

# May 18-19, 2024 Saturday and Sunday

## Check in begins 7:15 am. New exhibitor/general briefing and class briefing prior to first class start at 8:00 am.

Two days of trials, two trials each day.

All classes offered including Crazy8s each trial.

Outdoor rings under shade cover on raised floors/decks. 10' x 20' blind under shade cover.

Handicap accessibility may be limited.

Move ups are allowed – notify trial secretary.

# Venue location: Verde View Farm 1683 N. Del Rey Ave. in Sanger, CA

DO NOT MAIL ENTRIES TO THIS ADDRESS

This venue is on private property with handicapped accessibility available to most areas. Please contact club for questions/details.

Permission has been granted by the Barn Hunt Association, LLC for the holding of these barn hunt trials under BHA Rules and Regulations which can be viewed at BarnHunt.com.



Trials are open to all breeds and mixes with BHA registration.

Judges:

Saturday (all classes): Terri Hymer (BHAJ-195A) Tollhouse, CA Sunday (all classes): Jen Bailey (BHAJ-200A) Auberry, CA

We will utilize two rings with classes alternating between the two rings.

Ring 1 (indicated as R1) shall run Instinct (trials 1 and 2), Novice (trials 1 and 2), Open (trials 1 and 2), Crazy8s (trial 2), and Senior (trial 2).

Ring 2 (indicated as R2) shall run Crazy8 (trial 1), Senior (trial 1) and Master (trial 1 and 2). (Please note: T1 = trial 1, T2 = trial 2, R1 = ring 1, R2 = ring 2.)

#### CLASS RUN ORDER (each day):

Instinct (T1 – R1), Instinct (T2 – R1), Novice (T1 – R1), Novice (T2 – R1), Crazy8s (T1 - R2), Open (T1 – R1), Open (T2 – R1), Senior (T1 - R2), Crazy 8 (T2 – R1), Master (T1 – R2), Senior (T2 – R1), Master (T2 – R2) Any qualified person may be used to judge Line Drive. Judge's dogs and dogs of Event Officials may run prior to event or in the first blind of their respective entered class. Any Judge of Record at this event may be used as a Load Balancing Judge in any ring. Judges are limited to 8 hours of judging and a maximum run value, which will require this club to limit entries accordingly.

### Entries open 3/1/2024

Entries close 5/9/2024

To enter, use "create mail-in entry" on barnhunt.com or use club's entry from provided.

Late and Day of Show entries will be accepted until trial/judging limits are met.

Entries mailed to: Terri Hymer 34940 Oak Springs Rd. Tollhouse, CA 93667

If entering day of show, entries must be received 30		
minutes prior to trial start.		
Fees for early/late/day of:	Instinct \$15	

Checks made payable to Terri Hymer

Novice, Open: \$20

Trial Committee: Donna Barnes, Olga Pirogova Ann Kizer. Carol Hafner Jen Bailey (when not judging) Terri Hymer (when not judging)

Crazy. Senior, Master: \$25

Trial Chair: Olga Pirogova 6166 E. Cortland Ave., Fresno CA 93727 (559) 347-1285 olgapie@yahoo.com Trial Secretary: Olga Pirogova 6166 E. Cortland Ave., Fresno CA 93727 (559) 347-1285 olgapie@yahoo.com

## **EXHIBITOR INFORMATION**

**VENUE INFORMATION** The venue, Verde View Farm, is private property and a working horse farm. Barns are strictly offlimit to dogs. Fields used for trail trials, trailer parking, horse prep and tie down, are also off-limit to dogs. Information about dog walk areas will be sent to exhibitors prior to the trial and detailed during general briefing. The venue hours are dawn to dusk, exception given to registered overnight guests/campers/RV. **Barn Hunt grounds for this venue** are delineated by the areas shown below: dog potty/walk areas shown in yellow, parking including additional parking and RV parking/dry camp areas shown in green. Red borders to the North (top) and West (left) of the image combined with the property perimeter fence to the East (right) and South (bottom) of the image encompass the full dog-allowed areas.



**ENTRIES** Entry method is mail-in entry received and confirmed via email by Trial Secretary. Online entry is not available. Entries may be sent via email, but do not constitute a valid entry and are not considered complete/valid until payment is received. 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 complete, accompanied by entry fees, and agreement signature to be valid. A returned check does not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$25 fee for all returned checks. All information pertaining to the trial will be sent via email. If entry is received without a valid email, correspondence cannot be sent. It is the entrant/exhibitors responsibility to ensure entry is sent completed and to contact club for entry questions.

**ENTRY CANCELLATION POLICY** Cancellation of entries made in writing to the trial secretary at least 10 days prior to the trial may be given a full refund. Entries cancelled prior to 5 days before the trial may be used as credit for a future trial and must be received in writing by the trial secretary. Entries cancelled without prior notification are considered absent on the day of the trial will be marked as absent and are not subject to refund nor credit.

**TRIAL CANCELLATION POLICY** In the event the trial committee determines that due to weather or other emergency the trial should be cancelled, exhibitors will be offered choice of refund or credit at club's discretion.

**RUN ORDER** The blind assignment will be posted outside the rings each day prior to the trial/class. The run order is subject to change based on changes of entries/dogs, move up/lateral moves. Judges' dogs may be run prior to the start of the class, or at the end of the class. This, too, is subject to change at the discretion of the judge/trial secretary.

**AWARDS** Qualifying ribbons will be awarded for all qualifiers. Award ribbons will be given for 1st through 4th, High in Class and New Title Rosettes will be offered. Special award will be offered for dogs qualifying in both trials in a regular class. Other special awards or trophies may be offered and will be detailed in welcome letter as they are applicable.

**VOLUNTEER WORKERS** We will need volunteers throughout the trial to help with various jobs whether it be a rat wrangler, scribe, or course building. We do offer vouchers in exchange for your volunteer services which may be redeemed for future entries. For workers who pledge to build for a trial day, we do offer compensated entries with notice given prior to the trial date. Thank you in advance!

FOOD There are no food vendors at the venue. Exhibitors are encouraged to bring their own food/water.

**DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE** venue address is 1683 N Del Rey Avenue Sanger, CA. Gated drive with 5 MPH sign. From southbound CA 99, take junction for CA 180 East toward Kings Canyon. Continue on CA 180. Turn left onto Del Ray Avenue. Continue on Del Rey past stop sign on Belmont. Verde View will be on your left - look for green dragon in the field. From northbound CA 99, take junction for CA 41 North toward Yosemite. Then take junction for CA 180 East toward Kings Canyon. Follow above directions.

**BITCHES IN SEASON POLICY** Bitches in season (BIS) MAY compete in barn hunt trials. They will run at the end of each class and be staged separate from other dogs. They must wear pants or britches at all times (including while on course) when not being walked in potty area. Owners of BIS must crate/confine their dogs away from traffic and other dogs and should post "dog in season" signs on their crate/in their area, and potty the dog away from other competitors. Owners of BIS must make their condition known to the trial secretary prior to arrival if possible or upon arrival if prior notice is not possible. They should also make conditions known at trial briefing. Failure to notify the club and competitors of a BIS will result in disqualification and dismissal from show grounds.

**AGGRESSION** Any dog behaving in a threatening or aggressive manner toward another dog or person may be dismissed from the fun test or trial if justification is found to do so by the judge or trial committee. Any dog approaching the ring crew in a threatening manner inside the ring may be dismissed at the judge's discretion. All dogs are expected to be able to work within the closed area with ring crew in proximity. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by decision of the Trial Committee.

**COLLARS AND LEASHES** Electronic collars and devices are not allowed on trial grounds. Head halters are not allowed on trial grounds. At no time should dogs be tied up or otherwise left attached to something other than a human. Dogs may not be brought to the line in any disallowed collar. Approved collars include flat snap or buckle collars of solid construction and leather or nylon leads. Limited slip martingale collars are allowed. Single piece slip collars/leads are allowed. Harnesses, except for head-halter types, are allowed. Dogs MUST run "naked," without a collar/harness. Dogs should be brought to the ring with collars/harnesses that can be quickly removed and replaced.

**ELIMINATION ON COURSE** Elimination on the course will result in 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. Belly bands are not allowed. If a Bitch in Season squats in the ring with the clear motion of peeing, she will be NQ'd and is to be removed even with pants on.

**CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG** Please be considerate about picking up after your dogs and leaving the grounds as you found them. Any exhibitor failing to do so will be excused without benefit of refund and at the discretion of the Trial Committee.

LOUD/DISRUPTIVE DOGS Dogs who are loud and disruptive may be asked to locate away from the rings/crating area and/or staged away from the other dogs getting ready to compete. If you have a vocal dog, it is best to bring this up during the briefing. Assumption of Risk; Owners or handlers participating in a trial do so at their own risk and agree to assume responsibility for damage caused by themselves, or by their dogs and hold the trial club and Barn Hunt Association harmless for any injury sustained by their dog or by a person during the trial. By entering a trial, owners attest that they have read, understand, and will abide by, all Barn Hunt Rules. Reactive dog parking is available although not specifically designated. Exhibitors are advised to seek their own parking with proximity to others of their discretion within

Barn Hunt Grounds limitations and respect to Verde View Farm rules. This trial will not utilize a separate blind for disruptive dogs. The blind utilized will be 10 feet by 20 feet and will use full blind assignments as much as possible. For questions/concerns about your dogs' blind assignments, please speak to Trial Secretary/Trial Committee members prior to your class blind being called. Reasonable requests for accommodation will be considered/honored.

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 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 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 decisions made in accord with them.

LIABILITY WAIVER I (we) acknowledge that if this application for the entry of this dog is made available to me (us) for participation in a Barn Hunt event, that I (we) agree that this facility has the right to refuse the entry of this dog and/or they reserve the right to dismiss the dog and myself for cause which Barn Hunt deems to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this and the opportunity to train my dog(s), I (we) agree to hold Barn Hunt Association, LLC, Verde View Farm, Dynamic Dog Sports, and all associates 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 or dogs while in or upon the premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for such claim, and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for damage or injury to the dog or myself, either physically or mentally, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury, be caused or alleged to be caused by negligence while in or upon the premises of the Barn Hunt grounds. The terms of this agreement bind the parties for the current period of training, and all subsequent classes/training/events in which they hereafter participate.

**MEDIA RELEASE FORM** I hereby authorize the use, reproduction, and/or publishing of photographs and/or video that may pertain to me, including my image, likeness and/or voice without compensation. I understand that this material may be used in various publications, public affairs releases, recruitment materials, the BHA LLC website, Yahoo group, Facebook page or other social media, or for other related endeavors. This authorization is continuous and may only be withdrawn by my specific rescission of this authorization. Consequently, the BHA, LLC or show-giving club may publish materials, use my name, photograph, and/or refer to me in any manner that the Corporation or project sponsor deems appropriate in order to promote/publicize service opportunities.

**COVID-19 RULES AND WAIVER** By submitting an entry, the entrant has also agreed to and submitted the COVID WAIVER. Covid rules pertaining to Barn Hunt can be found at <u>www.barnhunt.com/barnhuntrules</u> if currently applicable.

**COMPETITIOR RULEBOOK** Can be found at <u>www.barnhunt.com/barnhuntrules</u>. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor and all attendees to be knowledgeable of the rules. A copy of the rulebook will be available at the secretary table. The rulebook is a dynamic document and subject to changes/updates at any time. We do our best to have an updated copy available for reference.

EMERGENCY VETERINARIANS	Veterinary Emergency Services 6606 N Blackstone Ave.	Fresno Pet ER 7375 N Palm Bluffs Ave
	Fresno, CA (559) 374-0744	Fresno, CA (559) 437-3766

**ACCOMODATIONS** Entrants must assume full responsibility. Early reservations are recommended. Please check pet policies when making reservations rules are subject to change. BHA rules & common courtesy: you are responsible for picking up after your dogs at the motels & the show site. AirBNB may be available within reasonable drive to the venue site.

LaQuinta – 190 N. 10 <sup>th</sup> Street Fowler, CA	(559) 653-4526
Econo Lodge - 445 N Parkway Drive Fresno, CA	(559) 485-5019
Motel 6 - 1240 N Crystal Ave. Fresno, CA	(559) 237-0855
Days Inn - 4061 N Blackstone Ave. Fresno, CA	(559) 222-5641

**RV RESERVATIONS** RV parking is available by advance arrangement only. Parking is on dirt with easy drive in/out. No hookups are available. No septic dump. Dry camping, self-contained. Overnight parking request form is available on club's website, or you may print and submit the form below with your entries. Important note. Overnight parking payment must be a separate check with appropriate payee name.





Overnight Parking Reservation Form			
Venue location	: 1683 N. Del Rey Ave. Sanger, CA	Overnight parkir	ng is \$25 per night.
Name:			
Address:		City/State:	Zip:
Email:		Phone:	
Vehicle make/mo	del:		Length:
License plate:			
Date arriving:		Date leaving:	
Amount enclosed:	One night \$25 Three nights \$75	Two ni Other:	ights \$75
Checks made payable to:	Kathy R. Pettit		
Mail completed	34940 Oak Springs Rd. Tollhouse, C	A 93667	
form to:			
	5 service charge for returned checks	<b>-</b>	
	rts and Verde View Farms do not ass	ume any responsibility for p	ersonal injury or personal
property damage/loss.			
Please note:  • This is a horse facility. Do not visit the barns, corrals, or arenas.			arenas.
	<ul> <li>Do not approach the horses</li> </ul>	•	
	• Do not pet or feed the horse		
	<ul> <li>There is no smoking anywhe</li> </ul>	-	
<ul> <li>Quiet time is observed from 10pm to 6am. Please no generators during these times.</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Dogs are to be securely contained or on leash at all times.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Dogs are to be kept away from</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>A full refund will be given for cancellations made 2 weeks prior to trial.</li> </ul>			
I acknowledge and respect that overnight reservations are a privilege extended to and offered by Dynamic Dog Sports. Any arguing, abusive language, destructive behavior, or failure to follow the rules may result in forfeiture of all parking privileges without refund of fees and could result in committee hearing and possible dismissal from trial grounds.			
Signature:			Date:



Circle height class:

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## Entries mailed / checks payable to "Terri Hymer" at 34940 Oak Springs Rd. Tollhouse, CA 93667

#### Circle all relevant information.

SATURDAY			
Class	Level	Trial	
Instinct		Trial 1	Trial 2
Novice	A B	Trial 1	Trial 2
Open	A B	Trial 1	Trial 2
Senior	A B	Trial 1	Trial 2
Master	A B/Ch	Trial 1	Trial 2
Crazy8s		Trial 1	Trial 2

SUNDAY			
Class	Level	Trial	
Instinct		Trial 1	Trial 2
Novice	A B	Trial 1	Trial 2
Open	A B	Trial 1	Trial 2
Senior	A B	Trial 1	Trial 2
Master	A B/Ch	Trial 1	Trial 2
Crazy8s		Trial 1	Trial 2

Instinct/Line Drive \$15, Novice/Open \$20, Cz8/Senior/Master \$25	I enclose entry fees in the amount	of: \$
Actual Owner(s)		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Name of owner's agent/handler if different f	rom owner:	
BHA Registration: <b>BH-</b>	Breed	
Registered name of Dog:		
Call name	MaleFema	le DOB

Signature of owner or his agent authorized to make this entry and have read the AGREEMENT/HOLD HARMLESS and MEDIA RELEASE and any applicable waiver as detailed in premium. All attendees (exhibitors or spectators) must return a signed COVID WAIVER by the start of the trial. Parent/Guardian must sign for entry of a junior handler/minor.

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Signature

Height:

inches

Print name

Email

Phone

Date

ENTRIES WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL. PLEASE WRITE YOUR EMAIL CLEARLY. THANK YOU!