

**3 AHBA TRIALS**  
**Friday-Saturday-Sunday**  
**Feb 28<sup>th</sup> – March 2, 2025**

Sanction pending

**50 RUNS SHEEP**  
**50 RUNS GEESE/CATTLE**

**LOCATION:** Fastlane, Litchfield Park, AZ

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

**JUDGES:** **Brian Wistrom, Mary Wisecarver**

**CLASSES/STOCK:** HTAD Course 2 – Sheep, Cattle & Geese Levels I, II, III  
JHD (Junior Herding Dog) – Goats  
PeeWee/Junior Class - Goats  
Sheep are katadin/Dorper crosses. Replacement \$200  
Geese are mixed breed. Replacement \$30  
Cattle are beef cross. Replacement is current market value

**ENTRIES:** Geese: \$50.00  
Sheep/JHD: \$60.00  
Cattle: \$65.00  
PeeWee/Junior Class – free to 4-17 years old

Day of trial add \$5.00 per stock

**Entries open – January 30, 2023.** Closing date for **Pre-Entries** prices is **February 20, 2023.**  
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 (100 runs per day). Incomplete entry forms will not be accepted

**Trial Committee:** Lisa Goss & Dawna Sims

**Send entries to:**

**AHBA**

**Lisa Goss**

**7431 N Alsup Ave**

**Litchfield Park, Az 85340**

**Make checks payable to:** Lisa Goss (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:** We will be using a GATHER for stock on all levels. **Gate sort** for Sheep and Geese, Level 3. Cattle **shed** will be used as the sort for Level 3 (HTAD III). A **pen** will be used at all levels.

**Pee-Wee/Junior Handers Class:** This new class is open to junior handlers between the ages of 4 to 17 years old. Dogs of any level of training may be used. The class will be for Exhibition only (FEO). JHD course will be used at this level. Ribbons/Prizes will be awarded to all participants.

**Awards:** 1<sup>st</sup>- 4<sup>th</sup> 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 workers only.

**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 Lisa Goss.

#### **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 - \$30.00 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:  
Both take dogs**

Super 8 Motel  
840 N Dysart Rd  
Goodyear, AZ 85338

623-932-9622

I-10 Exit 129

Quality Inn & Suites  
950 N Dysart Rd  
Goodyear, AZ 85338

623-932-9191

I-10 Exit 129

**Directions to Facility:**

**From NW Valley:**

Take the 101 Hwy to the Northern Ave and exit West (right) onto Northern Ave. At Dysart Road, Northern Ave automatically turns into the NORTHERN PARKWAY. Continue on NORTHERN PARKWAY to Reems Road and turn south (left). Go to Northern Ave and turn west (right). Turn south (left) onto Alsup Road. Fastlane is located about ½ mile south of Northern on the East side (left) of Alsup.

**From SE Valley:**

Take I-10 west to the 303 and exit north (right) onto the 303. Turn east (right) onto Northern Ave., go approximately 1½ mile to Alsup & turn south (right) onto Alsup. Fastlane is located about ½ mile south of Northern on the east side (left) of Alsup.

**PLEASE COMPLETE ATTACHED ENTRY FORMS AND TRIAL/TEST RECORDING FORMS**

# Entry Form: AMERICAN HERDING BREED ASSOCIATION TEST/TRIAL

**Dates: Feb 28<sup>th</sup> – March 2, 2025**

**Sponsor: Fastlane/Lisa Goss Location: Litchfield Park, AZ**

**(Please type or print clearly)**

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:			
<b>FRIDAY TRIAL</b>			
SHEEP HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3			
GEESE HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3			
CATTLE HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3			
GOATS JUNIOR HANDLERS (FEO)			
<b>SATURDAY TRIAL</b>		<b>SUNDAY TRIAL</b>	
SHEEP HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3		SHEEP HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3	
GEESE HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3		GEESE HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3	
CATTLE HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3		CATTLE HTAD 1 HTAD 2 HTAD 3	
GOATS JUNIOR HANDLERS (FEO)		GOATS JUNIOR HANDLERS (FEO)	
<b>JHD FRIDAY SATURDAY SUNDAY</b>			

**ENTRY FEES: PER DOG PER CLASS**

**HTAD: \$50 Geese      \$60 Sheep/JHD      \$65 Cattle - HTAD      \$10 Goats for 4- to 17-year-old Juniors**  
**DAY OF PRICES: Add \$5.00 per stock**

Amount Enclosed; \_\_\_\_\_ Make check payable to **Lisa Goss**  
 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, FASTLANE, their officers, directors, agents, property owners, and members, and/or Mike & Lisa Goss Karen & Andy Tillia, 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, FASTLANE, their officers, directors, agents, property owners and members, and/or Mike & Lisa Goss Karen & Andy Tillia 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:** \_\_\_\_\_