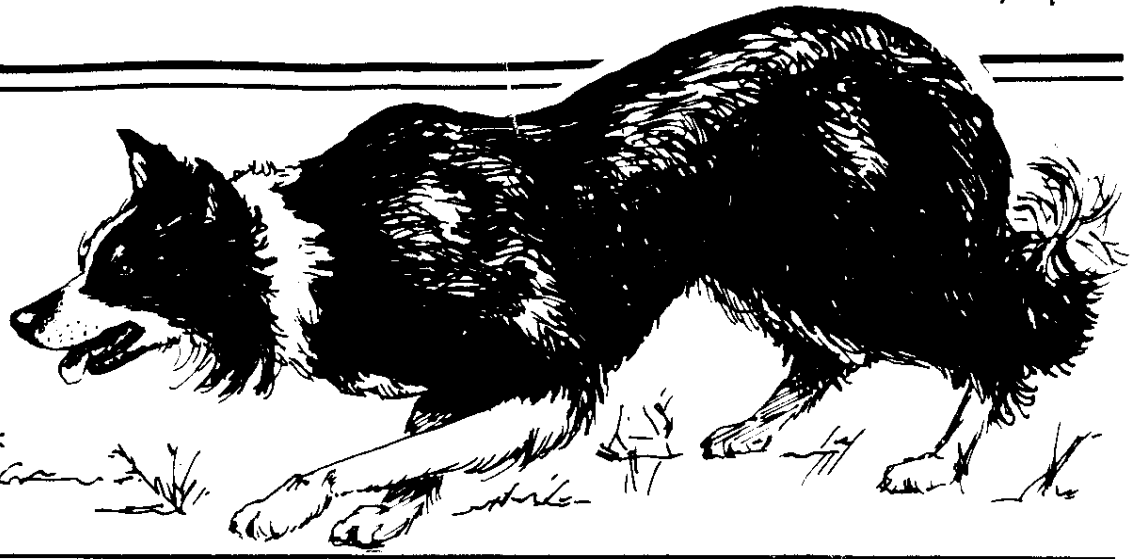


# NEBCA

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## LET THE TRIALS BEGIN

### WHAT MAKES A GOOD TRIAL?

by Eve Marschark

So, you think you want to host a trial! Great idea! We could use more trials and are always appreciative of new places and new challenges! What do you need to know and what do you need to do to have one?

Well, you need a field, probably minimum of about two acres on upwards. You need an adjacent field for campers and assorted parking. You need sheep, which you can sometimes rent; a judge (list available from NEBCA); to advertise in Border Collie Newsletters; someone to help you set up a trial course; trophies/prizes/prize money/ribbons; a sponsor is nice, but not necessary; a porta-potty; and people to help you run your trial.

You could have anything from a low-key backyard or invitational farm trial to a Big Time Festival-associated Open Trial with prize money. The choice is yours.

The next question is: What Makes a Good Trial?

Like most things, I suppose everybody has his/her own idea about what makes a trial a good trial. From a trial manager's point of view, I think most are concerned with having folks go

home with a good feeling about their experience at your place and a sincere desire to come back the following year. Through observations at trials and discussions with competitors, I've noticed a few things that people mention time and time again. Maybe you've already heard some of these comments.

Firstly, people hope and expect that the trial will start on time and will progress efficiently throughout the course of the weekend. With travel times sometimes approaching eight hours or more, it is important to reward those who got up at 4 a.m. to make an 8 a.m. starting time by **STARTING ON TIME**. Conversely, those who are looking at a midnight home arrival won't appreciate a two hour lunch on Sunday - no matter what frills you provide in addition to a basic trial. It's also a good idea to plan ahead the order in which you will run your classes (and a running order) and then stick to it! Now, I'm not saying - right or wrong - stick to it. Sometimes changes must be made, but not just to convenience one or two people. This kind of change will not be looked upon favorably by the majority. As the trial manager, you have every right to perform your duties graciously but for the good of all.

Secondly, sheep leaving the field tends to really infuriate a

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### LOCAL NJ TRIAL HITS THE HEADLINES



*Walt Jagger hoofs it after some errant sheep at Sussex Fairgrounds (Story on page 3) Morris County Daily Record*

### CONNECTICUT SHEEP BREEDERS SHEEP DOG TRIAL

Tolland, Connecticut April 27, 1991

Judge: Edgar Gould

We had just a perfect day for the trial held at the Tolland Agricultural Center in Vernon, Connecticut held as part of the annual field day sponsored by the Connecticut Sheep Breeders on April 27th.

The sheep were in full fleece and tended to be sticky. They tended to move in their own direction and the dogs needed to get almost in front of them to make them change. The results showed which handlers had been working their dogs and which were going to need more work. Twenty four dogs went to the post and the top ten were as follows, based on 100 points:

1.	Betty Levin, Lincoln, Mass.	Kelty	95
2.	Beverly Lambert, Brooks, ME	Lark	88.5
3.	Beverly Lambert, Brooks, ME	Jet	88
4.	Kent Kuykendall, Franklinville, NC	Pal	83
5.	Becky Peterson, Leyden, Mass.	Queen	82.5
6.	Maurice MacGregor, Ctr. Barnstead, NH	Robin	79
7.	Steve Wetmore, Stafford, VT	Floss	74
8.	Lynn Deschambeault, Bridgton, ME	Daisy	71.5
9.	Lynn Deschambeault, Bridgton, ME	Dandy	71
10.	Becky Peterson, Leyden, Mass.	Fly	70

Edgar Gould was the judge. The use of the sheep was donated by Ed Gardiner of Bittersweet Farm in Hampton, CT.

## EDITORS' NOTES

Well here we go again. The trial season is beginning in earnest and the battle begins. As we move into these next few months, there will be trials just about every weekend, sometimes in the middle of the week, and sometimes more than one trial competing for a single weekend. It is this kind of frenetic activity that causes sane human beings to lose sight of reality. They begin to compete against one another (not one dog pitted against another) with such a fury that they begin to believe that this is a life or death struggle that **MUST** be won. But, there may only be 40-50 competitors out there, a total of 100 dogs.

### *Good Trial continued*

lot of folks. Imagine, travelling all that distance and paying multiple entry fees, only to lose sheep through a hole in the fence! Boom! The run is over! It happens. But it doesn't have to. Check your fencing. And, if you're not sure about a section or an L-shaped area that maybe should be blocked off, ask someone on the trials committee for their input. Also, the exhaust pen should be out of sight from the sheep on the field. A plastic covering over the fencing works well to obscure the resting sheep from those running.

Thirdly, healthy sheep are a must. I know personally how exhausting it can be to keep a whole flock in trial condition. Given the nature of sheep and their affinity for illness, it can literally become a full time job. But, you must do it. Worm them regularly. Trim those hooves! Wormy sheep are probably the biggest cause for sheep fighting a dog (except for those dogs allowed to push too hard or too close). Wormy sheep and sheep in poor condition don't have the where-with-all to make intelligent (no snide remarks here) decisions while being worked by a dog. Even non-dogged sheep, if given the

Our club has, at last count, over 250 members. Last year, by the end of the year, we were well over 300. The vast majority of you are out there for the same reasons our Association was formed. We are here to further the breed of the Border Collie in America. Why do the best dogs always seem to have to be imported? We want American dogs to be the best -- The best outrun, the best balance, the best biddable dog, the best shedding dog. Let us not forget that we also want the best **HEALTHY** dog -- the best hips, the best eyes, the best temperament (perhaps a dog should **NOT** be a parent until the disposition towards or away from these faults can be determined). One of our members wrote last

opportunity, will choose to move away from a dog rather than fight. Again, handlers don't mind a fair challenge - but one in which there isn't a prayer just isn't fair considering the time and effort they've already expended in getting to and entering your trial. And, don't forget - your sheep need shade (when possible) and **WATER**. At all times **WATER**!

Fourthly, a fair and consistent judge is a real asset. Now, I know that in any sport, there will be some who will moan and criticize even the Pope's decisions concerning their performance. Claims of favoritism and myopia will abound. But there are judges to be found who treat each and every run as if it were the only one they were going to watch the whole day. These judges take great pains to carefully assess each phase of work and score it as exactly as they can. Concentrating for 8-10 hours straight is an impossible task for anybody! But, choose a judge who will at least try to give his all and not to favor one competitor over another. And provide him with attentive scorekeepers and score gophers as well. And feed him! Check on him. Does he wish a glass of water? How about a quick potty break? Breakfast first? You

year: "...I, as a seasoned novice, have learned from the few who have come to take sheepdog trials as ranking just a notch below nuclear war in overall seriousness". These trials are not that serious. Our dogs are!

We just came back from the first of the Virginia trials. We had a chance to visit with Don McCaig, author of "Eminent Dogs, Dangerous Men" and "Nop's Trials". What a wonderful outlook he has on our breed. He has learned from his dogs, been humbled by them, and hurt by them. Still he loves them. He ran out of time on his Saturday run as Gael stalled the sheep, and he will quickly admit that his dog was smarter than he on his Sunday run as she started

bet! A banquet! And a free lunch to-boot!

Lastly, a comment on your hired help. Handlers usually don't mind setting out and holding sheep with their dogs. (One unwritten rule seems to be that a dog should not hold and be out on the field before his scheduled run. This gives him an unfair advantage over dogs who are unfamiliar with that field and those sheep.) You will need to organize shifts around who runs when, of course, but when it is possible, most are more than happy to help. I have noticed, however, that sorting out sheep manually in the holding pens is quite another matter. Quite often it is the novice people who get this job - and that's fine as long as you don't take advantage of them. It is usually best if you can hire at least two or three people to wrestle sheep for the duration of your trial. Just a thought.

These things seem to be what makes a good basic trial. A trial in which folks feel they have been treated fairly and with respect. You are providing a service and at the same time are acting as a "host". This is a delicate task to be sure.

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the drive. Yet he jokes, commiserates, and, still thrilled by it all, looks forward to the upcoming Seclisival.

THERE, is an attitude worth remembering.

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## SUSSEX COUNTY SHEEP DOG TRIALS

Augusta, New Jersey April 27-28, 1991

Judge: Tom Conn

The first Sussex County Sheep Dog Trials were held at the Sussex County Fairgrounds in rural Augusta, New Jersey in conjunction with the annual Sheep Festival. The Fairgrounds had been spruced up just for this weekend and made a lovely location for a trial. Unlike most "Fair" trials, the trial field is in a very natural location with lots of open space. A \$500 added purse was contributed by the Sussex County Sheep Breeders Association and local merchants contributed another \$600 for a total added purse of \$1100.

The weather was warm and sunny on Saturday and cool and breezy on Sunday. Twenty five dogs went to the post on Saturday and twenty six on Sunday. There was a large crowd of spectators over the two days to watch the trials, the sheep shearing demonstrations and other activities put on by the Sussex County Sheep Breeders. Sunday brought out many more spectators than Saturday. A Reporter from the Morris County Paper -- the Daily Record came out to get the Story on Saturday. The picture and story hit the Front Pages on Sunday, and the curious spectators came out to see the action.

The course consisted of a 200 yard outrun, lift, fetch, drive, split, pen and shed with a possible score of 110. Each handler was allotted four sheep. Walt Jagger's Dorsets ran consistently for the two days. Tom Conn was superb as judge -- scoring fairly and consistently throughout the entire weekend.

### Saturday, April 27

1. Cheryl Jagger Williams	Kim	102.5
2. John Bauserman	Jen	90.5
3. Walt Jagger	Queen	90
4. Walt Jagger	Celt	89
5. Amanda Milliken	Hazel	88
6. Duff George	Jim	85.5
7. Cheryl Jagger Williams	Nell	84
8. Gene Sheninger	Bonnie	80.5
9. Gene Sheninger	Nap	79
10. Ethel Conrad	Meg	78.5

### Sunday, April 28

1. Nathan Mooney	Lynn	97
2. Nathan Mooney	Fleet	96.5
3. Walt Jagger	Queen	96.5
4. John Bauserman	Jen	96
5. Cheryl Jagger Williams	Nell	95
6. Cheryl Jagger Williams	Kim	94.5
7. Amanda Milliken	Hazel	94.5
8. Walt Jagger	Celt	93.5
9. Ethel Conrad	Meg	92
10. Betty Levin	Kelty	91

Special awards on the basis of the combined two day scores:

Best Gather: Cheryl Jagger Williams & Kim

Best Drive: Cheryl Jagger Williams & Kim

Best Pen: Gwen Cassel & Dash

Best Shed: Amanda Milliken & Hazel

High Points Champion: Cheryl Jagger Williams & Kim - 197

High Points Reserve Champion: John Bauserman & Jen - 186.5

## COOPERLANE FARM NURSERY TRIAL

Shelburne, Mass.

April 28, 1991

### Novice Novice - 90 Points

1. David Dorrance	Cap	70
2. Bernie Armata	Chris	69
3. Wendy Warner	Abby	67
4. Barb Armata	Kelly	60
5. Jane Jackson	Kerry	53
6. Kathy Stokey	Toby	51
7. Sylvia Murray	Meg	50
8. Anne Priest	Nell	47
9. Bob Thrasher	Cash	41
10. Heather Murray	Nell	39

### Pro-Novice - 90 Points

1. Kristen Whittle	Sam	65.5
2. Steve Wetmore	Nell	62
3. Sylvia Murray	Duke	60
4. Beverly Lambert	Boot	DQ

### Ranch - 100 Points

1. Steve Wetmore	Mirk	71.5
2. Anne Priest	Tess	60

### Good Trial continued

Now, if you have the resources, what would be considered "frills"? Here are some ideas. Some are really necessities. Frills would be: a tent for spectators and one for the judge in case of harsh sun or wet weather; a PA system; some spectators; guest speakers at the noon-break or at dinner; a free dinner; a nice dinner at a reasonable cost; and sponsors (these can add greatly to the quality of your trial and/or prize money).

Still want to have that trial? I hope so. While there is a lot of work in hosting a trial, there are a lot of wonderful people who are willing to help you and who would really appreciate a new place to compete with their dogs.

And, from a dog's point of view? It's pure FUN!

*Please note...these are only my personal opinions and in no way are meant to be interpreted as official opinions of NEBCA.*

### Editors' Notes continued

Our message for this month? Let us please keep our mission in focus. Remember our goal is to further the Border Collie Breed and make it better. Our goal is NOT to aggrandize our own accomplishments but those of our dogs. Let us all work towards that end.

As a gentle reminder!! Our membership is down this early part of the year, not as much as last year, but still down. Last year we found that it was because some of the previous year's members had simply forgotten to renew their membership. Now that we are keeping records by computer, those who have not renewed their member-

ship have not been receiving their newsletters. If, as you socialize at the various events, realize that someone is on our **Discontinued List**, please remind them that it is not too late to join for 1991. We would gladly welcome them back into the Association.

In closing, we ask again this year for articles and pictures. We will publish any articles that we think would be of interest to the general membership. Additionally, if you have any pictures, such as the one we printed on the front from our local newspaper, please send them along. We will publish them and return the original to you.

Gene & Lynne Sheninger

# OFFICIAL 1991 TRIAL DATES

The following list of open trials for 1991 was approved by the Trials Committee on April 24 with one abstention. This makes a total of 45 Open Trials for the 1991 Season (including four trials from Fall 1990). Nursery trials are NEBCA qualified except those that do not offer three classes -- Novice-Novice, Pro-Novice, and Ranch. (\* denotes two 1-day trials; \*\* denotes new trials)

## Fall 1990:

**\*October 13-14:** Eastern Ontario Border Collie Club - Amanda Milliken. Two one-day trials.

**\*October 27-28:** Cumberland Open Trial - Nathan Mooney. Two one-day trials.

## TRIAL SEASON 1991

**April 27:** Connecticut Sheep Breeders Sheep Dog Trial (Open), Tolland, CT. Contact Dayle Hamilton, 34 Brown Brook Rd., Southbury, CT 06488 (203)264-6348.

**\*April 27-28:\*\*** Sussex County Sheep Breeders Sheep Dog Trials, Augusta, NJ. Two one-day open trials. Contact Gene Sheninger, 213 Split Rock Road, Boonton, NJ 07005 (201)299-9785.

**April 28:** Cooperlane Farm Nursery Trial, Shelburne, MA. Contact Edgar Gould, Cooper Lane, Shelburne, MA 01370 (413)625-6496.

**\*May 4 & 5:\*\*** Ontario Border Collie Club Spring Trial, Stittsville, Ontario. Two 1-day open and nursery trials. Contact Evelyn Neuendorff, Box 468, Munster, Ontario, Canada KOA3PO (613)838-2315.

**May 12:** Nearfield Farm Nursery Trial, Ctr. Conway, NH. Contact Roger Deschambeault, HCR 16, Ctr. Conway, NH 03813 (603)939-2255.

**May 25:** Mass. Sheep and Woolcraft Fair Nursery Trial, Cummington, MA. Contact Becky Peterson, Bell Road, Box 395, Leyden, MA 01337 (413)624-5562.

**May 26:** Mass. Sheep and Woolcraft Fair Open Trial, Cummington, MA. Contact Becky Peterson, Bell Road, Box 395, Leyden, MA 01337 (413)624-5562.

**\*May 25 & 26:\*\*** Sydenham Sheep Dog Trials, Sydenham, Ontario. Two 1-day open and nursery trials. Contact J. P. LaLonde, RR1, Sydenham, Ontario, Canada KOH2TO, (613)376-3659.

**\*June 8 & 9:** Bittersweet Farm Open Trial, Hampton, CT. Two one-day trials (USBCHA Qualifying Trial). Contact Carol Campion, 99 Grayville Rd., Amston, CT 06251 (203)537-1386. *Friday*

**June 21:** Sheepy Hollow Nursery Trial, Hop Bottom, PA. Contact Walt Jagger, Box 233, Hop Bottom, PA 18824 (717)289-4663.

**\*June 22 & 23:** Pennsylvania State Championship, Hop Bottom, PA. Two 1-day open trials. Contact Walt Jagger, Box 233, Hop Bottom, PA 18824 (717)289-4663.

**\*July 6 & 7:** Waupoos Island Sheep Dog Trials, Waupoos Island, Ontario. Two 1-day open and nursery trials. Contact Fearnley Davies, RR4, Picton, Ontario, Canada KOK2TO (613)476-3910.

*Sat.*  
**July 6:** Misty Lane Nursery Trial, Brownfield, Maine. Contact Gabe Merrill, RFD 1, Box 20, Brownfield, ME 04010 (207)935-2520.

**July 27:** Bangor Fair Open Trial, Bangor, Maine. Contact Beverly Lambert, RFD 1 Box 2280, Brooks, ME 04921 (207)525-3223.

**July 28:** Eastern Maine State Championship, Brooks, Maine. Open trial. Contact

Beverly Lambert, RFD 1 Box 2280, Brooks, ME 04921 (207)525-3223.

**\*August 3 & 4:** Ottawa Valley Sheep Dog Trial, Stittsville, Ontario. Two 1-day open and nursery trials. Part of "Natural Life Triple Crown". Contact Evelyn Neuendorff, Box 468, Munster, Ontario, Canada KOA3PO (613)838-2315.

*Tuesday*  
**August 6:** Hastings County Nursery Trial, Roslin, Ontario. Contact Pat Buckley, RR 1, Roslin, Ontario, Canada KOK2YO (613)396-6600.

**\*August 7 & 8:\*\*** Hastings County Open Sheep Dog Trial, Roslin, Ontario. Two 1-day trials, also part of Triple Crown. Contact Pat Buckley, RR 1, Roslin, Ontario, Canada KOK2YO (613)396-6600.

*Friday*  
**August 9:** Pittsburgh Township Nursery Trial, Kingston, Ontario. Contact Amanda Milliken, RR 2, Kingston, Ontario, Canada K7L5H6.

**\*August 10 & 11:** Pittsburgh Township Open Trial, Kingston, Ontario. Two 1-day open trials, also part of Triple Crown. Contact Amanda Milliken, RR 2, Kingston, Ontario, Canada K7L5H6 (613)546-1451 or (613)531-9405.

**August 11:** Skowhegan Fair Sheep Dog Trial, Skowhegan, Maine. Contact Charles Carpenter, 61 Water Street, Skowhegan, ME (207)474-2947.

**August 17:** Empire State Open Sheep Dog Trial, Altamont, NY. Contact Mike Canaday, RD 2, Box 365, Meadowdale Road, Altamont, NY 12009 (518)861-6049.

**August 18:** New York State Championship, Altamont Fair,

Altamont, NY. Contact Mike Canaday, RD 2, Box 365, Meadowdale Road, Altamont, NY 12009 (518)861-6049.

**August 24:** Scottish Festival Open Trial, Quechee, VT. Contact George Madiera, 79 Hanover St. #8, Lebanon, NH 03766 (603)448-5669.

*Sunday*  
**August 25:** Spring Valley Nursery Trial, Strafford, VT. Contact Steve Wetmore, P.O. Box 54, Strafford, VT 05072 (802)765-4466.

**August 30:\*\*** Lancaster Fair Open Sheep Dog Trial, Lancaster, NH. Contact Roger Deschambeault, HCR 16, Ctr. Conway, NH 03813 (603)939-2255.

**\*August 31 & September 1:** North East US Open Sheep Dog Trial, Blue Hill, ME. Contact Jim Davidson, Round Pond, ME 04564 (207)677-2224.

**September 2:** Windsor Fair Open Sheep Dog Trial, Windsor, ME. Contact Fred Eames, RFD 2, Box 5130, Waterville, ME 04901 (207)872-9604.

*Sat. Sun. Mond*  
**\*August 31 - September 2:** Rockaway Township Sheep Dog Trials, Boonton, NJ (possible location change). Two 1-day open trials and two 1-day nursery trials. Contact Gene Sheninger, 213 Split Rock Road, Boonton, NJ 07005 (201)299-9785.

**\*September 7 & 8:** Hagersville Open Sheep Dog Trials, Hagersville, Ontario. Contact Alice Guthrie, RR 4, Hagersville, Ontario, Canada NOA1HO (416)768-5587.

*Sat*  
**September 14:\*\*** Allegheny Sheep and Wool Festival Open Dog Trial, Norwich, NY.

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## OFFICIAL 1991 TRIAL DATES<sup>continued</sup>

Contact Gwen Cassel, 126A Fusch Road, Columbus, NY 13460 (607)674-4541.

**September 15:** <sup>Sunday</sup> O'Bræ Farm Open and Nursery Trial, Columbus, NY. Contact Gwen Cassel, 126A Fusch Road, Columbus, NY 13460 (607)674-4541.

**\*September 21-22:** E. Durham, NY. Two one-day open trials. Trial Manager: Donald Gallagher (518)634-7826. Contact Beverly Lambert, RFD 1 Box 2280, Brooks, ME 04921 (207)525-3223.

**September 22:** Nursery Trial. Judge/location to be announced. Contact Carol Campion, 99 Grayville Road, Amston, CT 06251 (203)537-1386.

**September 28:** New Hampshire State Championship, East Conway, NH. Contact Roger Deschambeault, HCR 16, Ctr. Conway, NH 03813 (603)939-2255.

**September 29:** Fryeburg Fair Open Sheep Dog Trial, Fryeburg, Maine. Contact Gabrielle Merrill, RFD #1 Box 25, Brownfield, ME 04010 (207)935-2520.

**\*October 5 & 6:** <sup>W & Sun</sup> Keystone State Stockdog Trial, Revere, PA. Two 1-day nursery trials and two 1-day open trials. Contact Eve Marschark, P.O. Box 397, Bedminster, PA 18910 (215)795-2023.

**October 12 & 13:** Fall Foliage Championship, Ketecho Farm, Hobart, NY. Contact Beverly Lambert, RFD 1 Box 2280, Brooks, ME 04921 (207)525-3223.

**October 14:** 1991 NEBCA Futurity Trial, Ketecho Farm, Hobart, NY. Contact Beverly Lambert, RFD 1 Box 2280, Brooks, ME 04921 (207)525-3223.

### 1992 TRIAL SEASON

**\*October 19 & 20:** Ontario Border Collie Club Fall Trial, Kingston, Ontario. Two 1-day

## UPCOMING CLINICS AND PUPPY DAYS

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**May 11:** Nearfield Farm Training Clinic. 10am, E. Conway, NH. Contact Roger Deschambeault (603)939-2255

**May 11-12:** Trialing Clinic instructed by Cheryl Jagger Williams at O'Bræ Farm, Columbus (Sherburne), NY. Contact Gwen Cassel or John Viola (607)674-4541.

**June 29-30:** Ivyrose Farm Spring Clinic instructed by Cheryl Jagger Williams. For more information contact Eve Marschark (215)795-2023.

**July 6:** Handlers Clinic and Nursery Trial for Nursery people and dogs. Clinic in the morning and Novice, Pro-Novice and Ranch Trial in the afternoon. Contact Gabe Merrill for information (207)935-2520.

**July 7:** Misty Lane Puppy Day for anyone interested. Contact Gabe Merrill (207)935-2520.

**September 21:** Border Collie Training Clinic. Trainer/location to be announced. Contact Carol Campion, 99 Grayville Rd., Amston, CT 06251 (203)537-1386.

open and nursery trials. Contact Amanda Milliken, RR 2, Kingston, Ontario, Canada K7L5H6 (613)546-1451 or (613)531-9405.

**\*October 26 & 27:** Cumberland Valley Open Trial, Carlisle, PA. Two 1-day open trials; open ranch also. Contact Nathan Mooney, 245 Alters Rd., Carlisle, PA 17013 (717)249-5695.

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**BORDER COLLIE PUPPIES** due in July out of Beverly Lambert's Lark and Jet. Lark was 1990 NEBCA High Points Co-Champion. Both parents have won many open trials. Pups should be easy to train with a good natural gather and wide flanks. Both parents are OFA Good. Contact Beverly Lambert (207)525-3223.

**BORDER COLLIE PUPPIES** due July/August out of Beverly Lambert's Kate and Jet. Both parents are handsome, rough-coated dogs that have placed in many open competitions. Both have produced outstanding working dogs in the past. Both parents OFA Good. Contact Beverly Lambert (207)525-3223.

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