

## **CLINIC FOR NOVICE HANDLERS AND NOVICE DOGS**

### **Turnaround Farm**

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There will be a clinic for novice handlers and novice dogs held at Dave & Mary Ellen Young's farm on July 18<sup>th</sup> and July 19<sup>th</sup>. In accordance with the health guidelines for Covid-19 the number of entries for each day will be limited to the number of people allowed to gather on private property at the time of the event. Dogs must be old enough to start training (10 months or older) and have had previous experience working sheep. Dogs must be up to date on all vaccinations.

All participants must agree to follow all health guidelines and travel restrictions in effect for the province of Quebec.

There will be a washroom with a hand washing station on site, everyone will be expected to wash their hands frequently.

There will be no tent provided to avoid people from congregating in a small area. Handlers will need to provide their own shade or weather protection, and maintain physical distancing at all times. If physical distancing is not possible, masks must be worn.

**Handlers must provide their own long line to use when their dog is working sheep in order to participate in this clinic.**

Handlers must bring their own food, water, chairs, masks, hand sanitizer, and shade.

The event organizers reserve the right to cancel this event by noon on Thursday, July 16<sup>th</sup> if the weather conditions are forecasted to be unfavorable due to heavy rain or extreme heat.

Anyone with a cold, cough, fever, or any symptoms of illness will not be allowed to attend or participate in this event.

For more information or to register please contact Mary Ellen by email: [meyoung@ubishops.ca](mailto:meyoung@ubishops.ca)