**PVSSC HERDING TRIALS: Saturday, October 31, 2015**

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| PVSSC held two herding trials on Saturday at Keepstone Farm in Berryville, VA. In the past we also held trials on Sunday however, we offered our Sunday “date” to the Mattaponi Kennel Club (MKC) under the AKC mentoring program. We had AKC representation both days of trials.  A big “thank you” to PVSSC members who worked at the trial as timers, scribes and to do whatever else needed to be done: Fran Beacham, Debby Lauritzen, Rich Gurney, Donna Richardson, Patrick Keough, Karen Schwartz, Kenny Schwartz and Mike Skoog. To the stock handlers: Tom, Rachel and Caryn. Jack Gurney was the trial secretary and Cathie Skoog the trial chair.  PVSSC members who mentored MKC volunteers were: Cathie Skoog, Mike Skoog, Maribeth Keitz and Dayna Dreger.  We thank our judges Sandra Lindenmuth and Laura Bridges-Noll. And a big “thank you” to Susan Rhoades of Keepstone Farm.  Both trials were 4-point majors and we are thrilled to announce two Herding Championships were earned.  **CONGRATULATIONS - HERDING CHAMPIONS**  **Trial 1: Judge Sandra Lindenmuth**  **Advanced – A Sheep**  **HERDING CHAMPION**  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSC_7776-1.jpg  Bill.jpg  HC Darkside’s Broadway Play Bill – “Bill”  Border Collie  Breeder: Carolyn Kaiser & Kathy Greenwood  Owner & Handler: April Albert |  | **Trial 2: Judge Laura Bridges-Noll**  **Advanced – A Ducks**  **HERDING CHAMPION**  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSC_7741-1.jpg  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\Crash.jpg  HC Crush and Run – “Crash”  Border Collie  Breeder: Susan Rhoades  Owner & Handler: Denise Lodge  Championship points were earned by the following:  Trial 1: Judge Sandra Lindenmuth   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Points | Dog’s Name | Score | Course | | 4 | Kitlecgh Charlie Brown – “Charlie” | 82 | A Ducks | | 3 | Turicks Trifecta – “Ace” | 81 | A Sheep | | 2 | Darkside’s Broadway Play Bill – “Bill” | 81 | A Sheep | | 1 | Dean Dome – “Dean” | 79 | B Sheep |   Trial 2: Judge Laura Bridges-Noll   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Points | Dog’s Name | Score | Course | | 4 | Darkside’s Broadway Play Bill – “Bill” | 88 | A Sheep | | 3 | Jus Dandy Morango Moonglow – “Mora” | 77 | A Ducks | | 2 | Crush and Run – “Crash” | 75.5 | A Ducks | | 1 | Vandys Dungaree Dally – “Dally” | 75 | A Ducks | |

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| **HIGH IN TRIAL: Trial 1: Judge Sandra Lindenmuth**  **C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSC_7774-1 (2).jpgC:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSC_7786-1.jpg**  Started – B Sheep Score: 89.5  Norwoods Good Feeling – “Rush” Border Collie  Breeder: Mark Ford Owner & Handler: Robin Ford  **HIGH IN TRIAL: Trial 2: Judge Laura Bridges-Nol** C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSC_7756-1.jpg https://scontent-iad3-1.xx.fbcdn.net/hphotos-xfa1/v/t1.0-9/12195779_10153213926111361_7113315362031081876_n.jpg?oh=d2db72008e04ff2c1bfd6ef5fc1539b3&oe=56BB5B4D  Started – A Sheep Score: 89.5  M.E. Lou Border Collie  Breeder: Dee Penatzer  Owner: Karen Stinnett Handler: Monroe Williams  **RESERVE HIGH IN TRIAL**  **Trial 1: Judge Sandra Lindenmuth**  **Trial 2: Judge Laura Bridges-Noll**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSC_7753-1.jpg | C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSC_7772-1.jpg |   R C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSC_7807-1.jpg  Started – A Sheep Scores: 88 and 88.5  KV Roy – “Roy”. Border Collie  Breeder: Wayne & Karen Presgraves  Owner & Handler: Lynda Mohr |  | **HIGH SCORING SHELTIES**  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\Storm.jpg  Trial 1: Judge Sandra Lindenmuth  Started-A Ducks Score: 80  Will O’Wisp Frostfire – “Storm”  Shetland Sheepdog  Breeder: Elizabeth Krause, DVM  Owner & Handler: Elizabeth Krause, DVM  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\Dora.jpg  Trial 2: Judge Laura Bridges-Noll  Advanced – B Ducks Score: 77  HC Crush and Run – “Mora”  Shetland Sheepdog  Breeder: Claudia Frank  Owners: Cheryl Sacerich, Ulli Weinrich & Claudia Frank  Handler: Cheryl Sacerich  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2210.JPG C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2221.JPG  Exhibitors Sandra Getz Michael Wilson  and Duane Mohr checking scores  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2227.JPG  Robin Ford and Cheryl Sacerich traveled from Ohio |

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| **PPVSSC DOGS**  Four PVSSC Shelties entered the trials  Ms Bennett.jpg  **Canyonview The Lady Is A Tramp – “Ms. Bennett”**  Earned her Started-A Ducks on Sunday  Over the weekend she placed 2nd, 3rd and 4th,  earning her Started-A Duck Title  Owner & Handler: Dayna Dreger  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2247.JPG  **Taliesin Midnight Train to Georgia – “Savannah”**  Started-A Ducks  Over the weekend placed 1st, 2nd and 3rd  Owner: Cathie Skoog Handler: Susan Rhoades  **Taliesin Good Golly Miss Mollie – “Mollie”**  Intermediate-A Ducks  Didn’t have a good weekend in the ring, but she had fun!  Owner: Cathie Skoog Handler: Susan Rhoades  **Faerie’s Fifth Dimension – “Fiver”**  Advanced-A Sheep  Placed 3 on Sunday  Owner & Handler: Maribeth Keitz  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\Maribeth33.jpg  Maribeth receiving Fiver’s 3rd Place Ribbon |  | C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2220.JPG  Maribeth Keitz and Debbie Laurizen talking with  Clair Apple about her Sheltie pulling a cart  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2219.JPG  Lunch break for PVSSC volunteers Pat Keough and  Ken Schwartz with duck stock handlers Rachel and Caryl  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2231.JPG C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2229.JPG  Carl Gernazio, the Susan Rhoades,  trial photographer Keepstone Farm  C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\2015\PVSSC & MKC Herding Trials, Fall 2015\DSCF2232.JPG  Beth Krause and Laura Gilbert |

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| **Counts by Entries**  **Trial 1:**  **Sandra Lindenmuth**  Started - A - Ducks 7  Intermediate - A - Ducks 1  Advanced - A - Ducks 10  Started - A - Sheep 10  Intermediate - A - Sheep 1  Advanced - A - Sheep 8  Advanced - B - Ducks 2  Started - B - Sheep 1  Intermediate - B - Sheep 1  Advanced - B - Sheep 1  Herding Instinct Test - Sheep 2  Pre-Trial Test - Sheep 4  Total for trial 48  **Trial 2:**  **Laura Bridges-Noll**  Started - A - Ducks 7  Intermediate - A - Ducks 1  Advanced - A - Ducks 10  Started - A - Sheep 10  Intermediate - A - Sheep 1  Advanced - A - Sheep 8  Advanced - B - Ducks 2  Started - B - Sheep 1  Intermediate - B - Sheep 1  Advanced - B - Sheep 1  Herding Instinct Test - Sheep 1  Pre-Trial Test - Sheep 3  Total for trial 46  **Number of Dogs Entered by Breed**  Australian Cattle Dog 3  Australian Shepherd 1  Belgian Malinois 2  Belgian Sheepdog 1  Belgian Tervuren 1  Border Collie 14  Bouvier des Flandres 1  Cardigan Welsh Corgi 2  Collie 6  Samoyed 2  Shetland Sheepdog 9  JAck.jpg  Trial Secretary, Jack Gurney, working from a trailer he  borrowed from his son, Wes. THANK YOU, Wes! |  | **ribbons.jpg**  Putting out Rosettes and Ribbons  herd table.jpg  Lynda Mohr helping Cathie and Mike Skoog with  rosettes and ribbons preparation  **OFFICIAL TRIAL PHOTOGRAPHER**  **C:\Users\Cathie\Pictures\PVSSC Herding Trials, Nov 1 & 2, 2014\Carl G .jpg**  **CARL GERNAZIO**  Voicemail: 1-888-615-4274 Website: [www.cgernazio.smugmug.com](http://www.cgernazio.smugmug.com)  Photos used in this newsletter were  Provided by Carl Gernazio, as well as photos  taken by PVSSC Club Members  and Facebook |



Ms. Bennett and Dayna Dreger in Started-A Ducks