



Two Barn Hunt Trials Each Day: March 22-24, 2024 Event Numbers: BHLE-240011, BHLE-240012, BHLE-240013, BHLE-240014, BHLE-240015, BHLE-240016 Teamworks Dog Training, IIc

> Barn Hunt Barns (West Ring) (2 covered, open-air structures) 195 Robbins Road Youngsville, NC 27596

Permission has been granted by the Barn Hunt Association, LLC for the holding of this barn sanctioned trial under BHA Rules and Regulations. Open to all Breeds and Mixed Breeds of all sizes! Classes offered: TWO ROUNDS EACH DAY: Instinct, Novice, Open, Senior, Master, Crazy 8s A & B Classes Judge: Shannon Forbes Judge: Melissa Dimeler ONE JUDGE TRIAL Pre-Entries taken Jan 22 -Mar 12, 2023

Late Entries taken from Mar 13-21, 2023 No Day of Show entries. We will accept entries up until 5pm the

day before each trial and *add-ons to existing entries* at the late entry rate.

Judging is limited to approximately 8 hours per day per judge **RUNNING ORDER**: The trial will begin at 9am. Dogs will be run in height order with dogs being handled by the same person separated into different staged groups. There is no estimated time schedule for these classes, so plan to arrive early and help out while you wait for your turn! Any Judge of Record at this event may be used as a Load Balancing or Relief Judge in any ring. Judge of Record and Event Official dogs may be judged prior to event start or as the first dogs of the event.

## THE CLASS ORDER WILL BE:

	Barn 1		Barn 2
1.	Instinct – Trial 1	7.	Crazy 8s – Trial 1
2.	Instinct – Trial 2	8.	Crazy 8s – Trial 2
3.	Novice – Trial 1	9.	Senior – Trial 1
4.	Novice – Trial 2	10.	Senior – Trial 2
5.	Open – Trial 1	11.	Master – Trial 1
6.	Open – Trial 2	12.	Master – Trial 2

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. 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 check payable to Teamworks Dog Training. Send entries & fees to the trial secretary at 195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC 27596 OR email entries to <u>Teamworkstrialsecretary@qmail.com</u> and PayPal entry fee <u>michelegodlevski@qmail.com</u>. \*\*\*All dogs Dogs MUST have a Barn Hunt registration number before entering this trial.\*\*\*

# **Trial Officials**

Trial Committee: Michele Godlevski, Betsy Wood, Lisa Rogers, and Nathan Allen, Amanda Rodieck, and Stephen Dimig. Trial Secretary: Michele Godlevski, 195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC 27596 teamworkstrialsecretary@gmail.com

## **Closest Veterinarian**

Heartwood Animal Hospital 3091 Mays Crossroad Road, Youngsville, NC 27596 919-570-9311

# Emergency / After Hours Veterinarian

BluePearl Pet Hospital 4640 Paragon Park Road Raleigh, NC (919) 861-0109

## Hotels/Motels that will accept dogs

Owners must assume full responsibility. Early reservations are recommended. As rules may change, please check with hotels before registering. BHA rules & common courtesy: you are responsible for picking up after your dogs at the motels & the show site.

- Hampton Inn, 919.554.0222; 12318 Wake Union Church Road, Wake Forest, NC 27587
- Candlewood Suites: 12050 Retail Drive , Wake Forest, NC 27587
- Holiday Inn Express, 1-877-410-6667; 11400 Common Oaks Drive, Raleigh, NC 27614
- LaQuinta: 2610 Westinghouse Blvd, Raleigh, NC 27604•(919) 521-5653

# **RV Electric Hook Ups Available On Site!**

See <u>https://www.teamworksdogtraining.org/rentals-reservations/</u> for more information!

# **DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE**

## From 540:

- Route 401N
- Through Rolesville, pass Hwy 96
- Right on 98 East
- Pass Spencer's Gate on the right
- Next <u>paved</u> right onto Bethlehem Church Rd
- First paved left onto Robbins Rd

### ➢ From 440:

- Capital Blvd (Route 1N)
- Merge right to 401 North
- (see directions from 540 above)

#### From Durham & Points West:

- 40 East
- 540 North
- (see directions from 540 above)

#### From Points North:

- Route 1 South to Raleigh
- 98 East
- Pass Hwy 401
- Pass Spencer's Gate
- o Next paved right onto Bethlehem Church Rd
- First paved left onto Robbins Rd

#### From Points East

- o 64 West
- 540 North
- (see directions from 540 above

**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. There is NO SMOKING inside this facility or on the grounds due to the risk of fire. If you must smoke you will need to do so inside your vehicle and dispose of the butts in the vehicle. Please pick up after your dog and dispose of waste in appropriate containers outside the building.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**: Please bring weather appropriate gear. These trials will be held under cover but the facility is affected by the outside temperature. There will be crating space available in the air-conditioned Pavillion, but please make sure your crate is secure as the dogs may be highly excited.

**Bitches in season** (BIS) must be declared by owners in advance of the trial to the trial secretary. Email the trial secretary as soon as possible or if you expect your bitch to be in season. There will be a designated parking area and a designated potty area for BIS. Bitches in season MUST wear <u>clean</u> britches at all times, except when pottying. BIS will be run last and put into a separate blind. Owners are expected to keep their BIS in the car or in a crate in the designated BIS blind until it is time to run. Signs will be posted indicating the designated BIS areas. Anyone violating the designated areas with a BIS will be dismissed from the trial without refund.

Please bring adequate water and shade for you and your dogs. There will be a snacks, beverages, and lunch available on site and there are also numerous fast food restaurants within 10 minutes of the trial. There are indoor restrooms at the site. There is also a doggie swimming pond on site that will be available to all competitors <u>except for BIS</u>. *The agility arena will be off limits unless rented by a competitor. The canine dock diving pool will be off limits during the event, but available for rentals / lessons after the event. Please note: BIS are never allowed in the agility arena or canine dock diving pool.* 

Ribbons will be provided for all qualifying rounds. Placement ribbons for  $1^{st}-4^{th}$  place will also be available.

REFUNDS: No refunds will be offered for pre-entries after the first closing date. No refunds will be offered for late entries or add-ons. If the entered dog is ill or injured, and a veterinarian's note is provided, and if approved by the trial committee, a voucher for a future event may be offered.

## **Height Divisions**

Height divisions are to equalize efforts for dogs of the same general size.

- Small: Dogs 15" and under
- Medium: Dogs 15.1 to 22"
- Large: Dogs over 22"

# **General Course Rules**

Handlers can and should move around the course while the dog works to be able to view and call the mark of the correct live rat tube.

Handlers can speak at will and verbally praise and encourage their dog.1) Handlers may not bring food or toys into the ring.

2) Handlers may not self-time in the ring using a watch or any other timing device.

3) Handlers may not enter the ring with bait bags, pouches, or other attachments (including cameras).

4) Handlers may not deliberately touch, step on, or step over any bales, boards, ramps, bridges, or tubes.

5) Handlers may not deliberately touch their dog at any time after the release from the start box and before the finish of the course except for during the period after a live tube is correctly located.

• Body blocking, pushing, or nudging the dog with hip, knee, leg, or foot, is considered deliberate touching

6) Handlers may not berate, bully, intimidate, or otherwise verbally abuse their dog, the judge, or any person in or around the ring.

7) Handlers may not curse in the ring.

8) No grabbing, scruffing (grabbing/pulling the skin/hair on the dog's body), shaking, or pulling or holding the dog by the tail is allowed.

9) Handlers may not use obedience commands (i.e., sit, down, stay) to position their dog in order to move to another portion of the course such as the other side of the tunnel to call the dog to them.

• Handlers may use a command such as "Wait" or "Stay" for safety reasons in order to keep a dog from launching off a high bale, and may use an obedience command to position the dog in the start box prior to release.

10) Handlers may encourage the dog to search certain areas, climb and/or tunnel through voice and/or hand gestures.

11) Picking up/carrying may not be used as a punishment/corrective action or if carrying will be physically uncomfortable for the dog (i.e., attempting to carry a larger dog). Carrying should be done in such a way as to be physically comfortable to the dog. Flipping the dog onto its back to remove it from the course is considered a corrective action and will result in an NQ.

• Dogs may not be picked up or carried to remove them from a rat tube or lift them down from high places.

12) Spectators can cheer the handler/dog but cannot double-handle.

13) Teams who do not successfully find a live rat tube within course time, who indicate an incorrect tube, or who find one or more live rat tubes but do not find the next or final rat tube, are to be taken to the

next/final tube before exiting the course.

14) Handlers may request to be excused from the course and accept an NQ score (i.e., dog has stopped working,

is stressed, or is out of control)

15) Elimination on the course is an NQ (non-qualifying) score for the dog, and the dog must be immediately removed from the course and is not allowed to continue. Elimination includes urination, defecation,

and/or spitting up/throwing up.

# For More Information and a Complete Rulebook, please see

# http://www.barnhunt.com

<u>Site Description</u>: The barn hunt barns are located inside a fully fenced ring with signs that say "West Ring. The barns are metal carports with non-slip

rubber matting on the ground. They have a solid wall in the back (the side of each structure facing the driveway), and half-walls on the sides, with lattice-work from the half-wall to the roof for airflow and to allow natural light. There is 4-foot black metal fencing in the front of each barn (side facing the exhibitor tenting area), with one gate, making the barn fully fenced in. The Senior/Masters barn is 20' x 40' and has a tan roof. The Instinct/Novice/Open Barn is 20'x20' and has a red roof.

The blinds are also metal carports. The Instinct/Novice/Open is 20'x20' and the Senior/Masters blind is 20' x 12'. Both blinds have open backs to help with air-flow.

The bitches in season quarantine area is shown in pink on the map and will be clearly labeled with pink flagging tape and pink signs. Competitors should park in the designated BIS spot and only potty their dogs in the designated BIS area. Bitches in season will be blinded in their vehicles and will enter at a gate near the BIS area.

The site is wheelchair accessible and handicapped parking is marked and located close to the Instinct/Novice/Open blind, as well as close to the bathrooms and clubhouse (where lunch is served). A golf cart is available for transportation as well.

The pond is available for competitors to use for free during the event. The covered agility arena can be rented, but only if the dog has had at least 30 hours of formal agility training. The canine dock diving pool is will NOT be in use nor available during our event



Teamworks Youngsville Location

#### LEGEND

1. Doggie Swimming Pond

- 2. Covered Agility Arena
- 3. Non-Electric RV Parking Spots
- 4. Premier RV Electric Parking
- 5. Covered Crating/Vendor Areas
- 6. Outdoor Agility Ring
- 7. Clubhouse
- 8. Bathrooms / Shower
- 9. Pavillion
- 10. Deluxe RV Electric Parking
- 11. Budget RV Electric Parking
- 12. Judge / Trial Sec RV
- 13. Barn Hunt Blinds
- 14. Barn Hunt Barns
- 15. West Ring (Frisbee Class)
- 16. Canine Dock Diving Pool
- 17. Off Leash Dog Run
- 18. Warm Up Jump Area
- 19. Car Parking
- 20. RV Entrance/Exit

Teamworks Dog Training, llc Licensed Barn Hunt Trials					
March 22-24, 2024					
Circle your level(s) in table below for entry					
FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY			
Instinct 1 - Instinct 2	Instinct 1 - Instinct 2	Instinct 1 - Instinct 2			
Novice 1 - Novice 2	Novice 1 - Novice 2	Novice 1 - Novice 2			
Open 1 - Open 2	Open 1 - Open 2	Open 1 - Open 2			
Crzy8s1 - Crzy8s2	Crzy8s1 - Crzy8s2	Crzy8s1 - Crzy8s2			
Senior 1 - Senior 2	Senior 1 - Senior 2	Senior 1 - Senior 2			
Master 1 - Master 2	Master 1 - Master 2	Master 1 - Master 2			
Circle this if your dog is "B" Class					
("B" class is for any dog that already has a title in that level)					
ONE ENTRY FORM PER DOG					
Pre-Entry (Jan 22-Mar 12) Fees: Instinct = \$15; Nov, Open, C8, Senior & Masters \$20					
Late Entry (Mar13-21) Fees: Instinct = \$20; Nov, Open, C8, Senior & Masters \$25					
Form should be emailed to teamworkstrialsecretary@gmail.com					
and PayPal payme	nt made to <mark>michelegoc</mark>	llevski@gmail.com.			
Entries w/ check payable to <b>Teamworks Dog Training</b> can also be					
mailed: 195 Robbins Rd, Youngsville, NC 27596					
Total entry fees for	this dog: \$	Check / Paypal			
Name of Owner:					
BHA # (required):					
Kennel Name of Dog:					
Call Name of Dog:					
Breed of Dog:					
Birthdate of Dog:					
Male/Female					
HEIGHT CLASS:	Small (13"&under) Medium (	13.1-18") Large (over 18")			
Owner Address:					
Owner Phone:					
Owner Email:					

# \*\*\*ENTRIES WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL. WRITE YOUR EMAIL CLEARLY. \*\*\*

### CERTIFICATION OF AGREEMENT UPON ENTRY OF DOG

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.

## 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 lessor 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 therefrom, 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.

Signature of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry:

Date:

Parent or Guardian Signature if participant is under 18 years of age: \_\_\_\_\_\_Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_