

**ENTRIES ACCEPTED** Wednesday, May 08, 2024, at 10:00 am PDT **ENTRY CLOSING DATE** Wednesday, May 22, 2024, at 6:00 pm PDT after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, or substituted. The Drawing shall be held on Friday, May 24, 2024, at 7:00 pm PDT at Secretary's office, Carnation, WA.

**AKC Licensed HERDING TESTS/TRIALS**  
**Friday: June 07, 2024, Saturday: June 08, 2024, Sunday: June 09, 2024**  
**Evergreen State Shetland Sheepdog Club**



**Event Location: Galt Farm**  
28119 SE 216<sup>th</sup> St Maple Valley, WA 98038-7701 • Melinda@FlyingLatte.com

**Livestock**

**Sheep** (3-5 head) **hair and hair/wool crosses**; **Ducks** (5 head)  
**Test sheep** are **not** heavy, but they are dog-broke

**Event No. 2024095805**

**Friday: June 07, 2024** • **Judge:** Nancy Ward, AKC# 64562  
**Course A** (Advanced, Intermediate & Started): **Sheep** (Entry Limit 12), **Ducks** (Entry Limit 6)  
**Tests: HT/PT Sheep only** (Entry Limit 3)

**Event No. 2024095806**

**Saturday: June 08, 2024** • **Judge:** Craig Watson, AKC# ZD896  
**Course A** (Advanced, Intermediate & Started): **Sheep** (Entry Limit 12), **Ducks** (Entry Limit 6)  
**Tests: HT/PT Sheep only** (Entry Limit 3)

**Event No. 2024095809**

**Sunday: June 09, 2024** • **Judge:** Connie Gohl, AKC# 45523  
**Course A** (Advanced, Intermediate & Started): **Sheep** (Entry Limit 12), **Ducks** (Entry Limit 6)  
**Tests: HT/PT Sheep only** (Entry Limit 3)

## **Officers and Board of the E.S.S.S.C. for 2024**

**President** - Greg Parnell

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### **COMMITTEE – ESSSC**

**Trial Chair:** Lynn Erckmann

26 Bridlewood Circle Kirkland, WA 98033

Phone: 425 827 6595 ● Email: [Lynn.Erckmann@gmail.com](mailto:Lynn.Erckmann@gmail.com)

### **ESSSC Trial Committee Members**

Carla Ritchie, Vicki Chalk, Dee French, Gloria Newby, Larry Newby, Greg Parnell, Betty Talley, Donna Sand, and Vicki Hurley

**Trial Secretary:** Trish Rohner

31423 NE 108<sup>th</sup> St Carnation, WA 98014-9731

Cell\*\*: 206 992 4165 ● Email: [TArohner@yahoo.com](mailto:TArohner@yahoo.com)

\*\* If you call and I don't answer PLEASE leave a message. I will return your call.

### **ENTRY FEES**

Make checks payable to: **ESSSC**

Checks or money orders must be in US Dollars.

Fee includes a \$3.50 AKC recording fee.

**HT/PT - \$35.00**

**Course A Ducks and Sheep - \$50.00**

**Mail Entries to:** Trish Rohner

31423 NE 108<sup>th</sup> St Carnation, WA 98014-9731

Entries must be received by Trial Secretary by 6:00 pm PDT, Wednesday, May 22, 2024.

**Shetland Sheepdog entries take precedence over other breed entries.**

Important: Waiver/Agreement form, on the bottom of entry, must be signed.

**Please submit a SEPARATE entry form for each dog.**

## TROPHIES AND RIBBONS

A dog must qualify to receive any trophy/prize.

First Place - Blue Rosette  
Second Place - Red Rosette  
Third Place - Yellow Rosette  
Fourth Place - White Rosette  
Fifth Place - Pink Rosette

High-in-Trial - Rosette, Stuffed Lamb Dog Toy  
Reserve High-in-Trial – Rosette, Stuffed Lamb Dog Toy  
All Qualifiers in the Herding Test and Pre-Trial Test - Green and White Rosettes  
All Qualifying Scores in the Herding Trial - Dark Green Rosette

### Special Awards

High Scoring Sheltie (Friday) - Rosette, Herding Motif Photo Frame donated by Peggie Venemon  
High Scoring Sheltie (Saturday) - Rosette, Stuffed Lamb Toy  
High Scoring Sheltie (Sunday) - Rosette, Stuffed Lamb Toy  
High Scoring Corgi (Pembroke/Cardigan) – Rosette, Glassware  
High Scoring Belgian Sheepdog – Rosette, Stuffed Lamb Toy  
High Combined Score Sheep & Ducks - Rosette, Stuffed Lamb Toy

All Stuffed Lamb Toys generously donated by Jill Miller, Reverie Belgian Sheepdogs

## TROPHY DONATIONS

**Any, and all, donations for trophies or rosettes will be greatly appreciated.** All donors will be acknowledged in the show catalog. Deadline to be in the catalog is Thursday, May 26, 2024. To make a specific pledge, mail your donation payable to ESSSC. Questions? Mail or email Lynn Erckmann at 26 Bridlewood Circle Kirkland, WA 98033  
Phone: 425 827 6595 ● Email: [Lynn.Erckmann@gmail.com](mailto:Lynn.Erckmann@gmail.com)

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## EMERGENCY VETERINARIANS

### Not on Call

BluePearl Pet Hospital Renton  
4208 Lind Ave. SW  
Renton, WA 98057  
425 496 1000

BluePearl Pet Hospital Tacoma  
2510 84th St. S, Ste. 30D  
Lakewood, WA 98499  
253 474 0791

## ACCOMMODATIONS and FOOD

A potluck is planned on site, or you can bring your own food and beverages.  
Restaurants and fast food are within reasonable distance of site.

There are no motels in the Maple Valley area.  
The closest motels are in Auburn, Kent, Issaquah, Puyallup, and Federal Way.

If you have accommodation questions, please contact Melinda Galt.  
Email: [Melinda@FlyingLatte.com](mailto:Melinda@FlyingLatte.com)

## Exhibitor Property Entry to Galt Farm

10:15 am

## DIRECTIONS to Show Site

*From I-90 West Bound:* Hwy 18 exit, go toward Auburn/Maple Valley, take Issaquah-Hobart Road exit; go south. Issaquah-Hobart Road turns into 276<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE; turn left 216<sup>th</sup> (dead end road). Trial site will be on the right.

*From I-5 or SR 167:* Take Hwy exit 18 (toward Auburn/Black Diamond). Stay on Hwy 18 to 244<sup>th</sup> in Maple valley, turn right onto 244<sup>th</sup> (stop sign at bottom of off ramp); go to SE 216<sup>th</sup> St. (first cross street & a stop sign), turn left. At the "T" intersection (276<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE) turn left; turn right almost immediately onto 216<sup>th</sup> (dead end road). Trial site will be on the right.

*From South of Tacoma:* I-5 to 512 to Hwy 167 to Hwy 18 (toward Auburn/Black Diamond). Stay on Hwy 18 to 244<sup>th</sup> in Maple valley, turn right onto 244<sup>th</sup>; go to 216<sup>th</sup> (stop sign), turn left. At the "T" intersection go to SE 216<sup>th</sup> St. (stop sign), turn left. At the "T" intersection (276<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE) turn left; turn right almost immediately onto 216<sup>th</sup> (dead end road). Trial site will be on the right.

*From Issaquah & I-90 East Bound:* Exit at Issaquah Front Street which becomes Issaquah Hobart Road. Continue driving on this road (South) towards Maple Valley. Cross under Hwy 18 – Issaquah Hobart turns into 276<sup>th</sup> Ave SE – turn left onto 216<sup>th</sup> (dead end road). Trial site will be on the right.

## NOTICES regarding any Special Covid Measures

Please consult

<https://kingcounty.gov/depts/health/covid-19/current-guidance.aspx>

## ENTRY NOTICES

### **Shetland Sheepdog entries take precedence over other breed entries.**

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 form are NOT acceptable.

All trophies MUST be claimed the day of the trial.

Exhibitors are responsible for always keeping their dogs under control 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 Evergreen State Shetland Sheepdog Club, 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. ESSSC, 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 no shade for vehicles. Bring your own shade for your dog and please, pick up after 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.

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 \$15.00 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 if 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 brought 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 at testers/judges may use a trained backup dog in settling or controlling the stock.

Entries for a Herding Test 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 mailed 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.

The American Kennel Club will issue a Herding Tested (Pre-Trial Test) certificate to an eligible dog, and will permit the use of the letters HT (PT) after the name of the dog that has been certified by two different judges to have qualified by passing two licensed or member club Herding Tests (Pre-Trial Tests).

The American Kennel Club will issue a Herding Started (Herding Intermediate) [Herding Excellent] certificate for an eligible dog, and will identify the titlist by the use of the letters HS (HI) [HX] after the name of the dog in all official AKC records, once the dog has been certified by three different judges to have received qualifying scores in Started (Intermediate) [Advanced] classes at three licensed or member herding trials.

Until specified otherwise in the Herding Regulations, the requirements that a dog must earn a title in order to enter the next highest class are waived. An owner may enter a dog in any trial class he or she deems appropriate. However, once a dog has acquired a qualifying score in an upper class at a licensed or member trial, it shall be ineligible for entry in any lower class.

REMEMBER: You must make out a SEPARATE ENTRY BLANK for EACH CLASS for EACH DOG. Entries must be on the enclosed entry blank or a reasonable facsimile thereof.

**Junior Handling** is now available in performance events. As explained to us, the junior handler must handle his/her own dog or the dog of a family member. Junior handler *competes in the regular classes* and if he/she qualifies a special form is completed and signed by the judge and sent to AKC. If the junior handler qualifies the dog to its title, he/she will receive recognition from AKC.

**OFFICIAL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB ENTRY FORM**

AKC Licensed Herding Test/Trial **June 2024**

**Evergreen State Shetland Sheepdog Club**

28119 SE 216<sup>th</sup> Maple Valley, WA 98038

**Entry Fees:** \$35.00 HT/PT, \$50 Course A Ducks & Sheep

<input type="checkbox"/> Fri, 06/07, Event #2024095805	<b>Test:</b> Check Class <input type="checkbox"/> HT <input type="checkbox"/> PT	<b>Trial:</b> Check only <b>one</b> under each Course <b>Sheep A Course:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> -Started <input type="checkbox"/> -Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> -Advanced <b>Duck A Course:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> -Started <input type="checkbox"/> -Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> -Advanced
<input type="checkbox"/> Sat, 06/08, Event #2024095806	<b>Test:</b> Check Class <input type="checkbox"/> HT <input type="checkbox"/> PT	<b>Trial:</b> Check only <b>one</b> under each Course <b>Sheep A Course:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> -Started <input type="checkbox"/> -Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> -Advanced <b>Duck A Course:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> -Started <input type="checkbox"/> -Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> -Advanced
<input type="checkbox"/> Sun, 06/09, Event #2024095809	<b>Test:</b> Check Class <input type="checkbox"/> HT <input type="checkbox"/> PT	<b>Trial:</b> Check only <b>one</b> under each Course <b>Sheep A Course:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> -Started <input type="checkbox"/> -Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> -Advanced <b>Duck A Course:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> -Started <input type="checkbox"/> -Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> -Advanced

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PLEASE COMPLETE A SEPARATE ENTRY FORM FOR EACH DOG. No dog may be entered in two classes the same day on the same course with the same kind of stock and under the same judge at any test/trial. A dog must be entered in the name of the person who owned the dog at the time the entries for the Herding Test or Trial closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner, it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any Herding Trial or Test for which entries closed after the date of acquisition, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog has been recorded in his or her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to AKC (for complete rules, refer to Chapter 14, Section 3, of "Rules Applying to Registration and Dog Shows.")

**I enclose entry fees in the amount of: \$** \_\_\_\_\_ **Handler of Dog:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Breed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sex:**  M  F

**Junior Handler:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Jr. ID#** \_\_\_\_\_

**Full Name of Dog:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Call Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dogs Place of Birth**  USA  Canada  Foreign (Country) \_\_\_\_\_

**AKC #** \_\_\_\_\_ **PAL/ILP #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Foreign Reg. #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Breeder** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sire** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dam** \_\_\_\_\_

**Actual Owner(s)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available on the American Kennel Club website: [www.akc.org](http://www.akc.org)

**Waiver Form/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 the time of this event, and any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list of this event and entry form and any decision made in accord with them. I (we) agree that the club holding this event has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. 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 provider 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 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 person. 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) agree that the determination of whether the injury is serious shall be made by the event veterinarian and is binding on me (us). **I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND THE EVENT-GIVING CLUB (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN THIS 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 ARBITRATION 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 of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Alternate Email:** \_\_\_\_\_