

Schedule

7:15am	Check-in & registration
7:45am	Instinct/novice briefing
8:00am	First dog in the ring.

Run order (Sat & Sun)

Instinct 1 only (\$15)
Novice 1&2 (\$20)
Open 1&2 (\$22)
Crazy 8 1&2 (\$25)
Senior 1&2 (\$25)
Master 1&2 (\$25)

Judges are limited to 8 hours of judging and a maximum run value, which will require this Club to limit entries accordingly. Any Judge of record at this event may be used as a Load Balancing Judge in any ring.

Late Entries and DOS (additional \$2 per run) accepted if spots are available. Late and/ or DOS entries are not guaranteed entry and will be accepted only up to judging limits. Confirmations will not be sent for late entries.

Trial Officials

Trial Committee Members	Karli Mueller, Laura Doerfner, Laurie Bromle Erica Manning, Alesha Schaefer
Trial Secretary	Alesha Schaefer 6855 N Bingham Rd, Henderson, MI 48841 (269)953-6348 scentsavvy caninecenter@gmail.com
Trial Chair	Laura Doerfner 6855 N Bingham Rd, Henderson, MI 48841 (989)721-5955 Scentsavvy caninecenter@gmail.com
Judge(s)	Lynn Benisch BHAJ-288A



**Michigan Barn Hunt Club
6855 N Bingham Rd Henderson, MI 48841**

**May 4-5th 2024
Saturday and Sunday**


Judges:
Lynn Benisch BHAJ-288A


**Entries Open 02/01/2024
Entries Close 04/22/2024**

Permission has been granted by the Barn Hunt Association, LLC for holding of these barn hunt trials under BHA Rules and Regulations.

**Trial is held indoors with rubber flooring. Blind is under a 13x26 tent. 5-6 dogs per blind except Master which will be 4.
Entire grounds are considered as Barn Hunt Trial grounds.**

Exhibitor Information:

 All dogs must be on a short leash and under control while on trial grounds except while showing. FLEXI LEASHES ARE NOT PERMITTED INSIDE ANY BUILDINGS. Please pick-up after your dog and dispose of waste in appropriate containers on the property.


 Bitches in season are eligible for entry but will be required to be kept separate from all other dogs and will be run at the end of their class/trial. Entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded until closing time of the trial if you wish to withdraw. After the trial closes, entry fees will not be refunded. If bringing a bitch in season, please inform the trial secretary prior to the trial and inform all exhibitors at the judge's briefing.

Dog Aggression:

Any dog behaving in a threatening or aggressive manner toward another dog or a person may be dismissed from the trial if justification is found to do so by the judge and/or the trial committee.

Animal Safety:

The safety of the dogs and the rats are our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and physically able to perform all course elements

 **Awards:** Ribbons will be awarded for all qualifiers in the regular classes and the Instinct test. Ribbons will be awarded for first through fourth place in Novice through Master.

Refunds:

Refunds offered only for injured or sick dogs with veterinary note. Requests for refunds must be made by the closing date. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee.

Cancellation Policy:


Every attempt will be made to hold this event as scheduled. In the event of an "Act of God" such as fire, flood, etc., an event may be canceled. We will make every attempt to contact entrants and inform them of the cancellation. We will return all or part of the entry fees at our discretion.


Returned Checks:

A returned check does not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$50.00 fee for all returned checks.

Running Order:

Dogs will be run in height order with dogs being handled by the same person separated into different staged groups.

 **Please bring** adequate water for you and your dogs. Numerous fast food restaurants are within 10 miles of the trial. Port-O-John will be available at the trial site

 **Please bring** weather appropriate gear. These trials will be held indoors but the facility is affected by the outside temperature. There is no space for indoor crating.

ENTRIES WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL

Saturday Trial 1			Saturday Trial 2		
\$15	Instinct	A	\$20	Novice	A B
\$20	Novice	A B			
\$22	Open	A B	\$22	Open	A B
\$25	Crazy 8s	A	\$25	Crazy 8s	A
\$25	Senior	A B	\$25	Senior	A B
\$25	Master	A B	\$25	Master	A B

Sunday Trial 1			Sunday Trial 2		
\$15	Instinct	A	\$20	Novice	A B
\$20	Novice	A B			
\$22	Open	A B	\$22	Open	A B
\$25	Crazy 8s	A	\$25	Crazy 8s	A
\$25	Senior	A B	\$25	Senior	A B
\$25	Master	A B	\$25	Master	A B

Dogs may enter both the Instinct Test and Novice class in the same trial until the dog has earned the RATN title and then they cannot enter the Instinct Test. Move-ups will be accepted until ½ hour after the conclusion of trial 1. All entries must be accompanied by entry fees to be valid. A returned check does not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$50 fee for all returned checks. No entries will be taken over the phone.

Make Checks Payable to Karli Mueller

Send entries & fees to the Trial Secretary,

Alesha Schaefer

6855 N Bingham Rd.

Henderson, MI 48841

I enclose entry fees in the amount of:			
Name and Owner's Agent/Handler if any:			
*BHA Reg:	DOB:	Sex:	
Full Name of Dog:			
Call Name:		Breed:	
Actual Height: Please be sure it matches BHA registration		S 15" & under	M 15.1" to 22"
L Above 22"			
Actual Owner(s):			
Address:			
City:		State:	Zip:
Email Address:			

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 Barn Hunt Association, LLC in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the liability waiver enclosed with my entry. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard (dog or human aggressive) to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all Barn Hunt Association, LLC Rules and Regulations and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

Signature of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry, or Parent/guardian if under 18. (SIGNATURE(S) REQUIRED FOR ENTRY):

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone: _____

The trail is being held by the Michigan Barn Hunt Club. There will be no other events held at the same time or place during our barn hunt trial. Please return waivers with entry!!

LIABILITY WAIVER

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 win prizes, ribbons, and/or trophies, I (we) agree to hold Barn Hunt Association, LLC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, or event secretary and the owner and/or lesser 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 BHA LLC 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.

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 there from, 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 any other persons.

____ By Initialing here, I indicate my agreement with the above Liability Waiver (required).

MBHC Liability Waiver

I, the undersigned, have enrolled myself and my dog in dog training classes, private consultations, workshops or other related activities (Classes) offered by Coach Karli Dog Training. By signing hereunder, I certify that I have been informed and understand that there is always some unavoidable risk of injury involved when working with animals, especially animals with behavioral issues. I acknowledge that dogs can be inherently difficult to control and that not all dogs will be under control at all times resulting in the possibility of injury to myself, my dog, my family members, or third parties. Additionally, I have had full opportunity to discuss all concerns I have about the foregoing risks with Coach Karli Dog Training and its authorized representatives. I have also made all inquiries and investigations to my satisfaction related to such risks, including, but not limited to, an examination of the training area (if applicable).

I hereby accept and assume, without reservation, all risks associated with my participation in the Classes, including, but not limited to: the risks of any and all injuries to myself, my dog and any of my family members or third parties who may attend; the risks that my dog may cause injury to other persons and/or dogs involved in the Classes; and the risks that saliva, water, food, snow and/or other debris may be present in the training area. I have read and understand Coach Karli Dog Training Facility Operating Policies, and agree to abide by them to the extent applicable. As lawful

consideration for participating in the classes, I, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns (the "Releasing Party"), hereby waive, release, discharge and agree not to sue and to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Coach Karli, and their members, managers, agents, and employees (the "Released Party") from any and all injuries, losses, claims and damages to any person or persons of any nature whatsoever, including claims arising from the Released Party's own negligence, and all costs associated therewith, including attorney's fees, court costs and consultant fees, arising from my participation in the Classes or trials.

This Waiver of Liability & Informed Consent Release shall be legally binding on the Releasing Party. Should the Releasing Party assert a claim to the contrary to what I have agreed to in this Waiver of Liability and Informed Consent Release, the claiming party shall be liable for all expenses (including attorney's fees, court costs and consultant fees) incurred by both the Releasing Party and the Released Party. No waiver or modification of any provision herein shall be valid unless expressly agreed to in writing by both the Released Party and the Releasing Party. Every provision herein is intended to be severable. If any one or more of the provisions herein is found to be unenforceable or invalid, that shall not affect the other terms and provisions hereof, which shall remain binding and enforceable. _____ by initialing here, I indicate my agreement with the above Release Form. (Required)