

rue Ricker, Herding Secretary

GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS
PO BOX 61
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August 10, 2014 GSDC of SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE

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dated material –

Entries Close: July 23, 2014

FIRST CLASS MAIL

Entries close: July 23, 2014 at 7:00 PM at the Herding Secretary's home after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, or substituted.

Entries limited (each day) 8 Hours of Judging (limit of 1 HT & 10 PT runs)

For Exhibition Only Entries will be accepted up to ½ hour before the start of the event, the fee will be \$40

Drawing for running order will be made at the Herding Secretary's Home on July 23, 2014 at 8 PM.

Licensed by the American Kennel Club

German Shepherd Dog Club of Central Massachusetts **HERDING TEST & TRIALS**



Herding Instinct Test, Pre-Trial (Boundary only) & Course C

Saturday, August 9, 2014

Creepy Hollow Farm

243 North Spencer Rd (Route 31)

Spencer, Massachusetts

Open to all Breeds eligible under Chapter 1, Section 3 of the AKC Herding Regulations.

STOCK

Mixed breed Sheep

HT – PT – at least 5 to 10 sheep per run

Course C – at least 20 sheep per run

Instinct test 10-20 head of sheep (boundary)

American Kennel Club Certification

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

James P. Crowley, Secretary

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Members of the GSDC of Central Massachusetts

JUDGE

Ellen Adomelis – 1860 Meriden Rd. Wolcott, CT.
All classes Course C & PT (boundary) and Herding Instinct Test (boundary)

GENERAL ENTRY INFORMATION

Entry fees: (including a \$3.00 AKC recording fee) \$60.00.
Make checks payable to: GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF CENTRAL MASS
Send entries with fees to: True Ricker PO Box 61 Elkins, NH 03233-0061
Entries close: Wednesday, July 23, 2014 at 6:00 PM at the above address after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, or substituted.
Entries limited (each day) 8 hours of judging (limit of & 10 PT runs)
For Exhibition Only Entries will be accepted up to ½ hour before the start of the event
Drawing for running order will be made at the secretary's home. on Wednesday July 23, 2014 at 8 PM.

Entries will not be accepted without fees. Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. The Herding Secretary will add a collection fee to the amount of each returned check. Canadian exhibitors must submit entries with an international money order guaranteed in U.S. funds.

If sending entries overnight, make sure to **sign the waiver** that allows them to leave packages without a signature, requiring a signature will only delay receipt of your entries.

A separate entry form must be submitted for each entry. Entries not on official AKC entry forms or photocopies without the agreement and rules are unacceptable. Telephone, telegraph, fax and unsigned entries cannot be accepted. Changes additions or corrections to entry forms must be received in writing prior to the close of entries. No refund for duplicate entries or any other cause beyond the control of the club after the closing date.

The club may decline entries for cause and may refuse to receive or remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness, or other cause and no one shall have any claim or recourse against the club or any official thereof.

PLEASE NOTE: Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable disease and have appropriate vaccinations.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Tufts New England Veterinary Medical Center
200 Westboro Road, Grafton, MA
508-839-5395

Agreement

(We) acknowledge that the "Rules Applying to Dog Shows/Registration and Discipline," and the "Rules for Herding Test or Trials", have been made available to me (us), and that I am (we are) familiar with their contents. I (we) agree to hold the AKC and any AKC approved judge harmless from any legal claim resulting from said AKC judge's action under the "AKC Rules, Regulations and Guidelines."

I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. 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 prize money, 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 or lesser 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 or 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. 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).

In addition, 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 there from, 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 persons. 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 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

ROSETTES & PRIZES

High in Trial – Blue, Red & Yellow Rosette – Sheep Related Trophy
Reserve High In Trial – Red, Yellow & White Rosette
First Place - Blue Rosette – Herding Specific Trophy
Second Place - Red Rosette
Third Place - Yellow Rosette
Fourth Place - White Rosette
Fifth Place - Pink Rosette

Dark Green Rosettes to all dogs receiving qualifying scores in test and trial classes.
High in Trial offered by Susan Sullivan Sheep Related Trophy

DIRECTIONS

From East – Interstate 190 South to Exit 3 (West Mountain Street) Right at end of exit ramp on West Mountain Street. Left at blinking light onto Shrewsbury Street to end in Holden. Turn right onto Route 122A to Route 31. Turn left onto Route 31 in Paxton. The Farm is on Route 31, three miles from the lights in Paxton. It is at the top of the hill just after the Spencer town line. Red barn on left, white house on right.

From Interstate 290 in Worcester – Take Interstate 190 North - Exit 2. At light at end of off ramp, cross over (do not turn at light). Continue to West Mountain Street. Turn left and continue as above.

From Mass Pike (90) in Sturbridge – Take Sturbridge Exit Go East on Route 20. Left on Route 49 to Spencer. At end, turn right on Route 9. Then left on Route 31. After passing the Black & White Restaurant, the Farm will be .8 miles on top of hill. Red barn on right, white house on left.

TRIAL REGULATIONS

Proof of current rabies vaccinations must be furnished upon request.

All dogs must be held on leash, except during trial. Dogs must be kept a suitable distance away from the trial area. Handlers should bring water and shade and pick up after their dogs.

This Show will be open from 6 AM to 7 PM. CONSULT JUDGING PROGRAM for time of judging.

JUDGES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WAIT for dogs. They will adhere as closely as possible to the judging schedule. The owner or handler of each dog is solely responsible for having it ready at ringside when its class is to be judged.
DOGS NOT REQUIRED for further judging will be excused.

NTRY FEE shall not be refunded in the event that the dog is absent, excused by the
idg or veterinarian, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee

rrors on entry forms: Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms
whoever may make such errors) and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such
rrors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date. Please type or print
learly and carefully the information on entry forms to eliminate errors.

**wners are responsible for any injury or damage to livestock (\$250 replacement
alue) and property damage as a resulting directly or indirectly from actions by
emselves or their dog.**

LUNCH

ill not be provided, there are restaurants and grocery stores in the area.

ACCOMMODATIONS

opper Lantern, 184 West Main Street, West Brookfield, MA (508-867-6441)
46 Southbridge St, Auburn, MA 01501 (508-832-7000 or book online)
turbridge Host Inn, 366 Main Street, Sturbridge, Massachusetts 01566
eservations: 1-800-582-3232 Email: info@sturbridgehosthotel.com
otel 6 Sturbridge, MA #4377, 408 Main Street Sturbridge, MA, 01566 : (508) 347-7327
58 Main St. Sturbridge, MA 01566 (508-347-9000)

DON'T MISS: 3 MORE TRIALS SAME SITE

August 10, 2014 -GSDC of Southern New Hampshire

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August 11, 2014 Briard Club of America

August 12, 2014 Briard Club of America

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Event No. 2014008010

OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB HERDING ENTRY FORM
German Shepherd Dog Club of Central Mass
Saturday, August 9, 2014
Creepy Hollow Farm, Spencer, Mass

Entry Fees: **\$60.00** for the entry of a dog in each Test & Trial class (includes \$3.00 AKC recording fee for
licensed events only) No dog may enter in two classes on the same course with the same stock under the
same Judge. Entries close at 6:00 PM July 23, 2014

Make checks payable to **German Shepherd Dog Club of Central Mass** - send to **Herding Secretary:**
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I enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$ _____

Breed: _____ Variety : _____ Sex: _____ Dog Call Name: _____

Trial Class -	Course (circle) -	Livestock	Test Class	
Started	C	sheep	Herding Test	Sheep
Intermediate	C	sheep	Pre Trial	Sheep
Advanced	C	sheep	Only Boundary option)	
			Herding Instinct Testing Boundary	

Full Name of Dog: _____

Enter Registration Number Here
() AKC No.
() AKC Litter No.
() ILP No.
() Foreign Reg No. & country

Place of Birth
() USA () Canada () Foreign

Date of Birth _____

Breeder: _____

Sire: _____

Dam: _____

Actual Owner(s): _____

Owner's Address: _____

City: State: Zip: _____

Name of Owner's Agent/Handler (if any) at Trial: _____

I Certify that I am the actual owner of this 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 trial, and by any
additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this trial, and entry form. I (we) certify
and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. The entry is submitted for
acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement.

Signature of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry:

(Must be signed)

Tel# _____ E-mail _____