

Entries Open: Monday, July 12, 2021 at 8:00 am CDT
Entries Close: Friday, August 27, 2021 at 6:00 pm CDT

Premium List

2021 BCSA National Specialty Herding Tests & Trials

Border Collie Society of America

Member of the
American Kennel Club

<http://www.bordercolliesociety.com>



Monday, September 27, 2021

Four Herding Trials / One Herding Test

Event #2021507034, 2021507035, 2021507036, 2021507037

Tuesday, September 28, 2021

Four Herding Trials / One Herding Test

Event #2021507038, 2021507039, 2021507040, 2021507041

Wednesday, September 29, 2021

Four Herding Trials

Event #2021507042, 2021507043, 2021507044, 2021507045

Purina Farms Event Center - Herding Fields

300 Checkerboard Loop

Gray Summit, MO 63039

These trials/tests will be held outdoors regardless of weather.

Limited to Border Collies.

Certification

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club
for holding this event under American Kennel Club Rules and
Regulations.

Gina DiNardo, Executive Secretary



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Event Committee

Trial Chair.....Janice Swofford
24626 Terrier Ln, Shell Knob MO 65747
jswofford@centurytel.net

Committee Members

Jeanette Jolly, Diana Smith, Rebecca Kirzner, Linda Ramas
And any other club member in attendance,

Event Secretary

Lisa Pruka.....10321 Harrison Rd, Rockton, IL 61072
herdtrialsec@gmail.com.....815-494-0384

Photography

Stephanie Lynne Photography – Stephanie Smith

www.WIpetphotographer.com

ALL official win photos will be taken by Stephanie Smith. If you win one of the awards which requires an official photo, you will be given a card to present to the official photographer. To view and order photos from these events, please sign up by visiting www.WIpetphotographer.com – click EVENTS and complete the form titled EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY REQUEST

Judges

Kirsten Cole-MacMurray #100431.....Acton CA
Sean Hathaway #17934.....Rockfield KY
Sharol Hathaway #17935.....Rockfield KY
Robin Penland-Elliott #28576.....Gaffney SC

Dogs Eligible to Enter

These events are open to Border Collies which have been registered with the American Kennel Club or have been granted a PAL/ILP number and are nine (9) months of age or older.

Entry Fees

All sheep trials/tests \$50.00
All duck trials \$50.00

Includes \$3.50 AKC Recording Fee for recordable classes.

Make checks payable to BCSA. Check should be for HERDING entry fees only.

Mail entries and fees in US funds to:

Lisa Pruksa

10321 Harrison Road, Rockton, IL 61072

You must waive the signature requirement for delivery services, if applicable.

A separate entry blank must be completed for each dog entered. Please use care in clearly indicating which days, classes, courses (A or B) and stock you wish to enter for each dog. Entries for a maximum of ten (10) dogs are allowed in each envelope, regardless of the number of classes entered. Envelopes containing entries for more than ten dogs will be treated as invalid entries and returned.

Confirmation of entry will be sent via email if an email address is included on the entry form

General Specialty entry fee policies can be found in the General Information Brochure.

Event Details

Entries open at 8:00 am CDT, Monday, July 12, 2021.

Entries close at 6:00 pm CDT on Friday, August 27, 2021 after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered, or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows.

Drawing for run order will be held on Sunday, August 29, 2021 at 7:00 pm at the Secretary's office.

Livestock

Sheep: Hair sheep cross. Value: \$150 per head. There will be 3-5 head per run on A course and in all test classes and five head per run on B course.

Ducks: Call. Value: \$50 per head. There will be five head per run in all classes and on all courses.

Exhibitor will pay for any livestock injuries or replacement value in the event of death of any livestock cause by his/her dog. Payment in the amounts above will be made to BCSA

Outrun Lengths

Outrun lengths (feet):	Started	Intermediate	Advanced
B Course Sheep	150	300	350
B Course Ducks	60	75	100

Veterinarian On Call

John Stoltz DVM, Washington Veterinary Clinic
5585 Highway 100, Washington, MO
636-239-5445

Directions from trial site: At main gate, turn right onto Hwy MM. Turn right onto Hwy100. Take I-44 west to Exit #251 Hwy 100. Continue on Hwy 100 8.6 mi to Brookview Dr. Turn right onto Brookview, then right into clinic.

Animal Emergency Clinic
9937 Big Bend Blvd, Kirkwood, MO 63122
314-822-7600

Directions from trial site: Turn right on MM. Turn right on Hwy 100. Take I-44 east toward St Louis. Take Exit #278 and turn right on Big Bend. Clinic is on left past stoplight, 0.25 miles.

Classes Offered, Judging Assignments and Limits

Stock	Course	Class	Judge	Limit
Monday, Trial SA - #2021507036				
Sheep	A	Started	Kirsten Cole-MacMurray	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Monday, Trial DA - #2021507034				
Sheep	—	Herding Test	Robin Penland-Elliott	50
Sheep	—	Pre Trial Test		
Ducks	A	Started		
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Monday, Trial DB - #2021507037				
Ducks	B	Started	Sharol Hathaway	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Monday, Trial SB - #2021507035				
Sheep	B	Started	Sean Hathaway	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Tuesday, Trial SA - #2021507040				
Sheep	A	Started	Robin Penland-Elliott	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Tuesday, Trial DA - #2021507038				
Sheep	—	Herding Test	Sharol Hathaway	50
	—	Pre-Trial Test		
Ducks	A	Started		
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Tuesday, Trial DB - #2021507041				
Ducks	B	Started	Sean Hathaway	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Tuesday, Trial SB - #2021507039				
Sheep	B	Started	Kirsten Cole-MacMurray	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Wednesday, Trial SA - #2021507043				
Sheep	A	Started	Sharol Hathaway	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Wednesday, Trial DA - #2021507045				
Ducks	A	Started	Sean Hathaway	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Wednesday, Trial DB - #2021507044				
Ducks	B	Started	Kirsten Cole-MacMurray	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
Wednesday, Trial SB - #2021507042				
Sheep	B	Started	Robin Penland-Elliott	50
		Intermediate		
		Advanced		
There will be a hard limit of 60 total duck runs each day				

Notice to Exhibitors

The safety of the dogs is our primary concern. By entering these trials, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee.

The Border Collie Society of America may cancel this event in extreme weather conditions. Entry fees will not be refunded if the events cannot be opened or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an act of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

Bitches in season will be permitted to run but will be moved to the end of the running order in Test Classes. Please notify the Event Secretary if your bitch is in season

Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. There is a \$20 returned check fee. No refunds will be issued for overpayment of less than \$10.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Committee, be asked to leave the event site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

All dogs must be on leash or crated at all times except when in the ring.

Exhibitors are responsible for being at the ring gate when it is their turn to run. The judge need not wait for any dog holding up a class. The Border Collie Society of America has no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a public address system or steward for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought to the ring when required. Entries must be made on Official AKC entry forms or copies and must include the signed

Agreement and Rules. Include only AKC titles on entries.

Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, whoever may have made such errors. No entry will be refunded in the event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date. Errors in entries made by the exhibitor cannot be corrected after the closing date. No refunds for duplicate entries.

Dogs under 6 months of age are not permitted on the show grounds of AKC events.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites and any communicable diseases and have appropriate vaccinations.

The Border Collie Society of America does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC entry form for this event.

Entry fees will be refunded to alternates who decline to be placed on the alternate list. Entry fees of alternates who do not participate in the test or trial will be refunded. Entry fees will not be refunded to a scheduled entrant who is absent on the day of the event unless an alternate is present and runs in the place of the absent dog.

A tub for cooling off will be provided.

Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after their dog(s). Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement.

Dogs may not be left in closed vehicles without proper ventilation. If dogs are found in distress, BCSA will take appropriate action.

No professional photography or videotaping is permitted without permission. No gasoline or diesel generators are permitted within 100 feet of the ring.

All rules and policies published in the BCSA 2021 General Information Booklet apply to this event.

**THERE WILL BE NO FOOD AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT
THE TRIAL SITE**

Move-up Information

Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of qualifying for herding title, provided that the request is made to the Event Secretary no later than one-half hour before the start of the trial and that there are open runs available in the class. Email notice is acceptable.

Participant Emergency Preparedness

When traveling with your dog (s), it is important to have a plan in place should an emergency or disaster requiring evacuation occur. The following are some suggested components of your plan:

1. Have a recent photo and description of your dog prepared a head of time.
2. Bring a copy of each dog's medical information, to include immunizations, special health / medication needs, microchip or tattoo information and your veterinarian's phone number.
3. Have names, phone numbers and directions to area motels that allow pets.
4. Have a carrier and leash for each dog.
5. Carry bottled water in your vehicle in case of power failure or concerns regarding contaminated water.

Accommodations

HOST HOTELS:

Budget Lodging, 866 S Outer Road, St Clair, MO 63077 (I-44, Exit 240) 636-629-1000
Wildwood Town Center Hotel, 2801 Fountain Place, Wildwood, MO 63040 636-733-9100

Additional hotels:

Holiday Inn at Six Flags, I-44 at Allenton, Eureka, MO 63025 (I-44, Exit 261)

636-938-6661, 800-782-8108

Comfort Inn, 1320 Thornton St, Pacific, MO 63069 (I-44, Exit 257) 636-257-4600

America's Best Inn at Six Flags, 1725 West 5th St, Eureka, MO 63025 (Exit 261)

636-549-3384

Eureka Super 8, 1733 West Fifth St, Eureka, MO 63025 (I-44, Exit 261)

636-938-4368

Drury Inn, I-44 and Hwy 141, Valley Park, MO 63088 (I-44, Exit 272)

800-378-7946, 636-861-8300

Super 8 St Clair, 1010 S Outer Road St, St Clair, MO 63077 (I-44, Exit 240)

800-800-8000, 636-629-8080

NOTE: Some motels may charge a pet fee or have limits on size.

Please check the BCSA website for Host Hotel Policies.

RVs

Camping will be \$40/night.

Registration form and online registration available RV Rentals are available

Please contact Ronna Stewart for additional information at ronna526@gmail.com

See <http://www.bordercolliesociety.com> for information.

Directions to Purina Farms

From North/East/South: Take I-44 to Gray Summit/Hwy 100 Exit 253. Turn east on Hwy 100.

After approximately ½ mile, turn left on MM at gas station. The herding fields are approximately

½ mile on left, just before the barn and entrance to Purina Farms.

From West: Take I-70 to Hwy 47, Exit 193. Take Hwy 47 south to Hwy 100. Continue on 100 to

I-44 east. Take I-44 east one exit to Gray Summit. Follow directions above.

Prize List

Rosette Prizes

High in Trial.....	Blue, Red and Yellow Rosette
Reserve High in Trial.....	Red, Yellow and White Rosette
1st Place.....	Blue Rosette
2nd Place.....	Red Rosette
3rd Place.....	Yellow Rosette
4th Place.....	White Rosette
5th Place.....	Pink Rosette
Qualifying Score (Trial).....	Dark Green Rosette
Qualifying Score (Test).....	Green & White Rosette
High Scoring GCH.....	Blue, Gold and Black Rosette
High Scoring Veteran.....	Dark Green, Gold and Black Rosette
High Scoring Amateur-Owner-Handler.....	Maroon, Gold and Black Rosette
High Scoring Young Dog on B Course.....	Rose, Gold and Black Rosette
High Combined Score on Ducks.....	Green, Blue and Black Rosette
High Combined Score on Sheep.....	Green, Blue and Black Rosette
High Combined Score on A Course.....	Dark Green, Blue and Gold Rosette
High Combined Score on B Course.....	Dark Green, Blue and Gold Rosette

Trophy Prizes

Monday and Tuesday

High in Trial.....	Silver Plate (donated by Linda Ramas)
Reserve High in Trial.....	Silver Plate (donated by Linda Ramas)
1st Place.....	Biothane slip lead
2nd - 5th Place.....	Dog toy
Test Q.....	Biothane slip lead

Wednesday

High in Trial.....	Silver Plate (donated by Linda Ramas)
Reserve High in Trial.....	Silver Plate (donated by Linda Ramas)
1 st Place.....	BC ceramic ornament (donated by Heartland BC Club)
2nd - 5th Place.....	Dog toy

A qualifying score is required for all awards.

BCSA reserves the right to make prize substitutions of equal or greater value

Purina is pleased to be the official sponsor.

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Trophy Prizes offered by Purina

Tuesday

High In Trial.....	Purina Barrel Bag and Grooming Towel
Reserve High In Trial.....	Purina Pro Plan Large Thermal Tote
Herding Test Qualifiers.....	Purina Pro Plan Slip Lead

All Purina prizes, if not awarded in the ring, must be picked up during the event at the Pro Plan booth. Presentation of the winning ribbon is required. Purina reserves the right to make prize substitutions of equal or greater value in the event a specific listed prize is not available.

Cumulative Trophies (Over Multiple Days)

Please complete the form at the end of the entry to indicate eligibility for these awards

High Scoring Champion of Record on B Course (sheep) Awardsilver belt buckle

Award based on the highest, single, qualifying score over the 3 day competition in each class.

Eligible dogs must be an AKC Champion of Record prior to Day 1 of herding at the national specialty. Dogs who have completed an AKC Started B or Intermediate B title within 60 days prior to day 1 of the specialty must move up to a higher class to be eligible for the award. One belt buckle each for Started, Intermediate and Advanced

High Scoring GCH on any course embroidered bath towel

.....Stock stick (donated by Diana Smith)

Award based on the highest, single, qualifying score over the 3 day competition in each class.

Eligible dogs must be an AKC Grand Champion of Record prior to Day 1 of herding at the national specialty

High Scoring Amateur Owner Handler.....embroidered bath towel

Highest score of the trials (any stock, any class) from an amateur handler who owns the dog they are running. Ties are broken first by the highest score on the B course, best outrun (B course) or best outrun/lift/fetch (A course)

Amateur: Any handler that has not made money of ANY KIND in the sport of herding. Herding judges, instructors, trainers, handlers (past and present) are not eligible.

High Scoring Veteran (over 10) on any courseembroidered bath towel

.....Metal sign (donated by Lisa Pruka)

Award based on the highest, single, qualifying score over the 3 day competition in each class.

Dogs must be over 10 on the day of the trial.

High Scoring Young Dog (under 3) on B course (sheep) .embroidered bath towel

.....Metal sign (donated by Lisa Pruka)

Award based on the highest, single, qualifying score over the 3 day competition in each class.

Eligible dogs must be under 3 on the day of the trial.

High Combined scores on Ducks (A and B course)embroidered bath towel

Dogs entered in both A and B course ducks at least once over the 3 days are eligible.

Award will be based on the one highest score from each course added together.

High Combined scores on Sheep (A and B course)-.....embroidered bath towel

Dogs entered in both A and B course sheep at least once over the 3 days are eligible.

Award will be based on the one highest score from each course added together

High Combined scores on B Course (sheep and ducks) ...embroidered bath towel

Dogs entered in both B course sheep and ducks at least once over the 3 days are eligible.

Award will be based on the one highest score from each course added together

High Combined scores on A Course (sheep and ducks) ...embroidered bath towel

Dogs entered in both A course sheep and ducks at least once over the 3 days are eligible.

Award will be based on the one highest score from each course added together



OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB HERDING TRIAL ENTRY FORM

Club: Border Collie Society of America										Date(s): Sept 27 – 29, 2021							
Location: Purina Event Center, Gray Summit, MO										I enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$							
Tests	Mon	Tue	Thurs		Trial Classes	Course A Sheep			Course B Sheep			Course A Ducks			Course B Ducks		
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Full Name of Dog:										AKC® No:							
Call Name: Border Collie										breed:		Sex:		Date of Birth:			
AKC No. <input type="checkbox"/>		PAL/ILP No. <input type="checkbox"/>				Foreign & List Country: <input type="checkbox"/>											
Sire:																	
Dam:																	
Name of Breeder:																	
Actual Owner(s):																	
Owner's Address:						City:			State:			Zip:					
Name of Owner's Agent/Handler:																	
Handler's Address:						City:			State:			Zip:					
Please Separate My Entries.																	
<small>AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club Web site, www.akc.org</small> AGREEMENT I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of The American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other person. I (we) will pay for any injuries or the replacement value in the event of serious injury to the livestock caused by my (our) dog. I (we) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.																	
SIGNATURE of owner or agent																	
duly authorized to make this entry:																	
Tel:						Email:											

Janet Larson Versatile Award

The Janet Larson Award recognizes the dog that exemplifies true versatility by successfully competing in herding and performance competitions. Dogs must qualify in herding and two other venues. The new computation uses the actual scores rather than just qualifying status. This should result in superior performances being rewarded.

The highest scoring day from each venue will be the only day that counts for scoring.

Obedience and rally have been combined into one venue since they utilize the same skills.

Agility was pared down to just Standard and Jumpers with Weaves counting towards the score but the Premier classes were added. Herding is still the foundation with the most points available overall, and a score in herding is required to continue in the competition throughout the week. The test classes will no longer count towards the award, because they are pass/fail, there is no score to use in tabulation.

Conformation added an evaluation in which dogs will participate in order to earn maximum points from conformation. Additional points can also be earned by entering either Working Sweepstakes or the National show. This change will allow altered dogs to earn points in conformation. It will utilize the score sheet that was developed for the Top 20 award and dogs will be given a score based on the Border Collie standard. Two judges will score each dog and the scores will be averaged. The conformation evaluation will take place on Wednesday at 5 PM, or following the agility competition.

We will offer three awards – Gold, Silver and Bronze.

Participants MUST submit a form with their acquired points at the end of each day. You can get your forms from Lisa Pruka.

Entry fee will be \$15. You MUST be pre-registered to compete. To register, please go to the BCSA website to make payment. This competition is open to BCSA MEMBERS ONLY.

Registration closes August 27, 2021.

Email your questions to Lisa Pruka at herdtrialsec@gmail.com

**BCSA is planning a herding exhibitor dinner on Tues, Sept 28.
More details coming soon**

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED

People are needed to help scribe, time, run score sheets, etc

NO experience necessary

Volunteer coordinator is Jeanette Jolly jollypawsbc@gmail.com

Please return with your entry if your dog is eligible for any of the following:

Dog Name: _____

High scoring CH on B course _____

High Scoring GCH on any course _____

Amateur Owner Handler _____

High Scoring Young Dog (under 3) on B course _____

High Scoring Veteran Dog (over 10 years) _____