

*Premium List*

**GERMAN SHEPHERD DOG CLUB OF AMERICA, INC.**



Member of the American Kennel Club

**18th Annual Herding Tests & Herding Trials**

*These events will be held outdoors. Open to all registered AKC Herding Breeds, Rottweilers, Samoyeds and Beaucerons, and dogs with ILP #s in these breeds, nine months of age or older. Standard Schnauzers & Giant Schnauzers, Pyrenean Shepherds, Swedish Valhunds, Norwegian Buhunds & Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs may enter Test Classes*

**Valdemar Farms, Ft. Lupton, CO**

14741 Weld County Rd. 10,  
Ft. Lupton, CO 80621



**Friday, October 12, 2007**  
**Saturday, October 13, 2007**  
**Sunday, October 14, 2007**

**Friday, October 12, 2007 - all-breed trials with preference to GSDs**  
**Saturday & Sunday, October 13 & 14, 2007 - Two trials open to GSDs only**

Event Hours: 7:00 am to 6:00 pm or conclusion of tests/trials

**Tests offered: Herding Test and Pre-Trial Test – 3-head Crossbred Sheep**  
**Courses offered: Course A - All Levels – 5-head Crossbred Sheep**  
**Non-regular Ranch Course - All levels – up to 15-head Crossbred Sheep**

**AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB CERTIFICATION**

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

*James P. Crowley, Secretary*

**LIMITED ENTRIES**

Each day: 40 runs per judge per day and 5 non-regular ranch course runs per day

**Entries Close:** *Wednesday, September 19, 2007 6:00 pm* at Secretary's office after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled or substituted. When numerical limit is reached, additional entries will be placed on alternates list.

*Drawing for running order: Wednesday, September 19, 2007 7:00 pm* at Secretary's office.

**CLUB OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES**  
**German Shepherd Dog Club of America, Inc.**

*President* : Lew Bunch  
13100 Woodland Ave, Kansas City, MO 64146

*Vice President* : Gary Szymczak  
1527 Mohawk Dr, Schaumburg, IL 60193

*Corresponding Secretary*: Sharon Allbright  
PO Box 429, Applegate, CA 95703

*Treasurer*: Bill Pfeiffer  
5001 Lenoraway Dr. Raleigh, NC 27613-1402

*Board Members*: Available on website  
*AKC Delegate*: Carmen Battaglia  
*Liaison*: Helen Gleason

**TEST/TRIAL COMMITTEE**

*Chairperson*: Sandy Moore - Phone: 775.781.5946  
PO Box 13 (1350 Dresslerville Rd) Gardnerville, NV 89410  
*Co-Chair*: Rosemary Joralemon - Phone 209.754.0147  
7216 Railroad Flat Rd., Mountain Ranch, CA 95246

*Committee Members*:  
Terri Jones, Virginia Bailey, Kelly Malone, Dorothy Linn, Diane Roberts, Vicki Roye, Linda Rorem,  
Sharon White, Nancy Webb, Jennifer Root, Karen Toth & Karen Weidenbener

**EVENT SECRETARY**

Theresa J Royer – 4410 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Pleasanton, CA 94566  
Phone: 925.931.1510 or E-mail: [theresaroyer@hotmail.com](mailto:theresaroyer@hotmail.com)

**VETERINARIAN (on call)**

**The Animal Clinic**  
232 First Street, Ft. Lupton, CO  
Phone: 303.857.6671

**JUDGES AND JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS:**

**Lori Herbel** – RR 1 52A, Putnam, OK 73659  
**Kent Herbel** – RR 1 52A, Putnam, OK 73659  
**Rochelle Stanford-Dias** – 757 Washington St., Ramona, CA 92065

*Friday*: Course A Sheep – **Lori Herbel**  
*Friday*: HT & PT and Non-Regular Ranch Course Sheep – **Kent Herbel**

*Saturday*: Course A Sheep – **Kent Herbel**  
*Saturday*: HT & PT and Non-Regular Ranch Course Sheep – **Lori Herbel**

*Sunday*: Course A Sheep, HT & PT and  
Non-Regular Ranch Course Sheep – **Rochelle Stanford-Dias**

**TESTS AND TRIAL COURSES OFFERED**

Herding Test and Pre-Trial Test - Sheep  
Course A Sheep - Started, Intermediate & Advanced  
Non-Regular Ranch Course - Started, Intermediate & Advanced

**LIVESTOCK**

Sheep: Crossbred Sheep –5-head of stock on Course A Trial runs and 3-head of stock for HT & PT Tests - approximate value - \$150.00 per head

**ENTRY FEES**

\$45.00 per run Course A Sheep, Herding Test, and Pre-Trial Test;  
\$50.00 per run Non-Regular Ranch Course Sheep  
(Entry Fees include \$3.00 AKC Recording Fee)

**NOTE: ALL ENTRY FEES ARE PAYABLE IN U.S. FUNDS  
ENTRIES WITHOUT FEES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

**ROSETTE PRIZES REGULAR CLASSES**

**TEST**

Qualifying Test Score.....Dark Green and White Rosette

**TRIAL**

HIGH IN TRIAL.....Blue, Red and Yellow Rosette

RESERVE HIGH IN TRIAL.....Red, Yellow and White Rosette

First Place.....Blue Rosette

Second Place.....Red Rosette

Third Place.....Yellow Rosette

Fourth Place.....White Rosette

Fifth Place.....Pink Rosette

Qualifying Trial Score.....Dark Green Ribbon

**SPECIAL ROSETTE PRIZES & NON-REGULAR CLASS ROSETTES**

**FRIDAY**

High in Trial German Shepherd Dog ..... Rose & Green Rosette

Reserve High in Trial German Shepherd Dog.....Light Green & Grey Rosette

**RANCH COURSE – FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

Qualifying Score..... Green with Pink Edges Rosette

First Place.....Rose Rosette

Second Place ..... Brown Rosette

Third Place..... Light Green Rosette

Fourth Place ..... Grey Rosette

Fifth Place..... Orange Rosette

All Rosettes require a qualifying score

**SPECIAL BLACK AND RED ROSETTES - SUNDAY - GSD only**

Herding Victor/Victrix Trophy Winner

High Scoring GSD Breed Champion

High Scoring GSD Veteran (7 years or older)

High Scoring GSD with Tracking Title

High Scoring GSD with Obedience Title

High Scoring GSD with Agility Title

High Scoring GSD Rescue Dog

High Scoring GSD Breeder/Owner/Handled

\*\*\*Indicate on entry form if you are eligible for any of the above Special Black and Red Rosettes as Scores taken from all three days of Trials will be considered\*\*\*

**TROPHIES**

All trophies require qualifying Scores  
FRIDAY - All-Breed Trials  
HIGH IN TRIAL SHEEP- Etched Glass Item  
RESERVE HIGH IN TRIAL SHEEP - Etched Glass Item

SATURDAY & SUNDAY - BOTH GSD ONLY TRIALS  
HIGH IN TRIAL - Special Trophies  
RESERVE HIGH IN TRIAL - Special Trophies

**ADDITIONAL TROPHIES & PRIZES FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

Each day - Qualifying score on Tests and Trials -Zanies Berber Plush Dog Toy  
FRIDAY- HIGH IN TRIAL GSD- Etched Glass Item  
RESERVE HIGH IN TRIAL GSD- Etched Glass Item

FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY-  
HIGH IN TRIAL RANCH DOG – Awarded each day to the dog with the highest qualifying score- Special Prizes

**HERDING VICTOR/VICTRIX TROPHY awarded Sunday, October 14 at close of Trials**

Danny Quest cold cast bronze sculpture of Sheep and GSD - offered to the highest scoring German Shepherd Dog from the Advanced A classes judged by designated judge Kent Herbel on Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup>. Requires a qualifying score and dog must be free of disqualifying faults. In case of a tie, AKC rules will be followed.

**ACCOMMODATIONS/MOTELS**

**Motel 6** – 303.857.1800 (has grass and is the closest one to the event!)  
65 S. Grand Ave., Ft. Lupton  
**Super 8** – 303.772.0888  
10805 Turner Blvd., Longmont  
**Days Inn** – 303.651.6999  
I-25 & Hwy 119  
**Travelodge** – 303.776.8700  
I-25 & Hwy 119

**CAMPING**

Limited camping will be available on site. Contact Theresa Royer (925.931.1510 or [theresaroyer@hotmail.com](mailto:theresaroyer@hotmail.com)) to arrange for reserving space.

**FOOD & BEVERAGES**

Coffee, sodas, water, etc will be available each day. LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE ON SITE.

**HERDING JUDGES DINNER**

Dinner will held on Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at  
More information will be available at the event.



**DIRECTIONS TO TEST/TRIAL SITE**

**Valdemar Farm** - 14741 Weld County Rd. 10, Ft. Lupton, CO 80621  
Take Hwy 52 exit off I-25 and go East 9 miles to Fort Lupton. Turn right at the second light (Denver Ave.). Go South 1.5 miles. Turn left onto Road 10. Go 1.7 miles. Valdemar Farm is on the left. Mapquest or Yahoo may have other directions from Hwy 85 or I-76.

**CATALOG ADVERTISING**

Please contact Theresa Royer (925.931.1510 or [theresaroyer@hotmail.com](mailto:theresaroyer@hotmail.com)) for information and rates for advertising in the herding catalog.

### **JUDGING SCHEDULE**

Please print your e-mail address clearly on your entry form as your acknowledgment of entry and copy of the judging schedule will be sent via e-mail.

### **PRACTICE DAY**

Wednesday, October 11, 2006, 9:00 am to 6:00 pm. Contact Cathy Balliu at [cballiu@yahoo.com](mailto:cballiu@yahoo.com) or phone 303.857.1216 to schedule.

### **AKC COURSE INFORMATION:**

The Course A Arena is 135' x 300'. The sheep will be set out on the left side, when standing at the post. The set up is like the diagram in the 2006 Rule Book. The PT Course will use the same arena as Course A.

### **RANCH DOG COURSE:**

There are five runs available each day in this Non-Regular Class: For more information contact Cathy Balliu  
Time for course: 25 minutes for all classes.

### **DIAGRAM AND COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

Take 10 sheep from Pen 1 thru south gate 1 into Pen 2.

- Advanced handler must stay behind line and drive sheep thru panels as shown with arrow.
- Intermediate handler must stay behind their line.
- Started handler may walk with the sheep.

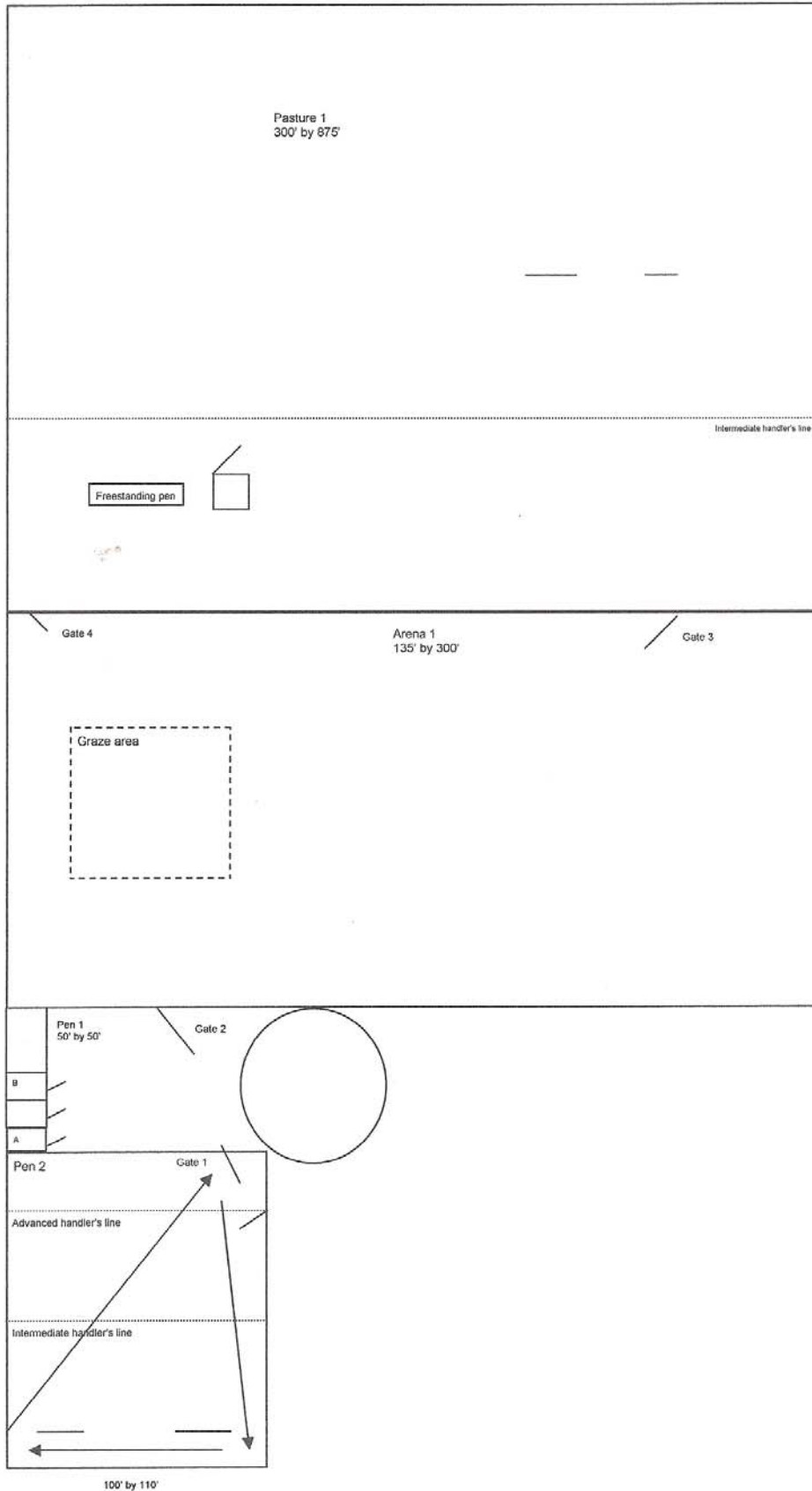
Return the sheep to the gate and enter pen 1. Take the 10 sheep into Arena 1 thru gate 2 and take them to the graze area. Hold sheep there for one minute.

- Advanced handler ribbon pulls or marks one sheep and takes them to gate 3 in north fence to Pasture
- Intermediate handler and dog leave sheep and walk to gate 3 to Pasture 1. Dog remains at gate, handler can walk halfway to sheep. Dog is sent and brings sheep to handler; handler and dog walk sheep to gate. Intermediate handler gate-sorts 5 sheep into Pasture 1 thru gate 3.
- Started handler and dog may fetch/drive sheep to gate 3 and gate sorts 5 sheep into Pasture 1.
  
- Advanced handler stays at gate 3 and dog drives sheep thru freestanding panels. After the sheep make panels or break plane, handler can go to freestanding pen and recalls the dog, leaving the sheep near the panels. The handler sends the dog on an outrun, lift and fetch to the pen; the handler and dog pen sheep. Handler lets sheep out and handler and dog take sheep to gate 4 in SW corner, cross arena 1, and put sheep in small pen B thru gate 2.
  
- Intermediate handler and dog can fetch/drive sheep to intermediate handler's line, then the dog must drive the sheep to the panels. After the sheep make the panels or break the plane, the handler can meet the sheep as they cross the intermediate handler's line or can wait at the pen. The dog and handler put the sheep in the pen. Handler lets sheep out and handler and dog take sheep to gate 4 in SW corner, cross arena 1 and put sheep in small pen B thru gate 2.
  
- Started handler takes the sheep thru the gate 3 into Pasture 1 and takes the sheep in a fetch/drive down the fence to the SW gate 4. The handler, sheep and dog cross arena 1 and put sheep in small pen B thru gate 2.

You have completed you run!

### **Scoring:**

1. Movement around Pen 2 – Possible score: 20 (Advanced), 15 (Intermediate), 10 (Started)
2. Graze – possible score: 15
3. Ribbon Pull/Mark – (Advanced only) – 10
4. Outrun, lift, fetch – (Intermediate & Started) – 20
5. Gate sort (Intermediate & Started) – 5 for Intermediate, 10 for Started
6. Drive to panels (Advanced & Intermediate) – 15
7. Fetch/drive in Pasture 1 (Started) – 15
8. Outrun, lift, fetch (Advanced) – 20
9. Freestanding pen (Advanced & Intermediate) – 10
10. Come across arena – 10
11. Pen other 5 sheep (Started) - 10



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Mail entries with fees to Theresa Royer, Herding Event Secretary, 4410 2<sup>nd</sup> St. Pleasanton, CA 94566.

**Entries sent via express service must have signature waived.**

Make check or money order payable to German Shepherd Dog Club of America (GSDCA)

All entry fees payable in U.S. Funds.

I enclose \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for entry fees.

Special Rosette eligibility:

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|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> GSD Breed Champion        | <input type="checkbox"/> GSD Veteran (7 years or older) | <input type="checkbox"/> GSD with Tracking Title |
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IMPORTANT - Read Reverse Side before completing.

Breed and/or Variety: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Test Class: HT \_\_\_\_\_ PT \_\_\_\_\_ Boundary \_\_\_\_\_

Trial Course:

Course A: Started \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate \_\_\_\_\_ Advanced \_\_\_\_\_  
Non-Regular Ranch Course: Started \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate \_\_\_\_\_ Advanced \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name of Dog: (Use AKC titles only):  
\_\_\_\_\_

- AKC Reg. No.  
 ILP No.  
 Foreign Reg. No. & Country

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

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

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

Actual Owner(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Handler (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

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 American Kennel Club 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 "Agreement" printed on the reserve side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and agreement.

SIGNATURE of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry:  
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TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

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I (we) acknowledge that the "Rules Applying to Registration and Dog Shows" and the "Rules for Herding Tests & Trials" have been made available to me (us), and that I (we) agree that the club holding this Herding Test or Trial has the right to refuse this entry for cause, which the club shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the Herding Test or Trial and of the opportunity to have the dog tested or judged and to win prize money, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold this club, its members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and the owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties 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 upon the Herding Test or Trial premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other causes.

I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all loss and expenses (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 therefrom, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves) or on account of damages to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this Herding Test or Trial, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons.

I (we) will pay for any livestock injuries or replacement value in the event of death of any livestock by my (our) dog. In case of any injury to any stock caused by the dog entered, I (we) will assume total responsibility for any damage. I (we) agree to pay the full market value of the injured animal in case of serious injury, or the veterinarian bill if the injury is slight.

Signature of owners or his agents duly authorized to make this entry

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Owner's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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