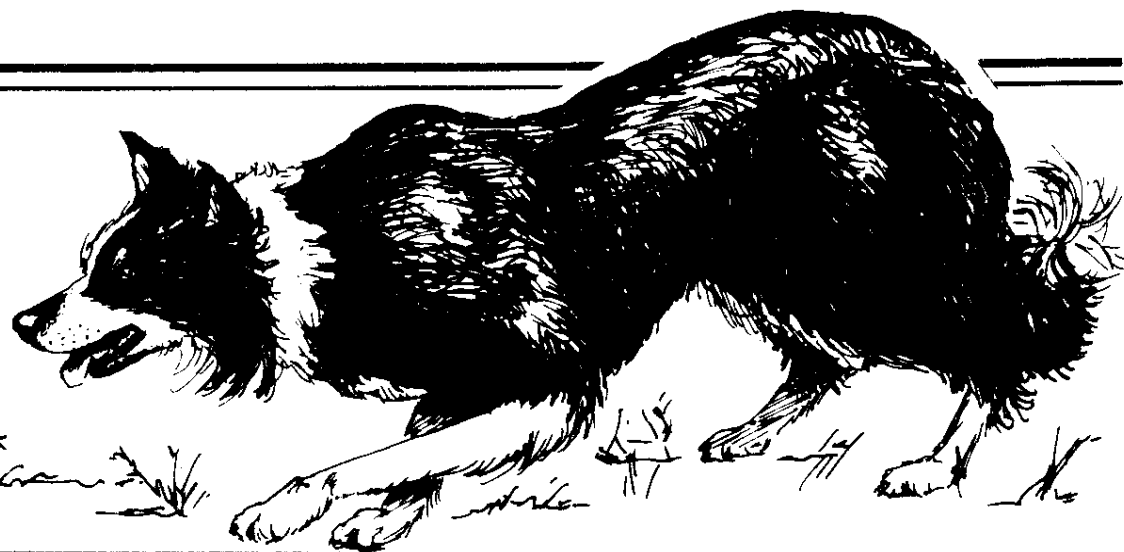


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Ken Sigel, Carol Campion, Tim Milleville and Bruce Fogt

Portland Nursery Trial

Portland, CT April 5, 1992

Judge: Bruce Fogt

Results of the April 5th Portland Nursery Trial are as follows:

Novice/Novice

1. Ken Sigel	Mac	73
2. Dee Woessner	Abby	69.5
3. Ron Cody	Kerry	68
4. Jo Anne Krause	Meg	63.5
5. Sally Lacy	Tru	63
6. Tim Milleville	Loch	59.5

Pro/Novice

1. Tim Milleville	Roy	76
2. Barb Armata	Kelly	72
3. Bernie Armata	Chris	70.5
4. Bob Thrasher	Cash	65.5
5. Denise Leonard	Nikki	65
6. Carol Campion	Dave	58.5

Ranch

1. Carol Campion	Lady	81.5
2. Larry Campion	Nip	77.5
3. Ken Sigel	Ben	76.5
4. Ken Sigel	Sally	63.5

A Call For Eye Examinations Before It Is Too Late

by Kathy Kemper

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Twenty years ago CPRA in the British Border Collie had reached a 12% incidence. Today, thanks to strict ISDS testing of prominent trial stock, it has been reduced to less than 1%. It is amazing that American handlers don't place more emphasis on eye exams since the precedent has been set.

I doubt seriously that CPRA incidence has been reduced from the 12% in this country; further, I fear it, as well as other eye diseases, has risen dramatically. While doing research on the ISDS eye failures, it occurred to me that many of the dogs suspected of causing eye problems in Great Britain had been exported to us. After some initial shock, I finally reached the conclusion that this was merely human nature at work.

If a stud owner knows his dog has sired one CEA failure and that one more will cause his papers to be pulled, it makes sense for him to attempt a sale abroad where such exams are not conducted so that his dog may remain suspected but not a proven eye case and where the British

owner may reap some monetary reward on the sale.

Why don't American handlers test their dogs? First, although the U.S. registries have rules about pulling papers of affected individuals, they do not require examinations and have no provisions for receiving word if a dog proves to be affected. What owner who suspects a problem and has a dog checked will actually contact the registry and ask to have the papers rescinded? It would be wonderful if the registries provided incentive for eye exams by charging less for registration of puppies whose parents could produce clear eye exam papers and substantially more if parents were unchecked. This would not end the problem, but would make strides toward its elimination.

The second reason owners don't in general check eyes is that no governing agency requires them to do so. The United States Handlers Association or any state or regional association could require proof of eye examinations prior to important state and national trials. Even the sponsor of a trial could require such testing before sending trial monies. Eye clinics similar to those currently be-

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Editors' Notes

We are very encouraged by all of the supportive mail we have received on our latest set of articles on the issues facing responsible breeders. Or, more accurately, the problems that the unsuspecting buyer faces when dealing with the irresponsible breeder. Every piece of mail we have received calls for us to continue to spread the word. Let's train the prospective puppy buyer to look for a puppy from a set of parents who have BOTH been hip-checked through OFA and who have both been tested for the various genetic eye defects that are becoming so bothersome to the Border Collies. Our latest article, from Kathy Kemper, is very sobering. Can you imagine: an irresponsible, NO an unscrupulous, English Breeder who would rather sell his dog to an unsuspecting American dupe than to have his papers pulled in

England for siring one more litter that might show hereditary eye defects? Let the buyer beware.

Now on with the trials. Our trial season is in full swing and the points are beginning to accumulate. We are pleasantly surprised with the names on the list. No longer is it a battle between the one or two top NEBCA handlers. Now there are names on the list that were, a few short years ago, novices. Now we find some of those upstart novices even placing first at some of the top competitions. This is all better for our sport. We are getting new blood, and the competition is getting stiffer.

Gene can tell you that, when he started in this sport, he was quite taken by the willingness of the top handlers to help him to learn. Unlike the horse business, that he had most recently left, here was a group of competitors that was willing to help

him to get better, running the risk that he might, someday, be able to beat them in competition. Still, they passed on their favorite training tips and secret tricks for getting around a particularly difficult obstacle on a particular trial field. Even on the day of a trial, they would pass on a particular bit of sage advice. Now that special camaraderie is paying off. There is a whole new breed of competitors coming up through the ranks and beginning to win. We hope that this new breed remembers the help they received along the way from the top handlers. Let's remember to keep up the tradition and not go the way of the horse people. Trialing is not a matter of life or death. The friendships we have made along the way may just be more important.

BY-LAWS

PLEASE, PLEASE!!!!

This policy seems the only fair way to allow folks to run, to allow trial managers to bring in a little extra money and to minimize confusion and hurt feelings.

Please remember, if you move your dog up a class in the regular trial, (1) it counts and (2) you do not move back down.

Any questions, please call one of us! And, we'd love some input! Thanks.

See you at the trials.

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We still have not received enough votes to either pass or turn down the new version of the By-Laws. It is this very problem that we are trying to fix with

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Non-Competitive Runs - New Nursery Guidelines 6/19/92

by Eve Marschark

In an effort to remedy an ongoing problem surrounding the controversial "non-compete" run, the Nursery Trials Committee has established a new temporary policy. That policy will be:

"A trial manager may, if she/he so wishes, offer a non-competitive class after all other classes have been run for the day. (This includes Open.) No points will be tallied towards the Nursery Points. Accommodations can be made to run dogs in their appropriate class. This policy will be in effect as of June 1992 and until the Annual Meeting when formal recommendations can be made."

Many handlers have expressed an interest in being able to run their dogs an extra time at

trials, reasoning that there has been much time, money and effort to travel such distances. There has continually been too much confusion on the part of trial managers, scorekeepers and participants when a dog has run "non-competitively" in a regular class. Ribbons have been awarded to the wrong person mistakenly. Placings have been in error.

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Dan

by Beverly Lambert

I have been very lax in my Hope articles and her training has now run quite far ahead of my writing. So rather than try to catch up on Hope's progress, I thought I would start a new series of articles with my new puppy. Dan is quite different from Hope or Boot and I think following his progress should be a lot of fun.

Dan's story begins with my selection of his parents. I am fortunate that I get to many dog trials and am able to watch all of the top trial dogs in eastern North America at work. I have long admired Dan's father, Mike Canaday's Sandy, a large, powerful son of Carelton's Tony. Sandy has a great natural gather almost never being wrong when he meets his sheep at the end of his outrun. But he is a very strong dog and can be hard to keep steady in competition. Still, he has won many open trials and always gives a good accounting of himself. The father is only half of the genetic makeup of a puppy and I had never seen Sandy bred to a bitch that I felt was a good match for him until Mike acquired Mimi Marcani's Jill and bred Jill to Sandy. Jill is a very biddable, easy-going dog. She doesn't have Sandy's tremendous power and drive, but she is honest and steady. Equally important to me, Jill is also a well-bred dog, descended from parents and grandparents that have proven their ability on the trial fields in this country and Great Britain. While plenty of good working dogs come from unexceptional bloodlines, I feel that when you see one excellent dog following another across a pup's pedigree the chance that the youngster will be really good has to be enhanced.

Dan and his five brothers and sisters were born in Canada early last July. I first saw the pups at four weeks and was



Dan at 9 months

given the pick of the litter. There is no sure way to pick a winner from a litter of 8-week-old puppies. So I went for the pup whose looks and personality most appealed to me. Dan was my immediate pick. He was the largest, cutest, most outgoing puppy in the litter. I saw the pups repeatedly over the next few weeks at dog trials and Dan remained my favorite. He has grown to be a medium-coated, white-faced dog with big ears and a devilish twinkle in his eye.

Dan came home to stay Labor Day Weekend and his training began immediately. During the day, when I was at work, Dan was confined to a room in the barn with a fenced outside run, away from the other dogs. When I was at home, he was allowed to run loose with my pack of dogs on our large farm. At night he came in the house. I kept Dan away from the other dogs during the day, because I wanted him to look to me for companionship rather than the other dogs. I brought him into the house because I believe this helps me to establish the type of bond I wanted with him. I work full time and have very little time to spend with my dogs. If they aren't in the house at night I rarely get to see them. This can be especially detrimental to the social development of a puppy. The time spent with Dan in the house also helped me to get most of the really difficult

training done fairly painlessly. While living in the house Dan learned "NO!!!!!!", "Good Boy" and all the shadings in between. He learned to listen to me and respond to what I said. He learned the hundreds of rules that govern dog behavior in a people world. In short, he became civilized. When we finally began working on sheep, Dan was accustomed to looking to me for guidance and accepting commands from me.

Dan was allowed to run around loose while I trained my other dogs. He was a good pup and followed me around the sheep field having a wonderful time. Dan told me he was ready to start his training on sheep about 2 months after I got him (16 weeks of age). He did this by the simple expedient of taking off after the sheep. I tied up the dog I had been working and began Dan's training. I believe the first few times a dog goes to sheep all that is required is protecting the sheep from any harm and evaluating the dog's instinctive reaction to the sheep. Dan readily ran from about 10 feet away to the back of the sheep and balanced them up to me. This is very easy to do with my sheep as they are well broke and follow me readily. Dan didn't attempt any gratuitous violence and stayed back off the sheep a bit. I encouraged him to work quietly by talking to him quietly and steadily. If he started to come around the sheep to me, I

moved away from him and tried to keep the sheep between us while I continued backing up ("wearing"). This isn't always easy, but 3 or 4 minutes was enough for the first time. When called, Dan came to me and we left the field together. Catching Dan and getting him to leave the field got harder after the first few times he worked the sheep. Like most pups started at such a young age, he got quite a bit bolder, keener, and more aggressive with every exposure to stock. By the end of his first week he was working much closer to the sheep and taking an occasional unnecessary grip as he ran past the side of the flock. Dan was still very immature at this point and not able to outrun the sheep. Our training sessions consisted of learning to stay behind the sheep and coming when called. When he would attempt an uncalled for attack on a ewe, I would admonish him with a sharp "HEY". This worked fairly well and violence wasn't a major problem. The first snow came in early December and sheep training was replaced with sled dog training for the season.

During the winter Dan grew to be an enormous Border Collie and he is still growing. In March I resumed Dan's training. I work with Dan about 3 times a week for 5 or 10 minutes a session. Dan is working too close to the sheep (who readily allow this) and doesn't show any sign of casting out on his short (50') outruns. If I run at Dan to push him out, he becomes uncertain and hesitant about working the sheep. Dan's response to this correction tells me that it is too much pressure for him. Since I don't want to damage his self-confidence, I will not be able to get after him for this error until he is a little older and more mature. So we don't do any outruns as I don't want the tight running to become a habit. We will wear sheep and practice stopping and wait for Dan to do a little more growing up.

Nearfield Farm Spring Sheepdog Trial

East Conway, NH - May 16-17, 1992

Judge: Doug McDonough

by Kathy Deschambeault

The weather turned out ideal for the 2 one-day trials. The excitement was evident with the start of a new trial season underway. We saw many new faces in the Nursery Classes and for several, it was their first trial. Three handlers: Stacy Pobatschnig - age 9, Debbie Merrill - age 12 and Dave Murray - age 14 received a special "Promising Young Handlers Award". We all look forward to seeing them in future trials. A special thank you to Doug for judging, our sheep crew - Erich and James and all those who helped make this a well run trial.

MAY 16:

Novice - 13 Dogs to the Post

1. Mary Ellen Young	Nan	51
2. Debbie Merrill	Brie	50
3. Ann Bennett	Maid	44
4. Michael Dathe	Dodge	41
5. Lana Petty	Jess	35
6. Paul Quirk	Bob	31
7. Stacy Pobatschnig	Sunday	27
8. Dennis Jones	Emma	12
9. Susan McIntosh	Daisy	Ret.
10. Dave Murray	Chip	Ret.
11. Ann Bennett	Nell	Ret.
12. Debbie Merrill	Nell	DQ
13. Joe Kennedy	Hank	DQ

Pro-Novice - 14 Dogs to the Post

1. Karen Greenlees	Major	72
2. Jill Parker	Shadow	72
3. Steve Wetmore	Nan	68
4. Jean Kennedy	Sue	66
5. Lynn Deschambeault	Jesse	59
6. Jill Parker	Fly	58
7. Beverly Lambert	Robin	58
8. Carol Campion	Dave	53
9. Chalmers Means	Pip	51
10. Bea Quirk	Jay	49
11. Jill Parker	Mike	30
12. Bruce Smart	Moss	27
13. Bob Thrasher	Cash	DQ
14. Betty Levin	Tay	DQ

Ranch - 5 Dogs to the Post

1. Roger Deschambeault	Sue II	71
2. Steve Wetmore	Mirk	48
3. Steve Wetmore	Nell	43
4. Kathy Deschambeault	Tyson	35
5. Betty Levin	Sweep	DQ

Open - 21 Dogs to the Post

1. Mike Canaday	Jill	87
2. Beverly Lambert	Lark	86
3. Beverly Lambert	Jet	86
4. Roger Deschambeault	Glen	78
5. Lynn Deschambeault	Dandy	74

6. Lynn Deschambeault	Jolly	74
7. Steve Wetmore	Floss	73
8. Steve Wetmore	Ben	73
9. Betty Levin	Kelty	66
10. Dave Young	Ben	66
11. Roger Deschambeault	Sue	65
12. Lynn Deschambeault	Mindy	61
13. Mike Canaday	Sandy	57
14. Roger Deschambeault	Jill	55
15. Mike Canaday	Patty	53
16. Beverly Lambert	Boot	53
17. Bruce Smart	Skye	53
18. Carol Campion	Lady	52
19. Gabe Merrill	Meg	38
20. Gabe Merrill	Zane	33

MAY 17:

Novice - 13 Dogs to the Post

1. Michael Dathe	Dodge	66
2. Debbie Merrill	Brie	50
3. Dennis Jones	Emma	44
4. Paul Quirk	Bob	39
5. Stacy Pobatschnig	Sunday	38
6. Mary Burke	Merlin	37
7. Ann Bennett	Nell	31
8. Ann Bennett	Maid	28
9. Dave Murray	Chip	Ret.
10. Debbie Merrill	Nell	Ret.
11. Susan McIntosh	Daisy	Ret.
12. Dominic Cuchara	Duke	Ret.
13. Mary Ellen Young	Nan	DQ

Pro-Novice - 13 Dogs to the Post

1. Karen Greenlees	Major	82
2. Steve Wetmore	Nan	79
3. Bob Thrasher	Cash	69
4. Lynn Deschambeault	Jesse	68
5. Jill Parker	Shadow	65
6. Beverly Lambert	Robin	56
7. Chalmers Means	Pip	56
8. Carol Campion	Dave	43
9. Jill Parker	Mike	43
10. Jean Kennedy	Sue	DQ
11. Jill Parker	Fly	DQ
12. Bruce Smart	Moss	DQ
13. Bea Quirk	Jay	DQ

Ranch - 4 Dogs to the Post

1. Roger Deschambeault	Sue II	87
2. Steve Wetmore	Mirk	78
3. Kathy Deschambeault	Tyson	65
4. Steve Wetmore	Nell	DQ

Open - 21 Dogs to the Post

1. Mike Canaday	Jill	95
2. Beverly Lambert	Lark	93
3. Beverly Lambert	Jet	92
4. Dave Young	Ben	91
5. Roger Deschambeault	Jill	89
6. Roger Deschambeault	Glen	88
7. Lynn Deschambeault	Dandy	88
8. Carol Campion	Lady	87

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Nearfield Farm Trial

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9. Gabe Merrill	Meg	84
10. Mike Canaday	Patty	83
11. Mike Canaday	Sandy	83
12. Steve Wetmore	Ben	74
13. Bruce Smart	Skye	69
14. Lynn Deschambeault	Mindy	67
15. Gabe Merrill	Zane	32
16. Beverly Lambert	Boot	Ret.
17. Roger Deschambeault	Sue	Ret.
18. Lynn Deschambeault	Jolly	Ret.
19. Dave Webster	Gil	DQ
20. Dave Webster	Cap	DQ
21. Steve Wetmore	Floss	DQ

What I Did Over The Weekend

by Stacy Pobatschnig (Age 9)

What I did over the weekend
was really quite a sight.
I ran in a Sheep Dog Trial
and was I ever in a fright!
The sheep were too jumpy
they almost knocked me down ...
my heart was really pumping
almost sagging on the ground.
It's really, really funny,
I thought I would lose.
But ... I came in Fifth Place
almost as if I could choose.

Eye Examinations

continued

ing offered at many Australian Shepherd trials could be held at these trials for dogs which have not been previously tested, and for outside dogs. This would help alleviate the problem of one not living close to one of the 145 Board Certified Ophthalmologists in this country.

The third reason for not checking eyes is that some owners simply believe that a Border Collie's eye is different from that of other breeds. My own Board Certified Ophthalmologist scoffed at this, so I wrote Dr. Peter Bedford of The Royal Vet-

erinary College. Dr. Bedford has examined many breeds of dogs during his career and I quote from his response, "The Border Collie eye is the same as of that of any other breed. A Board Certified Ophthalmologist will have no difficulty in examining the eyes of this breed."

Eye examinations are more important now than ever. In addition to the fact that we haven't policed our own stock, there is the added threat of importation of overseas problems. To make matters worse, we have another

threat here. The British dogs have Centralized Progressive Retinal Atrophy (CPRA). In the United States both CERF and the Veterinary data banks show both CPRA and GPRA (Generalized Progressive Retinal Atrophy). It would appear that we have another mutation on our hands.

There are several major differences between the two types of PRA. GPRA, as the name implies, is more generalized and causes total blindness. The first symptom is night blindness. This will progress until vision is greatly impaired in dim light. The next step is that vision will be diminished during daylight and the dog will exhibit blindness at night. Finally total blindness results. Secondary cataracts are common with GPRA.

GPRA is considered to be a simple autosomal recessive. A carrier of the disease would appear normal but would produce affected offspring if bred to another carrier.

CPRA does not begin with night blindness. The vision of an affected dog is centrally impaired. Peripheral vision is not affected and the animal may never become completely blind. In general, this means that the dog can see moving objects, but cannot see something stationary in what should be its line of sight. Cataracts are not common in CPRA.

CPRA has been considered to be inherited in a dominant fashion based on 1960's and 70's work by Barnett. Further substantiation of that is the dramatic decrease in its numbers in a relatively short period of time due to ISDS testing. Recently, however, its mode of transmission has been questioned and researchers are reluctant to state how the problem is inherited. CPRA cases from normal parents have been documented indicating that a simple dominant is unlikely. It may prove to be dominant with incomplete

penetration or it may be polygenic rather than simple Mendelian. Only time will tell. CPRA is considered to be an ocular sign of abnormal lipid metabolism.

Another prominent eye disorder in the breed is Collie Eye Anomaly (CEA). CEA did not make an appearance in the Border Collie until 1981. It is estimated to affect 6% of the British Border Collie population. Population genetics indicates that 6% incidence signifies that 37% of the population are carriers.

Again, carriers appear normal, but will throw CEA when bred to another carrier. The severity of CEA can range from tunnel vision to complete blindness. An ophthalmologist grades the different expressions into five categories. Grade I is the least severe, Grade V complete blindness. CEA is evidenced in both eyes but need not be graded at the same level. There are two bits of good news regarding CEA. One, unlike both PRA's, it does not get worse. Two, it can be checked for as early as six weeks. Therefore, if a pup tests positive, it and its parents can be eradicated from a breeding program.

I will continue my research of Border Collie eye problems in the United States and send an update when possible. Information should be available shortly from some data banks for analysis. If anyone has experienced any of these eye problems or others and would not mind sharing information, I would like a pedigree of the affected individual(s) along with the diagnosis.

In the meantime, anyone wishing a spreadsheet containing the published ISDS eye failures, their parents and grandparents, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Kathy Kemper, 212 Salem Drive, Everman, Texas 76140.

Massachusetts Sheep & Woolcraft Fair Cummington, MA May 23-24, 1992 Judge: Roger Deschambeault

by Becky Peterson

After weeks of planning and nail-biting, the 19th Annual Massachusetts Sheep and Woolcraft Fair and Dog Trial went off without a hitch. Saturday dawned clear and hot but thankfully not humid. Fifty nursery dogs were run, certainly the biggest Nursery Trial Cummington had ever seen. Handlers came from mostly New England and New York but also from Indiana and North Carolina. Their participation is most appreciated. All of the Nursery classes and the Open class were quite ably judged by Roger Deschambeault.

Following a delicious potluck dinner, eleven brave souls took their chances running a Maltese Cross as part of a demonstration to the rest of the folks at the Fair that can't get to see much of the trial because they are busy with other sheep-related events. The handlers set up the course and saw to it that the runs were explained fully as they were going on. It was very interesting to see the winning dog run the cross in such a smooth manner. This event was judged by Dayle Hamilton.

Sunday was a little different story weather-wise. It started out fairly warm, even a little muggy, but by noon people were scrambling for jackets as the temperature had dropped to 49. The winning run was the first run of the day. As the air cooled down and the wind picked up, the sheep became a little harder to handle but it was interesting that seven of the top ten runs still were at the end of the day.

Our hats are off to everyone who helped make this trial a success again. The sheep crew got the sheep out in a timely manner and they were set out quietly. Scores were kept well and posted soon. Many thanks to those handlers who kept the microphone going throughout the two days and especially for the Maltese Cross. And then there are the faithful few who always help with the last minute jobs like the exhaust pen, the judge's tent, and making up the scoreboard. And then there are the folks who stick around an extra few minutes (or an hour in two cases) to help pick up the course and equipment in the rain. We owe a vote of thanks to all of our helpers because they are the ones that make it go. You all know who you are. Thanks again.

Novice Class - 24 Dogs Ran - 70 Points Available

(All ties were broken by outwork)

1. Tim Milleville	Loch	67
2. Amy Miller	Lindy	63
3. Anne Priest	Nell	58
4. Rich Seaman	Socks	57
5. Bonnie Holland	Chad	53
6. Joanne Krause	Meg	52
7. Ann Bennett	Maid	50
8. Keith Hall	Jack	50
9. Wendy Warner	Abbey	47
10. Tim Milleville	Peg	47

High Scoring Jr. Handler - Debbie Merrill with Brie

Pro-Novice Class - 15 Dogs Ran - 80 Points Available

1. Walt Jagger	Roy	75
2. Lynn Deschambeault	Jessie	73
3. Steve Wetmore	Nan	72

4. Jean Kennedy	Sue	71.5
5. Beverly Lambert	Robin	71
6. Gwen Kuykendall	Paige	71
7. Denise Leonard	Nikki	66
8. Bernie Armata	Chris	64
9. Ken Sigel	Mac	63
10. Chalmers Means	Pip	62

Ranch Class - 11 Dogs Ran - 90 Points Available

1. Walt Jagger	Jen	81
2. Barbara Armata	Kelly	81
3. Edith Overly	Skye	66
4. Steve Wetmore	Nell	60
5. Ken Sigel	Ben	59
6. Kathy Deschambeault	Tyson	55
7. Ken Sigel	Sally	35

Open Class - 43 Dogs Ran - 100 Points Available

1. Mike Canaday	Patty	97
2. Walt Jagger	Celt	93.5
3. Walt Jagger	Queen	92
4. Mike Canaday	Jill	89
5. Kent Kuykendall	Jet	88.5
6. Edgar Gould	Meg	88
7. Lynn Deschambeault	Dandy	87.5
8. Cheryl Jagger-Williams	Kim	87
9. Cheryl Jagger-Williams	Nell	86.5
10. Beverly Lambert	Jet	85

Best Gather: Paul Heidenberg & Lynn

Best Drive: Gabe Merrill & Meg

Best Pen: Edgar Gould & Meg

Best Shed: Lynn Deschambeault & Dandy

Maltese Cross - 80 Points

1. Walt Jagger	Queen	77.5
2. Dick Williams	Kate	70.5
3. Becky Peterson	Roy	68

Upcoming Clinics

This listing is provided as a service to NEBCA members but in no way represents an endorsement of the trainers or sponsors of these events by NEBCA News or the Northeast Border Collie Association.

June 6-7: Autumn Hill Farm Clinic with Vergil Holland, Mt. Airy, MD. Contact Nancy Starkey, 12859 Colonial Dr., Mt. Airy, MD 21771 (301)253-4732.

June 13: Misty Lane Clinic, Brownfield, ME. Geared to the beginner, dogs and handler. Contact Gabe Merrill, RFD #1, Box 25, Brownfield, ME 04010 (207)935-2520.

July 11: Misty Lane Clinic, Brownfield, ME. Geared to the

beginner, dogs and handler. Followed by a Nursery Trial on July 12. Contact Gabe Merrill, RFD #1, Box 25, Brownfield, ME 04010 (207)935-2520.

September 18: Stockdog Clinic, Nation Valley Farm, Winchester, Ontario, Canada. Instructor Vergil Holland. Contact Werner Reitboeck, Nation Valley Farm, Box 424, Winchester, Ontario, KOC 2K0 (613)448-3266.

October 31-November 1: Training Clinic, Central PA, near State College and Penn State University. Instructor Cheryl Jagger Williams. For more information call Bill or Joyce Gregor at (814)692-8279.

Bittersweet Farm Sheepdog Trials Hampton, CT - May 29-31, 1992 Judge: Charles Cutler

by Carol Campion

It was the third year for the Bittersweet Farm Sheepdog Trials. Once again they proved to be difficult and challenging with the sheep, the course and the clock tough to beat. We held our Nursery Trial on Friday, the 29th, and our 1st Annual "Silent Gather" Jackpot on Saturday night.

Our Judge, Charles Cutler, a member of the ISDS team of judges, was neither sympathetic nor lenient. The course, though straightforward, had greater than ideal height grass. This caused some to have trouble with the 300 yard outrun. A good job was attainable with over half of the dogs receiving outruns of 18 to 20 points. The sheep were Ed Gardiner's commercial flock made up of purebred Hamp ewes and Finn/Dorset/Hamp cross ewes. Over 110 sheep were run daily. Each handler had one black face and two others. Enough sheep were available that they were only rerun twice daily. This offered sheep that were dog broke but not course broke, and the result was surprising. Some groups were light while others needed to be pushed around the course. They were not predictable and only the best teamwork between dog and handler prevailed. As in the first two years, the clock was the greatest challenge, leaving no time for any errors. Placing the top ten each day was a well deserved honor

rewarded by the \$3300.00 purse divided over the two days.

The Nursery Trial was well attended with 35 dogs running. There are many new, talented, young dogs and this nursery will become a permanent part of this series as will the "Silent Gather".

The "Silent Gather" was a success!. It's intent was to display the Border Collie's natural ability to gather and control livestock on its own. The handlers sent their dogs on the 300 yard outrun and were not allowed to give any commands. The best gather won. It was Tommy Wilson's Roy who performed a near perfect outrun, lift and fetch showing thought, balance, and pace. He gently deposited his 10 charges quietly at Tommy's feet while the crowd cheered.

This year too saw the addition of the "Hope Award" which we feel is the greatest honor of all. It is an award fittingly named after Bruce Fogt's Hope who won the Championship here in 1992. Bruce's famous bitch Hope died this spring, and we would like to remember her through this award. She personified what could be achieved with a pup that was home raised and trained. The award was presented to the accumulative, high-scoring American-bred, owner trained dog.

The weekend placings were:

10. Vergil Holland's Meg 81

Open - Sunday - 60 Ran

1. Tommy Wilson's Ben 87
2. Ralph Pulfer's Nap 86
3. Mike Canaday's Patty 86
4. Walt Jagger's Queen 85
5. Kent Kuykendall's Pal 85
6. Bruce Fogt's Kit 85
7. Ralph Pulfer's Rob 84
8. Bill Berhow's Flo 83
9. Bill Berhow's Jen 83
10. Cheryl Williams' Kim 82

1992 Bittersweet Champion Tommy Wilson's Ben

1992 Bittersweet Reserve Champion Tommy Wilson's Roy

1992 Hope Award Tommy Wilson's Ben

The results of Friday's Nursery are as follows:

Novice - 11 Ran

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| 1. Amy Miller | Lindi |
| 2. Sally Lacy | Tru |
| 3. Heather Murray | Nell |
| 4. Ron Cody | Kerry |
| 5. Rich Seaman | Socks |

Pro/Novice - 17 Ran

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| 1. Jean Kennedy | Sue |
| 2. Kent Kuykendall | Gail |
| 3. Gwen Kuykendall | Paige |
| 4. Steve Wetmore | Nan |
| 5. Debbie Kindig | Tam |

Ranch - 7 Ran

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| 1. Ken Sigel | Sally |
| 2. Debbie Anderson | Ben |
| 3. Steve Wetmore | Mirk |

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| 1. Carol Campion | Dave |
| 2. Beverly Lambert | Robin |

The Most Promising Dog Award was presented to Sally Lacy's Tru

I also would like to extend a great thanks to some good friends who pitched in with Larry and sorted sheep, worked the pens and generally gave me whatever help I needed. Thanks to Heather and Sylvia Murray, Bob Thrasher, Denise Leonard, Kristen Whittle, Jody Kranse, Warren Mick and Ken Sigel. They worked behind the scenes and made sure that the sheep were put out quietly and quickly. And especially to the Gardiner family who for the third year allowed us to take over Bittersweet Farm so we might once again indulge ourselves.

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Nancy Cox Starkey (MD)
12895 Colonial Drive
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(301)253-4732

Open - Saturday - 58 Ran

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|---------------------------|----|
| 1. Tommy Wilson's Roy | 87 |
| 2. Beverly Lambert's Jet | 86 |
| 3. Nathan Mooney's June | 84 |
| 4. Becky Peterson's Roy | 83 |
| 5. Dick Williams' Kate | 82 |
| 6. Florence Wilson's Tess | 82 |
| 7. Tommy Wilson's Molly | 82 |
| 8. Bill Berhow's Tweed | 81 |
| 9. Kent Kuykendall's Pal | 81 |

Upcoming Trial Dates

The Trials Committee has approved the following open trials as qualifying for NEBCA points. Nursery Trials are NEBCA qualified as long as the Nursery Trial Guidelines are followed and the Trial Manager is a NEBCA member.

** NEBCA Qualifying Open Trial
New Trial*

March 29: SEMBCA Nursery Trial, Marstons Mills, MA. To be held at the Cape Cod Sheriffs Youth Ranch, Route 149, Marstons Mills, MA. Contact Paul or Bea Quirk (508)888-0294 or Joe or Jean Kennedy, 575 Willow St., West Barnstable, MA 02688 (508)362-3005.

April 12: Portland Nursery Trial, Portland, CT. Contact Carol Campion, 99 Grayville Rd., Amston, CT 06251 (203)537-1386 or Lynnette Milleville (203)342-4279.

*** April 25:** Connecticut Sheep Breeders Sheep Dog Trial, Tolland, CT. Open Trial. Contact Dayle Hamilton, 34 Brown Brook Rd., Southbury, CT 06488 (203)264-6348.

**** April 25-26:** Sussex County Sheep Dog Trial, Augusta, NJ. Nursery and Open Trial on Saturday; Open Trial on Sunday. Contact Gene Sheninger, 213 Split Rock Road, Boonton, NJ 07005 (201)299-9785.

April 26: Cooperlane Nursery Trial, Shelburne, MA. Contact Edgar Gould, Cooper Lane, Shelburne, MA 01370 (413)625-6496.

**** May 2-3:** Sydenham Sheep Dog Trials, Sydenham, Ontario. Two 1-day Open and Nursery Trials. Contact J. P. Lalonde, RR 1, Sydenham, Ontario, Canada KOH 2T0 (613)376-3659.

**** # May 16-17:** Nearfield Farm Spring Trial, East Conway, NH. Two 1-day Open and Nursery. Contact Roger Deschambeault, HCR 16, Ctr. Conway, NH 03813 (603)939-2255.

*** May 23-24:** Mass. Sheep and Woolcraft Fair Sheep Dog Trial, Cummington, MA. Nursery Trial on Saturday and Open Trial on Sunday. Contact Becky Peterson, 41 Bell Rd., Leyden, MA 01337, (413)624-5562.

**** May 29-31:** Bittersweet Farm Sheep Dog Trial, Hampton, CT. Nursery Trial on Friday and Open Trial on Saturday and Sunday, USBCHA Nursery. Contact Carol Campion, 99 Grayville Road, Amston, CT 06231, (203)537-1386.

**** May 30-31:** Ontario Border Collie Club Spring Trial, Navan, Ontario. (Location Change) Two 1-day Open and Nursery Trials. Contact Evelyn Neuendorff, Box 468, Munster, Ontario, Canada KOA 3P0 (613)838-2315.

**** # June 13-14:** Gaspé Region Sheep Dog Trial, St. Ulric, Quebec. Contact Bruce Smart, 889 Main Road, Hudson, Quebec, Canada JOP 1H0 (514)458-2502 or Paul Lagace, Rang 4 S., St. Ulric, Quebec, Canada GOJ 3H0.

June 19: Sheepy Hollow Nursery Trial, Hop Bottom, PA. Contact Walt Jagger, Box 233, Hop Bottom, PA 18824 (717)289-4663.

**** June 20-21:** Pennsylvania State Championship Sheep Dog Trial, Hop Bottom, PA. Two 1-day Open Trials. Contact Walt Jagger, Box 233, Hop Bottom, PA 18824, (717)289-4663.

**** July 11-12:** Greenlees Farm Sheep Dog Trial, Joyceville, Ontario. Two 1-day Nursery and Open Trials. Con-

tact Karen Greenlees, RR 1, Joyceville, Ontario KOH 1Y0 Canada (613)542-1645.

July 12: Misty Lane Nursery Trial, Brownfield, ME. Contact Gabrielle Merrill, RFD 1, Box 20, Brownfield, ME 04010 (207)935-2520.

**** # July 18-19:** Sheep Focus Sheep Dog Trial, Erin, Ontario. Contact Stu Hicks (416)562-4962.

**** July 25-26:** Irish-American Championship Sheep Dog Trial, Irish Cultural & Sports Center, East Durham, NY. Two one-day open trials. Contact Donald Gallagher, Rt. 145, East Durham, NY 12423 (518)634-2392.

**** August 1-2:** Bangor Fair Open Trial, Bangor Civic Center, Bangor, Maine. Contact Roger Deschambeault, Nearfield Farm, HCR 16, Ctr. Conway, NH 03813 (603)939-2255 or Beverly Lambert (207)525-3223..

**** July 31, August 1-2:** Ottawa Valley Sheep Dog Trial, Stittsville, Ontario. Nursery on Friday and Saturday; Open on Saturday and Sunday. Entry deadline July 18. Contact Evelyn Neuendorff, Box 468, Munster, Ontario, Canada KOA 3P0 (613)838-2315.

**** August 4-6:** Hastings County Sheep Dog Trials, Roslin, Ontario. One Nursery and two one-day Open Trials, USBCHA Nursery, cattle. Contact Pat Buckley, RR 1, Roslin, Ontario, Canada KOK 2Y0 (613)396-6600.

**** August 7-9:** Pittsburgh Township Sheep Dog Trials, Grass Creek Park, Kingston, Ontario. One Nursery and two one-day Open Trials, USBCHA Nursery. Contact Amanda Miliken, RR 2, Kingston, Ontario, Canada K7L 5H6 (613)546-1451 or (613)531-9405.

*** # August 8:** Central New York Sheep Dog Championship Trial, Syracuse, NY. One day Open and Nursery Trial. Contact Ben Larrow, c/o Burnet Park Zoo, 500 Burnet Park Drive, Syracuse, NY 13204 (315)435-8511.

*** August 15:** Maine State Championship, Brooks, ME. Open and Nursery Trial, USBCHA Nursery. Contact Beverly Lambert, RFD 1, Box 2280, Dickey Hill Rd., Brooks, ME 04921 (207)525-3223.

*** August 16:** Skowhegan Fair Sheep Dog Trial, Skowhegan, Maine. Contact Charles Carpenter, 61 Water Street, Skowhegan, ME (207)474-2947.

*** August 21-22:** Empire State Open Sheep Dog Trial, Altamont, NY. Nursery, USBCHA Nursery, Open. Contact Mike Canaday, RD 2, Box 365, Meadowdale Road, Altamont, NY 12009 (518)861-6049.

*** August 23:** New York State Championship, Altamont Fair, Altamont, NY. Contact Mike Canaday, RD 2, Box 365 Meadowdale Road, Altamont, NY 12009 (518)861-6049.

*** August 22:** Scottish Festival Open Trial, Quechee, VT. Contact George Madeira, 79 Hanover St. #8, Lebanon, NH 03766 (603)448-5669.

August 29-30: Spring Valley Nursery Trial, Strafford, VT. Two one-day Nursery Trials. Contact Steve Wetmore, P.O. Box 54, Strafford, VT 05072 (802)765-4466.

*** September 4:** Lancaster Fair Open Sheep dog Trial, Lancaster, NH. Contact Roger Deschambeault, HCR 16, Ctr. Conway, NH 03813 (603)939-2255.

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* **# September 5:** Blue Hill Fair Open Sheep Dog Trial, Blue Hill Fair, Blue Hill, ME. Open Trial. Contact Jim Davidson, North Country Farm, Round Pond, ME 04564 (207)677-2224.

* **September 6:** North East US Open Sheep Dog Trial, Blue Hill, Maine. Contact Jim Davidson, North Country Farm, Round Pond, ME 04564 (207)677-2224.

** **September 5-7:** New Jersey State Sheep Dog Trial at Fosterfields, Morristown, NJ. Nursery on Saturday and Sunday; Open on Sunday and Monday; USBCHA on Monday. Contact Gene Sheninger, 213 Split Rock Road, Boonton, NJ 07005 (201)299-9785.

* **September 7:** Windsor Fair Open Sheep Dog Trial, Windsor, Maine. Contact Fred Eames, RFD 2, Box 5130, Waterville, ME 04901 (207)872-9604.

** **September 12-13:** Hagersville Sheep Dog Trials, Hagersville, Ontario. Two 1-day Open and Nursery Trials. Contact Alice Guthrie, RR 4, Hagersville, Ontario NOA 1HO Canada (416)768-5587.

* **September 12:** Allegheny Plateau Sheep and Wool Festival Dog Trial, Morris, NY. Open Trial. Contact Gwen Cassel, 126A Fusch Road, Columbus, NY 13460 (607)674-4541.

* **September 13:** O'Bræ Farm Sheep Dog Trial, Columbus, NY. Nursery and Open Trial. Contact Gwen Cassel, 126A Fusch Road, Columbus, NY 13460, (607)674-4541.

** **# September 19-20:** Nation Valley Sheep Dog Trial, Nation Valley Farm, Winchester, Ontario. Two one-day Nursery and Open Trials. Con-

tact Werner Reitboeck, Nation Valley Farm, Box 424, Winchester, Ontario, Canada KOC 2KO (613)448-3266.

** **September 26-27:** Keystone State Sheep Dog Trial, Bucks County Horse Park, Revere, PA. Nursery and Open Trials. Contact Eve Marschark, Box 397 Farm School Road, Bedminster, PA 18910 (215)795-2023.

* **October 3:** New Hampshire State Championship, East Conway, NH. Open Trial. Contact Roger Deschambeault, HCR 16, Ctr. Conway, NH 03813 (603)939-2255.

* **October 4:** Fryeburg Fair Open Sheep Dog Trial, Fryeburg, Maine. Contact Gabe Merrill, RFD #1 Box 20, Brownfield, ME 04010 (207)935-2520.

1993 Trials:

** **# October 17-18:** African Lion Safari Trial, near Guelph, Ontario. Two 1-day Open and Nursery Trials. Contact Amanda Milliken, RR 2, Kingston, Ontario K7L 5H6 (613)546-1451.

** **October 31-November 1 (or September 26-27):** Ontario Border Collie Club Fall Trial, Kingston, Ontario. Two 1-day Open & Nursery Trials. Contact Amanda Milliken, RR 2, Kingston, Ontario K7L 5H6 Canada (613)546-1451 or (613)531-9405.

** **October 23-25:** Cumberland Valley Open Trial, Carlisle, PA. Two one-day Open Trials; Open Ranch also. Contact Nathan Mooney, 245 Alters Road, Carlisle, PA 17013 (717)249-5695.

November 7-8: Maplewood Nursery Trial, Colchester, CT. Contact Carol Campion, 99 Grayville Rd., Amston, CT 06231 (203)537-1386.

NOTICE OF MEETING

The next NEBCA Meeting is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, July 25, 1992 after the Irish-American Championship Sheep Dog Trial in East Durham, New York.

Editors' Notes

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the modest revisions that are being proposed. One more time, in case you have misplaced the original ballot we have sent out, we are including a post card that is already pre-addressed and ready for you to vote. All you need to do is add a stamp. The Association cannot afford to send out another postage paid card, so we are asking that you add the stamp. We have extended the deadline for the last time. If you can get the card in by August 1, 1992, your vote will still count.

If you have not voted yet, Please do so NOW!!!

Trials

You will see a note in the Newsletter on getting your trial forms in early to the trial managers. Since we have been putting on our own trials and laying out programs for others, we have seen that there are habitual procrastinators. Some people simply cannot get themselves together enough to pre-register.

Then, at the very last moment, they call up to see if they

can still get in. Since the NEBCA rules say that a trial manager cannot turn down a NEBCA member unless there is a pre-published limit on the number of dogs that can compete and that the limit has been reached, these late-comers are most always let in. But, it is so difficult to plan a running order, dinners that may have to be ordered, and prize money that must be so carefully planned. We are asking you, on behalf of all the trial managers out there:

Please get your trial forms in early!!!

They all work so hard at putting on the trial. The least the handlers can do is to eliminate one of the headaches by registering on time.

Well, enough lecturing for this issue. This sport is supposed to be fun and not fraught with tons of rules. But, these are observations that we have made over the years, and they may be useful to our readers. Take them for what they are worth.

See you at the next trial.

Gene & Lynne Sheninger

NEBCA Membership List

The NEBCA Membership List is now available to any members who would like to purchase a copy. To obtain a copy of the Membership List, please send a check in the amount of \$5.00 with a stamped, self-addressed envelope to your Editors, along with a disclaimer stating that you will not sell the list to other parties.

Use this membership form for new members or a renewal. Renewals are due on January 1, 1992 for current members. Be sure to send it to Lynn Deschambeault. Any NEW member who joined after July 1, 1991 need not renew until January 1, 1993. The 1992 Breeders List Deadline was January 31, 1992 *

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ADDRESS _____

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PHONE _____

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TRAINED FEMALE - 5 yrs. old (W. Jagger's Vic &

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Floss/Moss bitch) - placed in Open but can run Ranch. A natural driving dog. Plenty of power and devotion. Hips OFA good; eyes certified clear PRA & CEA. Great mother. FMI contact Eve Marschark before 9 pm, (215)795-2023.

STARTED FEMALE - 1 yr. old (E. Marschark's Spin and D. Kindig's Ringo). Biddable, keen, well-socialized. Hips

preliminarily x-rayed and look great. Eyes certified clear of CEA. Probably the one I should be keeping. FMI contact Eve Marschark before 9 pm, (215)795-2023.

BORDER COLLIE PUPS due July 20 out of Beverly Lambert's Kate (mother of Lambert's Lark) and Jet, winner of many Open trials. Both parents OFA good, very biddable and easy to train. Contact B. Lambert (207)525-3223.

1993 NEBCA Calendars

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Walt Jagger	Queen	289
Cheryl Jagger Williams	Nell	222
Cheryl Jagger Williams	Kim	222
Mike Canaday	Jill	156
Dick Williams	Jess	154
Walt Jagger	Celt	149
Eve Marschark	Spin	149
Beverly Lambert	Jet	148
Amanda Milliken	Hazel	144
Dick Williams	Kate	131
Mike Canaday	Patti	110
Carol Champion	Lady	99
Amanda Milliken	Boy	92
Amanda Milliken	Jack	80
Lynn Deschambeault	Dandy	78
David Young	Ben	74
Becky Peterson	Roy	71
Mike Canaday	Sandy	70
Betty Levin	Kelty	66
Cheryl Jagger Williams	Fleet	64
Beverly Lambert	Lark	60
Becky Peterson	Fly	55
Gene Sheninger	Robin	55
John Roche	Kep	53
Vergil Holland	Meg	46
Duff George	Jim	45
Bruce Smart	Skye	44
Lisa Schafer	Spook	43
Roger Deschambeault	Jill	42
Edgar Gould	Meg	37
Pat Buckley	Bart	37
Gene Sheninger	Meg	35
Roger Deschambeault	Glen	31
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Becky Peterson	Queen	17
Dayle Hamilton	Spot	14
Steve Wetmore	Floss	13
Doug McDonough	Tweed	13
Gabe Merrill	Meg	12
Steve Wetmore	Ben	12
Larry Champion	Nip	11
Walt Jagger	Kit	11
Lynnette Milleville	Fly	10
Beverly Lambert	Mac	6

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