



### **AHBA PREMIUM LIST**

# RottiEwe Farm AHBA Trial Monday September 2, 2024

Permission has been granted by the American Herding Breed Association (AHBA) to hold the Tests and Trial under the AHBA rules and regulations. Open to all Dogs of the Herding Breeds and Multi-purpose breeds with Herding background, as listed in the AHBA Breeds List.

<u>Dogs must be 9 months of age or older on or before date of trial to compete.</u>

## HRDx2 Sheep, HTD Trial Ducks X 2, HTAD Trial Sheep & Ducks X 2

Events will be held outdoors regardless of weather at: RottiEwe Farm, 15220 Colby Lane Wright City, MO 63390

Grounds / Farm will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. or until conclusion of Tests/Trials

**Entries Are Now Open** and will be accepted on a first come, first served basis, up to, and including, the date PRE-entries close

PRE-Entries Close: Monday August 19, 2024 Entry Fees \$40.00 HTAD Sheep & Ducks, HTD Ducks \$50.00 HRD Sheep After this time, entries will be taken day of trial by the Secretary until limits are reached after Pre Entry Deadline Entry Fees will be \$45.00 HTAD Sheep & Ducks, HTD Ducks \$60.00 HRD Sheep

Allentries with fees to EVENT SECRETARY or You can Hand Deliver to Tracy/RottiEwe Farm

Entry Limit for HRD is 20 Runs total for the day.

**EVENT SECRETARY**: Kim Broster

gsdcwkytrials@gmail.com

3917 Shoemaker Rd Hazel KY 42049

Online Entries Email Secretary For Details

#### **DIRECTIONS TO RottiEwe Farm**

**From I-70 From East or West:** Take Wright City Exit #199 Turn on South Service Road going WEST. Turn Left (SOUTH) at the first road - Highway H. 15220 Colby Ln is approximately 1.8 miles. Turn right into drive way. Keep to left at Y. RottiEwe is the first house on the LEFT.

Event Chairman/Sponsor: Tracy Parciak / RottiEwe Farm

Stock Supervisors: Tracy Parciak and Michael Tull

Course Director: Michael Tull

Judges: Lisa Pruka and Tracy Parciak

**FOOD:** Food will be available on site during the trial for \$10.00.

STOCK TYPE	HEAD PER RUN	VALUE PER HEAD
SHEEP - Katahdin/Dorper Cross	(5) Trial (3) Test	\$300.00
DUCKS - English Call	5	\$75.00

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made.

#### Motels

The following motels have agreed to accept guests with WELL MANNERED dogs.

Please verify pet policy when making a reservation. Owners must assume full responsibly for clean-up.

Quality Inn - - - - - 636-673-2900 12 Highway W, Foristell, MO 63348 Super 8 - - - - - 636-456-5157 1429 N Service Rd E Warrenton, MO 63383

Motel 6 - - - - - - 636-456-7272 24010 W Veterans Memorial Pkwy Warrenton, MO 63383 RV

3-4 RVs allowed on site as space permits 1 30 amp, 2 20 amp electric available - - NO DUMPING

Call Tracy, 314-604-0664 or email rottiewefarm@gmail.com to make arrangements - \$25 per night Jonesburg Gardens Campgrounds 15 Highway E Jonesburg MO 63351 636-488-5630 or 1-877-722-6778

**DOGS ON GROUNDS:** You are responsible for picking up after your dogs and disposing of waste in proper receptacles. All dogs present must be held on leash or otherwise restricted except when being judged. Under no circumstances will dogs be allowed to disturb the resting stock or interfere outside the arena with another dog's performance in the arena. Unentered dogs are not allowed in the trial areas.

Dogs must wear a simple well-fitting buckle, snap lock, or slip collar (no tags) or may work without a collar at Trial levels. RottiEwe Farm and its employees will not be liable for any loss or injury which may be sustained through disappearance, loss, theft, communicable disease, parasites, injury and/or death of dogs entered in this event.

#### **AWARDS**

High In HTD Duck Trial, High In HTAD Duck Trial, High In HTAD Sheep Trial – Rosette, Dog or Herding Related Item 1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> Placement Ribbons

1st Place, Dog or Herding Related Item Qualifying Ribbons

## Award offered by RottiEwe Farm

Over All High Combined Score over all trials, courses and stock - Rosette, Dog or Herding Related Item and Your Name and Your Dog's Name engraved on a plate that will be placed on the Perpetual RottiEwe Farm High Combined Winners Plaque that will be on permanent display at RottiEwe Farm.

#### **VETERINARIAN**

Wright City & Warrenton Veterinarian Clinic 111 E N 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Wright City MO 63390 (636)745-3377 Directions to Wright City Vet – Turn left onto Hwy H 0.9 Miles, Turn right onto South Service Road heading East for 1.4 Miles, turn right onto MO-F/N Elm Street, and then immediately turn left onto Veterans Memorial Pkwy.

Or 717 E Booneslick Road Warrenton, MO 63383 (636) 456-4146 – Hours M-F 8:00 – 5:30 Saturday 8:00-12:00 Directions: Turn right onto HWY H from drive way, Turn right onto State HWY M follow for 4.36 Miles Clinic is on the right DIRECTIONS TO THE ANIMAL EMERGENCY CLINIC From RottiEwe Farm 334 Fort Zumwalt Square O'Fallon MO 63366 (636)-240-5496 20.7 Miles 23 minutes

Turn left out of RottiEwe Farm drive way (Colby Lane)

Turn Right onto Veterans memorial Pkwy (South Service Road)

Turn Left onto over pass Take ramp right and follow signs for US-40 East / 1-70 East for 18.6 Miles

At Exit 217 Take ramp right for MO-M / Hwy K toward O'Fallon 0.2 Miles

Turn right onto Hwy K 0.1 Miles

Turn right onto Veterans Memorial Pkwy 0.5 miles

The last intersection is Woodlawn Ave if you reach Jessup Drive W you've gone too far

#### Notice to Exhibitors

The Trial Secretary is not responsible for emails not received. If you have not received a response to an email after 48 hours, please call the Trial Secretary by telephone.

**Entry fees will not be refunded** in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the veterinarian, judge, or Trial Committee.

**Entry fees will not be refunded** if the trials cannot be opened or completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an act of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the sponsor.

No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Entries will not be accepted without fees or signatures. Post Dated and Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. There is a \$25 returned check fee.

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LIVESTOCK ACTIVITY SPONSOR, A LIVESTOCK OWNER, A LIVESTOCK ACILITY, A LIVESTOCK AUCTION MARKET, OR ANY EMPLOYEE THEREOF IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN EQUINE OR LIVESTOCK ACTIVITIES RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF EQUINE OR LIVESTOCK ACTIVITIES PURSUANT TO THE REVISED STATUTES OF MISSOURL

MO. REV. STAT. § 537.325

AHBA SANCTIONED HERDING TEST AND TRIAL ENTRY FORM - Sponsored by RottiEwe Farm Monday September 2, 2024

Make Checks Payable to: <u>RottiEwe Farm</u> PRE ENTRY Entry Fees \$40.00 HTAD Sheep & Ducks, HTD Ducks \$50.00 HRD Sheep Mail to Event Secretary: <u>Kim Broster 3917 Shoemaker Rd Hazel KY 42049 gsdcwkytrials@gmail.com OR you can hand deliver to Tracy/RottiEwe Farm ONE ENTRY FORM PER DOG</u>

Full Name of Dog	Call Name		
Registry and Registration Number or	AHBA Tracking Number		·
f dog doesn't have a number you ca	n obtain a Tracking number from AHBA.		
Breed	Date of Birth	Sex	
Sire	Dam		
Breeder			
Owner			
Owner Address			
Owner Phone Number	E-Mail		
Agent's Name if applicable		Phone	
Agent's Email			

М	onday ONLY September	2, 2024						
HTD Ducks Trial 1 Judge: Lisa Pruka		Tri	HTAD Ducks Course # 4 Trial 1 Take Pen Judge: Lisa Pruka		HRD Sheep Trial 1 Judge: Lisa Pruka		HTAD SHEEP Course #4 Trial 1 Take Pen Judge: Lisa Pruka	
	Level I		Level I		Level I		Level I	
	Level II		Level II		Level II		Level II	
	Level III (Shed)		Level III (Gate Sort)		Level III		Level III (Gate Sort)	
HTD Ducks Trial 2 Judge: Tracy Parciak		Tri	HTAD Ducks Course 4 Trial 2 Take Pen Judge: Tracy Parciak		HRD Sheep Trial 2 Judge: Tracy Parciak		HTAD SHEEP Course #4 Trial 1 Take Pen	
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	Level II		Level II		Level II		Level II	
	Level III (Shed)		Level III (Gate Sort )		Level III		Level III (Ribbon Removal)	

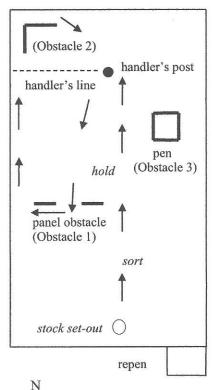
Eligibility All dogs nine months of age or older are eligible to participate in Herding Trials and JHD. Dogs classified as Herding Dogs in AHBA are eligible for Herding Test HCT and may participate at six months of age or older. No dog may be entered in two classes on the same course with the same kind of stock under the same judge at any test/trial. Bitches in season shall run in drawn running order without adjustment.

READ BEFORE SIGNING In consideration for participating 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, RottiEwe Farm, Don and Tracy Parciak, 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, RottiEwe Farm, Don or Tracy Parciak, its officers, directors, agents or members for any loss, cost or expense including attorney's fees and costs, to which the AHBA, RottiEwe Farm, Don or Tracy Parciak, 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 (we) will pay for injuries or replacement value (\$300.00) for Sheep (\$75.00 per head) ducks in the event of the death of any livestock by my or our dogs. If injury to any stock is caused by my/our dog entered or brought to this even, I we assume full responsibility for any damage. I we agree to pay full market value of the injured animal in case of injury or the veterinary bill for the injury, whichever is agreed to by the livestock owner.

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 CERTIFY that I am the actual owner of the dog or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owners whose name I have entered. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I we agree to abide by the Rules and Regulations of the AHBA in effect at the time of this herding Test or Trial or both, and further agree to be bound by the agreement printed above. The entry is submitted on the foregoing representation and agreement.

Date



W + E The designations North, East, etc. are for purposes of description only.

S The course may be mirrored.

The stock set-out indicated on the diagram relates to courses that begin with a gather. The location of the take pen and/or repen may vary from the location for the repen shown on the diagram, so long as it is at the same end of the arena as shown. The handler's post is located 20 ft. from the North fence, in the center. The panel obstacle is set 20 ft. from the West side of the arena, at least 110 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 10 ft. long with an aisle 4 ft. wide. The freestanding pen is located 30 ft. from the East side and approximately one-third of the length of the arena from the North and should be 8-10 ft. on each side for sheep, 10-16 ft. on each side for cattle. (A trailer may be substituted for the pen.) The hold area is located approximately in the center of the arena. The area for sorts other than a gate sort is located approximately halfway between the hold area and the repen gate. For poultry, all dimensions are ½ that of hoofed stock.

#### 1. Gather or Take pen

<u>Gather:</u> The stock are let out at the repen gate 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 East 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.

<u>Take pen:</u> 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. An exception is made for cattle, where the handler may go in and assist if necessary at any level. 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 South opening of the obstacle and exit heading East. HTAD III handlers must remain South of a handler's line running from the handler's post to the West fence parallel to the North fence, and may not pass that line until the stock have exited. HTAD II handlers must go to the entrance of the obstacle and remain in that location until the stock 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 across the arena and put into the freestanding pen. Scoring for the pen ends when the gate is closed.

#### 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/settle. HTAD I and II handlers then take the stock to the repen. 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, which depends on the type of sort being done. The sort may be one of the following: (a) Gate sort. (b) Ribbon-removal/shed. The sort ends when the gate is closed on the sorted animals, or when the ribbon has been removed/ animals have been shed.

#### 8. Repen

The stock are taken to the repen and held a short distance off the gate while it is opened, and then are repenned. When a gate sort has been used, the animals that had been left out in the arena are repenned. The run ends when the repen gate is closed after the last animal has exited the arena.

<u>1 - TAKE PEN - (10) PTS</u>. Team enters through Exhibitor Entrance Gate and team proceeds to G1 entering the field shutting G1. Sheep will then be pushed from the barn into the Take Pen.

Level III - Handler may not enter the pen. Dog must enter the pen off lead.

Level II – Handler may enter the pen but remain just inside G1. Dog must enter the pen off lead.

Level I – Handler may enter the pen and may move around to assist the dog as needed but may not touch the dog or stock without penalty. Dog may be brought into the pen on lead if the handler chooses, but there must be a pause after the lead is removed, before the dog is sent to collect the stock. <u>Element completed when ALL stock have been removed from the pen and G1 is closed.</u>

**2 - GATHER** – (10) PTS. Sheep are allowed to settle anywhere at the top of the field, while the team proceeds to appropriate handler's cone.

Level III - Team goes to cone while sheep are settling. Dog is sent to gather from the cone, Handler remains at the cone.

Level II - Dog is set and must remain at the cone, Handler may go halfway to the stock. Dog is sent to gather fetch/Drive the sheep to the cone.

Level I - Dog may be taken to a point halfway between the cone and the stock, and the handler may go to within 15 Ft of the stock. Dog is sent to gather and team fetch/Drive to the cone.

Element completed once the stock have reached the cone.

3 - Fence Line Y Chute with Gate (10) PTS. Team proceeds from cone to the opening of the Y Chute.

Level III – Handler must remain at the cone while dog moves the stock to the front of the Y Chute and places stock into the chute. Dog must hold ALL stock in chute while the handler moves to the gate at the end of the chute to open.

Level II - Handler may accompany stock and dog to a point halfway to the Chute, then must remain until ALL stock are placed in the chute. Once stock are in the chute the dog holds the stock in the chute until the handler opens the gate.

Level I - Team may proceed to the chute by Fetch/Drive and places the stock into the chute. Dog holds stock while handler goes to and opens gate.

Element completed when (ALL LEVELS) proceed across field to G2.

**4 - Sort** (10/15) PTS When team reach G2 (Fetch and/or Drive). 5 Sheep are sorted through G2 into field and 10 Sheep are put into G3 holding pen, and may be sorted in any order. Team returns through G2.

Level III - Team works to sort 3 of the 5 marked sheep into field.

Level II - Team works to sort 2 of the 5 marked sheep into the field.

Level I - Team may sort any 5 Sheep into the field.

Element completed once 5 Sheep are placed into the field. And remaining 10 are placed into G3 holding pen.

<u>5 - Free Standing Pen PTS. ALL LEVELS (15) PTS</u> Team works to place ALL 5 Sheep into the Free Standing Pen. Once ALL Sheep are in the pen, team returns to and through G2. Element completed once all sheep are penned.

Level III - Rope does not have to be held. Handler must remain within 10' of the gate and may NOT enter the pen.

Level II - Handler may go halfway between stock and pen. Handler may go inside gate, but may not enter the pen.

Level I - Handler may go anywhere on the field and may leave the pen to assist dog. Handler may enter the pen. Element completed once team and stock reach G2.

<u>6 - GATE WORK/ALLEYWAY/ROUND PEN - (10) PTS</u> Team enters G3 holding pen, and proceeds to G4. (Fetch/Drive) sheep through G4 into the alleyway. Team may enter G4 and open Gate 5 prior to moving sheep. Element completed once all stock are in round pen and G5 is shut.

**7 – Narrow Road / Graze – (15) PTS** All levels proceed to and through G6. All sheep must exit the round pen and G6 is shut. Team proceeds to the narrow road in front of the stock trailer and moves stock to G7 at the end of the narrow road. All levels must maintain the sheep on the road. Element completed once all stock have reached G7 and allowed into the pasture. Team proceeds to Fetch/Drive to marked area for the Graze allowing sheep to enter the area to graze. The Judge will call a one-minute Hold/Graze for all levels.

Level III – Handler must remain at the end of the stock trailer. Handler may not pass the green gates in front of the stock trailer. Dog must hold stock at the G7 until Handler reaches the Gate to allow stock into the pasture. Handler must remain at G8 while dog is holding or tending the Sheep within the graze area. Level II – Handler may accompany stock and dog to a point halfway on the road to G7, from that point the handler remains at the halfway point and the dog proceeds with the stock to G7. Once the stock have reached G7 the handler may move to open G7,

Level I – Handler may fetch/Drive and accompany stock and dog to G7.

Element completed once the Judge has called a one-minute hold/graze and the team proceeds to G8 and allows sheep to enter the field.

#### 8 - Cross Drive Panels and Exhaust- (10/15) PTS. All levels must do a hold off the exhaust pen G1.

Team proceeds to Free standing pen and exhausts the 5 sheep left in the Free-standing pen allowing ALL 15 sheep to reunite. Team proceeds to and through G2. Element finished when all stock are through G2 with all 15 head of sheep and have been re-penned.

Level III – Gather sheep and within 10 feet of G2 Drive sheep to the #4 on the West Fence line and cross drive the sheep to the #5 on the East Fence line. Once sheep have reached the #5 the handler may go to the Exhaust Pen G1 while the dog is holding sheep off the gate. Repen Sheep Level II – Gather Sheep and proceed directly to G1/Exhaust Gate and re-pen sheep Level I - Gather Sheep and proceed directly to G1/Exhaust Gate and re-pen sheep

Tie Breakers Sort Free Standing Pen Time

## **RottiEwe Farm September 2024 Course Map**

