@aol.com)) for more information.



Hot Lunch Special each day! \$10/plate

Includes entrée, dessert, and cold drink.

