ENTRIES CLOSE: 11:59 PM PDT Wednesday, June 7, 2017, at the Trial Secretary's office in Gig Harbor, WA (after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled or substituted). Entries are limited to 30 runs per Judge.

Entry Preference shall be given given to **Beaucerons**. All-Breed entries will be logged in the order received and will be assigned available runs at closing in that order. **Note**: Course C Sheep is limited to <u>Beaucerons only</u>.

Drawing for run order shall be held on Wednesday, June 8, 2017, at 7:00 P.M. PDT at Secretary's office, Gig Harbor, WA 98329. Multiple entries by a single handler will be adjusted, if possible, to provide time between runs.

Open to all AKC Registered and ILP Dogs nine (9) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club, or have been granted Indefinite Listing Privilege (ILP) may participate in herding tests and who meet the eligibility requirements identified in Section 3 of the AKC Herding Regulations.



To be held outdoors at:

PackLeader Farm

14401 Crews Road KPN, Gig Harbor, WA 98329 (253) 884-5959

Sunday, June 18, 2017

Two trials in one day with two different judges. Each trial (event) includes both sheep and duck courses.

Courses/Livestock offered:

Course A & Course B Sheep & Ducks - all levels Course C Sheep - all levels - Beauceron only Herding Test (HT) & Pre-Trial Test (PT) - Sheep only

Exhibition Only Trial runs if space & stock available (includes day of entries)

Course B Sheep, Course B Duck outruns are Minimum

** The Evergreen State Shetland Sheepdog Club will be holding two trials on Saturday, June 17, 20178 at the same location. Please contact Trial Secretary Vick Chalk at (253) 906-8182 or email vchalk@comcast.net

All persons attending this trial, hereby, waive any claim for damages against the American Beauceron Club, or its members, in the event a motor vehicle has to be entered to rescue a dog from overheating or improperly vented conditions.

Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for holding this event under American Kennel Club rules and regulations. James P. Crowley, Secretary

AMERICAN BEAUCERON CLUB (ABC)

President	Amy Gibbs-Ehrie
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HERDING TEST/TRIAL COMMITTEE:

Trial Chair	Pamela Frost			
	23110 NE Chelatchie Rd. Amboy, WA 98601			
	(360) 606-4427 pamela@frost-king.com			
Trial Secretary	Ashley Wright			
	14401 Crews Rd KPN, Gig Harbor, WA 98329			
	(253) 905-7695 <u>wrightaa1@gmail.com</u>			
Facility Owner	Barbara Davenport <u>k9sayno@aol.com</u>			
Chief Steward	Vicky & Luke Lisa			
Chief Stock Handler	Barbara Davenport			
Course Director	Steve Weigley			
Competitors' Hospitality	Karen Branin			
Emergency Response Coo	rdinator Steve Weigley			
Awards	Lydia Zemouri			
Trophy Donations	Pamela Frost			

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

All Creatures Animal Hospital (360) 377-3801 4091 State Hwy 3 W, Bremerton, WA 98312

ENTRY FEES

A & B Sheep	\$50.00 per run
C Sheep	\$55.00 per run
A & B Ducks	\$45.00 per run
HT/PT Tests Sheep	\$35.00 per run

Exhibition Only Trial runs -

\$5 discount off entry fee if space & stock available Regular Trial classes will have priority. There is no guarantee that space will be available on the day of the trial. Exhibition only entries will be scored exactly as if they were a regular entry, but will not be eligible for placements, legs, titles, or championship points.

ENTRY LIMITS EACH DAY

30 runs per judge for each event C Sheep - 3 runs per event (Beauceron only)

Mail Entries with Fees to Trial Secretary:

YOU MUST USE A SEPARATE ENTRY FORM FOR EACH DOG. For Courier Delivery: Be sure to sign the waiver of signature. US Postal Service will deliver to a PO Box, but Fed Ex or UPS will not. Call Trial Secretary for additional information.

Make Checks Payable to: "American Beauceron Club" US Funds Only

JUDGES and ASSIGNMENTS

Craig Watson - 171 E Sunset Hill Rd., Shelton, WA 98584 Ron Fischer - 25716 86th Ave E. Graham, WA 98338-7021

Judge	Craig Watson	Ron Fischer		
Event	Event 1 - 2017654706	Event 2 - 2017654707		
	A Sheep	C Sheep - Beauceron only		
	A Ducks	HT/PT		
	B Sheep	A Sheep		
	B Ducks	A Ducks		
	HT/PT	B Sheep		
	C Sheep - Beauceron only	B Ducks		

Judging will be performed concurrently where possible. The above table is a "best guess" as to how the trial schedule <u>may</u> proceed. A more accurate picture will be available after closing in the form of the "Class Schedule and Run Order Report" which will be sent via email and will be available at the trial site.

LIVESTOCK

Test Classes (Sheep)...3 head hair, wool & hair/wool cross Course A (Sheep)......5 head hair sheep Course B (Sheep)......5 head hair sheep Course C (Sheep)......20 head hair/wool cross sheep Course A (Ducks)......5 head (Mixed variety) Course B (Ducks)......5 head (Mixed variety)

STOCK SUPPLIERS

HT & PT Tests	PackLeader Farm
Course A & B Sheep	PackLeader Farm
Course C Sheep	PackLeader Farm
Course A & B Ducks	PackLeader Farm

Livestock Replacement Costs: Ducks \$25/head Sheep \$200/head

RIBBONS AND AWARDS

All-Breed (incl Beauceron) Ribbons and Awards - for each event

Class Placements:

1st PlaceBlue Ribbon2nd PlaceRed Ribbon3rd PlaceYellow Ribbon4th PlaceWhite Ribbon5th PlacePink Ribbon

<u>Qualifiers:</u> Test Classes (HT/PT): Trial Classes (Std/Int/Adv):

Green & White Ribbon + toy Green Ribbon

<u>HIT/RHIT Awards</u>: High-In-Trial (HIT) Reserve High-In-Trial (RHIT)

- HIT Red/Blue/Yellow Rosette + herding related item Sponsored by Pamela Frost and Art King of Givre Roi Beaucerons and Frost-King Rottweilers
- RHIT Red/Yellow/White Rosette + herding related item

Beauceron Only Ribbons and Awards - for each event

High Scoring Beauceron:

Black/Red (Noire et Feu) Rosette + herding related item

High Combined Awards - across both events

High Combined Beauceron:

High Combined Rosette + herding related item – offered by "TBD"

High Combined All Breed:

High Combined Rosette + herding related item – offered by "TBD"

- Computation: Total of the highest <u>qualifying</u> score from each event for each dog.
- Eligibility: Dog must be entered in both events.

Additional prizes and sponsors are being sought. The final list of prizes will be listed in the event catalog.

TROPHY DONATION

Any and all donations for the trophies or ribbons will be greatly appreciated. Donors will be acknowledged in the show catalog. Deadline to be in the catalog is Wednesday, June 7, 2017. Write, email or phone to make a specific pledge:

> Pamela Frost 23110 NE Chelatchie Rd. Amboy, WA 98601 (360) 606-4427 pamela@frost-king.com

Thank you everyone for your support!!



FOOD

Food will be available on site for \$8.00/person by Karen's Kitchen at the trial site.

Food includes continental breakfast and lunch.

There are restaurants and fast food within a reasonable distance of the trial site.

ACCOMMODATIONS – Motels & Camping

Westwynd Motel	6703 -144th Street NW, Gig Harbor (Please mention the ABC trial when you make	1-800-468-9963 reservations so they know we are supporting them.)			
Best Western Wesley Inn of Gig Harbor					
	6575 Kimball Drive, Gig Harbor	1-888-462-0002			
The Inn at Gig Harbor	3211 – 56 th Street NW, Gig Harbor	(253) 858-1111			
Gig Harbor RV Resort	9515 Burnham Dr. NW, Gig Harbor	1-800-526-8311			

RVs may park on site, no hookups

Please advise PackLeader Farm if you plan to camp on site to be sure space will be available. (253) 732-5959

There are additional motels located in Tacoma or Port Orchard, Washington.

DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE

Trial site: Packleader Farm, 14401 Crews Rd KPN, Gig Harbor WA 98329 (253)-732-5959

Directions:

From North or South 1-5 to Hwy 16 in Tacoma. Hwy 16 begins at 1-5, crosses the Narrows Bridge and travels toward Bremerton.

Take Hwy 16 past Gig Harbor. Exit at sign for Hwy 302W (Purdy/Shelton). Follow exit road into Purdy to the traffic light. Turn left at the signal following sign for Hwy 302W (Shelton/Key Center) -- you will cross the Wauna Bridge. Continue to follow Gig Harbor-Longbranch Hwy (5.2 miles) to the junction with Hwy 302 at the 2nd signal. (NOTE: At some point along here you will likely lose cell phone service.)

At the signal, turn right (turn lane-right turn only) onto Elgin-Clifton Rd following sign for Hwy 302W (Shelton/Allyn). Turn right onto 150th. Intersection is well marked with signs prior to and at corner. Turn left on 1st road at the end of the chain link fence. There is a street sign "Crew Rd" on your right and a large sign on left that says "Rocky Creek Conservation Area". Follow road through the park. When you exit the trees, there will be a green farm gate directly in front of you which is the entrance to the facility.

American Beauceron Club – 1st AKC Herding Test/Trial – Commemorative Design



In honor of this the 1st American Beauceron Club AKC Herding Test/Trial, the herding trial committee decided that we should create a design. Vicki Lisa is the author of this wonderful design.

A Cafepress store has been created, where you can choose to order t-shirts, sweatshirts and other gifts bearing this design if you would like to show your support for herding events in the American Beauceron Club. Royalties from the sale of items in this store will be paid to the American Beauceron Club in support of future herding events.

Cafepress store: www.cafepress.com/beauceronherding

If you are feeling the desire for more gifts Beauceron, the American Beauceron Club also has a Cafepress store at www.cafepress.com/beaucerongifts

Thank you for your support,

Pamela Frost ABC Herding Trial Chair

BEAUCERONS ONLY:

What an opportunity for herding fun – 2 days of AKC herding trials on June 17 and 18 sponsored by the Evergreen State Shetland Sheepdog Club (ESSSC) and the American Beauceron Club (ABC) at PackLeader Farm.

- So, maybe you're **not** ready to enter a herding trial but you are interested in seeing if your "herding" dog has the desire and drive to do what it was bred to do? Or
- You spent time training your dog, but do you need a little help in mastering your handling skills for an AKC herding trial?
- Here is an opportunity for any Beauceron people to address these two questions:

Barbara Davenport, long-time dog trainer (see more bio information at <u>www.packleaderdogtraining.net/herding.html</u>) and Beauceron owner will be offering the following:

- Instinct Testing (unofficial): round pen work with test sheep Barbara handling
- Trialing Strategy: what should you be doing when and where during your run.

Friday, June 16, 2017 10 AM to 4 PM Fee: \$20 per dog.

Please contact Pamela Frost at (360) 606-4427 or pamela@frost-king.com to sign-up or with any questions.

NOTICES

Telephone, telegraph and unsigned entries CANNOT be accepted. Entries not on official AKC entry form and photocopies of entry forms without Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the official AKC entry from are NOT acceptable. ANY ENTRY SENT VIA ANY EXPRESS METHOD MUST HAVE THE SIGNATURE WAIVED.

All trophies MUST be claimed the day of the trial.

Exhibitors are responsible for keeping their dogs leashed and under control at all times and MUST clean up after their dogs. Appropriate receptacles will be provided. PLEASE HELP US KEEP THIS SITE CLEAN. USE TRASH CANS ON THE PREMISES.

The American Beauceron Club (ABC), the Test/Trial Secretary, their agents, employees, etc., assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained, by exhibitors, handlers, or to any of their dogs, or property and further assume no responsibility for injury to children. ABC, their members, supporters, and associates are not responsible for any damage to or lost or stolen items. Keep valuables, including your dog(s), secure. There is limited shade for vehicles. Bring your own shade for your dog.

Additional Test/Trial Regulations:

We ask the cooperation of exhibitors in helping keep the Test/Trial location as clean as possible in order for us to retain the use of the facility for future Test/Trials.

Please respect the parking rules as we try to make sure there is room for everyone. Your signature on your entry signifies your agreement to the provision.

A recording fee of \$3.50 per entry will be required for each dog entered at any Licensed or Member Club Herding Test/Trial. This Recording Fee is to be collected by the trial-giving Club and paid to the American Kennel Club.

No refund for duplicate entries. Every effort will be made to find all duplicate entries, but if an entry has been processed, no refund will be made. Entries must be received at the Trial Secretary's Address by the published closing date to be acceptable, and may not be changed, substituted, corrected, signed, or canceled after that time except as provided in Chapter 3, Section 1, of the General Regulations for Herding Tests and Trials. Incomplete, unsigned, conditional, telephone, telegraph, or entries received without fees are not acceptable. RETURNED CHECKS do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Trial Secretary will add a collection fee of \$25.00 to the amount of each returned check. Subsequent returned checks from the same exhibitor may result in their being put on a cash only basis.

No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any condition as to its acceptance. Entries must be on the enclosed entry blank or a reasonable facsimile thereof.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by veterinarian, judge, or tester or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee. If, because of riots, civil disturbances, or other acts beyond the control of the club, it is impossible to open or compete in the trial, test, no refund of entry fees will be made.

Dogs must be ready for their classes. Test/Trial judges have the authority to refuse to judge any dog which does not appear within five minutes of being called for its run. The Trial club and the Trial Secretary have no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not bought into the arena when required.

The Club may decline any entries for cause and may refuse to receive or may remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness or other causes, and no one shall have any claim or recourse against the Club or any official thereof.

Exhibitors must be governed by any rules or regulations of civil authority, building and parking restrictions. Vehicles parked contrary to regulations will be subject to towing at the owner's expense.

This Club does not agree to arbitrate claims set forth on the Official AKC form for this event.

Only dogs eligible to be entered at this Test/Trial will be allowed within the Test/Trial limits except that testers/judges may use a trained backup dog in settling or controlling the stock.

Entries for Herding Tests and/or Trials shall be accepted until the official closing date and time. If entries are to be limited, the numerical limitation must be stated in the premium list and entries will close when the numerical limit or limits are reached. All additional entries that are received prior to the closing date will be added to an alternates list for each class that exceeds the published limit(s). Entries shall be added to their respective alternates list in the order that they are received and published in the catalog. No entries shall be added after the closing time and date specified in the premium list.

The Trial Secretary shall notify all entrants of their position on the alternates list at the time that the Trial program is sent to each entrant. Those alternates that do not run or do not have the opportunity to run shall have their entry fees returned.

The alternates list shall be used to fill vacancies that occur in the drawn running order, with the first available alternate entry replacing the first vacancy in the class entered. ENTRANTS ON THE ALTERNATES LIST MUST CHECK IN WITH THE TRIAL SECRETARY ON THE GROUNDS NO LATER THAN 30 MINUTES BEFORE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THEIR CLASS.

The running order for all test and trial classes shall be established by a random drawing, open to all who wish to attend, to be conducted at the time and place specified in the premium list for closing and drawing of entries. Dogs handled by the same person in a class shall be separated by one or more dogs whenever possible. The Trial Secretary or Trial Chairperson shall officiate over the drawing.

Unless requested otherwise, all communications regarding entry confirmation, trial schedule, etc. shall be made electronically.

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DUCKS: Cours	e A	В			Trial Class: HS	HI	HX
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Breed:							
Registration#:				Sex:		Date of Birtl	h:
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TEL:							
EMAIL: All communication regarding your entry will be made electronically using the email address							
AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: www.akc.org Please write legibly.							

AGREEMENT

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 time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event and 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. 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 have the dog judged and to win prizes, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold the AKC, the event-giving club, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any providers of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any AKC 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 nearby any entrance there to, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I(we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless for any claim for loss. injury or damage to this dog. I (we) will pay for any injuries or the replacement value in the event of serious injury to the livestock caused by my (our) dog. I (we) hereby agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). 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 expenses (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damages 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.

I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF THE RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN ITS PREMIUM LIST) AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBIITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

Signature_

THE AMERICAN BEAUCERON CLUB DOES NOT AGREE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS AS SET FORTH ON THE OFFICIAL AKC ENTRY FORM FOR THESE EVENTS