

AHBA TRIALS

October 31, Nov 1-3, 2024

Sanction pending

Thursday HRD
25 Runs each Sheep & Geese

HTAD -Friday, Saturday & Sunday
50 Runs Sheep, Geese & Cattle each day

LOCATION: Painted 7 Ranch, Dewey AZ

TIMES: Day of Trial Entries – 7:30 AM each day.
Handlers meeting – 8:00 AM each day.
Judging immediately follows Handler Meetings

JUDGES: Roy Sage, Kyle Faulkhroy

CLASSES/STOCK: Thursday HRD - Sheep, Geese Levels I, II, III
HTAD Course 2 – Sheep, Geese & Cattle Levels I, II, III
JHD (Junior Herding Dog) – Sheep only
Sheep are katadin/Dorper crosses. Replacement \$200
Geese are mixed breed. Replacement \$50
Cattle are cross bred. Replacement is current market value

| ENTRIES: | <u>HTAD</u> | <u>HRD</u> |
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| | Geese: \$50.00 | Geese: \$50.00 |
| | Sheep/JHD: \$60.00 | Sheep: \$60.00 |
| | Cattle: \$65.0 | |

Day of trial add \$5.00 per stock for HTAD &/or HRD

Entries open – September 30, 2024, Closing date for Pre-Entries prices is October 16, 2024.
If postmarked after the Pre-Entry closing date Day of Trial prices apply. No entries will be accepted prior to this postmark date. Entries must have clearly visible USPS postmark. No metered mail allowed. **NO DHL, UPS, telephone, email, or faxed entries will be accepted.** Overnight entries accepted only if signature is waived. Entries accepted day of trial or until trial is full (150 runs per day). Incomplete entry forms will not be accepted

Trial Committee: Dawna Sims & Lisa Goss
Send entries to:
AHBA
Lisa Goss
7431 N Alsup Ave
Litchfield Park, Az 85340

Make checks payable to: Painted 7 Ranch (Checks will be deposited weekly)
A \$50.00 service fee will apply to all returned checks. Returned checks will not constitute an accepted entry.

Eligibility: Trial class and JHD dogs must be 9 months or older. In trial classes, bitches in heat will run in the order drawn. In test classes, bitches in heat will run last. Non-competing runs will be allowed; such runs will be judged solely as exhibition only and are not eligible for any placements or prizes. A dog may enter at any level for which it is trained. No title is a prerequisite for another. A dog may not be entered in both a test class and a trial class. A dog may be entered in different levels for different stock.

Herding Trial Arena Dog (HTAD) Course 2: A GATHER for stock on all levels. **Gate sort** for Sheep, Geese and a **shed** for Cattle will be used as the sort for Level 3 (HTAD III). A **pen** will be used at all levels.

Herding Ranch Dog (HRD): Courses are attached

Awards: 1st- 4th place and qualifying ribbons will be awarded per class. **Amateur Owner/Handler High In Trial, High Score Sheep, High Score Geese, High Score Cattle, High combined and High in Trial** will be awarded each trial.

Food: Lunches will be provided for Judges and Volunteers **ONLY**. If you wish to volunteer as a Scribe/timer or as a stock setter, please notify Dawna Sims at painted7ranch@aol.com.

RV Parking: Reservations Required. There is limited parking for RV's and trailers on the grounds. Please email the length of your overnight vehicle. Cost is \$10 per night, please make payable to Painted 7 Ranch. Please send RV reservations to Dawna Sims at painted7ranch@aol.com

OTHER INFORMATION:

- **Entry fee refunds will be issued after close of pre-entries only if there is a waiting list and somebody takes your run. Should an additional judge need to be hired due to an abundance of entries, no refund will be given after close of pre-entries.**
- Entries received without proper signatures, fees, information, will be deemed incomplete and will not be accepted.
- Registered Owner of dog shall be responsible for replacement cost of livestock at the following prices: GEESE - \$50.00 per head, SHEEP - \$200.00 per head unless trialers are notified otherwise at trial time.
- Confirmation of entries shall be made via email or self-addressed stamped envelope (if supplied).
- The Trial Committee will draw run order prior to the trial.

Hotel/Motels in area:

Greentree Inn
7875 E. Hwy 69
Prescott Valley, AZ 86314
928-772-8600
(Please mention the Australian Shepherd
Club of AZ to get discounted rates)

Veterinarian

Kachina Animal Hospital
12226 E. Turquoise Circle
Dewey, AZ 86327

TRIAL SITE DIRECTIONS

NEW LOCATION

14352 E. State Route 169 (DO NOT GO BY YOUR GPS)

From Flagstaff: South on I-17 to exit 278 (State Route 169). Turn right (west) on SR 169 toward Prescott. Approximately, 13 miles turn right onto South Wind River Dr. (Across from Faith Assembly of God Church). Turn left onto Leona Ln. Turn right onto Grant. Approximately .1 mile turn left into the facility (first dirt road on left).

From Phoenix: North on I-17 to exit 278 (SR69) N toward Prescott. Approximately 18 miles turn right (east) onto SR 169. Approximately, 1.8 miles turn left onto South Wind River Dr. (at Faith Assembly of God Church). Turn left onto Leona Ln. Turn right on Grant. Approximately .1 mile turn left into facility (first dirt road on left)

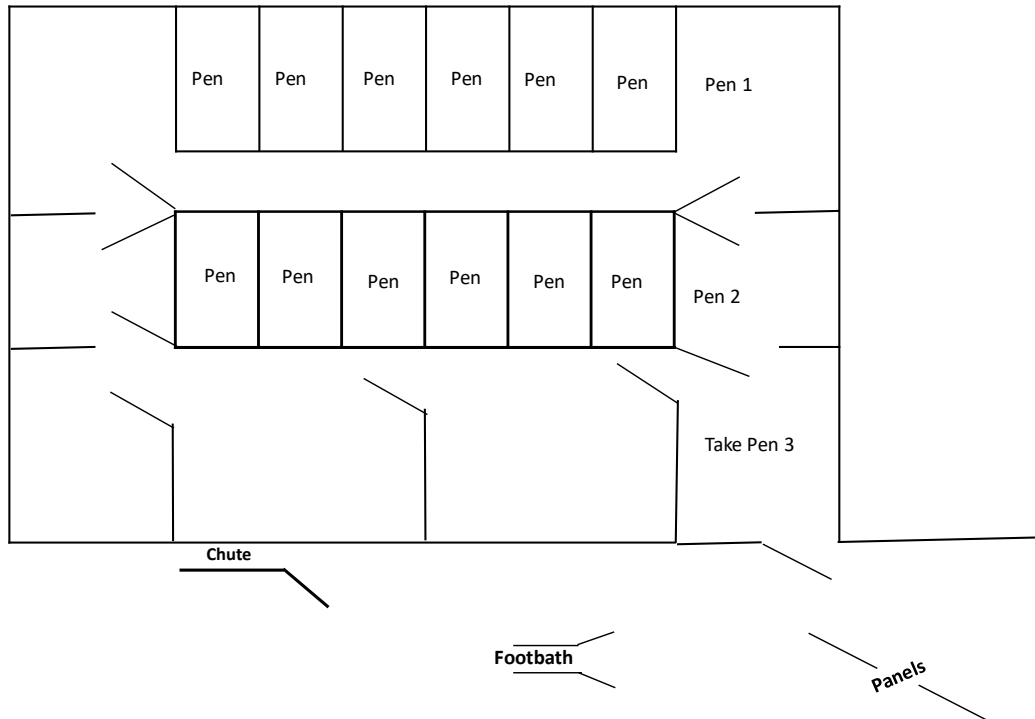
PLEASE COMPLETE ATTACHED ENTRY FORMS AND TRIAL/TEST RECORDING FORMS

AHBA HRD Sheep Map

- TAKE PEN-** Take stock from assigned pen through pen 1 and into pen 2 *Starts when assigned pen gate opens, ends when all stock in pen 2 & gate closed.*
- SORT-** Sort 3 head into pen 3 & add remaining head into pen 3 **HRD III-** Sort 3 marked head & must hold gate. **HRD II-** Sort 2 marked head & 1 other. **HRD I-** Sort any 3 head. *Starts when all stock in pen 2 & gate closed, ends when all stock in pen 3.*
- TAKE PEN-** Take stock from pen 3 into field. *Starts when all stock in pen 3, ends when field gate closed & all stock in field.*
- CHUTE-** Put stock into chute, releases and drive/fetch to the hay area *Starts when field gate closes, ends when stock on hay.*
- GATHER-** Call dog off & go to post **HRD III-** Send from side at post. **HRD II-** Dog at post-handler may go ½ way to stock. **HRD I-** Dog ½ from post-handler may go within 15ft of stock *Starts when stock on hay, ends when stock brought to handler.*
- PANELS-** Drive/fetch stock through panels **HRD III-** Handler drives from post, **HRD II-** Handler may go ½ way between post & panel to drive through panels **HRD I-** Handler may fetch to panels but may not walk through panels *Starts when gather completed, ends when all head through panels.*
- FOOTBATH-** Drive/fetch to footbath. **HRD III-** Must stay behind the wing of footbath until stock exits. **HRD II & I-** May move anywhere but may not enter footbath *Starts when all heads exit panels, ends when all stock exit footbath.*
- PEN-** Drive/fetch to pen 3, through pen 2, into pen 1 and back into original pen *Starts when footbath completed, ends when all sheep in original pen.*

Time allotted 20 minutes/10 Minute Warning/3 minutes warning

Tie Breaker: #1 sort, #2 footbath, #3 time



Hay

○ Handlers Post

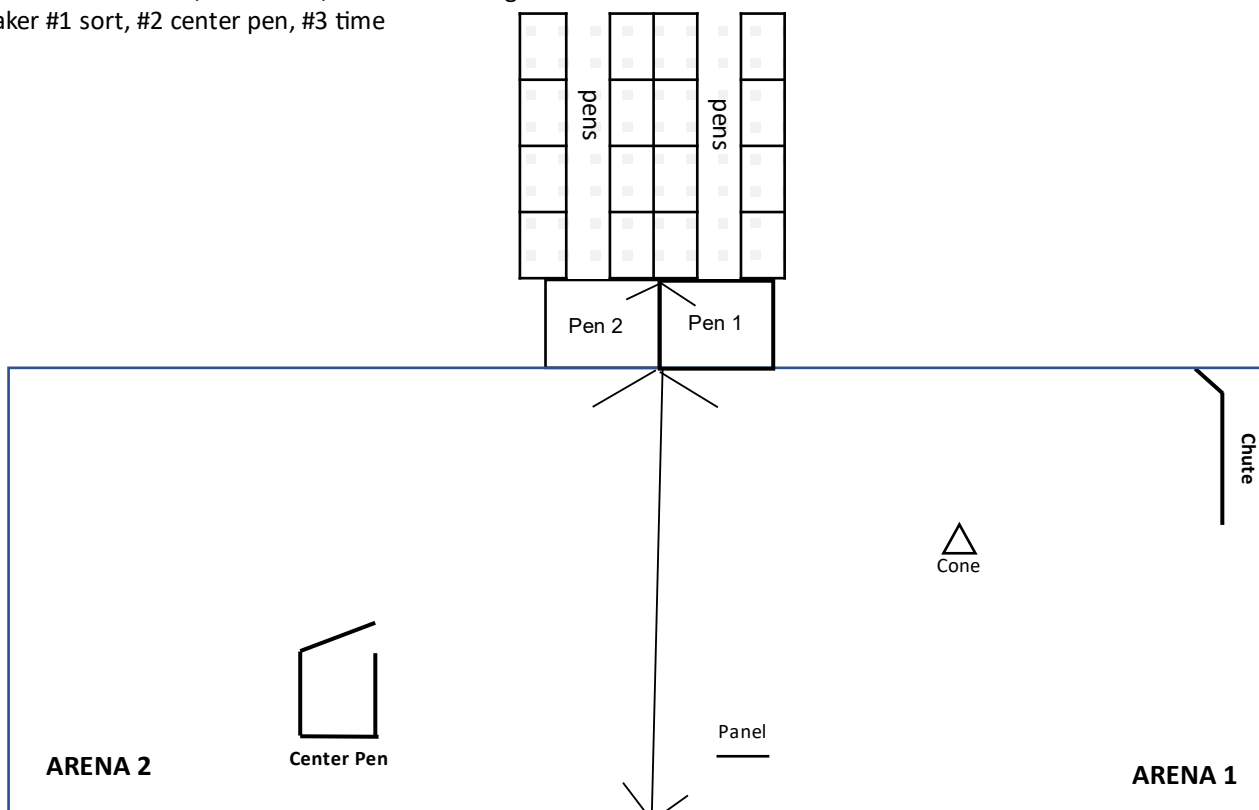
Field

AHBA HRD Geese Map

- PEN**-Take 5 geese from pen 1 and leave in arena 1. *Starts when arena gate opens, ends when gate closed.*
- GATHER**- Leave stock, call dog off, handler & dog go to cone. **HRD III** must send from side at cone. **HRD II**: dog at cone- handler ½ way. **HRD I** Dog ½ from post-handler may go within 15ft from stock. *Starts when arena gate closed, ends when stock brought to cone.*
- CHUTE**-From cone drive/fetch into chute. **HRD III** Stays at cone until stock are at the wing area of the chute **HRD II & HRD I** May move anywhere. *Starts when stock at cone, ends when last head exits chute.*
- PANEL**- Drive/fetch Geese through free standing panel. **HRD III** Must stay behind the plain of the cone to drive geese through panel. **HRD II** May go within 15 feet & drive through panel **HRD I** May go anywhere but may not go through panel. *Starts when last head exits chute, ends when geese go through panel. (20pts)*
- SORT**- Drive/fetch stock back to pen 1 gate. Sort 3 head in, add remaining stock to pen. **HRD III**: Sort 3 marked geese and must hold gate. **HRD II** Sort 3 of any color and may move anywhere while sorting **HRD I** No sort. *Starts when last head exits panel, ends when arena gate to pen 1 is closed.*
- PEN**- Take stock from Pen 1 to pen #2. *Starts when arena gate closed, ends when middle gate to pen 2 is closed.*
- TAKE PEN**- Take stock from pen 2 into Arena 2. *Starts when arena gate opens, ends when all stock in arena & gate closed.*
- CENTER PEN** –Drive/fetch stock to center pen, put stock in pen. *Starts when arena gate closed, ends when center pen gate closed.*
- PEN**-Take through pen 2 into pen 1. *Starts when judge calls hold, ends when all stock are in pen 1.*

Time allotted 20 minutes/10 minute/3 minute warning

Tie Breaker #1 sort, #2 center pen, #3 time



Entry Form: AMERICAN HERDING BREED ASSOCIATION TEST/TRIAL

Dates: 10/31 - 11/3/2024

Sponsor: Painted 7 Ranch Location: Dewey, AZ

(Please type or print clearly)

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| Call Name: | Date of Birth: | Breed: | Sex: |
| Reg. Name: | | | Color: |
| Registry: | Registry #: | Breeder: | |
| Sire: | | Dam: | |
| Owner: | | | |
| Owner's Address: | | | |
| Phone/Email: | | | |
| Name of handler if other than owner: | | | |
| THURSDAY TRIAL | | FRIDAY TRIAL | |
| SHEEP | HRD 1 HRD 2 HRD 3 | SHEEP | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 |
| GEESE | HRD 1 HRD 2 HRD 3 | GEESE | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 |
| | | CATTLE | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 |
| SATURDAY TRIAL | | SUNDAY TRIAL | |
| SHEEP | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3 | SHEEP | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 |
| GEESE | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3 | GEESE | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 |
| CATTLE | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3 | CATTLE | HTAD 1 HTAD 2 |
| JHD | | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
| SUNDAY | | | |

ENTRY FEES: PER DOG PER CLASS

HRD: \$50 Geese \$60 Sheep

HTAD: \$50 Geese \$60 Sheep \$65 Cattle

DAY OF PRICES: Add \$5.00 per stock for HTAD & HTD-NO PKG APPLIES

Amount Enclosed; _____ Make check payable to **Painted7Ranch**

Mail entries to: **AHBA C/O Lisa Goss**, 7431 N. Alsup Rd., Litchfield Park, AZ 85340 Entries accepted in Postmarked order and may not be postmarked prior to opening date. (See flyer)

AGREEMENT TO HOLD HARMLESS, WAIVER AND ASSUMPTION OR RISK: 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 agree to indemnify the AHBA, ICE TEC NORTH, their officers, directors, agents, property owners, and members, and/or Mike & Dawna Sims, for any loss, cost of expense including attorney's fees and costs, to which they might be subject as a result of any claims, 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 further agree that I will hold the AHBA, ICE TEX NORTH, their officers, directors, agents, property owners and members, and/or Mike & Dawna Sims 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 assume full responsibility and liability of the dogs I enter and certify that they are current on all vaccinations. I also agree to be responsible for paying the market value for any animal mortally injured by my dogs and for any vet bills incurred on any animals injured by my dog(s). I understand that attendance at this event is not without risk to myself or my dog(s) because some of the dogs and livestock to which I will be exposed may be difficult to control and may be the cause of injury even when handled with the greatest amount care.

Signature of Owner/Authorized Agent: _____ **Date:** _____