Cindy Meadows 20101 E. Germann Rd. Queen Creek, AZ 85142



DATED MATERIAL

FIRST CLASS

Premium List EVENT #s: 2017685323, 2017685324 AKC Licensed Farm Dog Certification Test



Saturday, April 8 and Sunday, April 9, 2017

PRE-ENTRIES CLOSE: Wednesday, March 29, 2017 6:00 PM MST at Secretary's office.

METHOD OF ENTRY: First received.

DAY OF TEST ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

until the Judge run limit is reached. (7:30-8:00 AM each day) See NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS.

When entry limit is reached, additional entries will be placed on an alternate's list.

DRAWING FOR RUNNING ORDER: Wednesday, March 29, 6:00 PM at Secretary's office. ENTRY LIMIT: Total of 50 runs per day.

This event will be held outdoors regardless of weather at:

Iron Spoon Ranch 7040 W. Baseline Rd. Laveen, AZ 85339



CertificationPermission has been granted by the American KennelClub for the holding of these events under The American KennelClub Rules and Regulations.James P. Crowley, Secretary

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Trial Chairperson	Linda Bruzda, 7040 W. Baseline Rd., Laveen, AZ 85339	602-459-5018
Trial Secretary	Cindy Meadows, 20101 E. Germann Rd., Queen Creek, AZ 85142	480-987-9283
Members	June Huddleston, Tammy Gosnell, Nancy Parks	

ENTRY INFORMATION

ENTRY FEES:

\$25. per event number (Includes \$3.50 AKC Fees)

Two passing tests required for FDC title under two different event numbers and two different judges.

> Make checks payable to: BCCAZ MAIL ENTRIES TO:

Cindy Meadows

20101 E. Germann Rd.

Queen Creek, Arizona 85142

Do not send entries by any method requiring signature for delivery

Entry Confirmations and Judging Programs will be sent via e-mail, if available, please print neatly.

ROSETTES

A Rosette will be awarded to each Handler and Dog Team that receives a Passing Evaluation.

A Rosette will be awarded to any Handler and Dog Team that earns both legs and completes their Farm Dog Certification Title at this trial.

Rosettes donated by Border Collie Club of Arizona

All ribbons and awards must be picked up the day they are won; none will be held over or mailed.

JUDGES

Farm Dog Certification Test

Saturday, April 8, 2017 (AM) Test 1a (#2017685323) Judge Anita Easley, Box 1541, Gilbert, AZ 85299

Saturday, April 8, 2017 (PM) Test 2a (#2017685324) Judge Susan Gruwell, 25172 W. Illini St., Buckeye, AZ 85326

Sunday, April 9, 2017 (AM) Test 2b (#2017685324) Judge Susan Gruwell, 25172 W. Illini St., Buckeye, AZ 85326

Sunday, April 9, 2017 (PM) Test 1b (#2017685323) Judge Anita Easley, Box 1541, Gilbert, AZ 85299

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

Dogs Eligible to Enter the Farm Dog Certification Test

- The FDC test is open to all dogs at least 9 months of age that are individually registered with the AKC, recorded in the FSS program, dogs with PAL numbers, or dogs enrolled in the AKC Canine Partners Program.
- Females in season may NOT enter.
- Dogs with physical challenges (including amputees) are eligible to enter provided, in the opinion of the judge, they display no signs of physical discomfort and can safely complete the test.
- To earn the FDC title, you must earn two qualifying passes from two different judges.

The 12 test items and other helpful tips about the FDC are explained at the following AKC site:

www.akc.org/news/farm-dog-certified-test/

*** Test options: Be sure to choose an AM/PM; AM/AM; PM/PM test time under two different judges. You may choose to test twice on one day, or once each day. Must test under two different event numbers and judges in order to earn the Farm Dog Certification title. (\$25. per each test)

<u>Grounds will be available</u> 7:30 AM to Completion of trial each day.

<u>PLEASE KEEP THE TRIAL SITE CLEAN</u>. We ask your cooperation so that we may retain the use of this facility for future Tests/Trials. This is a self-cleaning show. Please pick up after your dogs.

ALL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES REGARDING CONDUCT WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

<u>Method of Entry</u> First received. Entries must have clearly visible USPS postmark. No metered mail, no DHL, UPS, telephone, or faxed entries. Express or overnight entries will be accepted only if signature waived.

Closing Date In accordance with Chapter 6, Section 9 of AKC Dog Show Rules, entries will close on said date or when the limit has been reached, if prior thereto. Entries must be received at the Trial Secretary's address by the published closing date to be acceptable. The exceptions are Exhibition-only, which may be accepted day-of, on a space available basis. Entries can not be accepted, canceled, altered, or substituted after the entries have closed, except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6, of the Rules Applying to Dog Shows. Changes and corrections to the entry forms must be received in writing prior to the close of entries. Email notification is acceptable, telephone notification is not acceptable.

Invalid Entries Returned checks do not constitute a valid entry fee. The Trial Secretary will assess a collection fee of \$50.00 in addition to the amount of each returned check. Subsequent entries from the same exhibitor may result in their being put on a cash-only basis. Incomplete, unsigned, conditionals, telephone, or entries received without fees are not acceptable. Entries must be on the enclosed blank or a reasonable facsimile thereof. Entries not on official AKC entry forms and photocopies of entry form without the agreement and rules on the reverse side/opposite page of the official AKC Entry forms are not accepted. Owners are responsible for errors in the entry form, regardless of who may make such errors.

A dog must be entered in the name of the person who actually owned it at the time entries for the herding test or trial closed. If a registered dog has been acquired by a new owner, it must be entered in the name of its new owner in any herding test or Trial for which entries closed after the date of acquisition, regardless of whether the new owner has received the registration certificate indicating that the dog is recorded in his or her name. State on entry form whether transfer application has been mailed to AKC. (for complete rule refer to Chap. 11, Sect 3 of "Rules Applying to Dog Shows")

<u>The club may decline any entries</u> for cause and may refuse to receive or may remove any dog on account of disease, viciousness, or other causes, and no one shall have any claim or recourse against the club or any official thereof.

Bitches in season are not eligible and will not be allowed to test.

Refer to the Herding regulations Chapt 1 Sec 3 for further information on Eligibility.

Entry fees shall NOT be refunded in the event that a dog is absent (unless replaced by an alternate), disqualified, excused by a veterinarian, judge or tester or barred from competition by the Show Committee. Any dogs aggressive to persons or stock will be removed. (See Chapter 1, Section 22 of the *American Kennel Club Herding Rulebook.*) No refund for duplicate entries. Every effort will be made to find all duplicate entries, but if an entry has been processed, no refund will be made. If, because of riots, civil disturbance, or other acts beyond control of the Club, it is impossible to open or complete the show, no refund of entry will be made. **Dogs must be ready for their classes**. Test/Trial judges have the authority to refuse to judge any dog that does not appear within five minutes of being called for its run. The Test/Trial-giving Club and the Test/Trial Secretary have no obligation or responsibility for providing service through a public address system or stewards or runners for the purpose of calling or locating dogs that are not brought into the ring when required.

EMERGENCY & DISASTER PROCEDURES

FIRE/ POLICE/ AMBULANCE / MEDICAL EMERGENCIES - DIAL 911

Iron Spoon Ranch is in the jurisdiction of Maricopa County. All dogs should be crated or leashed securely and owners/handlers must make sure that they, their dogs, and vehicles are out of any driveway.

NEAREST HOSPITAL: AZ General Hospital, 7171 S. 51st Ave. 85339; 623-584-5100

THUNDERSTORMS WITH LIGHTNING: All people and dogs should be in the security of their vehicles until the storm has passed. Testing and trialing will be delayed.

INJURY OR HEALTH PROBLEM WITH A PERSON: The emergency response team for the area will be called immediately. **Dial 911.** A First Aid kit is at the Secretary's table.

Exhibitors must be governed by any rules or regulations of civil authority, building and parking restrictions. Vehicles parked contrary to regulation will be subject to towing at the owner's expense.

NEAREST VETERINARIANS

Animal Hospital of Laveen

6170 S. 51st Ave., Suite 108, Laveen 85339; 602-605-8060

Veterinarians on Call (24/7) 866-524-8384

TRIAL SITE DIRECTIONS

7040 W. Baseline Rd.; (NE corner of 71st Dr. and Baseline Rd.) Laveen, AZ 85339 (Parking along east side of 71st Dr., north of Baseline)

Questions or concerns about entries or FDC test, please email Anita Easley at <u>aeasley2@cox.net</u> or call 480-892-2251.

BORDER COLLIE CLUB OF ARIZONA

Official AKC Entry Form AKC Licensed Farm Dog Certification Test Iron Spoon Ranch, 7040 W. Baseline Rd., Laveen, AZ 85339

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Checks payable in U.S. funds to: Border Collie Club of Arizona

Mail to: Cindy Meadows, 20101 E. Germann Rd., Queen Creek, Arizona 85142 <a>Include waiver/agreement with each entry form. One form per dog.>

Entry confirmations and judging programs will be sent via e-mail. if available—print clearly

Sunday, April 9, 2017			
Farm Dog Certification Test #2a (AM)			
Event # 2017685324			
Judge S. Gruwell			
Farm Dog Certification Test #1b (PM)			
Event # 2017685323			
Judge A. Easley			

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REGISTERED NAME OF DOG:

AKC Registration Number:

□ AKC# □ PAL/ILP# □ Canine Partner# □ FSS#

Actual Owner(s) :

Address:

Name of owner's agent (if any):

Fee enclosed:

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 American Kennel Club in effect at the time of this Herding Test or Trial and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this Herding Test or Trial or both, and further agree to be bound by the "Agreement" printed on the opposite / reverse side of this entry form. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Waiver / Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all such Rules and Regulations (including all provisions applying to discipline) and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

SIGNATURE of owner or agent duly authorized to make this entry:

Phone:

ELIGIBILITY/AGREEMENT (SEND WITH ENTRY FORM) AGREEMENT

Single copies of the latest editions of the "Rules Applying to Dog Shows" and ""Regulations for Herding Tests & Trials" may be obtained WITHOUT CHARGE from any Superintendent at any show where they are superintending or from THE AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB, 5580 CENTERVIEW DR, RALEIGH NC 27606-3390

I (we) acknowledge that the "Rules Applying to Registration and Dog Shows" and the "Rules for Herding Tests and Trials" have been made available to me (us) and that I (we) agree that the club holding this Herding Test or Trial has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of the Herding Test or Trial and of the opportunity to have the dog tested or judged and to win prize money, ribbons, or trophies, I (we) agree to hold this club, its' members, directors, governors, officers, agents, superintendents or show secretary and owner or lessor of the premises and any employees of the aforementioned parties 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 upon the Herding Test or Trial premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I(we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim for damage or injury to the dog, whether such loss. disappearance, theft, damage or injury be caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence of the club or any of the parties aforementioned, or by the negligence of any other person, or any other causes. I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any 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 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 the Herding Test or Trial, howsoever such injuries, death or damage to property may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been caused or may be alleged to have been caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees or agents, or any other persons. I (we) will pay for any livestock injuries or replacement value in the event of death of any livestock by my (our) dog. In case of any injury to any stock caused by the dog entered, I (we) will assume total responsibility for any damage I (we) agree to pay the full market value of the injured animal in case of serious injury, or the veterinarian bill if the injury is slight.

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 ARBITARATION 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. Single copies of the latest editions of the "Rules Applying to Registration and Dog Shows", the "Obedience Regulations" and the "Regulations for Herding Tests and Trials" may be obtained WITHOUT CHARGE from the AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB, 51 MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10010.

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