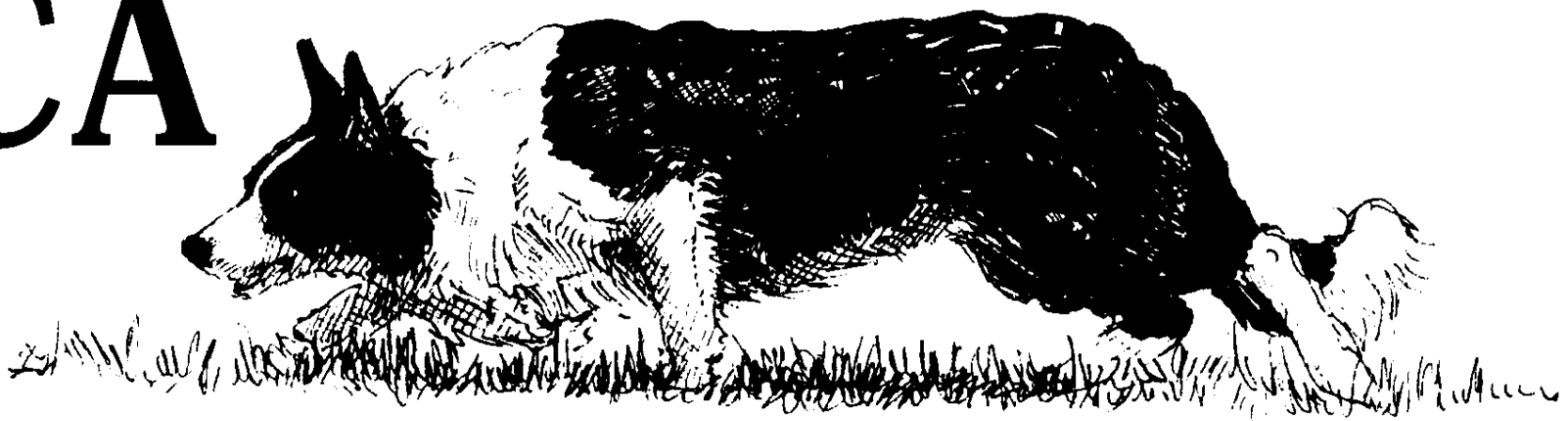


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It's Championship Season

Autumn is fast approaching with the culmination of the trials season close at her heels.

NEBCA has on its calendar two major events to bring the trialing year to a close. The first of these events—the NEBCA Nursery Championship—is the newest championship sponsored by the club and the entries increase yearly as handlers become more familiar with the event. The current talk at late trials was “How hard I have worked to do well at this event and I’m not going to miss it!”

This year’s championship was held on September 11th and 12th in Hampton Connecticut at Bittersweet Farm. Each year the trials committee seeks out a centrally located site and a large enough flock of sheep to hold a challenging event. The trial site at Bittersweet and the flock of 75 ewes offered just that. The full story and results will appear in the next issue of the NEBCA News along with a more in-depth look at the winners!

Yet to come on Columbus Day weekend, the NEBCA Fall Foliage will be held for the third year at the Old Chatham Sheep

Herding Company in Chatham, New York. We have been invited back again and this trial offers good, challenging, fresh sheep that have not been worked previously this year along with a lovely location and Border Collies primed so to be working at their best.

To be eligible to run in this event, you must have qualified your dog by finishing in the top ten of two NEBCA qualifying trials. For further information about this event please contact any of these members of the trials committee; Beverly Lambert, Carol Campion, Bruce Smart, Walt Jagger or Lynn Deschambeault. If you have qualified and want to enter your dog, please contact Bev Lambert. The deadline to enter this event is Monday, October 4th.

The locations is picturesque and offers the best Border Collie work of the year. So, come on out and watch these marvelous animals at their best!

Directions to the Old Chatham Sheep

Herding Company – From Albany: Follow Route 90 East toward Boston to Exit B2 (Taconic Parkway). Immediately after toll-booth (0.2 miles) take the exit for Route 295. Turn left at the end of the exit ramp and fol-

low the signs for Rt 295. Turn left onto Rt 295 East and travel approx. 1 mile into East Chatham. (see below).

From Boston: Follow Rt 90 West into New York to Exit B2 (Taconic Parkway). Immediately after tollbooth (0.2 miles) take the exit for Rt 295. Turn left at the end of the exit ramp and follow the signs for Rt 295. Turn left onto Rt 295 East and travel approx. 1 mile into East Chatham. (see below).

From New York City:

Take Taconic parkway north to the exit for Rt 295 (last exit prior to end of the parkway). Turn left at the end of the exit ramp and at the following intersection, turn right onto Rt 295 East. Follow 295 East 2.5 miles into East Chatham. (see below).

From East Chatham:

Turn left at the sign for Old Chatham onto the Albany Turnpike and follow 3 miles into the center of Old Chatham. From the village center, take a left onto Route 13 (after general store) and follow for 1 mile to Shaker Museum Rd. where you turn right. The trial field is on the left about 1.5 mile up Shaker Museum road. The parking /camping area is on the left just past the trial field.

The open points list appears on page two of this publication.

Nursery Guidelines Need Update As Group Grows

As NEBCA expands and the number of trials per year increases as does the quality of dogs and handling, the Nursery Guidelines need to expand and change to meet the growing needs of the group. The Nursery Trials Committee is rethinking the present guidelines with some thoughts on how to improve the program for the benefit of the dogs and handlers. There will be much discussion about these matters at trials and other events. The Committee would like to encourage these discussions. Here are some ideas on improvements and clarifications to the present rules. Please contact one of the Nursery members with any other ideas or feedback so these and any changes can be adapted to meet the ever-changing needs of the whole.

Firstly, a reminder: A dog that changes hands may be run ONE class lower unless permission is sought and granted to drop two classes.

Secondly, here are the issues needing feedback.

- Is the new point system achieving the desired effect of slowing progress through the classes?
- Is the requirement to drive in N/N class after 30 points causing a competitive disparity; is it helping novice handlers prepare for Pro-Novice; should it be an option rather than mandatory?
- Should we retain the rule that allows a handler to run a dog in both Open and Ranch until placing in Open?

• Is it time to reserve the N/N class for real beginners? No one who has run a dog above the P/N level may run a dog in N/N.

• Should we institute a system whereby a dog stays in a class for a season unless the handler chooses to move the dog up? Points would still be accumulated to determine what dogs could start the season in what class, i.e. any dog with 40 points or more by the season’s end needs to start in the next class the following year.

If you have thoughts on these or any other issues, please convey them to the Nursery Trials Committee members: George Northrup, Nancy Ortiz-Sharpe or Joyce Geier.

From the Editor...

I would like to thank Evie Carlton for all her hours of dedication to this club as Newsletter editor. She gave us a publication to be proud of. She gave us something to look forward to. Thanks, Evie

Minutes from NEBCA Meeting on September 5, 1999

Meeting held at the Fosterfields in Morristown NJ

The President, Cheryl Jagger Williams, called the meeting to order by at 8:45 pm. There were 28 members present. Cheryl reviewed the issues before the club and work being done by the board and committees. Denise Leonard is still working on incorporation and non-profit status for NEBCA. The committee charged with formulating an animal health policy is working toward having it ready for the annual meeting. The proposed policy will be printed in the winter newsletter. The \$1 a dog fee for NEBCA trials, which is optional this year, will become mandatory starting in 2000. It has been suggested that this fee be reduced. This will be decided by the annual meeting.

There are still many 2000 calendars left to sell and all are requested to support this effort. The NEBCA pamphlets will soon be available. The Fall Foliage trial will be in Old Chatham again on October 9 and 10. The qualifying requirement has been set to two placings. Entry fees will be collected at the trial but you must call Bev Lambert to confirm your attendance.

The problem of limiting entries to trials was discussed. Many felt that the open rule requiring no NEBCA member be turned away prior to an entry deadline made it difficult for trial managers to plan their trials and the number of sheep needed. A motion was passed to have both Open and Novice committees review the current situation and come back with one or more options to resolve this problem.

The Nursery Trials Committee has been working on several issues regarding nursery class qualifications i.e. definition of a novice dog and a novice handler. The guidelines will be printed in the next newsletter to remind people of the rules. The complete nursery-points list and open high-points competition results to date are listed on the NEBCA web page. (<http://www.nebca.cornell.edu>). The high-points summary is included in this newsletter.

The next meeting will be in Old Chatham at the Fall Foliage trial on October 9 in the evening. The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 pm. Warren Mick

High Points as of 9/5/99

Handler	Dog	Points	# Trials	Handler	Dog	Points	# Trials
1 Amanda Milliken	Eucher	447	9	38 L. Deschambeault	Pip	82	4
2 Warren Mick	Tim	354	10	39 Dave Young	Shim	78	2
3 Amanda Milliken	Hazel	337	7	40 Gabe Merrill	Meg	68	3
4 Amanda Milliken	Grace	322	6	41 Walt Jagger	Jim	68	2
5 Beverly Lambert	Nell	307	8	42 Linda Tesdahl	Jayce	66	1
6 Warren Mick	Reggie	283	6	43 Allan Lynch	Mcduff	66	2
7 Cheryl J. Williams	Sadie	281	7	44 Betty Levin	Maddie	66	3
8 Beverly Lambert	Nap	239	5	45 Lorna Savage	Dot	65	1
9 Mike Canaday	Smut	202	5	46 Mark Bustard	Craig	63	1
10 Walt Jagger	Roy	200	4	47 Warren Mick	Annie	60	2
11 Walt Jagger	Nan	199	4	48 R. Deschambeault	Jack	55	3
12 Barbara Armata	Anne	198	5	49 Mary Brighoff	Val	52	1
13 Mike Canaday	Robin	197	5	50 Maria Mick	Ben	51	1
14 Cheryl J. Williams	Andy	195	4	51 Gene Sheninger	Yankee	47	2
15 Sally Lacy	Tru	188	4	52 Elizabeth Phillips	Kate	45	1
16 Maria Mick	Ken	180	6	53 Ellen Skillings	Jack	44	1
17 Cheryl J. Williams	Ben	158	4	54 Roger Millen	Tripp	44	1
18 Warren Mick	Tara	153	3	55 J.P. Lalonde	Madi	44	1
19 Mike Canaday	Ben	150	4	56 Werner Reitboeck	Sweep	43	1
20 Kate Broadbent	Decks	144	3	57 Steve Wetmore	Keegan	42	2
21 Dick Williams	Fleet	132	3	58 Eve Marschark	Tea	42	1
22 Jim Strohecker	Ring	129	3	59 Cheryl J. Williams	Nell	41	1
23 Warren Mick	Craig	128	4	60 Bruce Smart	Peg	38	1
24 Mark Bustard	Burl	127	3	61 Jim Strohecker	Rudy	37	1
25 Barbara Levinson	Ivy	123	3	62 Brooks Parrott	Rush	37	1
26 Beverly Lambert	Cap	120	3	63 Barbara Armata	Taff	37	1
27 Bruce Smart	Ken	119	3	64 Bruce Smart	Dyna	32	1
28 Carol Campion	Roy	118	3	65 L. Deschambeault	Jolly	32	2
29 Nancy Ortiz-Sharp	Vega	115	3	66 Betty Levin	Tay	30	1
30 Rich Seaman	Cleo	114	3	67 Michael Dathe	Cobb	30	2
31 Sally Lacy	Bob	114	3	68 Beverly Lambert	Pat	27	1
32 R. Deschambeault	Joe	113	4	69 Carol Campion	Dell	27	1
33 Mary Brighoff	Mirk	109	2	70 Ellen Skillings	Paige	24	1
34 Joyce Geier	Troy	105	2	71 Jean Kennedy	Max	22	1
35 J.P. Lalonde	Jet	103	2	72 Peter Vandecar	Spot	11	1
36 Dick Williams	Nell	84	2	73 Paul Heidenburg	Heidi	10	1
37 Gene Sheninger	Sweep	82	3	74 Steve Wetmore	Moss	9	1

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- Borrowers are responsible for return mail
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- Books are loaned free of charge for three weeks
- Only one transaction per member at a time
- Videos are \$4.00, loaned out for two weeks per single, three weeks per set.

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TRIAL RESULTS.....

Springton Manor Sheepdog Trial Glenmore, PA

April 24-25, 1999

Judge: Dick Williams Manager: Sharon Nunan

Beautiful weather both days greeted the 90-plus dog/handler teams for the 5th Springton Manor Sheepdog Trials. The course was straightforward using the sometimes tricky Katahdin ewes and lambs provided by Alan and Peg Lynch. Although on the small side, the field with assorted-sized boulders just showing through the surface proved difficult again this year. Doing a fine job in the judges seat was Dick Williams of Hop Bottom, Pennsylvania. An extremely successful silent auction to benefit the '99 finals was piloted by Ann Davis. Thanks go out to Sue Asten, Tina DeAngelo, Alan and Peg Lynch, Ed Moore, Barb Starkey, Suzanne Craddock, Renee Billadeau, Rae and Richard Rogers, Chris Krommelbein, Louise DeMarcello, and Steve Paxton-Hill for score keeping, set-out, course set-up, and just being ready and willing to lend a hand. Special thanks to the pen crew-Mike Hearn and Katie Bates.

Saturday

Novice 26 dogs competed

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Joan Worthington	Tess	73
2. Joan Fry	Grover	72
3. Sue Asten	Glen	71
4. Mark Billedeau	Dot	70
5. Mike McGowen	Sassy	68
6. Doug Brewer	Reilly	68
7. Mary Felegy	Tam	67
8. Sandy Hornung	Meg	67

Pro-Novice 24 dogs competing

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Sandy Hornung	Jet	75
2. Mark Billadeau	June	72
3. Joyce Geier	Case	70
4. Sherry Smith	Jesse	65
5. Walt Jagger	Glen	64
6. Louise De Marcello	Sally	64
7. Cheryl Williams	Meg	62
8. Bob Vannoy	Ben	58

Ranch 22 dogs competing

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Mary Brighoff	Val	81
2. Tom Conn	Nell	79
3. Barb Starkey	Hope	75
4. Jim Strohecker	Rudy	74
5. Tom Conn	Peg	68
6. Linda Tesdahl	Trim	67
7. Sherry Smith	Mick	66
8. Suzanne Craddock	Barbie	65

Open 22 dogs competing

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Walt Jagger	Jim	96
2. Mary Brighoff	Mirk	90
3. Nancy Ortiz-Sharpe	Vega	87
4. Bernie Armata	Dan	87
5. Cheryl Williams	Ben	84
6. Walt Jagger	Nan	83
7. Barbara Armata	Taff	81
8. Mary Brighoff	Ron	81
9. Barb Levinson	Ivy	81
10. Jim Strohecker	Ring	79

Sunday

Novice 24 dogs competed

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Sandy Hornung	Meg	78
2. Tina Moran	Tasha	76
3. Doug Brewer	Reilly	75

4. John Sanderson	Lass	75
5. Sue Asten	Glen	73
6. Mike McGowen	Sassy	72
7. Mark Billedeau	Dot	72
8. Joan Fry	Grover	71

Pro-Novice 23 dogs competing

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Cheryl Williams	Tip	72
2. Louise DiMarcello	Sally	72
3. Renee Billadeau	Moss	71
4. Joyce Geier	Case	69
5. Walt Jagger	Glen	69
6. Barbara Armata	Jen	67
7. Steve Paxton-Hill	Kit	66
8. Sandy Hornug	Jet	66

Ranch 22 dogs competing

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Barb Levinson	Tess	89
2. Mary Brighoff	Val	82
3. Jim Strohecker	Rudy	79
4. Cheryl Williams	Andy	78
5. Barb Starkey	Hope	72
6. Barb Starkey	Dot	70
7. Janet Harvey	Raine	66
8. Bill Gregor	Willie	65

Open 21 dogs competing

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Barbara Armata	Anne	98
2. Mary Brighoff	Ron	93
3. Barbara Armata	Taff	93
4. Nancy Ortiz-Sharpe	Vega	92
5. Walt Jagger	Roy	91
6. Cheryl Williams	Ben	89
7. Joyce Geier	Troy	89
8. Mary Brighoff	Mirk	88
9. Walt Jagger	Jim	86
10. Alan Lynch	Duff	86

Most Promising Young Dog

Mary Felegy's Tam

Best Outwork-Saturday

Mary Felegy's Tam

Best Outwork-Sunday

Cheryl Williams Ben

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Misty Lane Sheep dog Trial June 5 & 6

We had a great trial again this year! Good weather, good people, friends—and all helped out in many ways. Lynn made a nice decorated cake for her dad—big enough so all could have some! It was presented to him by the one-and-only, Betty Levin with a speech on all the many ways Roger has helped so many people training, the use of his field, his sheep and also the helpful advice to so many of us. This was to be the last trial on that field.

I especially want to thank Roger for all he has done for me: use of his farm, fields, sheep and all he has done for me—always willing to get things ready for a trial, even though he was busy with his own work. So, **THANKS AGAIN, ROGER!** Thanks to Betty Murray, my grandsons, Mark and Jeffery, for working in the pens, (they all worked long days), to all those who set out sheep and to the judge. See you all at some upcoming trails.

Saturday June 5

Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Greg Hamm	Maya	70
2. Brenda Buja	Dice	63
3. Stuart Miller	Ben	59
4. Carla Eitapence	Anna	55
5. Darlene Hutchins	Zak	42
6. Lin Reuther	June	41
7. Millie Curtis	Lilly	37
8. Fran Wheeler	Nan	35

Pro-Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Lynn Deschambeault	Smokey	71
2. Betty Levin	Folly	68
3. Kate Collins	Buddha	67
4. Mary Ames	Sam	67
5. Denise Leonard	Kate	66
6. Lana Petty	Lugh	65
7. Denise Leonard	Rose	63
8. Lynn Reuther	Fan	63

Ranch

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Ed Hobart	Joy	77
2. Fiona Robertson	Jess	68
3. Lana Petty	Sioux	59
4. Fran Wheeler	Jock	58
5. Sue Schoen	Jet	56
6. Greg Hamm	Galen	52
7. Millie Curtis	Robbie	48

Sunday June 6

Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Carroll Goodwin	Bama	70
2. Greg Hamm	Maya	69
3. Brenda Buja	Dice	69
4. Carla Eitapence	Anna	65
5. Cokie Hamm	Lola	61
6. Bert Cowgill	Moss	40

Pro-Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Gabe Merrill	Sue	73
2. Betty Levin	Folly	71

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**Nearfield Trial
May 8-9, 1999
Judge-Joe Kennedy**

Both days started out with an overcast sky, but as the days went on, they became better. It was good weather for sheep, dogs and lastly, the handlers. A nice group of people from many areas came to participate in the trial and enjoy their time here. Many thanks to all the people who helped make the trial a great success. Our pit crew, Dave Craven's boys, as well as the set out crew. To name a few (I have forgotten all because things have gotten busy since at this time) Betty, Ed, Fran, Maria, Steve and Michael. Lynn cooked the burgers and hot dogs on Saturday night, and Chris doing the cooking on Sunday. Also, thanks to those who helped with the scoring-Carroll Goodwin helped most of the 2 days-thanks again Carroll. Saturday

Saturday

<u>Novice</u>			<u>Ranch</u>		
Handler	Dog	Score	Handler	Dog	Score
1. Greg Hamm	Maya	62	1. Jean Kennedy	Beth	84
2. Carroll Goodwin	Bama	44	2. Carlene Eitapence	Lass	73
			3. Ed Hobart	Joy	72
			4. Maria Mick	Ben	71
			5. Lana Petty	Sioux	63
			6. Greg Hamm	Galen	59
<u>Pro-Novice</u>			<u>Open</u>		
Handler	Dog	Score	Handler	Dog	Score
1. Lynn Deschambeault	Smokey	66	1. Gabe Merrill	Meg	96
2. Dave Craven	Craig	65	2. Steve Wetmore	Keegan	96
3. Carlene Eitapence	Floss	64	3. Lynn Deschambeault	Pip	95
4. Lynn Deschanbeault	Grace	61	4. Lynn Deschambeault	Jolly	95
5. Betty Levin	Folly	59			
6. Steve Wetmore	Gyp	58			
7. Gabe Merrill	Sue	57			
8. Jean Kennedy	Jill	55			

Mountain Meadow Sheep Dog Trials

Saturday June 26 & Sunday June 27

Both days were hot and sunny. Thank goodness we get mountain breezes! We want to thank all those who braved the heat and came to our trial. We ran two groups of sheep Katahdins or Romneys and everyone got to run their dos on both groups. On Saturday we ran a fun run using the ranch course with a shed. Bud, Wenzie, Sarah and Carlene worked the set-out pen—a messy job as we hosed down the sheep to keep them cool. Joe, Sarah and Carlene also set out sheep. Mike-thanks for hoofing buckets off water to the sheep pen for both dogs and sheep! Special thanks to Betty for taking care of all the paperwork and posting scores both days. We had a great pot-luck cook-out on Saturday night with the leftovers for lunch on Sunday. Steve Wetmore judged. Submitted by Mary Ames, Trial Manager Our placings were:

Saturday

<u>Novice</u>			<u>Sunday</u>		
Handler	Dog	Score	Handler	Dog	Score
1. Lana Petty	Austin	68	1. Millie Curtis	Lily	63
2. Carlene Eitapence	Anna	63	2. Cheryl Burr	Tess	57
3. Millie Curtis	Lily	48	3. Carlene Eitapence	Anna	48
4. Carroll Goodwin	Bama	36	4. Carolyn Smiles	Faye	42
			5. Carroll Goodwin	Bama	41

Pro-Novice

Handler	Dog	Score	<u>Pro-Novice</u>	Dog	Score
1. Dee Woesner	Joy	66	1. Dee Woesner	Joy	76
2. Lana Petty	Lugh	60	2. Lana Petty	Lugh	59
3. Michael Nunan	Jed	56	3. Michael Nunan	Jed	41
4. Clint Brake	Cayley	44			

Ranch

Handler	Dog	Score	<u>Ranch</u>	Dog	Score
1. Fiona Robertson	Jess	70	1. Justin Elwell	Ben	77
2. Ed Hobart	Joy	69	2. Ed Hobart	Joy	71
3. Jean Kennedy	Beth	56	3. Fiona Robertson	Jess	61
			4. Lana Petty	Sioux	46
			4. Jean Kennedy	Beth	35

Fun Run

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Jean Kennedy	Max	76
2. Ed Hobart	Joy	73
3. Jean Kennedy	Beth	62
4. Dee Woesner	Joy	62
5. Lana Petty	Sioux	57
6. Mike Nunan	Jed	37

Nearfield Trial, cont

5. Warren Mick	Tim	94
6. Warren Mick	Craig	88
7. Michael Dathe	Cobb	88
8. Betty Levin	Maddie	86
9. Maria Mick	Ken	86
10. Roger Deschambeault	Jack	83

Sunday

<u>Novice</u>		
Handler	Dog	Score
1. Greg Hamm	Maya	67
2. Carroll Goodwin	Bama	63
3. Carlene Eitapence	Anna	50

Pro-Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Betty Levin	Folly	79
2. Dave Craven	Craig	65
3. Lynn Deschanbeault	Grace	71
4. Carlene Eitapence	Floss	68
5. Lynn Deschambeault	Smokey	66
6. Jean Kennedy	Jill	65
7. Bud Ames	Luke	57
8. Steve Wetmore	Gyp	54

Ranch

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Jean Kennedy	Beth	79
2. Carlene Eitapence	Lass	73
3. Ed Hobart	Joy	69
4. Maria Mick	Ben	68
5. Fran Wheeler	Jock	66
6. Greg Hamm	Galen	64
7. Lana Petty	Sioux	37

Open

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Roger Deschambeault	Joe	97
2. Warren Mick	Tim	95
3. Jean Kennedy	Max	93
4. Warren Mick	Reggie	91
5. Maria Mick	Ken	90
6. Roger Deschambeault	Jack	89
7. Gabe Merrill	Meg	89
8. Lynn Deschambeault	Pip	89
9. Michael Dathe	Cobb	88
10. Lynn Deschambeault	Jolly	88

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Misty Lane Trial

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Pro-novice cont.

3. Lynn Deschambeault	Smokey	71
4. Lynn Deschambeault	Grace	68
5. Denise Leonard	Kate	68
6. Lana Petty	Lugh	66
7. Denise Leonard	Rose	64
8. Kate Collins	Buddha	54

Ranch

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Ed Hobart	Joy	84
2. Greg Hamm	Galen	78
3. Sue Schoen	Jet	56
4. Lana Petty	Sioux	59
5. Cokie Hamm	Zouk	46

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Roger Deschambeault	Joe
Betty Levin	Folly

Open Sunday

Handler	Dog	Score
There was a tie for first and a run-off the results were as follows:		
1. Warren Mick	Reggie	95
2. Steve Wetmore	Keegan	81
3. Warren Mick	Tim	94
4. Roger Deschambeault	Jack	91
5. Lynn Deschambeault	Jolly	91
6. Roger Deschambeault	Sue	91
7. Betty Levin	Kelty	89
8. Gabe Merrill	Abbie	87
9. Denise Leonard	Meg	86
10. Peter VandeCar	Spot	84

West Branch Stockdog Trial Pottsgrove, PA

July 16, 17 & 18

Judge: Wink Mason

This was the fourth year for the West Branch Stockdog Trial. Our trial of extremes was extremely hot each of the three days. In spite of all the heat, the trial went very smoothly with a relaxed atmosphere. Handlers and spectators had loads of fun. Our Katahdin sheep held up very well.

Friday's Novice and Pro-Novice classes were run diagonally across the field. Each run ended with a chute—one chute for Novice, 2 for Pro-Novice and three (u-shaped) for Ranch. It was a workable challenge.

Friday, after the trials, Alan, Wink and Mark Soper were seen running down the field. A folding chair was attempting to herd the flock.

Saturday started with Novice and Pro-Novice and then Open. The Open course ended with a u-chute to a shed. Storms came toward the end of Open. A brief delay, one twisted tent—and back to trialing! We were able to finish before the next storm came. Jack Smith provided an excellent lamb and ham bar-b-que that was enjoyed by all who attended. Sunday started with Ranch, and then to Open. Before Open, the chutes were taken down and was replaced by a pen.

Many thanks to Wink Mason for an excellent job of judging and to Ed Moore who set out sheep and to Mark Soper for working at the pen all weekend. Again, thanks to everyone who helped before and during the trial. Thanks to our kind sponsors and to the Pottsgrove Fire Company. Thanks to everyone who came and supported our trial.

Friday July 16

Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Mark Billadeau	Nick	78
2. Joan Fry	Grover	72
3. Sherry Smith	Abbie	70
4. Kim Edwards	Susie	68
5. Mark Billadeau	Dot	67
6. Sue Asten	Duff	63
7. Debbie David	Tyler	63
8. Lori Cunningham	Tess	63

Pro-Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Walt Jagger	Queen	75
2. Walt Jagger	Jen	73
3. Louise DeMarcello	Moss	72
4. Liz Phillips	Queen	69
5. Maggie Chambers	Lace	69
6. Renee Billadeau	Moss	68
7. Sandy Hornug	Jet	67
8. Sherry Smith	Jesse	66

Ranch

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Mary Brighoff	Val	82
2. Heather Millen	Lark	79
3. C. J. Williams	Andy	78
4. Sherry Smith	Mick	78
5. Peg Lynch	Pepper	77
6. Barb Levinson	Tess	76
7. Nancy Ortiz-Sharp	Aquilla	73
8. Sharon Nunan	Fan	72

Saturday, July 17

Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Mark Billadeau	Dot	77
2. Sue Asten	Duff	72
3. Renee Billadeau	Starr	68
4. Sandy Hornug	Meg	67
5. Lori Cunningham	Nick	64
6. Liz Phillips	Nell	64
7. Joan Fry	Grover	63
8. Mary Felegy	Gael	63

Pro-Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Joan Worthington	Tess	77
2. Louise DeMarcello	Moss	74
3. Linda Tesdahl	Peg	72
4. Barb Armata	Jen	71
5. Sally Malloy	Gail	67
6. Louise De Marcello	Sally	65
7. Walt Jagger	Queen	60
8. Dave Sharp	Rigel	57

Open (105 points)

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Eve Marschark	Tea	100
2. Jeff Hoffmann	Flash	96
3. Cheryl J. Williams	Sadie	90
4. Jim Strohecker	Ring	89
5. Jeff Hoffmann	Crickett	87
6. Barb Armata	Taff	84
7. Walt Jagger	Jim	84
8. Nancy Ortiz-Sharp	Vega	84
9. Walt Jagger	Roy	84
10. Barb Armata	Annie	83

Sunday, July 18

Ranch

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Heather Millen	Buck	87
2. Tom Conn	Peg	80
3. Alan Lynch	Corrie	77
4. Dick Williams	Tip	75
5. Cheryl J. Williams	Andy	75
6. Barb Levinson	Tess	73
7. Sherry Smith	Mick	73
8. Peg Lynch	Jill	69

Open (100 points)

Handler	Dog	Score
1. C. J. Williams	Andy	96
2. C. J. Williams	Sadie	90
3. Tom Lacy	Mick	94
4. Barb Levinson	Ivy	92
5. Gene Sheninger	Sweep	91
6. Dick Williams	Nell	90
7. Jeff Hoffmann	Flash	89
8. Jim Strohecker	Ring	88
9. Walt Jagger	Jim	87
10. Alan Lynch	McDuff	85

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Keystone State Sheepdog Trials **June 4, 5 & 6 Judge: Bev Lambert**

The KSSD trials went very smoothly with a relaxed atmosphere and were held over three days to accommodate the two days of both nursery and open classes. Friday's nursery classes tested the field with a 100 yd. outrun for Novice, 170 yards for Pro-novice and 250 yards for Ranch. The almost flat field held many perceptual surprises for both dog and handlers the runs progressed. In the Open class, the 400 yard outrun provided a challenging opportunity for both dog and handlers to stretch out their herding skills.

The base generously agreed to co-sponsor the trials again this year at their 1000 acre facility and were a tremendous help with both the physical set-up and coordinating the event with us. We also greatly appreciate Joy dog foods continued support in co-sponsoring these trials. The fit flock of Katadhin sheep, along with Bev Lambert's u-chute structures provided a good test of handler and dog workmanship and a welcomed change from the usual pen.

Many thanks to everyone who pitched in to make it a success. We are grateful for such good friends. Everyone at the base was so kind and eager to offer assistance. We were especially pleased to be able to present our token of appreciation to the Commander of the base, Capt. Tom Nagelin on Sunday when he came out to see if we needed anything. Thanks again to all. Have a great year of trials!

Friday June 5

Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Kim Edwards	Suzie	74
2. Karen Agazzi	Megan	72
3. Bob Vannoy	Fred	70
4. Sandy Hornug	Meg	68
5. John Sanderson	Glen	68
6. Mike McGowan	Sassy	66
7. Dave Sharp	Rigel	66
8. Maggie Chambers	Lace	61

Pro-Novice Ranch

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Sherry Smith (runoff)	Jesse	50
2. Kate Paxton-Hill	Pepper	50
3. Cheryl Jagger Williams	Meg	49
4. Tom Forrester	Bud	47
5. Joan Worthington	Tess	41
6. Louise DeMarcello	Sally	35
7. Bob Vannoy	Ben	30
8. Walt Jagger	Queen	21

Ranch

1. Cheryl Jagger Williams	Andy	65
2. Linda Tesdahl	Trim	54
3. Barb Levinson	Tess	51
4. Alan Lynch	Corrie	46
5. Sally Lacy	Chess	46
6. Jim Strohecker	Rudy	45
7. Maggie Chambers	Joy	42
8. Sharon Nunan	Fan	36

Saturday June 5

Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Bob Vannoy	Fred	64
2. Mike McGowan	Sassy	63
3. Maggie Chambers	Lace	62
4. Walt Zeiser	Belle	61
5. Sandy Hornug	Meg	60
6. Mary Felegy	Tam	59
7. John Sanderson	Glen	50
8. Steve Paxton-Hill	Lola	50

Pro-Novice

Handler	Dog	Score
1. Tom Forrester	Bud	68
2. Cheryl Jagger-Williams	Meg	64
3. Walt Jagger	Queen	63
4. Sherry Smith	Jesse	59
5. Eve Marschark	Turn	58

6. Sally Malloy	Gail	56
7. Kate Paxton-Hill	Pepper	56
8. Bob Vannoy	Ben	54

Open

1. Jim Strohecker	Rudy	73
2. Mary Brighoff	Ron	72
3. Alan Lynch	McDuff	67
4. Gene Sheninger	Sweep	64
5. Gene Sheninger	Yank	61
6. Walt Jagger	Nan	61
7. Jeff Hoffmann	Flash	60
8. Cheryl Jagger-Williams	Sadie	58
9. Carol Campion	Roy	56
8. Dick Williams	Fleet	50

Sunday June 6

Ranch

1. Cheryl J. Williams (runoff)	Andy	76
2. Maria Mick	Ben	76
3. Sally Lacy	Chess	68
4. Suzanne Craddock	Mick	64
5. Linda Tesdahl	Trim	61
6. Sherry Smith	Mick	61
7. Maggie Chambers	Joy	59
8. Barb Levinson	Tess	56

Open

1. Sally Lacy	Bob	94
2. Cheryl Jagger-Williams	Sadie	93
3. Mary Brighoff	Mirk	91
4. Walt Jagger	Nan	88
5. Barb Armata	Annie	87
6. Jeff Hoffmann	Flash	86
7. Mary Brighoff	Ron	81
8. Barb Levinson	Ivy	80
9. Jeff Hoffmann	Cricket	79
10. Nancy Ortiz-Sharp	Vega	78

Overall Champions

Open Champion	Mary Brighoff	Ron
Reserve Champion	C. J. Williams	Sadie
Novice Champion	Bob Vannoy	Fred
Reserve Champion	Mike McGowan	Sassy
Pro-Novice Champion	Tom Forrester	Bud
Reserve Champion	C. J. Williams	Meg
Ranch Champion	C. J. Williams	Andy
Reserve Champion	Linda Tesdahl	Trim
Most Promising Young Dog	Dave Sharp's Rigel	
Best Outwork	Maria Mick's Ken	
Best Drive	Jeff Hoffman's Flash	
Best Pen	Jim Strohecker's Rudy	
Best Shed	Alan Lynch's McDuff	

Lamprey River Farm Summer Trial **August 14-15**

by Lisa Larson

The summer Lamprey River Herding Trial was expertly judged by Carol Campion. A total of 43 competitive runs were taken in the trial as well as 15 non-competitive runs. With time remaining each day, participants took advantage of having Carol available to coach 13 "fun" runs, and these "fun" runs proved to be beneficial to all involved. In fact, everyone who participated was so pleased, we may have Carol back for a coached handling clinic this fall.

Betty Levin held sheep most of the day on Saturday, and Gabe Merrill on Sunday. Other people who helped hold sheep included Brenda Buja, Carroll Goodwin, Millie Curtis, Darlene Hutchins, Janet Larson, Danae Frew, Patrick Eitapance and other I may have missed. Scorekeepers included: Joyce Orchid, Darlene Hutchins, Cheryl Pitkin and others. Without the help of enthusiastic volunteers we would not have been able to hold this trial proving that not just the dog worked hard over the weekend!

The weather Saturday was misty in the morning, becoming mostly sunny in the afternoon. Sunday was misty and cool all day, perfect for both dogs and sheep. In Novice on Saturday, 5 sheep were used for each competitor; two black mixed breed sheep and three white Cheviots. Due to the good quality of the dogs, the remainder of the trial was run using 1 black mixed breed sheep and two white Cheviots. A few of the sheep reached celebrity status including "White Sox", "Son of Sox", "Bottle Baby" and "YellowTag"!

The scores were:

Saturday August 14

Novice

1. Carlene Eitapance	Anna	76
2. Carroll Goodwin	Bama	74
3. Brenda Buja	Dice	69
4. Janet Larson	Maya	67
5. Lana Pety	Wren	59
6. Millie Curtis	Austin	56
7. Darlene Hutchins	Zak	51
8. Andy Rocks	Tweed	48

Pro-Novice

1. Danae Frew	Jewel	72
2. Danae Frew	Claire	71
3. Lana Pety	Lugh	64
4. Betty Levin	Folly	61
5. Carlene Eitapance	Floss	61
6. Danae Frew	Den	32

Ranch

1. Lana Petty	Sioux	80
2. Janet Larson	Meg	57
3. Carlene Eitapance	Lass	41
4. Millie Curtis	Robbie	Retired

Sunday, August 15

Novice

1. Carroll Goodwin	Bama	75
2. Brenda Buja	Dice	70
3. Janet Larson	Lan	69
4. Lana Pety	Wren	67

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Bittersweet Farm Sheepdog Trials Hampton, CT **July 2-5**

"Red sky in the morning--sailors take warning; red sky at night--sailors delight."

This old saying was certainly true and we were on alert for most of the summer! Bittersweet Trial heralded in the long period of HAZY-HOT-HUMID weather that was to continue to plague us for what seemed an unending amount of time. Dogs, sheep and handlers were taken by surprise, but we ALL rose to the occasion!

Taking advantage of the long 4-th of July holiday weekend, Bittersweet offered two full days of novice runs and two full days of open. To accommodate the large numbers of dogs and handlers, we ran two flocks of sheep for each trial, alternating them daily to keep them fresh. This provided quite a challenge for everyone. Roughly 85 dogs were run in the Novice classes and roughly 65 open dogs each day.

For the first day of the novice classes, Bittersweet's Border Leicester/Cheviot crosses were run. This was the trickiest since these ewes and lambs were run on home territory and outsmarted many a dog and handler by knowing all the crooks and crannies of the property. Handlers needed to keep the right pressure on-as well as off the sheep-to keep them flowing around the course; to even keep them on the field in some cases! They could be light--they could be very heavy.

On the second day, a flock of Katahdins owned by Alan Lynch were brought in. Being on an unfamiliar field these were light responded very readily to the presence of the dogs providing a chance for some fancy handling.

On Sunday two days of open began. Back to the home-town sheep and an opportunity to see some tremendous dog work! Again on Monday, the Katahdins returned giving the open handlers their chance for fancy handling.

The weather for the whole was very, very hot, though a breeze and showers almost every day provided relief and kept the temperatures from reaching the 110° mark which was predicted. The property is bordered by two streams and these, combined with the many locations equipped with hoses, cool running water and swimming pools, allowed all the dogs to be kept as cool as they wanted to be. There were no heat-stressed sheep or dogs despite the terrible temperatures.

In addition to heralding in the hot weather, the weekend christened in the 1st Annual Bittersweet Relay races. This event took place on Saturday night. Runs consisted of teams of three handlers and dogs. The first dog completes the gather, the second the drive, the third the pen and shed. The main stipulations were that the teams could not consist of **all** open handlers--they had to have at least one novice handler and dog AND the crook must be passed at the post from handler to handler. The event was more talked about than the trial itself, and when all was said and done, the team of Steve Paxton-Hill, Maria Mick and Warren Mick took top honors with Dee Woessner, Dave Young and Maryellen Young second and third to Janet Lindsey, Cheryl Jagger Williams and Denise Leonard.

Thanks go to Ellen Skillings for managing the day to day task of organizing the set-out crews and keeping the runs going. Time is of the essence with these big numbers and she did a great job. Our sheep-pen survivors were Larry Campion and Miles Smart. This is Miles second year and his presence and efficiency are greatly appreciated. The first day of nursery classes was judged by Bev Lambert, Ranch; Bruce Smart, Pro-Novice and Larry Campion, Novice and USBCHA.. Thanks. Our judge for the second day of novice and two days of open was Doug McDonnough. Thanks Doug. The results as follows:

Saturday Run #1

Novice 20 dogs

1. Brenda Buja	Dice	71
2. Cokie Hamm	Lola	69
3. Eileen Benedict	Printer	63
4. Hal Vandecar	Rocket	57
5. Cheryl Burr	Tess	56
6. Darlene Hutchins	Zak	56
7. Steve Paxton-Hill	Lola	54
8. Liz Phillips	Nell	50

3. Ed Hobart	Joy	67
4. Barb Starkey	Kate	65
5. Barb Leverett	Nan	65
6. Danae Frew	Troy	64
7. Barb Starkey	Dot	59
8. Barb Starkey	Hope	58

USBCHA

1. Alasdair Macrae	Bill
2. Bev Lambert	Kit

Pro-Novice 31 dogs

1. Carol Campion	Sam	76
2. Danae Frew	Claire	73
3. Carol Campion	Jan	69
4. Bev Lambert	Sage	67
5. Danae Frew	Jewel	67
6. Lin Reuther	Fan	66
7. Kent Kuykendall	Dehl	65
8. Dee Woessner	Joy	64

Sunday Run #2

Novice 18 dogs

1. Brenda Buja	Dice	76
2. Ev Enos	Zelda	75
3. Carolyn Smiles	Faye	70
4. Sam Yazwinski	Flash	70
5. Millie Curtis	Lilly	69
6. Greg Hamm	Maya	65
7. Hal Vandecar	Rocket	64
8. Jodie Somers	Chip	64

Ranch 25 dogs

1. Sally Lacy	Chess	73
2. Bruce Smart	Peg	70

Overall Champion Brenda Buja Dice,
Reserve Champion Cokie Hamm Lola

Pro-Novice 38 dogs

1. Bev Lambert	Sage	77
2. Mary Ann Falon	Dell	77
3. Liz Phillips	Queen	75
4. Bev Lambert	Kit	75
5. Carol Campion	Sam	74
6. Danae Frew	Jewel	73
7. Kent Kuykendall	Dehl	71
8. Danae Frew	Claire	71

Overall Champion Carol Campion Sam
Reserve Champion Bev Lambert Kit

Ranch 32 dogs

1. Sally Lacy	Chess	87
2. Alasdair Macrae	Bill	86
3. Ed Hobart	Joy	84
4. Barb Leverett	Nan	84
5. Bruce Smart	Peg	83
6. Danae Frew	Troy	83
7. Barb Starkey	Hope	81
8. Peg Lynch	Pepper	79

Overall Champion Sally Lacy Chess
Reserve Champion Bruce Smart Peg

USBCHA

1. Alasdair Macrae	Bill
2. Steven Paxton Hill	Bob

Open 63 dogs

1. Cheryl Jagger Williams	Ben	96
2. Amanda Milliken	Eucher	94
3. Stu Ligon	Keele	92
4. Kent Kuykendall	Bill	91
5. Ellen Skillings J	Jack	90
6. Amanda Milliken	Grace	87
7. Stu Ligon	Nick	86
8. Barb Ligon	Kate	85
9. Kent Kuykendall	Coon	84
10. Ellen Skillings	Paige	84

Monday Open 56 dogs

1. Stu Ligon	Nap	95
2. Amanda Milliken	Hazel	95
3. Amanda Milliken	Grace	95
4. George Northrup	Kyp	92
5. Ellen Skillings J	Jack	92
6. Alasdair MacRae	Sweep	91
7. Barb Ligon	Roy	90
8. Kent Kuykendall	Bill	90
9. Bev Lambert	Nell	89
10. Bev Lambert	Nap	87

Overall Amanda Milliken Eucher
Reserve Ellen Skillings Jack

Purina Winners

1. Amanda Milliken	Eucher
2. Ellen Skillings	Jack
3. Amanda Milliken	Grace
4. Kent Kuykendall	Bill
5. Stu Ligon	Keele

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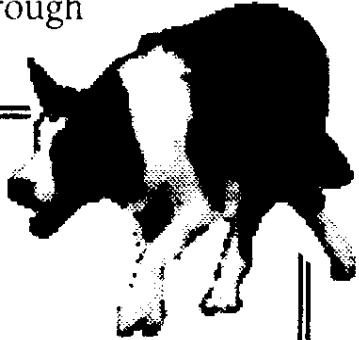
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