

## Notice to Exhibitors

Test/Trial location will be available from 7:00 am to 6:00 pm, or one hour after conclusion of event. No unentered dogs (except set-out dogs) are allowed at the test/trial site. Limited shade is available. Bring your own canopies. Bath/Cool off tub will be provided. Please bring your own chairs. Schedule will be provided. Bitches in season will be allowed but will be moved to the end of the class in **test** classes. Please notify the Test/Trial Secretary if your bitch is in season.

ALL AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB RULES REGARDING CONDUCT WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

No refund for duplicate entries or for any other cause beyond the control of the club after closing of entries.

RETURNED CHECKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A VALID ENTRY. NO CONDITIONAL ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

ENTRY FORMS MUST BE SIGNED.

**Any type of overnight mail must be marked "No signature required."**

A separate entry blank for each class must be completed for each dog entered. If the dog is being entered in the identical class or classes for both Saturday and Sunday, you may simply check both boxes indicating the day entered. If your dog is entered in a different class each day, please fill out separate entry forms. Entries not on Official AKC Entry Forms and Photocopies of Entry Forms without the 'Current' Agreement and Rules on the reverse side of the Official AKC Entry Forms are NOT ACCEPTABLE. Owners or their agents are solely responsible for the presence of their dog(s) at the test/trial arena. Judges are not required to wait for dogs. Exhibitors are expected to maintain the premises in a clean and tidy condition. Entry fees shall not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused by a Veterinarian or Judge or barred from competition by action of the Test/Trial Committee. If, because of riots, civil disturbances, fire, act of God, public emergency or other acts beyond the control of the Club it is impossible to open or to complete the test/trial, no refund of entry fee will be made.

**Children must be under the supervision of their parent or guardian at all times. Non-compliance with this rule will force the committee to ask them to leave the premises.**

### Exhibitors: Please Note

- ❖ The "A" course sheep/goat and duck arenas will be laid out as in the diagram in the Rules and Regulations. "A" course arena for sheep/goats is 125 ft x 225 ft and 100 x 100 ft for ducks.
- ❖ Duck runs must have a minimum of 4 entries/day or entries & fees will be returned to exhibitors.
- ❖ The "B" course outruns will be set at the minimums for both sheep & ducks.
- ❖ D course elective obstacles include sort, chute and gatework.
- ❖ Exhibition-only entries will be accepted, entry fee \$30/run and can be accepted up 30 minutes prior to the start of trial the day of the trial provided the entry limit has not be reached.

Event # 2026083501, 2026083502, 2026083503 and 2026083504

Entries Close: 8:00 PM, Wednesday, April 8, 2026.

Limits: A and B course Sheep/Goat runs limited to 22 runs per day. C and D Course Sheep/Goat runs limited to 10 runs per trial. Test runs limited to 18 per day. Duck runs have a minimum of 4 entries and a limit of 10 per day. Entries close when numerical limit is reached, or on April 8, 2026 after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled, or substituted. Drawing for run order: 8:00 pm, April 10, 2026 at the home of the secretary. A waiting list of 10 alternates will be kept.



## Buckhorn Valley Kennel Club 2026 Spring AKC Licensed Herding Tests & Trials Premium List

These Tests & Trials will be held under "AKC Herding Regulations."  
Trial Livestock will be sheep/goats and ducks. Test Livestock will be sheep or goats.

### Thursday, April 24, 2026

AM Trial: Course "D" Goats – All Levels 2026083501

PM Trial: Course "D" Goats – All Levels 2026083502

### Sunday, April 27, 2026

Course "A" - Sheep and Ducks – All Levels 2026083503

Course "B" – Goats and Ducks – All Levels 2026083503

Course "C" – Goats – All Levels 2026083503

Herding Tests, Pre-Trial (with/without Boundary) – Goats 2026083503

### Monday, April 28, 2026

Course "A" – Sheep and Ducks – All Levels 2026083504

Course "B" – Goats and Ducks – All Levels 2026083504

Course "C" Goats – All Levels 2026083504

Herding Tests, Pre-Trial (with/without Boundary) – Goats 2026083504

Rancho Terra Norté

1227 East County Road 82, Wellington, CO 80549

Event hours: 7:00 am to 6:00 pm or one hour after conclusion of the Test/Trial

These Tests/Trials will be held outdoors regardless of weather

**Buckhorn Valley Kennel Club, Inc. Officers**

President: Rod Chapin ..... 8706 Apple Valley Lane, Loveland, CO 80513  
 Vice-President: Diane Simcik  
 Treasurer: Val Manning ..... 1227 E County Road 82, Wellington, CO 80549  
 Secretary: Jennifer Wayman  
 Board of Directors: Anita Eley, Jo-Lynn Hefferman, Evelyn Knowles,  
 and Janet Stephens

**Test/Trial Committee**

Test/Trial Chairman: Val Manning.....1227 East County Road 82, Wellington, CO 80549  
 (970) 568-7708 TerraNorte@aol.com  
**Test/Trial Secretary Ellen Hughes ....PO Box 272943, Fort Collins, CO 80527**  
**(970) 377-9990 herding secretary@gmail.com**

Course Director: Doug Richardson  
 Chief Livestock Handler: Lauren Sandrin and Dave Stanford  
 Chief Steward: Sandra Allen and Debbie Courtier  
 Hospitality: Diane Simcik

**JUDGES AND ASSIGNMENT**

Thur AM 4/23/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course D	Goats	All levels
Thur PM 4/23/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course D	Goats	All levels
Sun 4/26/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course A	Sheep	All levels
Sun 4/26/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course A	Ducks	All levels
Sun 4/26/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course B	Goats	All levels
Sun 4/26/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course B	Ducks	All levels
Sun 4/26/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course C	Goats	All levels
Sun 4/26/26	Melissa Archer Muncaster (103807)	HIC/HT/PT	Goats	Tests
Mon 4/27/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course A	Sheep	All levels
Mon 4/27/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course A	Ducks	All levels
Mon 4/27/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course B	Goats	All levels
Mon 4/27/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course B	Ducks	All levels
Mon 4/27/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	Course C	Goats	All levels
Mon 4/27/26	Mary Alice Wisecarver (10167)	HIC/HT/PT	Goats	Tests

**Mary Alice Wisecarver, 19420 E Kennedy Drive, Mayer, AZ 86333**  
**Melissa Archer-Muncaster, 3263 E 1/2 RD, CLIFTON, CO 81520-7725**

**Livestock**

Crossbred Sheep (value \$300 each) – Three to Five head of stock per run in A and B trial classes, Twenty head of stock per run in C and D trial classes; Registered Kiko Goats (value \$450 each) - HIC, HT and PT **without** boundary will be run on three head of goats. PT **with** boundary will be run on five head or more of goats. Three to Five head of stock per run in A & B trial classes, Twenty head or more of stock per run in C and 15 head in D trial classes.  
Ducks (value \$50 each) – Five head of stock per run, Call and/or Khaki Campbells.

**Veterinarian (on call)**  
**Richard Wheeler, DVM Poudre River Veterinary Clinic**  
 970-227-2320



**AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB**

CERTIFICATION Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules and regulations.

**GINA M. DINARDO, Executive Secretary**

**Ribbon and Rosette Prizes**

Tests  
 Qualifying Run .....Green Ribbon  
 Trials  
 First Place .....Blue Ribbon  
 Second Place .....Red Ribbon  
 Third Place .....Yellow Ribbon  
 Fourth Place .....White Ribbon  
 Fifth Place .....Pink Ribbon  
 Qualifying Score .....Green Ribbon  
 High In Trial .....Blue, Red, & Yellow Rosette  
 Reserve High In Trial .....Red, Yellow & White Rosette

**Trophies**

**Thursday, Sunday, and Monday:**  
**High In Trial – Stained glass sun catcher with sheep motif**  
**Reserve High In Trial – Small ceramic flower pot with sheep motif**  
**High Scoring Border Collie – Border Collie collectable, offered by Linda Holloway of Ability Stock Dogs**  
**High Scoring German Shepherd Dog - Herding socks with German Shepherd motif, offered by Val Manning of Rancho Terra Norte'**

**Classes Offered**

**Thursday:**  
 Morning Trial: Course D (Started, Intermediate & Advanced) Goats  
 Afternoon Trial: Course D (Started, Intermediate & Advanced) Goats

**Sunday:**  
 Herding Test (goats)  
 Pre-Trial Test – Regular (goats) and Boundary (goats)  
 Course A (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) Sheep and Ducks  
 Course B (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) **Goats** and Ducks  
 Course C (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) Goats

**Monday:**  
 Herding Test (goats)  
 Pre-Trial Test – Regular (goats) and Boundary (goats)  
 Course A (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) Sheep and Ducks  
 Course B (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) **Goats** and Ducks  
 Course C (Started, Intermediate, & Advanced) Goats

## Directions to Test/Trial Location

Rancho Terra Norté  
1227 East County Rd. 82, Wellington, CO 80549

From I-25, take exit #288 (Buckeye Road), travel west approximately 4 miles to driveway on south side of the road. Look for Terra Norté Kennel sign.

### Motels That Will Accept Dogs

Days Inn, 7860 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Wellington, CO (970) 568-0444\_(check online for best rates)  
Days Inn, 3624 E. Mulberry, Fort Collins, CO (970) 221-5490  
Fort Collins Plaza Inn, 3709 E. Mulberry, Fort Collins, CO (970) 493-7800  
Sleep Inn, 3808 E. Mulberry, Fort Collins, CO (970) 484-5515 (dog friendly, mention BVKC) Mulberry  
Inn, I-25, Ault exit 269A, 4333 East Mulberry, Fort Collins, CO (970) 493-9000  
La Quinta, I-25, exit 269B, 3709 E. Mullberry, Ft. Collins, CO (970) 493-7800

### Camping Grounds -

Wellington KOA – 4821 E County Rd 70 (Owl Canyon Road), Wellington, CO (970) 568-7486  
Fort Collins / Poudre Canyon KOA – 6670 US-287, La Porte CO (970)493-9758  
Fort Collins/Lakeside KOA 1910 Lakeside Resort Lane, Fort Collins, CO (970)484-9880  
Terry Bison Ranch Resort – 51 I-25 Service Road East, Cheyenne, WY 82007 (307) 634-4171

\* Limited RV parking is available on site for self contained units. Please contact Val Manning ([TerraNorte@aol.com](mailto:TerraNorte@aol.com)) for more information.

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Practice Sessions available on course of choice on Monday April 20st – Wednesday April 22<sup>nd</sup> as weather and time permits. Contact Val Manning to schedule session ([TerraNorte@aol.com](mailto:TerraNorte@aol.com)).



**RTN SPRING AHBA TRIALS  
FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
APRIL 24 & 25, 2026**

**OFFERING: RLF & HRD courses on Friday, April 24th  
HTAD & HTD courses and tests on Saturday, April 25th.  
Enter online at: [www.rancho terranorte.com/online store](http://www.rancho terranorte.com/online store)**

