



AHBA Herding Trial

June 25-26, 2022

Hosted By:

Chinook Dog Centre

55308 Rge Rd 265, Sturgeon County, AB

Judges:

Wendi Daechsel (BC) & Gina McDonnell (ON)

Two Herding Trial Arena (HTAD) Trials on sheep per day

Limited Entry dependent on number of sheep available

Running Rain or Shine!

Send Entries, Waivers and Etransfers (payable to):

Chinook Dog Centre

chinookgrooming@xplornet.ca (password: herding)

All Entries must be in Canadian Funds

Snail Mail Entries: Chinook Dog Centre, 55308 Rge Rd 265, Sturgeon County, AB, T8R0Y9

Entry Fees:

\$55.00 (includes \$3.25 AHBA recording fee).....per trial

Entries Open: May 23, 2022 Entries Close: June 20, 2022

Trial Secretary: Brandy-Lee Fazlic chinookgrooming@xplornet.ca 780-263-9360

Directions to Trial Site:

From Edmonton:

From Hwy 216 (Anthony Henday) go west on Hwy 16. Turn North on to Hwy 44. Use the second exit at the roundabout to stay on Hwy 44. Go straight through the 4 way stop sign and continue on Hwy 44. Turn west (left) on Twp Rd 554 (Riviere Qui Barre), turn south (left) at the 4 way stop on to Rge Rd 265, Go approx. 1.5 km and the driveway is on the west (right) side of the road. Come ¾ way down the driveway and turn left in front of house. Follow fence down to parking area.

55308 Range Road 265, Sturgeon County, T8R 0Y9

ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION:

Camping

Morinville Campground & RV Park - #1- 55529 Range Road 254, Sturgeon County, AB T0G 1Y0 (780) 939-6040

Hotels

Best Western Plus The Inn at St.Albert- 460 St. Albert Trail, 1-866-306-0942/ (780)470-3800

Holiday Inn Express & Suites- 1145 St.Albert Trail, 1-855-516-1093/ (587)290-1837

Food:

There will be no concession at this trial.

There are many food establishments 15 min drive in Morinville.

Emergency Vet Care:

Guardian Veterinary Centre

780-436-5880

5620-99 Street, Edmonton, AB, T6E 1V2

Open 24 hours

Prizes and Awards

1st—4th Place per class (Level I, II, III)	Suitable Prize and/or Rosette
Qualifying Score	Flat Ribbon
Reserve High in Trial	Suitable Prize and/or Rosette
High in Trial	Suitable Prize and/or Rosette
New Title	Rosette

Schedule of Events

Saturday Afternoon and Sunday Morning

Detailed information to be sent out after closing date

IMPORTANT. READ THIS FIRST.

In consideration for participation in an event sanctioned by the American Herding Breed Association (AHBA), I agree to assume all responsibility for any claim, loss or damage, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, which may be caused at or near this event, either directly or indirectly, by me or the dog or dogs I have entered in or brought to this event. I further agree that I will hold the AHBA, its officers, directors, agents and members harmless and defend them from any and all liability for any injury, claim, damage or loss, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, caused at or near this event, whether directly or indirectly, by me or any dog I have entered in or brought to this event. I agree to indemnify the AHBA, its officers, directors, agents and members for any loss, cost or expense including attorneys fees and costs, to which the AHBA, its officers, directors, agents or members might be subject as a result of any claim, suit, loss or damage caused in any way by any act or negligence on my part or on the part of any dog or dogs I have entered in or brought to this event. I acknowledge that while the AHBA may provide sanctioning for this event with regard to the issuing of titles, it does not have and does not exercise control over the conduct of the event or those present. I certify and represent that the dog or dogs I have entered in or brought to this event is/are not a hazard to other dogs, other animals, or to people.

I hereby release the trial-giving club, the owner of the facility, and the owner of the stock from any liability for loss or damage resulting from this trial.

I further agree to pay the full market value of \$350.00 for any sheep death resulting from my dog's actions, whether wilful or accidental, or in the case of injury to any livestock resulting from my dog's actions, I agree to pay all veterinary fees up to the market value of the animal.

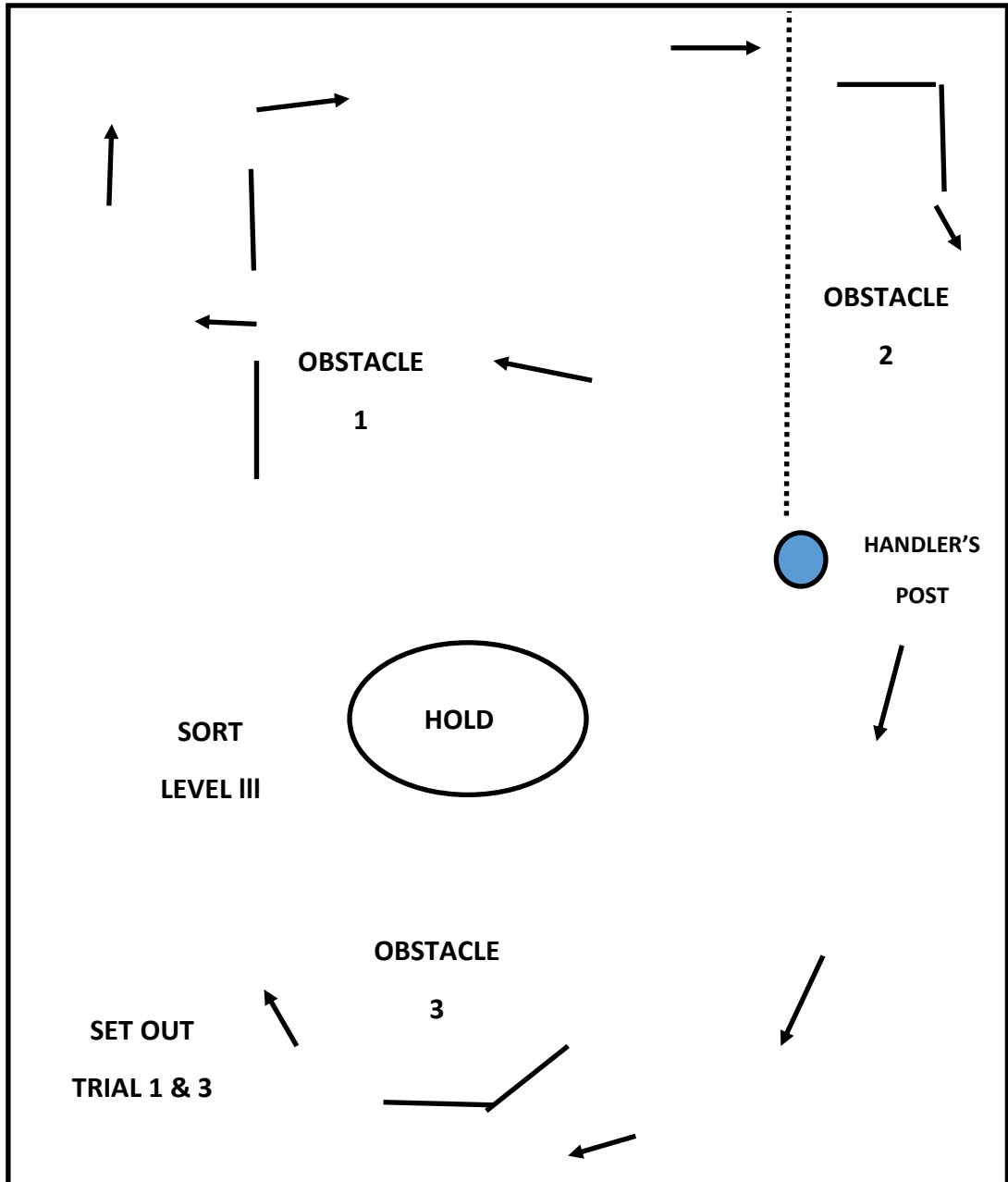
(Signature of Entrant)

(Date)

*Chinook Dog Centre Ltd. Reserves the right to refuse entry for any reason.

Course 5

HANDLER
LINE



TAKE PEN TRIAL 2 & 4
RE-PEN



The stock set-out indicated on the diagram relates to courses that begin with a gather (Trials 1 & 3). The Take Pen will be used for Trials 2 & 4. The handler's post is located 30 ft. from the North fence, in the center. A handler's line runs from the handler's post to the West fence parallel to the North fence. The panel obstacle is set 20 ft. from the West fence, at least 100 ft. from the handler's post; the opening is 12 ft. The L-shaped obstacle is located in the Northwest corner of the arena. Both sides of the obstacle are 8 ft. long with an aisle 8 ft. wide. Obstacle 3 is a fence line chute approximately half way on the East fence. The chute should be no less than 12 feet long and no more than 4 feet wide with an opening of 8 ft. The hold area is located approximately in the center of the arena. Level III will do a ribbon pull for their sort. Ties are broken with the best gather/take pen score, followed by best re-pen score, then time.

<u>Course 5</u>	<u>Levels 1 & 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>
Gather or Take Pen	15	15
Drive	15	15
Obstacle 1	10	10
Obstacle 2	15	15
Obstacle 3	15	15
Hold	10	10
Sort (HTAD III Only)	—	10
<u>Repen</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>
Total	90	100

1. Gather / Take Pen

Gather: The stock are let out into the arena and allowed to settle. In HTAD III, the handler remains at the post while the dog is sent from there to gather the stock. In HTAD II, the handler may leave the dog at the handler's post and move to a point approximately halfway between the post and the stock, then send the dog to gather the stock. In HTAD I, the handler may leave the dog at a point approximately halfway between the post and the stock and move to approximately 15 ft. from the stock, then send the dog to gather the stock. At all three levels the stock are brought to and around the handler's post, passing just to the North of the handler's post and then turning toward Obstacle 1. The gather ends when the stock have gone just past the handler's post.

Take Pen: HTAD III handlers must remain outside the pen while the dog brings out the stock. HTAD II handlers may enter the pen with the dog but should not move the stock themselves. HTAD I handlers may enter the pen and assist the dog in moving the stock. If the stock come out on their own volition without the handler or dog entering, there is no penalty. Once the gate to the take pen is opened, it may not be closed until the stock have exited. The stock are then taken to the point on the course where the handler's post is located for the drive. Scoring for the take pen ends when the stock have reached the handler's post. The course then proceeds as indicated in the description.

2. Drive

The stock are driven to Obstacle 1. HTAD III handlers must stay at handler's post. HTAD II handlers may go to a point halfway to Obstacle 1, then must remain there for the remainder of the drive. HTAD I handlers may accompany the stock up to Obstacle 1. The drive ends when the stock reach a point 10 ft. in front of Obstacle 1.

3. Obstacle 1

The stock are moved through the freestanding panels. The handlers remain at the designated locations while the stock are taken through the panels. While HTAD I handlers may go up to the panels, they should not precede the stock through the panels. Once the stock have cleared the obstacle, handlers are free to move. Once the stock have gone through the panels, they are turned toward the West side of the arena, then back toward the North side, toward Obstacle 2. Scoring for this section ends when the stock have been turned toward Obstacle 2 and have moved past the end of Obstacle 1 closest to the West side of the arena.

4. Obstacle 2

The stock should enter at the West opening of the obstacle and exit heading East. HTAD III handlers must remain South of the handler's line until the stock have exited. HTAD II handlers remain South of the handler's line until the stock have exited, or may choose to go directly to the entrance of the obstacle and remain in that location until the sock have exited. HTAD I handlers may move anywhere relative to the obstacle but may not enter it. Scoring ends when the animals have exited.

5. Obstacle 3

The stock are taken to and moved through the L-shaped obstacle which is on the fence line at the East side of the arena. The stock enter from the North side and exit to the South. Obstacle 3 ends when all of the stock have exited the obstacle.

6. Hold

The animals are taken to the hold area. The stock is settled and briefly held in place. There is no required position for handler or dog. The judge signals the end of the hold. HTAD 1 and II handlers then take the stock to the re-pen. HTAD III handlers proceed with the sort.

7. Sort

The sort is done by HTAD III handlers only. The stock is moved to the designated area. The handler will remove the ribbon from the specified sheep. The sort ends when the ribbon has been removed from the animals. stock is then taken to the re-pen.

8. Re-pen

The stock are taken to the re-pen and held a short distance off the gate while it is opened, and then are re-penned. The run ends when the re-pen gate is closed after the last animal has exited the arena.