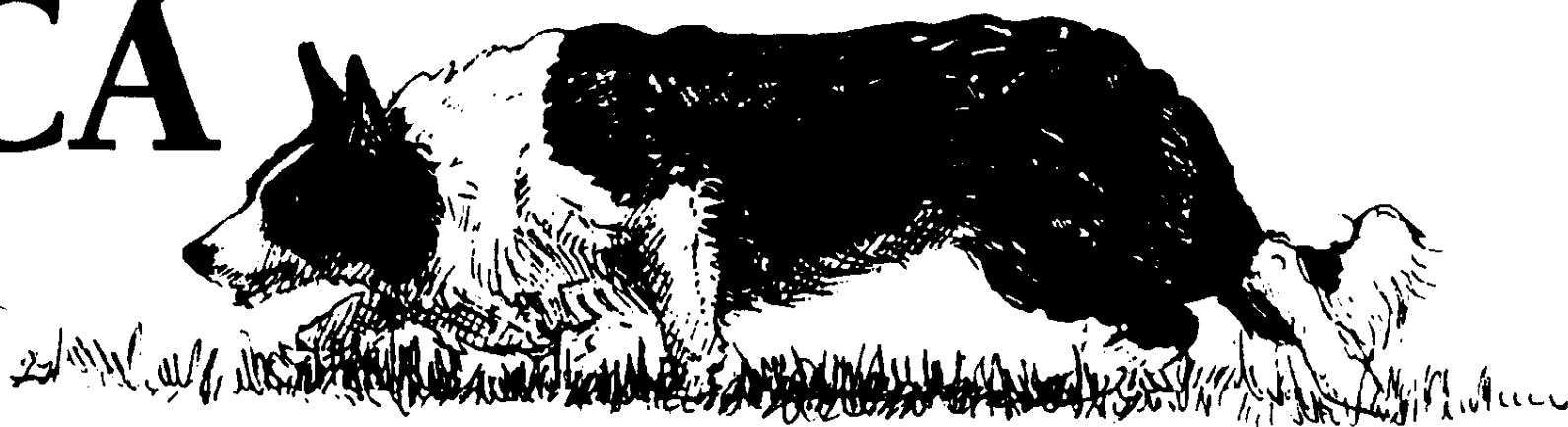


# NEBCA News



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## PENNSYLVANIA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP STOCK DOG TRIALS

June 16-18, 1996.

Qualifying trial for USBCHA, NEBCA, MABCA, and PURINA.

Weather: Beautiful sunny days.

Unpredictable Katahdin sheep for Open, mixed bag of wool and Katahdin for novice classes.

Lots of ribbons and awards for the top ten in each class, and lots of "special" awards. Joy Dog Foods provided Dog food for all winners.

Food: A community dinner on Friday night was fun for all, hosted by Eleanor Jagger for about a hundred people. Lots of concession food was also available.

Fourteen states, Scotland, Ireland and Ontario were represented.

### NURSERY CLASSES

Judge: Wink Mason.

Classes held at Culleymont Farm, owned by Richard and Cheryl Jagger Williams.

Purse: Paid the top five in each nursery class each day.

\*All ties for first place were broken by a run-off consisting of a silent gather.

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 16

NOVICE/NOVICE: 29 dogs

1. Jody Somers/Chip 77\*
2. Merry Klimek/Ben 77\*
3. Joyce Geier/Troy 76
4. Margaret Lambkin/Ice 75
5. Janet Larson/Twill 75
6. Michelle Hegins/Kilt 75
7. David Horting/May 74
8. Linda Fossetta/Liz 73
9. Robert Thrasher/Loch 73
10. John Sanderson/Molly 71

PRO/NOVICE: 35 dogs

1. Mike Canady/Dell 78
2. Lorna Savage/Twist 77
3. Sian O'Leary/Queen 76
4. Allan Lynch/Jen 76
5. Barbara Starkey/Meg 76
6. Bill Gregor/Brew 76
7. Betty Levin/Maddie 74
8. Leon Armentrout/Rock 73
9. Lena Pettey/Gelen 73
10. Bill Gregor/Willie 72

RANCH: 24 dogs

1. Walt Jagger/Nan 88
2. C. J-Williams/Sadie 87
3. Beverly Lambert/Spy
4. Leon Armentrout/Whit 85
5. Ellen Skillings/Jack 84
6. Polly Matzinger/Annie 84
7. Mary Brighoff/Moss 82
8. S. Wetmore/Keegan 81
9. Brooks Parrott/Skye 80
10. Ed Moore/Zeke 78

USBCHA: 6 dogs

1. John Doyle/Bud 64
2. Beverly Lambert/Spy 61
3. Ed Moore/Zeke
4. Mary Brighoff/Mirk 37
6. S. Craddock/Barbie 22

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 17

NOVICE/NOVICE: 30 dogs

1. Joyce Geier/Troy 78

2. David Horting/May 77
3. Merry Klimek/Tweed 76
4. Linda Fossetta/Liz 76
5. Barbara Levinson/Ivy 75
6. Jody Somers/Chip 74
7. Margaret Lambkin/Ice 73
8. Robert Thrasher/Loch 70
9. JoAnn Krause/Hope 69
10. Janet Larson/Twill 68

PRO/NOVICE: 36 dogs

1. Leon Armentrout/Rock 77
2. Allan Lynch/Jen 76
3. Polly Matzinger/Roy 73
4. Michael Dathe/Cobb 75
5. Mary Brighoff/Mirk 74
6. Betty Levin/Maddie 72
7. Craig Flynn/McDuff 71
8. Mike Canaday/Dell 70
9. Merry Klimek/Ben 69
10. Barbara Starkey/Jane 69

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# Note from the Editors

Thanks to all who answered the survey questions from last issue - I felt I got to know you a little better, and I'll try to pay attention to your comments in planning future newsletters. I'm glad to hear that the newsletter is important to you. There's no room for the summary of the results in this issue, but they will appear in the next one. If you haven't sent in your survey, that gives you a little longer to do it.

The trial season is winding down, with just the Fall Foliage Championship yet to go. If you'd like to see some of the best dogs in the North East run, the directions to the trial are below. You might even be able to lend a hand.

The bylaws committee is still working on the bylaws revisions, so it's your chance to have some input: call Bev Lambert, Steve Wetmore, Mike Canaday or Anne Priest with your comments.

If you know of someone who is a member but isn't getting the newsletter, please have them contact Steve or me, or Jean Kennedy. We are working off a member's list that may not be up-to-date. If your name was left off the nursery points listing last time, we apologize. We left out those names that weren't on the member's list. Let us know, so we can get it straightened out.

This issue is a short one, just to get out the trials' results and the directions to the Fall Foliage. The next issue should be full of articles from our "regular contributors" and perhaps some new ones too. Quite a few of the trial managers have not sent results - if we get them, we'll print them.

Dee Woessner

## DIRECTIONS TO HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE FOR THE NEBCA FALL FOLIAGE

Easiest routes (thanks to Ellen Skillings)

**From the East:** Take Rt. 1 to Rt. 91, go south on 91 and follow further directions for "from the north." Or take the Mass. Pike to 91 and head north, follow directions below for "from the south."

**From the North:** Take exit 25 off Rt. 91 (Rt. 116 South, Deerfield). Follow Rt. 116 to Rt. 9. Take a left on Rt. 9. Follow 9 - see further directions below.

**From the South:** Take exit 19 off Rt. 91. It's the second Northhampton exit and the exit for Rt. 9. It also says Amherst, Amherst College, etc. Turn right (east) on Rt. 9 - see further directions below.

Follow Rt. 9 to the center of Amherst. Turn right on Rt. 116 (south). Go about 2 1/2 miles. The Farm Center is on the right hand side past a white rail fence. We will have signs out for parking. Only the handlers should come to the Farm Center. Other spectators should go to the Main Entrance and follow signs for Sheep Dog Trial parking.

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# EASTERN TOWNSHIPS SHEEP DOG TRIAL

Lennoxville, Quebec, July 27 & 28

Judge: Patrick Shannahan

The trial that almost WASN'T..., WAS a huge success. The list of those who were responsible for helping make the trial so successful goes on, but we must thank the Town of Lennoxville first and foremost because they helped us cover the major cost of putting on this trial. The foresight of Muriel Brand was instrumental in its success. Also we would like to thank Patrick Shannahan from Caldwell, Idaho for doing such a good job at judging our trial.

The sheep that were used for the trial were from a commercial flock of 350 Polypay ewes owned by Gary Caldwell who has graciously lent them to us for the past 3 years. For the second year in a row the trial field was located at Bishop's University in Lennoxville. Due to a very wet year, our trial site was changed to the sports practice fields. This location proved to be better than last year, with mowed grounds and an elevated area for the spectator stands which provided a great view of the trial field.

Approximately 60 dogs ran each day with Sunday's running climaxing on the last five runs of the day. Warren Mick led briefly with a score of 94. Amanda Milliken with Boy moved into the lead with a score of 95 soon after, and then the "Blink and She'll Beat Ya" lady, Sally Lacy, completed the course with a score of 94, pushing Warren into third place. What a finish!

As in years past we would like to thank our sponsors Clarke & Son and Banner Dog food for their never-ending support. Also, we would like to thank everyone who helped out by setting out sheep and the many other things that had to be done to make the trial run so smoothly. Hope to see you all again next year!

by Mary Ellen Young

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## SATURDAY

### NOVICE (4 Dogs)

1) Fran Wheeler	J.J.	62
2) Hillary Flowers	Kate	37
3) Hillary Flowers	Jill	29
4) Dave Murray	Bess	21

### PRO/NOVICE (13 Dogs)

1) Amanda Milliken	Grace	68
2) Mike Canaday	Dell	61
3) Fran Wheeler	Tweed	56
4) Mark Bustard	Burl	55
5) Bruce Smart	Mags	50

### RANCH (5 Dogs)

1) Dee Woessner	Fly	72
(The rest were retired or D.Q.)		

### OPEN (34 Dogs)

1) Mike Canaday	Ken	95
2) Amanda Milliken	Hazel	94
3) Amanda Milliken	Boy	93
4) Ivan Weir	Moy	89
5) Sally Lacy	Tru	88
6) Dave Young	Ben	83
7) Lena Bailey	Dave	82
8) Bev Lambert	Jet	79
9) Bev Lambert	Lark	78
10) Mike Canaday	Spot	72

## SUNDAY

### NOVICE/NOVICE (4 Dogs)

1) Hillary Flowers	Jill	48
2) Fran Wheeler	J.J.	46
(The other 2 were D.Q.)		

### PRO/NOVICE (10 Dogs)

1) Mark Bustard	Burl	73
2) Amanda Milliken	Grace	58

3) Mike Canaday	Dell	56
4) Hillary Flowers	Kate	46
5) Fran Wheeler	Tweed	42

### RANCH (3 Dogs)

1) Amanda Milliken	Atlas	68
2) Bev Lambert	Spy	64
3) Dee Woessner	Fly	49

### OPEN (32 Dogs)

1) Amanda Milliken	Boy	95
2) Sally Lacy	Bob	94
3) Warren Mick	Tim	94
4) Lena Bailey	Jen	92
5) Bev Lambert	Lark	89
6) Ivan Weir	Joe	86
7) Amanda Milliken	Hazel	86
8) Werner Reitboeck	Meg	80
9) Mike Canaday	Robin	80
10) Ivan Weir	Chip	79

# NEW JERSEY STATE SHEEP DOG TRIAL

Fosterfields, Morristown NJ August 31- Sept. 2, 1996

Judge John Atkinson

HURRICANE EDOUARD !!! By all reports, including the National Weather Service, we were going to get hit dead on by this category 4 storm - 105 mph winds. We could expect his arrival by Sunday night and suffer through it throughout Monday. But, someone was looking out for us. He dropped a dome over New Jersey. We had three days of 80 degree sunshine, WONDERFUL weather. Virginia to the south had rain on Monday, Cape Cod was evacuated, and upper New York around to Ohio suffered rain. It was a mess all around us, but we enjoyed the best weather we have ever had in the eight years of the Fosterfields trials.

On Saturday, we ran a total of 68 dogs. It was a nice relaxing day. We used two woolies and one Katahdin, with no more than one black woolie per set. No one seemed to like the black woolies, but that just made the course a little more challenging. I still can't figure out why these sheep, the ones that lived together all year long, just couldn't seem to stay together during the trial. The white woolies stuck well with the Katahdins but the black woolies were running to the tune of a different drummer. BUT, we also ran a Junior Novice Class (outrun, lift, fetch and pen only- placings determined on time). THEY used the black sheep and didn't seem to have any problems with them!!! We even picked a spectator to run a dog - thanks to Bev Lambert's Mac. He is willing to work for anyone, so we let a spectator run Mac, and he placed 6th. It was the Ranch Class that had to pay a high price. John Atkinson, our judge, had set up the course to be a challenge. Unfortunately, we realized (too late) that it was a bit too challenging. The sheep were spotted on the side of a knoll almost 350 yards from the post - the dogs had trouble seeing them. There was a dead spot on the first leg of the drive that proved just too much for these young dogs. Then the 200 yard cross drive was just too long. We changed it for Open the next day - shortened the outrun, switched the drive around and shortened the cross-drive. The Open handlers appreciated the testing that the Ranch handlers did for them the prior day.

On Sunday we ran 97 dogs, starting at 6:30 am and finishing at 7:45 (just before it got dark). What a grueling day. We ran a total of 43 Novice/Novice and Pro/Novice dogs and 54 Open dogs. The novice dogs got to run on the easy sheep, but the Open dogs had to handle Scottish Blackfaces. They were tough, but could be handled. Penning was difficult, but doable. Quite a challenge. Monday was another grueling day - 17 Ranch dogs and 55 Open dogs (we had to cancel the USBCHA nursery class - only 4 entries.) Everyone had to run on the Scottish Blackface.

What a weekend!! I guess I'm just glad it's over.

by Gene Sheninger

## SATURDAY

### NOVICE/NOVICE: 23 dogs

1. Linda Fossetta/Lizzy 73
2. Kathi Hughes/Isabella 71
3. Merry Klimek/Tweed 71
4. Derek Johnson/Cruise 70
5. Barbara Levinson/Ivy 69
6. Bob Thrasher/Loch 68
7. Bob Washer/Cass 68
8. Peg Lynch/Deadal 66
9. Linda Fossetta/Meg 64
10. Sandy Sanderson/Star 64

### RANCH: 20 dogs

1. Russ Middaugh/Marvin 74
2. Ken Sigel/Chip/65
3. Amanda Milliken/Atlas 62
4. Dick Williams/Craig 58
5. Mary Brighoff/Moss 56
6. Heather Millen/Lark 54
7. Paul Heidenberg/Heidi 54
9. Beverly Lambert/Spy 44
10. Mike Canady/Dell 44

## SUNDAY

### PRO/NOVICE: 25 dogs

1. Amanda Milliken/Grace 69
2. Nancy Ortiz-Sharp/Aquilla 65
3. Mary Brighoff/Mirk 62
4. Bill Gregor/Willie 58
5. Heather Millen/Buck 58
6. Joshua Yurfest/Montana 57
7. Merry Klimek/Ben 55
8. Cheryl Williams/Sally 53
9. Barbara Levinson/Tess 52
10. Polly Matzinger/Roy 51

### NOVICE/NOVICE: 21 dogs

1. Barbara Levinson/Ivy 73
2. Jack Symerman/Pi 72
3. BabWasher/Cass 72
4. Merry Klimek/Tweed 71
5. Kathi Hughes/Isabella 70
6. Bob Washer/Kline 69
7. Peter Vandecar/Chip 69
8. Jim Strohecker/Rudy 65
9. Suzanne Craddock/Mick 64
10. Linda Fossetta/Lizzy 63

### PRO/NOVICE: 22 dogs

1. Amanda Milliken/Grace 71
2. Walt Jagger/Jim 70
3. Mary Brighoff/Mirk 69
4. Cheryl Williams/Sally 68
5. Nancy Ortiz-Sharp/Aquilla 67
6. Allan Lynch/Jen 66
7. Suzanne Craddock/Barbie 65
8. Bill Gregor/Willie 62
9. Heather Millen/Buck 62
10. Ron McGettigan/Wilbur 62

## MONDAY

### RANCH: 17 dogs

1. Beverly Lambert/Spy 76
2. Cheryl Williams/Sadie 74
3. Joshua Yurfest/Montana 72
4. Dick Williams/Craig 71
5. Polly Matzinger/Annie 70
6. Paul Heidenberg/Heidi 70
7. Kent Kuykendall/Tug 67
8. Eileen Stein/Floss 63
9. Heather Millen/Lark 57
10. Bill Gregor/Brew 57

**JUNIOR NOVICE****SATURDAY**

1. Lauren Sheninger/Gael
2. Steven Jagger/Nan
3. Shelly Cymerman/Molly
4. BethAnn Sheninger/Sweep
5. Jay Canaday/Mac
6. Haleel (spectator)/Mac
7. Tanner Millen/Tripp
8. Robbie Tuttle/Lady

**MONDAY**

1. Logan Millen/Buck
2. BethAnn Sheninger/Sweep
3. Robbie TuttleLady

4. Jay Canaday/Mac
5. Tanner Millen/Buck
6. Lauren Sheninger/Gael

**OPEN****SUNDAY: 54 dogs**

1. Mike Canday/Robin 91
2. Amanda Milliken/Hazel 90
3. Ken Sigel/Chip 89
4. Cheryl Williams/Nell 87
5. Amanda Milliken/Boy87
6. Lena Bailey/Dave 86
7. Kent Kuykendall/Bill 85
8. Sally Lacy/Bob 85

9. Tom Lacy/Rip 84
10. Walt Jagger/Roy 83

**MONDAY: 55 dogs**

1. Amanda Milliken/Hazel 97
2. Beverly Lambert/Jet 95
3. Kent Kuykendall/Jet 94
4. Mike Canday/Ken 94
5. Nathan Mooney/Kep 93
6. Mike Canday/Spot 93
7. Cheryl Williams/Nell 91
8. Gene Sheninger/Yankee 90
9. Kent Kuykendall/Bill 90
10. Ken Sigel/Chip 89

Most Promising Novice Dog: Barb Levinson's Ivy

Most Promising Novice Handler: Bob Washer

Best Gather: Ken Sigel/Chip

Best Drive: Amanda Milliken/Eucher

Best Shed: Mike Canaday/Robin

**NJ State Champion: Amanda Milliken/Hazel**

**NJ State Reserve Champion: Mike Canaday/Robin**

**SKOWHEGAN FAIR TRAIL**

Skowhegan, ME August 11, 1996

Points trial, 28 full points, 2 runs combined

**OPEN - 16 dogs**

- |                             |    |
|-----------------------------|----|
| 1. Ellen Raja/Jennie        | 56 |
| 2. Gabe Merrill/Meg         | 56 |
| 3. Lynn Deschambeault/Mindy | 53 |
| 4. Doug McDonough/Tweed     | 51 |
| 5. Betty Levin/Kelty        | 50 |
| 6. Gabe Merrill/Jed         | 50 |
| 7. Roger Deschambeault/Jack | 49 |
| 8. Debbie Merrill/Brie      | 47 |
| 9. Doug McDonough/Kate      | 47 |
| 10. Lynn Deschambeault/Pip  | 45 |

**VERMONT STATE CHAMPIONSHIP**

Quechee, VT August 24, 1996

Judge: John Atkinson, England

**OPEN - 42 dogs**

1. Bev Lambert/Lark
2. Ellen Skillings/Gen
3. Ellen Skillings/Jack
4. Gene Sheninger/Sweep
5. Mike Canaday/Spot
6. Rich Seaman/Socks
7. Gabe Merrill/Meg
8. Bev Lambert/Jet
9. Mike Canaday/Ken
10. Gene Sheninger/Yankee

**LANCASTER FAIR TRIAL**

Lancaster, NH August 29, 1996

Points trial

**OPEN - 34 dogs**

- |                            | points | time |
|----------------------------|--------|------|
| 1. Doug McDonough/Tweed    | 32     | 2:01 |
| 2. Beverly Lambert/Bill    | 32 pts | 2:02 |
| 3. Gabe Merrill/Meg        | 32     | 2:05 |
| 4. Rich Seaman/Socks       | 32     | 2:06 |
| 5. Mike Canady/Spot        | 32     | 2:11 |
| 6. Mike Canaday/Ken        | 32     | 2:43 |
| 7. L. Deschambeault/Mindy  | 32     | 3:15 |
| 8. Rich Seaman/Cleo        | 31     | 1:50 |
| 9. R. Deschambeault/Lassie | 31     | 2:27 |
| 10. L.Deschambeault/Pip    | 30     | 2:21 |

**SPRING VALLEY FARM TRIAL**

Wetmore/Root farm, Stafford, VT August 25, 1996

Judge: John Atkinson, England

**OPEN - 30 dogs**

1. Warren Mick/Tara
2. Mike Canaday/Ken
3. Rich Seaman/Leo
4. Mike Canaday/Robin
5. Denise Leonard/Nikki
6. Roger Dechambeault/Jack
7. Bev Lambert/Bill
8. Gene Sheninger/Yankee
9. Bev Lambert/Jet
10. Ellen Skillings/Jack

# EMPIRE STATE/ALTAMONT FAIR

This was the 14th annual NYS Championship SDT held at the Altamont Fair. This year the trial spotlight was clearly on the last run of the day, on Pig. Pig is a 5 month old pig handled by Derek Johnston of Cape Cod, MA. Months before, it was Mike Canaday who convinced Derek to train Pig for sheep work and who got Pig entered in the Altamont Fair Trial. Whether due to the recent cinematic popularity of sheep pigs or a just a whole lot of skepticism and curiosity, the number of spectators doubled in anticipation of Pig's run. While waiting for the sheep to be set out, Derek prepared Pig for her run with warm-up exercises: heeling, sits and downs. The crowd was pleased. Several loud squeals were enough to convince the crowd that Pig was indeed a pig and not a dog in pigs' clothing. Pig completed her warm-up by downing some dog kibbles provided by Derek. When the sheep were settled, Derek set Pig up by the post and yelled "Come-by Pig". Pig wouldn't go. Derek commanded Pig several more times, and even got the crowd to chant "COME-BY PIG", but still nothing. Apparently, Pig had forgotten the secret words. Finally, Mike's dog Robin, who was holding out the sheep, ran down to Pig to remind her of the secret words, and then Pig began her outrun. Pig did go come-by and made it out to the sheep with only a short pause near the announcers' booth. Pig completed the fetch and then made one drive gate. Pig's pen was unconventional in that Pig went in the pen ahead of the sheep, then came out and followed the sheep back in. The announcer, Beverly Lambert, suggested that Pig was showing the sheep the way in. Derek closed the gate with all inside and trial Judge, Doug McDonough, accepted the pen. Doug noted afterward that there was no rule forbidding this maneuver. Pig cooled off in the water bath after her run and then posed for pictures with children at the Fair.

As word gets around about the events in Altamont, I suspect we'll see those BC's and their handlers sharpening up their acts, because they may have to run against a sheep Pig at their next trial.

by Warren Mick

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## **Empire State Open SDT**

Canaday Farm, Altamont, NY

August 17, 1996

Judge: Doug McDonough

Open - 27 Dogs

Mike Canaday/Ken 95

Beverly Lambert/Lark 91

Rich Seaman/Socks 90

Mike Canaday/Robin 86

Beverly Lambert/Bill 82

Gene Sheninger/Sweep 81

Carol Campion/Dave 79

Roger Deschambeault/Jack 78

Barbara Armata/Taff 76

Carol Campion/Queen 65

## **New York State Championship**

Altamont Fair, Altamont, NY

August 18, 1996

Judge: Doug McDonough

Open - 26 Dogs and 1 Pig

Derek Johnson/Pig Honorary first place

Beverly Lambert/Jet 92

Mike Canaday/Robin 91

Mike Canaday/Spot 91

Beverly Lambert/Bill 87

Gene Sheninger/Yankee 86

Gene Sheninger/Sweep 80

Barbara Armata/Taff 80

Barbara Armata/Anne 79

Carol Campion/Queen 79

Betty Levin/Tay 7



# Upcoming Trials

## Note changes:

**September 28, 1996 (For 1997)**  
NH State Championship Dog Trial  
Open Trial  
Roger Deschambeault  
2440 East Conway Rd.  
Ctr. Conway, NH 03813  
603/939-2255

**September 29, 1996 (For 1997)**  
Fryeburg Fair Sheep Dog Trial  
Fryeburg, ME  
Open Trial  
Gabrielle Merrill, 207/935-2520

**October 12-13, 1996**  
NEBCA Fall Foliage  
Championship  
Hampshire College  
Amherst, MA  
Eve Marshark/Chairperson  
215/795-2023

**October 18-20, 1996 (For 1997)**  
Allan Lynch  
RD #2 Box 168  
Hughsville, PA  
One nursery + two 1-day open  
717/649-6212

**October 25-26, 1996 (For 1997)**  
Cumberland Valley Sheep Dog Trial  
Two 1-day Open Trials  
Nathan Mooney  
245 Alters Rd.  
Carlisle, PA 17013  
717/249-5695

**October 26-27 (Tentative)**  
Nursery trial with working  
situations. FMI: Lynn  
Deschambeault, Bridgton, ME  
(207)452-2898 after 10 pm

**Nov. 4-5, 1996 (Tentative for 1997)**  
Bittersweet Sheep Dog Trials  
Hampton, CT  
Two 1-day Open Trials  
Carol Champion, 203/228-8243

**November 8-10, 1996**  
Windstar Farms Stock Dog Trial  
Sandwich, MA  
Two 1-day Open and Nursery Trials  
Rich Seaman, 508/428-9483

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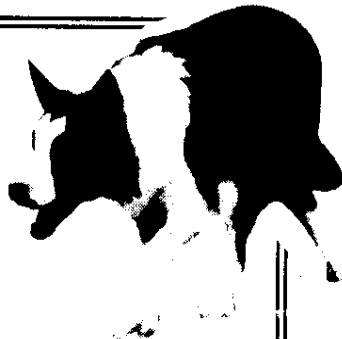
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**PUPPIES** from imported bitch, ready in December.  
**AT STUD:** Ken, 1996 high points champion, 1995 fall foliage champion, hips good, eyes clear.  
**Mike Canady (518) 861-6049.**

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RANCH: 25 dogs

1. C. J-Williams/Sadie 84\*
2. Chalmers Means/Bett 84\*
3. Bernie Armata/Dan 83
4. Walt Jagger/Nan 81
5. C.Kroemmelbein/Queen 79

6. Beverly Lambert/Spy 78
7. Sian O'Leary/Queen 76
8. John Doyle/Bud 76
9. Mary Brighoff/Moss 75
10. Polly Matzinger/Annie 74

USBCHA NURSERY: 5 dogs

1. John Doyle/Bud 76
2. Ed Moore/Zeke 72
3. Mary Brighoff/Mirk 67
4. S. Craddock/Barbie 41

**SPECIAL AWARDS:**

Most Promising Young Dog: Tweed, owned by Merry Klimek

Most Promising Young Handler: Jody Somers.

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**OPEN CLASSES**

Classes held at Sheepy Hollow Farm, owned by Walt and Eleanor Jagger, June 15 & 16. Tom Forrester set sheep for Open.

Judge: Nathan Mooney

Purse: total paid to the top ten open dogs over both days over \$5,000

**SATURDAY: 54 dogs**

1. Alasdair Macrae/Nan 103
2. Dick Williams/Jess 99
3. Alasdair Macrae/Ben 95
5. Dick Williams/Dave 93
6. Leon Armentrout/Mike 93
7. Walt Jagger/Celt 92
8. Walt Jagger/Roy 92
9. Mike Canaday/Robin 92
10. Sally Lacy/Tru 91

Best Pen: Nancy Ortiz Sharp/Vega

Best Gather: Dick Williams/Dave

Best Shed: Mike Canaday/Ken

**SUNDAY: 50 dogs**

1. Alasdair Macrae/Ben 104
2. Alasdair Macrae/Nan 98
3. Dick Williams/Dave 97
4. Walt Jagger/Nan 97
5. Cheryl Jagger Williams/Nell 97
6. Walt Jagger/Celt 96
8. Barbara Armata/Annie 93
9. Mike Canaday/Ken 92
10. Rich Seaman/Socks 91

Best Drive: Cheryl Jagger Williams/Nell

Best Pen: Walt Jagger/Celt

Best Gather: Alasdair Macrae/Ben

Best Shed: Warren Mick/Tara

**TWO-DAY AWARDS:**

Overall Champion: Alasdair Macrae/Nan

Overall Reserve Champion: Alasdair Macrae/Ben

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