

Music City Dog Sports, LLC

December 8, 9, & 10, 2023

LC MUSIC CITY DOG SPORTS

Trial Site: 3337 Beech Log Road, Watertown, TN 37184

Judge: Lynsey Fuegner, (BHAJ-253A) Maryville, IL

Permission has been granted by the Barn Hunt Association, LLC to hold these barn hunt tests under BHA rules and regulations.

There will be a lunch break at the judges' discretion.

Entries Open: October 27, 2023 at 10:00pm Entries Closes : November 28, 2023

Entries will be accepted in order of receipt. All entries must be accompanied by entry fees to be valid. There will be a \$25.00 fee for all returned checks. Judges are limited to 8 hours of judging and a maximum run value, which will require this club to limit entries accordingly. Late and/or Day of Show entries are not a guaranteed entry and will be accepted only up to Judging limits. Confirmations will not be sent for late entries. Any Judge of Record at this Event may be used in any ring. Qualifying scores will show the Judge who designed the Course.

Entries will be accepted in the following ways:

- 1. Online Entry via MCDS web site: www.musiccitydogsports.com/events
- 2. Complete the entry form and email it to <u>happydogkn@gmail.com</u>, payment must be received within 24 hour via PayPal for entry to be valid: PayPal email: <u>happydogkn@gmail.com</u>
- 3. Mail in paper entry and a paper check using the attached entry form, or the BHA generated entry.

Trial Secretary: Kristy Netzer, 1002 Stratton Road, Ashland City, TN 37015 happydogkn@gmail.com

Trial Chair: Erik Netzer, 1002 Stratton Road, Ashland City, TN 37015 <u>Netzer916@gmail.com</u> Trial Committee: Julia Johnson, Stephanie Sefcik, Eliane Nichols

Dogs must be individually registered with the Barn Hunt Association to enter this trial <u>http://barnhunt.com/register-your-dog/</u>

Schedule

7:30am – Facility opens (please do not arrive prior to 7:30am)
8:00 am – Check-in – General Briefing
8:30 am – Judging begins.

Class Order

Friday – Instinct, Novice, Open, Crazy 8's, Senior, Masters Saturday - Masters, Senior, Crazy 8's, Open, Instinct, Novice Sunday – Instinct, Novice, Open, Crazy 8's, Senior, Masters

Fees

Instinct (\$15.00) Novice (\$20.00) Open (\$25.00) Senior (\$30.00) Master (\$30.00) Crazy 8's (\$30.00) Late and DOS entries are accepted unless entry limits have been reached for an additional fee of \$5.00 per run.

This trial is at a working farm with Cattle, Sheep, and Chickens. Please do not allow your dog to harass the animals and do not allow them in any of the animal enclosures. Failure to comply and you may be expelled from the property.

Move Ups: Move-ups will be possible between tests, on the same day (Friday and Sunday), and from day to day.

Class Descriptions: For full description see http://www.barnhunt.com/forms/barnhuntrules.pdf

Notice to Participants

It is expressly understood that participants alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any participant whose dog and/or children create an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the event committee, be asked to leave the event site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. Kristy Netzer, Michael Shirley and its agents, employees, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by participants or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children.

Kristy Netzer reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog because dog or human aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against Kristy Netzer or Michael Shirley or any official thereof.

Exhibitor Information

Dogs must be leashed or crated when not actively working. Please pick up after your dog and dispose of waste in appropriate containers outside the building.

Ring Information/Location:

All classes will be under cover inside an open barn. The flooring is dirt. The rings will be enclosed by 5' walls and 4' lattice fencing.

Blind:

The blind is located inside the barn on astroturf.

Handlers are expected to be in or near the blind area so they can get into the blind as soon as the last dog in the blind enters the ring. We will not hold up a blind unless a handler was working in the ring. We ask that handlers not work the ring before their blind unless we are desperate for help. There will be 5-6 dogs per blind for Novice/Open and Crazy 8's. Senior will have 5, and Masters will have 4. **Safety:** At all times, the safety of the dogs, handlers, and rats is to be of paramount importance. Rats will be humanely handled and safety confined in aerated PVC tubes; Barn Hunt is not intended to harm or kill rats.

Crating: There is limited crating in a few horse stalls in the barn and you can crate in the building on the foam matting at one end of the barn. Most participants crate out of their vehicles.

Leashes and Collars: Flexi-leads are forbidden inside the buildings. Electronic collars/devices and head halters are not allowed.

Collars in the Ring: Dogs may not be brought to the gate in any disallowed collar or on a Flexi-lead. Dogs MUST run "naked," without a collar/harness. Dogs should be brought to the ring with collars/harnesses which can be easily and quickly removed and replaced.

Bitches in season: Are eligible for entry but will be required to be kept separate from all other dogs and will run at the end of their class/trial. Entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded until the closing time if you wish to withdraw. If bringing a bitch in season, please inform the trial secretary prior to the trial.

Refunds: No event fee will be refunded if the event cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, and act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the event committee. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee.

Refunds are ONLY allowed if requested before the closing date.

Payment and Forms: All entry forms are required to have all information completed including the Barn Hunt number; height; signature, etc. Payment must be sent at the same time. Incomplete forms, nonpayment and returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. There is a \$25.00 returned check fee.

Overnight Accommodations

RV's/Trailers: There is no overnight parking permitted at the site.

Cedars of Lebanon State Park	Lebanon, TN	615-443-2769
James E. Ward Agriculture Center	Lebanon, TN	615-449-9077
Nashville East/Lebanon KOA	Lebanon, TN	615-449-5527
Shady Acres RV Park	Lebanon, TN	615-449-5400

Hotels (Please contact hotel directly for pet policy as they are subject to change.)

Lebanon, TN	865-686-2668	
Lebanon, TN	615-443-2769	
Lebanon, TN	615-444-3163	
Lebanon, TN	615-444-1001	
Lebanon, TN	615-470-2224	
Lebanon, TN	615-444-3445	
Lebanon, TN	615-449-2900	
Lebanon, TN	615-470-1001	
Lebanon, TN	615-784-4760	
Lebanon, TN	615-444-7020	
Lebanon, TN	615-444-7400	
Lebanon, TN	615-449-7005	
Lebanon, TN	615-453-9087	
Mt. Juliet, TN	615-553-5900	
Mt. Juliet, TN	615-637-0400	
Mt. Juliet, TN	615-288-1065	
Mt. Juliet, TN	615-773-3600	
Mt. Juliet, TN	615-622-8001	
	Lebanon, TN Lebanon, TN Mt. Juliet, TN Mt. Juliet, TN Mt. Juliet, TN	

Awards: Ribbons will be awarded for all qualifiers in the regular classes and the Instinct Test. Rosettes will be awarded for first through fourth place in Novice through Master in each height division. Title ribbons will also be provided. High In Class for both A and B will be provided.

RATCH – If you anticipate that you might earn your RATCH title at our trial, please let the trial secretary know at least 3 weeks in advanced and we will order a custom rosette with the colors of your choosing and with your dogs' name printed on the streamer. We also have non-customized RATCH ribbons available.

Volunteers: Volunteers are always helpful and appreciated.

Emergency Veterinarian: Animal Medical Center, LLC, 234 River Rock Road, Murfreesboro, TN Phone: (615) 867-7575

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Make checks payable to: Kristy Netzer

Mail to: Kristy Netzer, 1002 Stratton Road, Ashland City, TN 37015 Entries accepts on a first come/first served basis. Email confirmations will be sent.

Dog's Registration Number:		Owner's Name			
Dog's Name:		Handler Name (If different)			
Dog's Registered Name:		Mailing Address:			
Breed:		Phone:			
Date of Birth:		Email (Required):			
Dog's Height at Withers:	S (15" and under)	M (15.1" to 22")	L (Over 22")		
*All Of these Classes should be entered in the following division		AO	B/Champ O		

Check appropriate boxes below and in classes with divisions (A/B), circle which division you wish to enter. Instinct and Novice may be entered at the same trial. For all other classes, only one class/level per trial is allowed. Only enter the class for which your dog is eligible.

Class	Price	Friday	Friday	Saturday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday	Total
	Per	Trial 1	Trial 2	Trial 3	Trial 4	Trial 5	Trial 6	
	Class							
Instinct	\$15.00	0		0		0		\$
Novice	\$20.00	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	\$
Open	\$25.00	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	\$
Senior	\$30.00	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	\$
Master	\$30.00	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	OA B	\$
Czy 8's	\$30.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$
							Total	
							Enclosed	

Entries will not be considered complete without a completed Release Agreement Form.

*Barn Hunt Registration number required for valid entry. Register your dog online at: <u>www.barnhunt.com</u>. Allow at least two (2) business days to receive a Barn Hunt Number.

RELEASE AGREEMENT FORM

Certification of Agreement upon Registration or Entry of Dog

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 Associations, 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 enclosed 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 any decisions made in accord to them.

Liability Waiver

I (we) agree that Kristy Netzer 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 win prizes, ribbons, and/or trophies, I (we) agree to hold Barn Hunt Association, LLC, Kristy Netzer, Never Go Back Ranch, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, 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 BHA LLC 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 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 there from, 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 cause or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons.

Media Release Form

I hereby authorize club-appointed videographer and/or photographer to use, reproduce, and/or publish 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, the Music City Dog Sports, LLC website, yahoo group or Facebook page, or for related endeavors. This authorization is continuous and may only be withdrawn by my specific rescission of this authorization. Consequently, the BHA, LLC or Kristy Netzer may publish materials, use my name, photograph, and/or make reference to me in any manner that the Corporation or project sponsor deems appropriate in order to promote/publicize service opportunities.

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Date: