



PREMIUM LIST

German Shepherd Dog Club of Minneapolis/St. Paul

NEW LOCATION!! NEW DATES!!

HERDING TESTS AND TRIALS

Licensed by the American Kennel Club
4th Annual

SATURDAY, September 22, 2012

EVENT # 2012199808 and # 2012199809

Judge: Marie-Paule Gherardi

Entry Limit: 50 runs (35 sheep and 15 duck runs)

SUNDAY, September 23, 2012

EVENT # 2012199810 and # 2012199811

Judge: Joel Levinson

Entry Limit: 50 runs (35 sheep and 15 duck runs)

Preference given to German Shepherd Dogs on both days.

TRIAL HOURS 7:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M. OR CONCLUSION OF TRIALS SATURDAY/SUNDAY

Trial Location: Polly Simpson Farm, 1479 - 200th Avenue, New Richmond, WI 54017

These trials will be held outdoors.

Entries Open: August 1, 2012

ENTRIES CLOSE 6:00 PM CDT, WEDNESDAY, September 5, 2012, at Secretary's office, after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules. All entries received after numerical limits reached will be placed on an alternates' list in the order received. Drawing will be held at 2:00 PM Friday, September 7, 2012, at Secretary's office.

Please waive signature requirements on all forms of delivery.

Mail requiring signatures will be returned to sender.



This trial is open to all eligible dogs according to Ch. 1, § 3, of the AKC Herding Regulations. Eligible breeds: http://www.akc.org/events/herding/eligible_breeds.cfm. Breeds not registerable with the AKC are NOT eligible to enter.

CERTIFICATION: Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under AKC Rules and Regulations. James P. Crowley, Secretary.



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HERDING TRIAL COMMITTEE

Trial Chair - Virginia Bailey, 274 Scout Camp Road, Houlton, WI 54082; telephone: (715) 549-6365;
email: agility_gage@hotmail.com
Committee members:...Eileen Varhalla, Pamela Magadance, Laurie McDermid, Jean Melin, Sandy Heinz
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TRIAL SECRETARY

Judith Morin, c/o 274 Scout Camp Road, Houlton, WI 54082; 715-549-6365; e-mail: agility_gage@hotmail.com

JUDGES

Marie-Paule Gherardi (#15662) 31027 Saddleback Road, Valley Center, CA 92082
Saturday: A Sheep all classes, A & B Ducks all classes and Herding Test classes
Joel Levinson (#ZH872) 17420 Hemmingway St, Northridge, CA 91325
Sunday: A Sheep all classes, A & B Ducks all classes and Herding Test classes

LIVESTOCK

SHEEP – Cross bred sheep (value \$150/head) 3 head of stock per run for Tests & Trials
DUCKS – Gold Star Hybrids (value \$35/head) 5 head per run

VETERINARIAN—On Call

Countryside Veterinary Clinic, 1231 Knowles Avenue, New Richmond, WI 54017; (715) 246-5606.
Directions from the trial site: turn left (west) onto 200th Avenue. Turn left (south) on to Highway 65. When Highway 65 crosses Highway 64, (stop light there) it also becomes Knowles Avenue. The vet clinic is on the right hand side one block south of the stop light.

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW SITE

FROM Stillwater, MN: (About 1/2 hour). Take MN-36E crossing into WI. In WI, Highway 36 joins with WI-64E. Follow 64E until you come to Highway 65. Turn left (north) onto 65. Go 1.1 miles to 200th Avenue. Turn right (east) on 200th and go about 0.8 miles to the farm on the right. 1479 - 200th Avenue.

FROM WI I-94: Take I-94 east to Highway 65 (also the exit for Roberts). Go north (through New Richmond to Highway 64 - about 13 miles). Cross Highway 64 and stay on Highway 65. Go 1.1 miles to 200th Avenue. Turn right (east) on 200th and go about 0.8 miles to the farm on the right. 1479 - 200th Avenue.

MOTELS

Please make sure that you pick up after your dogs so that these hotels will continue to accept dogs. Some restrictions may apply. Check with hotels regarding rates & dog policy when making reservations.

AmericInn® New Richmond, 1020 South Knowles Avenue, New Richmond, WI 54017.....(715) 246-3993
Block of rooms reserved until August 31 at \$77 under GSDC of Mpls/St. Paul
Super 8 New Richmond, 1561 Dorset Lane, Hwy 65 South, New Richmond, WI 54017.....(715) 246-7829
Block of rooms reserved until August 31 at \$64 under GSDC of Mpls/St. Paul
Super 8 Stillwater/St Paul, 2190 W Frontage Rd., Stillwater, MN 55082.....(715) 430-3990

All owners/exhibitors should be aware that the entire motel and grounds are considered within the trial limits. You will be responsible for all damage to your room and may be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the rules of the AKC. Any abuse of the motel/adjoining grounds will be brought to the attention of the show giving club and its Trial Committee. Any exhibitor's entries may be refused for previous misuse of the motel facilities.

TEST CLASSES OFFERED
Herding Test and Pre-Trial Test – Sheep

TRIAL CLASSES OFFERED
Course A sheep: Started, Intermediate, Advanced
Course A ducks: Started, Intermediate, Advanced
Course B ducks: Started, Intermediate, Advanced
Length of outruns for Course B: started – 60 feet; intermediate – 75 feet; and advanced – 100 feet.

ENTRY FEES

\$50 per dog per Course A Sheep run per day
\$45 per dog per Course A & B Ducks run per day
\$50 per dog per Herding Test per day
(Fees include \$3.50 AKC recording fees for each dog)

Entries received without correct fees will be returned.

Make checks payable to GSDC-MSP (returned check charge is \$25). All entries must be submitted on official AKC entry forms, one dog per entry form. Photocopies of entries without the AKC agreement attached are NOT acceptable. Unsigned, incomplete or illegible entries are NOT acceptable and cannot be entered in the trial. (AKC Rule CH 14, Sec 4) Faxed entries and/or credit cards cannot be accepted. **Livestock must be selected when choices are offered.**

Entries for Exhibition Only are accepted. Entry fees are the same as listed above. Closing date is September 5, 2012 at 6:00pm CDT.

MAIL ENTRIES WITH FEES TO:

Judith Morin, Trial Secretary, c/o 274 Scout Camp Road, Houlton, WI 54017
(715) 549-6365 - email: agility_gage@hotmail.com

A pot luck Lunch at the show site is planned. Please send a note with your entry to let us know what you plan to bring.

Beverages will be available.

RIBBONS AND AWARDS - Qualifying Score Required for all Awards

Trial Classes Sheep and Ducks

1st Place.....	Blue Ribbon	5th place.....	Pink Ribbon
2nd Place.....	Red Ribbon	Qualifying Score	Dark Green Ribbon
3rd Place.....	Yellow Ribbon	High in Trial.....	Blue, Red & Yellow Rosette
4th Place.....	White Ribbon	Reserve High in Trial.....	Red, Yellow & White Rosette

Test Classes

Qualifying ScoreDark Green Ribbon

SPECIAL AWARDS

High in Trial.....	Gift card
Reserve High in Trial.....	Gift card
New Title Completion.....	Purple & White Rosette
1st Place in Class.....	Saturday - leash; Sunday - grooming tools
2nd thru 5th place in class.....	Dog Toy or other item
Qualifying Score in Test Classes.....	Dog Toy or other item

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Highest Scoring GSD in Trial.....	Rosette
Highest Scoring Breed Champion.....	Rosette
Highest Scoring Dog with an AKC performance Title in Obedience, Rally, Tracking, or Agility.....	Rosette
Highest Scoring Veteran Dog.....	Rosette

Donated By Pamela Magadance and Kubistraums Othello, BN, GN, CDX, RE, NAP, JHD, HSAAs

All trophies and awards must be claimed at the show. No trophies will be mailed. The show-sponsoring club reserves the right to substitute trophies with ones of equal or greater value

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

The Trial Site will be available to exhibitors from 7A.M. until 1 hour after conclusion of events. Dogs must be removed from the trial site immediately following conclusion of trials on Saturday and Sunday, September 22 and 23, 2012.

Exhibitors must have ***proof of current rabies vaccine*** available. (WI state law.) These trials will be held outdoors. Please bring shade tents, chairs, crates, and water for your dogs and clean up tools.

The safety of the dogs and the stock are our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all requirements safely.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent unless the dog is replaced by an alternate from the alternate list. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee. Refunds will be given to alternates unable to run.

No entry fees will be refunded if the trials cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an act of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee. The sponsoring club reserves the right to cancel these trials in the event of extreme weather conditions, and no entry fee refunds will be made in such case.

Owners are responsible for errors on completed entry forms, whoever may make such errors, and no entry fee will be refunded in event of such errors or cancellation of entries after the published closing date. Changes, additions or corrections to entry forms must be received in writing or email prior to close of entries. Those received by telephone are not acceptable.

Telephone, email and unsigned entries **cannot** be accepted. Entries not on an Official AKC Entry Form and photocopies of entry forms without the Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC Form are **Not** acceptable. Post-dated and returned checks do not constitute a valid entry. A collection fee will be added to the amount of each returned check. No refund for duplicate entries. Care will be taken to find duplicates; however, if an entry has been processed, no refund will be made.

No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Bitches in season will be allowed in these Trials. They will run at the end of the class for the test classes but will run in catalog order in the trial classes. Please notify the Trial Secretary if your bitch is in season.

No alcoholic beverages are allowed on the trial site.

It is expressly understood that exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dog and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Trial Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. There will be no refunds of entry fees if a person is asked to leave the trial site.

No dogs under 6 months of age are permitted on the trial grounds.

Exhibitors alone are responsible for being at the trial arena gate when it is their turn to run. Judges are not required to wait for any dog. Exhibitors should follow their veterinarian's recommendation to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

Management is not responsible for the loss of, damage to, or death of any dog exhibited, or for the possessions of any participant, whether the result of accident or any other cause. It is expressly understood that every dog at the show is in the care and custody and control of his owner or handler during the entire time the dog is on the show premises.

The German Shepherd Dog Club of Minneapolis & St. Paul, the show secretary, their agents, employees, etc., assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by spectators, exhibitors, handlers, their employees or children, etc., or to any of their dogs or property. Entrants and spectators to this show do so entirely at their own risk.

The German Shepherd Dog Club of Minneapolis & St. Paul does not agree to arbitrate claims as set forth on the Official AKC Entry Form for these events. This show is governed by the American Kennel Club. Exhibitors should read the AKC agreement on the entry blank in the Premium List. The Regulations for Herding Trials are available from the AKC at 8051 Arco Corporate Drive, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27617-3390 or www.akc.org. All AKC Rules of Conduct will be strictly enforced.

***VERBAL AND/OR PHYSICAL ABUSE OF
ANY ANIMAL WILL NOT BE TOLERATED!***

Website for the German Shepherd Dog Club of Minneapolis and St. Paul is - www.gsdcmsp.org

AKC Rules, Regulations, Policies and Guidelines are available
on the American Kennel Club website: <http://www.akc.org>

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 to be 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 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, howsoever 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 other persons.

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 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.

<p align="center">German Shepherd Dog Club of Minneapolis & St. Paul (check which days you are entering)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Saturday, September 22, 2012 - EVENT # 2012199808 and # 2012199809</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Sunday, September 23, 2012 - EVENT # 2012199810 and # 2012199811</p>	
<p>Location: Polly Simpson Farm 1479 - 200th Avenue New Richmond, WI 54017</p> <p>Make checks payable to GSDC-MSP</p>	<p>Entry fees enclosed \$ _____</p> <p>Fees include \$3.50 AKC recording fee. Mail entries with fees to: Judith Morin, c/o 274 Scout Camp Road Houlton, WI 54017</p>
<p>DUCKS (circle class) \$45 Course/Class: A Started Intermediate Advanced</p>	<p>SHEEP (circle class) \$50 Course/Class: A Started Intermediate Advanced</p>
<p>Course/Class: B Started Intermediate Advanced</p>	<p>TEST CLASSES (circle class) HT PT</p>
<p>Full Name of Dog:</p>	<p>Call Name:</p>
<p>Breed:</p>	<p>Date of Birth:</p>
<p>FOREIGN No. & LIST COUNTRY:</p>	<p>Sex:</p>
<p>AKC No. AKC LITTER No. ILP No FSS No.</p>	<p>Reg. #:</p>
<p>Sire:</p>	
<p>Dam:</p>	
<p>Name of Breeder:</p>	
<p>Actual Owner(s):</p>	
<p>Owner's Address:</p>	
<p>City:</p>	<p>State:</p>
<p>Name of Owner's Agent/Handler:</p>	<p>Zip:</p>
<p>Agent/Handler's Address:</p>	
<p>City:</p>	<p>State:</p>
<p>Signature of owner or his agent duly authorized to make this entry:</p>	<p>Zip:</p>
<p>Telephone:</p>	<p>Email address:</p>