

# American Herding Breed Association

One Herding Trial  
Saturday, June 27, 2026

Hosted by Sunshine Farm  
11092 240th Street  
Council Bluffs, IA 51503

HTAD Ducks Levels I-III (course 2)  
HTD Sheep Levels I-III (Level III is a shed) and HTAD Sheep Levels I-III (course 2)  
HRD Sheep Levels I-III

**Judge:** Trial #1 - Robin Reasoner

Trial site opens at 7:30 AM and closes one hour after trial is completed.

First handlers' meeting: 8:00 AM

You will receive a confirmation e-mail of your entries.

**Pre-Entry Only**      **Entry fees: HTAD Ducks & HTD & HTAD Sheep \$45 for each run**  
**HRD Sheep \$55 for each run**

**Opening Date: April 29, 2026**

**Closing Date: June 18, 2026** (No refunds after this date)

## **POLICIES:**

This trial shall be run under all AHBA rules and regulations.

**FMI:** [www.ahba-herding.org](http://www.ahba-herding.org)

- All dogs 9 months of age or older may participate in Trials
- Use the official AHBA entry form on the next page
- Each person is responsible for any damage caused by himself, his family, or his dog while in the trial arena or on the trial grounds. Livestock replacement costs: Ducks - \$45, Sheep - \$325
- AHBA, Sunshine Farm, and all trial workers assume no responsibility for any accident or injury.
- Bitches in season will run in order. They should be crated away from trial arenas when not competing. Please inform the trial secretary.
- All dogs must be on leash when not competing.
- Entry confirmation will be sent by e-mail; please be sure to include your e-mail address.
- Trial committee will determine run order prior to the trial.
- Entry fees will only be refunded if request is received before entry closing date. Checks will be shredded.
- Outdoor event -- rain or shine

**ONE Trial on ONE day, Sheep & Ducks**

**Location: Sunshine Farm – 11092 240<sup>th</sup> St, Council Bluffs, IA 51503**

**Judge: Trial #1 - Robin Reasoner**

**Run Limits: 50 total runs per judge. Duck runs are limited to 4 per trial.**

**Awards: 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Place and Qualifying ribbons, New Title ribbons, High in Trial and Reserve High in Trial rosettes**

**Please fill out one entry form per dog**

**Breed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Reg. #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Registry:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Reg. Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Call Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sex:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sire:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dam:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Breeder:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Owner:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of handler if other than owner:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Opening date is April 29, 2026, and closing date is June 18, 2026. For Entry fee see below .**

**Make checks or money orders payable to **Sunshine Farm**.**

**Mail checks and entry forms to Norine Nieman, 13500 Spring St, Omaha NE 68144.**

Indicate the class(es), level, and trial(s) you are entering.

Course	Level			SAT Trial 1	Entry Fee Per Each Run	Totals
	I	II	III			
HTD -- Sheep (Level III = shed)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		\$45	
HTAD -- Sheep (course #2)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		\$45	
HTAD -- Ducks (course #2)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		\$45	
HRD -- Sheep	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		\$55	

Release: In consideration for participation in this event, 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 or indirectly, by me or the dog(s) I have entered in or brought to this event. I further agree that I will hold AHBA, Sunshine Farm harmless and defend them from any and all liability for any injury, claimed damage or loss, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, caused at or near this event whether directly or indirectly, by or to me or any dog(s) I have entered in or brought to this event. I agree to indemnify AHBA, Sunshine Farm for any loss, cost or expense including attorney fee and cost to which AHBA, Sunshine Farm might be subject to 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(s) I have entered in or brought to the event. I acknowledge that while the AHBA may provide sanctioning of this event with regard to the issuing of titles, it does not have any does not exercise control over the conduct of the event or those present. I certify and represent that the dog(s) I have entered in or brought to this event is (are) not a hazard to other dogs, other animals, or to people.

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Signature of owner / agent

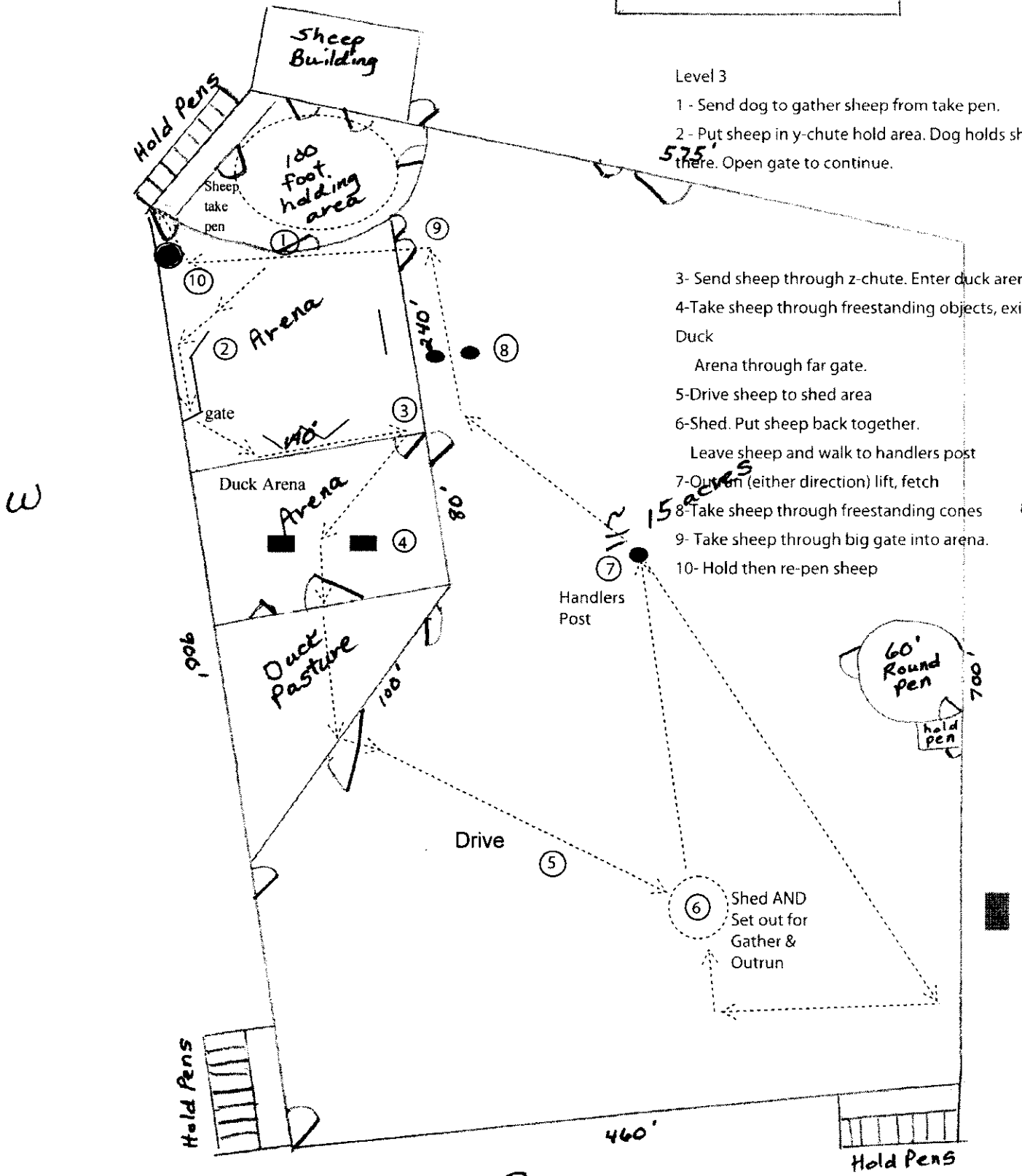
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Date

Level 3  
HRD

Sunshine Farm

Parking

Building



Level 3

1 - Send dog to gather sheep from take pen.  
2 - Put sheep in y-chute hold area. Dog holds sheep there. Open gate to continue.

3 - Send sheep through z-chute. Enter duck arena.  
4 - Take sheep through freestanding objects, exit Duck Arena through far gate.

5 - Drive sheep to shed area.  
6 - Shed. Put sheep back together.

Leave sheep and walk to handlers post

7 - Outrun (either direction) lift, fetch

8 - Take sheep through freestanding cones

9 - Take sheep through big gate into arena.

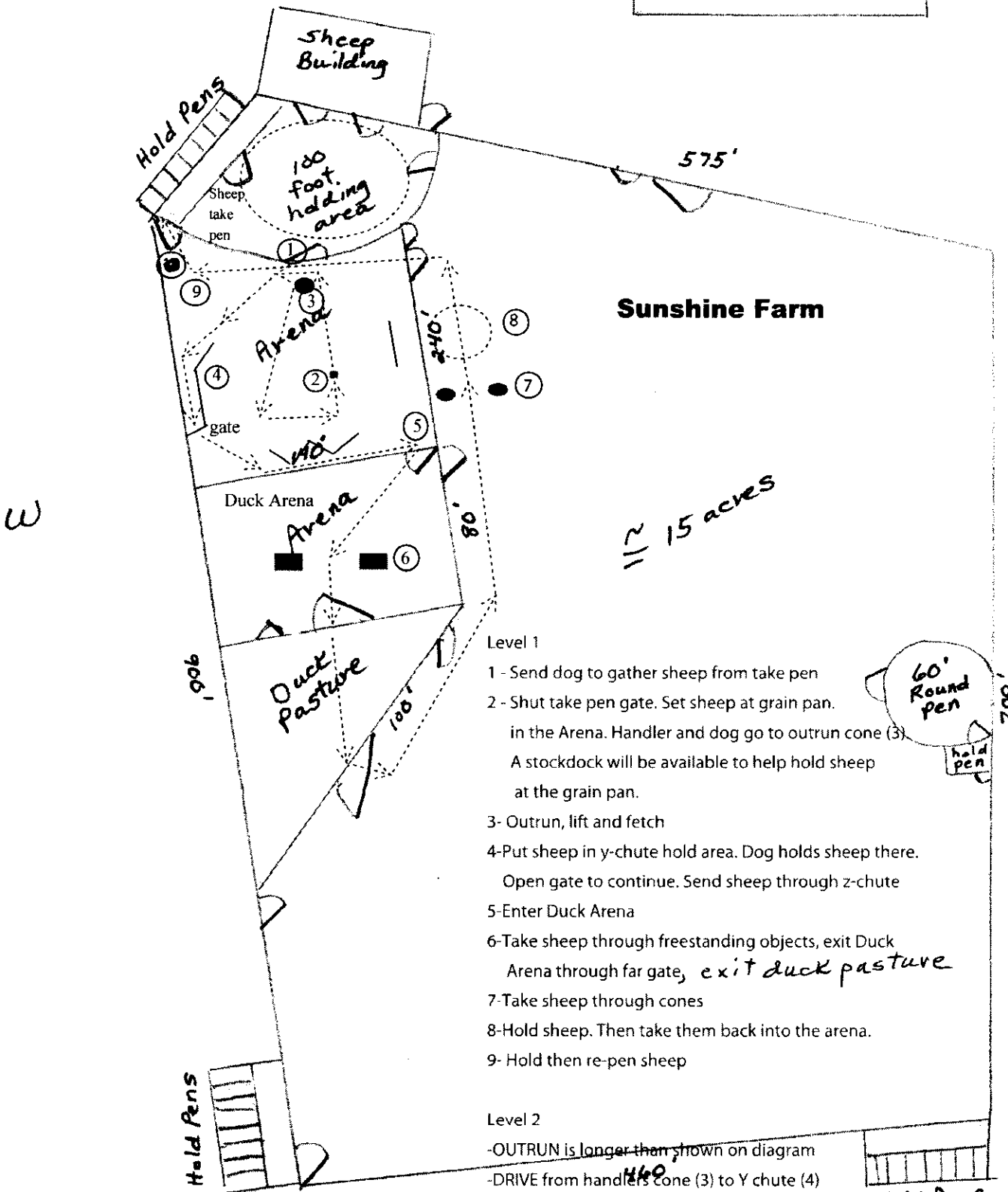
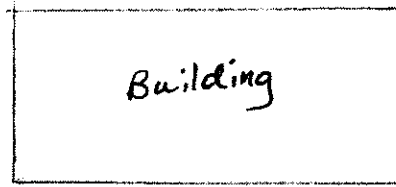
10 - Hold then re-pen sheep

Time Limit:  
30 minutes

Level 1 + 2  
HRD

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Parking



**Sunshine Farm**

Level 1

- 1 - Send dog to gather sheep from take pen
- 2 - Shut take pen gate. Set sheep at grain pan. in the Arena. Handler and dog go to outrun cone (3). A stockdock will be available to help hold sheep at the grain pan.
- 3 - Outrun, lift and fetch
- 4 - Put sheep in y-chute hold area. Dog holds sheep there. Open gate to continue. Send sheep through z-chute
- 5 - Enter Duck Arena
- 6 - Take sheep through freestanding objects, exit Duck Arena through far gate, *exit duck pasture*
- 7 - Take sheep through cones
- 8 - Hold sheep. Then take them back into the arena.
- 9 - Hold then re-pen sheep

Level 2

- OUTRUN is longer than shown on diagram
- DRIVE from handler's cone (3) to Y chute (4)

Time Limit:  
20 minutes

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