

PREMIUM LIST and ENTRY FORM



AKC LICENSED FARM DOG CERTIFICATION TESTS

The AKC Farm Dog Certified (FDC) Test is open to all dogs at least 9 months of age that are individually registered with the AKC, recorded in the FSS program, dogs with PAL numbers, or dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners program.

Saturday, September 9th, 2017

1st Event: #2017580930 and 2nd Event: #2017580931

A dog may enter only once per event. A dog may enter one or both events.
An event is defined by an event number. Event will be held outdoors at:

Scarlet's Mill Herding

2384 Hay Creek Road, Birdsboro, PA 19508

Grounds will be open from 8:00 AM to ½ hour after the last event ends

Entries Open: Wednesday, March 15th, 2017 at 8:00 AM. All entries received before this date will be returned. Entries will be accepted on a first-received basis.

Entries Close: Monday, August 28th, 2017 at 6:00 PM. After this time, entries cannot be accepted, canceled or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 14, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules and Chapter 3, Section 1 of the Regulations for Herding Tests and Trials.

Entries Limited to 40 runs per event. Drawing for running order will be made at the trial secretary's address on Monday, August 28th, 2017 at 7:00 PM. Day of test entries will be accepted, if maximum limit is not reached.

JUDGES

Event #1: Natasha Kelley Sullivan (AKC# 101633), 10016 Gunridge Cir, Kingsville, MD 21087-1424

Event #2: Amanda O. Nickle (AKC# 101629), 2384 Hay Creek Rd, Birdsboro, PA 19508-8035

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American Kennel Club

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

OFFICERS OF THE YORK COUNTY DOG TRAINING CLUB:

President: Elizabeth Lobato, 1009 Pinetown Road, Lewisberry PA 17339
Vice President: Gail Deller, 4290 Schoolhouse Rd, Dover PA 17315
Secretary: Debra Labuskes, 1711 Lincoln St, Camp Hill PA 17011
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FARM DOG CERTIFICATION TEST TRIAL COMMITTEE

Chairperson

Stuart Kendig, 3210 Ruppert Rd, York PA 17408

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Trial Secretary

Douglas Whitehill, 2311 Martz Ln, Hanover PA 17331-4827

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Committee Members

Stuart Kendig (chair), Douglas Whitehill, Pat Hollern, Jeannie Wagner, Amy Kutcher, and any and all YCDTC members in good standing present at these events

VETERINARIANS ON CALL

Small Animal: Veterinary Referral Center, 340 Lancaster Ave., Malvern, PA **610.647.2950**

Large Animal: New Bolton Ctr., Univ. of PA, 382 West Street Rd., Kennett Square, PA **610.444.5800**

EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

TRIAL SITE will be open from 8:00 AM to ½ hour after the event ends. Dogs may not be left overnight. There is little protection from the weather at the site. Please bring shade cloth, tents and chairs with you. A water hose and/or water bath will be available to water down your dog in the event of hot weather. Event will be held "rain or shine."

COURSE WALK: 8:30 AM walk-thru for Event #1 (suggested but not required); 9:00 AM walk-thru for Event #2 (suggested but not required).

NO FOOD will be available on site. Free bottled water on site. Due to bridge-construction detours in the area, there are no food establishments within a reasonable driving distance; please bring along your own food for the day. (This is as of March 15th 2017; subject to change if road detours are removed.)

ELIGIBILITY OF DOGS TO ENTER FDC TEST: Open to all dogs at least 9 months of age. Females in season may not enter. Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to enter provided, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the entire test course.

DOGS ON GROUNDS: *You are responsible for picking up after your dogs and disposing of waste in proper receptacles.* All dogs present must be held on a proper FIXED-LENGTH leash (**NO "FLEXI-TYPE" RETRACTABLE LEASHES ALLOWED**). Under no circumstances will dogs be allowed to disturb the resting herding stock nor to interfere outside the testing area with another dog's performance in the test areas. Un-entered dogs are not allowed in the test/trial areas.

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

ENTRY INFORMATION

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

*The York County Dog Training Club, its officers and representatives, the Trial Chair, Secretary, Committee, and the owners of the trial site assume **no responsibility** for loss, damage, or injury sustained by spectators, exhibitors' property and their dogs and further assume no responsibility for injury to children. Owners or handlers entering a dog in the Test/Trial do so at their own risk and also agree to abide by the Rules of The American Kennel Club and the most recent version of the AKC Herding Regulations.*

RETURNED CHECKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID ENTRY.

ENTRY FEE(S): \$45 per event. Entries close Monday, August 28th, 2017 at 6:00 PM. Running order entries drawn Monday, August 28th, 2017 at 7:00 PM at Trial Secretary's residence.

ERRORS 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 errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date. Please type or print clearly and carefully the information on entry forms to eliminate errors. The Trial secretary is not responsible for illegible (in the opinion of the Trial Secretary) entry form information.

DECLINED ENTRIES: The York County Dog Training Club may decline any entries and may remove any dog on any account of disease, viciousness, or other cause, and no one shall have any claim against the aforementioned mentioned club or any official or member thereof.

ENTRY FEES WILL NOT BE REFUNDED in the event a dog is absent, not allowed to compete in the entered test, disqualified, excused by a Veterinarian or Judge, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee. If because of riots, civil disturbance or other acts beyond the control of the management it is impossible to open or complete the Test, no refund of entries will be made.

ALTERNATE LIST POLICIES: When entry limits are reached, all additional entries received prior to closing will be added to an alternates list in the order entry was received. The alternates list will be used to fill vacancies that occur in the drawn running order, with the first available alternate entry replacing the first vacancy in the event entered.

ACCOMMODATIONS

The following motels accept dogs. Please call motels directly for any fees or restrictions. Please clean up after your dog(s) so we can use these facilities for future events.

Holiday Inn, Exit 22 - PA TPK, Morgantown	(800)	339-0264
Comfort Inn, SR 100 & Shoemaker Rd., Pottstown	(610)	326-5000
Comfort Inn, 1 Denver Rd., Denver	(717)	336-7541
Quality Inn, 61 W King St., Pottstown	(866)	539-8430
Days Inn, 29 High St., Pottstown	(610)	970-1101
Econo Lodge, 2310 Fraver Dr., Reading	(610)	378-1145
Econo Lodge, 635 Spring St., Wyomissing	(610)	378-5105
Econo Lodge, 387 Ben Franklin Hwy., Douglassville	(610)	385-3016

CAMPING - French Creek State Park, Elverson (888) PA-PARKS

Location:

“Scarlet’s Mill Herding”

2384 Hay Creek Road, Birdsboro, PA 19508

Directions:

From I-78/I-80/Allentown:

- Follow Rt 100 South to Rt 23
- Turn right onto Rt 23 (Ridge Rd) and go to Elverson
- Turn right onto Rt 82 (N Chestnut St/Elverson Rd)
- At a 4-way stop sign, turn right and follow Rt 82
- Travel 4.8 miles through Geigertown (fire station on the right) and continue to the stop sign
- Scarlet’s Mill Herding’s property is immediately on your left; turn left to continue on Hay Creek Road (don’t drive too far beyond this point!)
- Use the *second* left driveway (gated gravel path) into Scarlet’s Mill Herding for event parking

From the PA Turnpike - Exit 298:

As of March 6th 2017, the bridge on Hay Creek Road, immediately south of White Bear Road near the Scarlet’s Mill Herding site, is closed for reconstruction. If you are coming in from the Harrisburg/Lancaster/York area, please consider using this alternative route:

- *** Do not follow posted detour for Hay Creek Road that uses Furnace Rd ***
- PA Turnpike, Exit 298 (Morgantown)
- PA 10 North to Plow Rd (in the Plowville area)
- Turn right onto Plow Rd
- Follow Plow Rd to White Bear Rd (caution: twisty road in mountainous area for several miles; go slowly!)
- Turn right onto White Bear Rd
- Turn left onto Hay Creek Rd
- Scarlet’s Mill Herding’s property is immediately on your left; turn left at stop sign to continue on Hay Creek Road (don’t drive too far beyond this point!)
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AKC Licensed Farm Dog Certification Test(s)
The York County Dog Training Club

Scarlet's Mill Herding, 2384 Hay Creek Rd, Birdsboro PA 19508
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9th, 2017

Entry Fee: \$45 per event (need to pass two events/ two judges for title) which includes AKC's required \$3.50 recording fee. Entries close at the trial secretary's address on August 28th, 2017 at 6:00 PM, and running order entries will be drawn at 7:00 PM at trial secretary's address.

Mail to: YCDTC-FDC, c/o Douglas Whitehill, Trial Secretary,
2311 Martz Ln, Hanover PA 17331-4827

Make all checks / money orders payable to: "YCDTC" Entries must be paid in full, in US funds only. A collection fee of \$25.00 will be charged to you for ISF returned checks.

Check the following events you wish to enter:

____ **Test 1: Event #2017580930** ____ **Test #2 - Event #2017580931**

I have enclosed \$_____ for entry fees.

Please fill out completely, including DATE OF DOG'S BIRTH and COUNTRY OF BIRTH

BREED: _____ VARIETY: _____ SEX: _____

REGISTERED NAME OF DOG: _____

AKC Reg #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Or other Registry #: _____ Birthplace (country): _____

BREEDER: _____

SIRE: _____

DAM: _____

ACTUAL OWNER(S): _____

OWNERS ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

HANDLER: _____

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 Herding Test and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this Herding Test and that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted on the foregoing representation and Agreement.

Please provide your signature, phone number, and email address on the opposing side of this entry form, and include this entire form with your entry fees to the trial secretary. Thank you, and best wishes!

AGREEMENT

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 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. 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). 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 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 THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS 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.

I (we) will pay for any livestock injuries or replacement value of the livestock in the event of injury or death of any livestock caused by my (our) dog, or occurring while my (our) dog is at the event site and is caused by my (our) dog. I (we) agree to pay the owner of the livestock full market value of the injured animal in the case of serious injury or total cost of any medical care if the injury is deemed slight as determined by the owner of the stock.

See FDC test regulations online at www.akc.org
Signature of the owner or agent authorized to make this entry:

Phone: _____ Email: _____

(Please print contact info CLEARLY)