



Working Aussies of Virginia (WAV)

An ASCA Affiliate Club

Trial will be held under current ASCA rules and regulations

Six Stockdog Trials, ASCA Sanction Pending

May 7-9, 2021

Keepstone Farm, 412 Russell Road, Berryville, VA, 22611

JUDGES: Cheryl Padgett and Andrea Hoffman

Stockdog Arena Trials: Cattle (3 head) & Sheep (3 head) & Ducks (5 head) Course H counter-clockwise

Friday Arena Trials: Trial I –Cattle & Sheep with Cheryl Padgett – Ducks with Andrea Hoffman

Trial II – Cattle & Sheep with Andrea Hoffman – Ducks with Cheryl Padgett

Saturday Arena Trials: Trial I –Cattle & Sheep with Andrea Hoffman – Ducks with Cheryl Padgett

Trial II – Cattle & Sheep with Cheryl Padgett – Ducks with Andrea Hoffman

Sunday Arena Trials: Trial I –Cattle & Sheep with Cheryl Padgett – Ducks with Andrea Hoffman

Trial II – Cattle & Sheep with Andrea Hoffman – Ducks with Cheryl Padgett

All Trials: Trial II begins immediately following the first Trial I cattle run.

Course Director: Diane Sobel-Meyer, 973-670-7587, dsobelmeyer@gmail.com

Trial Secretary: Regina Bures, 703-795-7420, bellewoodsheep@gmail.com

ENTRY INFORMATION

By postmark: Pre-entries open for **Aussies only** on **Monday, 03/29/21**;

All other herding breeds, pre-entries open **Monday, 4/12/21**.

Pre-entries close on Saturday, 04/24/21.

No overnight, phone, or email entries.

Entries will not be accepted without payment. \$35 charge for returned checks.

Fees: Ducks - \$35, Sheep - \$45, Cattle - \$55, Junior/Novice - \$20 per run

MOTHER'S DAY SPECIAL: BOTH TRIALS, ALL 3 DAYS -- \$690

Trial site opens at 7 AM. Handlers' meeting at 8 AM each day.

Day-of entries will be taken at 7:30 AM each day if space is available.

Additional \$5.00 per class for entries after 4/24/21 and same day entries (if available).

Make checks payable to: **Working Aussies of Virginia ASC.**

Mail check and completed current ASCA Stock Trial entry form to:

Regina Bures, 38177 Britain Rd., Lovettsville, VA, 20180

A wait list will be maintained. No refunds after the closing date unless runs can be filled from a wait list.

COVID-19 STATEMENT: All State and Local COVID-19 regulations will be followed. Per ASCA's guidelines, competitors showing any symptoms or with relatives showing symptoms must stay home and not participate in events. People who test positive or have relatives who test positive for coronavirus should follow state and local quarantine rules. Entry fees will be refunded for any COVID-19 related cancellations.

POLICIES:

- This trial shall be run under all ASCA rules and regulations. See asca.org for current rules.
- Use the current official ASCA Stock Trial entry form:
 - <https://www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/stockdogentryform.pdf>
- Non-ASCA registered dogs – To have ASCA qualifying legs tracked and receive ASCA titling certificates, each non-ASCA registered dog will be required to have an ASCA Tracking Number. This is a one-time fee of \$10 per dog. At the time of application for the tracking number, the individual owner must also be an ASCA member (minimum membership type, the Service membership, is required). For more information and applications go to: <http://www.asca.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/trackapp.pdf>
- Each individual is responsible for any damage caused by himself, his family or his dog while in the trial arena or on the trial grounds. Livestock replacement costs are as follows: Ducks - \$75, Sheep - \$350, Cattle - \$1,200. ASCA, WAV, and Keepstone Farm assume no responsibility for any accident or injury.
- Substitutions allowed per ASCA Stockdog rules.
- Bitches in season will run in order. They should be crated away from trial arenas when not competing.
- All dogs must be on leash when not competing. Please clean up after your dog.
- Entry confirmation will be sent by email. Please include a legible email address.
- Trial committee will draw run order prior to the trial.
- Entry fees will only be refunded if request is received before pre-entry closing date or if runs can be filled from a wait list.

AWARDS (including but not limited to): Ribbons for all qualifying runs. Ribbons for 1st - 4th place, each stock, each trial.

Arena Trials: Rosettes for HIT Aussie, HIT Other Breed, HIT Started Aussie, and HIT Open Aussie.

Special Rosette for any dog completing a WTCH.

BELT BUCKLE AWARDS for WEEKEND ARENA TRIALS: *(Only qualifying scores count for total.)*

High Combined Started Aussie, High Combined Aussie, High Combined Other Breed

FOOD: No food service will be offered. Please plan to bring your own lunch, etc. WAV will provide bottled water for trial participants.

HOTELS: Both Winchester, VA, and Charles Town, WV, are nearby. This is only a list of some local hotels. Check for current pet policies when you make reservations.

Comfort Inn, 1601 Martinsburg Pike, Winchester, VA 22603, 540-667-8894

Red Roof Inn, 911 Millwood Pike, Winchester, VA 22602, 540-667-5000

La Quinta, 1055 Millwood Pike, Winchester, VA 22602, 540-678-8899

Motel 6, 106 Jefferson Terrace Rd, Charles Town, WV 25414, 304-725-1403

CAMPING: Candy Hill Camp Ground, 165 Ward Ave., Winchester, VA 800-462-0545

Dry camping (no hook-ups) is available on site. Contact Susan Rhoades at keepstonefarm@aol.com if you are interested.

VET: Valley Emergency Veterinary Clinic, 210 Costello Drive, Winchester, Virginia, 540-662-7811