

BARN HUNT TRIALS

Friday, June 23, 2017 – 1 Trial **Master Only**
& 1 **Crazy 8's (25 runs max each class)**

Saturday June 24, 2017- 2 Trials All Classes

Sunday June 25, 2017 - 2 Trials All Classes



Town & Country Kennel Club
2507 Fox Creek Road, Bloomington, IL 61701

Open to all Breeds and Mixed Breeds of All Sizes
FIVE Indoor Trials (climate controlled, on rubber mats)

Classes offered each day:

Trial 1 Friday: **Master & Crazy 8's Only**
(Limited to 25 runs each class)

Trial 1 Saturday: Instinct, Novice, Open, Senior, Master

Trial 2 Saturday: Novice, Open, Senior, Master

Trial 1 Sunday: Instinct, Novice, Open, Senior, Master

Trial 2 Sunday: Novice, Open, Senior, Master

Day-to-day and trial-to-trial move ups available.

Three Rings/Three Judges. Ample crating.

Judges: Susan Chapman, Barbara Gibson, Bonnie Gutzwiler

Trial Entry Limits: 120 Runs Per Judge Per Day or 8 hours per day
(except Friday's Master/Crazy 8's Only Trial)

These trials OPEN on Monday, April 10, 2017. Entries will be accepted on a first received basis until entries fill or Friday, June 9, 2017, whichever comes first.

NO DAY OF SHOW ENTRIES OR LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED.

Entry fees per run:

\$18 for Instinct Test; \$20 for Crazy 8's; \$25 for All Other Levels
Volunteer Vouchers must be submitted with entries.

Permission has been granted by the Barn Hunt Association, LLC for the holding of these barn hunt trials under BHA Rules and Regulations.



ENTRY INFORMATION

Dogs are required to have a Barn Hunt Registration Number to show in Barn Hunt.

Register your dog online at: www.barnhunt.com. Allow at least 48 hours to receive a Barn Hunt number. 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*. Dogs earning a title may be moved up to the next class for the following trial. This is up to the handler and not required. Move-ups will be accepted on Saturday up until 10 minutes after the conclusion of the relevant class. Move-up forms will be available at the Secretary's table.

All entries must be accompanied by entry fees to be valid. A returned check does not constitute a valid entry. There will be a \$50 fee for all returned checks. No entries will be taken over the phone or electronically.

EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

Make check payable to TCKC. Send entries & fees to the trial secretary at Shelley Marvin, Trial Secretary, 1225 Newcastle Drive, Bloomington, IL 61704.

Trial Officials:

Trial committee members:	Shelley Marvin, Pat Griffith, Nancy Miles, Betsy Goebel, Carol Walker, Diana Krieg, Barb Baird, Kay Richardson
Trial Secretary/Chair:	Shelley Marvin 1225 Newcastle Drive, Bloomington, IL 61704 309-830-3932 agilitymom62@yahoo.com

Veterinarians:

Highland Pet Hospital, 118 Greenwood Ave, Bloomington, 309-828-7722

Emergency Vet. Animal Emergency Clinic, 2505 E. Oakland Ave, Bloomington, 309-665-5020

Hotels/Motels that will accept dogs and are 10-20 minutes from the site. Owners must assume full responsibility. Early reservations are recommended.

BHA rules & common courtesy: you are responsible for picking up after your dogs at the motels & the show site.



HOTELS:

Days Inn (formerly LaQuinta), 505 Brock Dr, Bloomington, IL, 309-828-6000
Country Inn & Suites, 923 Maple Hill Rd, Bloomington, IL, 309-828-7177
Baymont Inn, 604 1-2 IAA Drive, Bloomington, IL, 309-662-2800
Red Roof Inn, 1905 W. Market St., Bloomington, IL, 309-827-5333
Kamp Comfort (RVs) 21408 N 600 East Rd, Carlock, IL 309-376-4411

DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE

From North, West & East: From I-74/I-55, take Exit 134B to S. Veterans Pkwy.

From South: From I-55, take Exit 157B to S. Veterans Pkwy.

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Turn left onto Fox Creek Road. Go 8/10ths of a mile to TCKC (two beige and brown steel buildings on right). Overnight parking at the site is NOT permitted.

Please be aware of the rules for Barn Hunt trials. Rules may be found at www.BarnHunt.com. Please pick up after your dog and dispose of waste in appropriate containers. Please do not allow your dog to eliminate on landscaping.

Friday: Doors Open 2:00 PM CHECK IN: 2:15 PM GENERAL BRIEFING: 2:45 PM, Judges' Briefing to Follow. First dog on the line at 3:00 PM in Master. Crazy 8's commences immediately following the conclusion of Master.

Saturday & Sunday:

Doors Open 8:00 AM CHECK IN: 8:15 AM GENERAL BRIEFING: 8:30 AM Judges' Briefing to Follow. First dog on the line at 9:00 AM

RUNNING ORDER/SCHEDULE: Dogs will be run in staged groups of 5, except Master class, which will be determined after closing date, with dogs being handled by the same person separated into different groups.

Depending on entries, classes may be split or load balanced by Judges of Record to maximize efficiency of judging.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS:

Dogs 13" and under, small Dogs 13.1 to 18", medium Dogs over 18", large

AWARDS: Rosettes will be awarded for first through fourth place in Novice, Open, Senior and Master classes in each height division. Ribbons will be awarded for all qualifiers in the regular classes and the Instinct Test. High in Class rosettes will be offered in Novice, Open, Senior, and Master classes. New Title rosettes will be awarded.

These trials will be held indoors in a climate-controlled facility. Ample indoor crating space available. **Please bring adequate water for you and your dogs.** Bring a crate for your dog during times the dog may need to be left unattended. Loud and disruptive dogs may be asked to locate away from the rings/crating area and/or staged away from other dogs getting ready to compete. NO SMOKING allowed at trial site. There are four indoor restrooms available at the site.

Bitches in season are eligible for entry, but will be required to be kept separate from all other dogs and will be run in panties at the end of their class. Entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded until June 9, 2017, if you wish to withdraw. After the trial closes, entry fees will not be refunded. If bringing a bitch in season, please inform the trial committee prior to the trial and inform all exhibitors at the judge's briefing.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused or barred from competition by action of the Trial Committee. No entry will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, acts of God, public emergency, an act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the Trial Committee. Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate and legible information on entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show. Any dog behaving in a threatening or aggressive manner toward another dog or a person may be dismissed from the trial by a judge and/or Trial Committee. Any dog that is sick, injured or lame will be excused from the test grounds, without a refund.

Curbside Grillin' will be on-site Saturday and Sunday with their delicious food offerings. Many fast food restaurants are located within 5-10 minutes of the trial.

VOLUNTEER SIGN UP

Volunteers are the backbone of any Barn Hunt Trial. We need all hands to make a trial work. We will make sure you get adequate time to walk your dog before you run. We want everyone to have a pleasant experience running in Barn Hunts while at the same time helping to make the trial run smoothly. We'll make sure you are instructed on how to do a job, and it's actually fun. You will learn a lot!

You will receive a voucher for \$5 off an upcoming TCKC Barn Hunt trial for volunteering!

Please check the jobs you would be happy to do!			
JOB	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
YOUR NAME:			
Scribe			
Blind Steward			
Leash/Sheet Runner			
Inside Rat Wrangler			
Outside Rat Wrangler			
Course Builder			
DOG NAME(s):	DOG SIZE: S, M or L	DOG CLASS: Instinct, N, O, S or M	
Dog 1.			
Dog 2.			
Dog 3.			

Please include this form with your entry!

