

Cascade Australian Shepherd Club All-Breed/Mixed Breed Beginning Tracking Dog Test

Friday Mar 8, 2024

Event held at Johnston Dairy, 104 NE 252nd Ave. Camas, WA 98607

Entries limited to 4 BTD tracks (Beginner Tracking Dog) Australian Shepherds are drawn into test prior to other breeds or mixed breeds

Opening date for Entries: February 1, 2024

Closing date for entries: February 29, 2024

Entry fee: \$50.00 for Beginner Tracking Dog - make checks payable to CASC Send entries to Heather Butcher 2475 S Dogwood Street Cornelius, OR 97113 This Tracking Test will be held under ASCA Rules and Regulations Tracking Program Rules (asca.org)

Show chairperson: Wendy Waggoner 360-727-3188 Wendywagg@comcast.net

Judge: Lisa Klein

Show Secretary: Heather Butcher 2475 S Dogwood Street Cornelius, OR 97113 480-375-5293

Chief Track layer: Lisa Klein

Track layers: TBD

Directions to the Tracking Site: Johnston Dairy 104 NE 252nd Ave Camas, WA 98607 - From I-205, take the Hwy 14 exit, heading east towards Camas. Take the exit for 192nd Ave and head north (left) for about 4 miles. Turn right on NE 13th Street/Lake Road (Home Depot and PetsMart on the corner). Go about 5 miles to 249th Ave and turn right. This road weaves quite a bit. When you get to 3rd street, turn right onto the gravel road. There is a gray house with a purple front door on this corner. Go down the hill, follow the road to the sign for "Johnston Dairy" Drive SLOWLY on the site premises, past the house to the tractor barns.

ASCA[®] Performance Titles. A Tracking number is required for Tracking competition. Rules and forms can be found at http://www.asca.org/formsandrulebooks. A dog will be allowed to be shown at the trial where the handler applies for an ASCA[®] tracking number. No dog without an ASCA[®] individual registration, LEP number or ASCA[®] tracking number may compete in any ASCA[®] Tracking Test

Drawing for test entry: A random draw for entries and alternate list will be held on March 1, 2024 at Heather Butcher's house at 7pm. 2475 S Dogwood Street Cornelius, OR 97113

Alternate list: An alternate list shall be maintained and will consist of entries received by the closing date, but not pulled in the initial draw. Drawing for the alternate list will immediately follow the drawing for limited entries. Notification: Results of the draw will be sent ASAP following the draw via email.

CASC refund policy: The entry fee shall be refunded within 7 days after the test in the following cases: The entrant notifies the test secretary prior to the test that s/he is withdrawing from the test and an alternate runs the available track, or for an entrant or alternate who is not given an opportunity to run a track.

DRAW FOR MARCH 8, 2023: We will hold a draw for the order of the BTD tracks at 10:00am SHARP in the milking parlor at Johnston Dairy, 104 NE 252nd Ave. Camas, WA 98607. Entrants not present at the time of the draw will be marked absent and alternate(s) will be allowed to run in their place.

JUDGING: Judging will begin as soon as the tracks have aged sufficiently.

AWARDS: A personalized frame for each passing team.

**REMEMBER, THIS TEST WILL BE HELD ON PRIVATE PROPERTY, THIS IS A PRIVILEGE, PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL. **NO TRAINING ON THE GROUNDS WITHIN 7 DAYS PRIOR TO THE TEST

TRACKING TEST ENTRIES:

The Beginning Tracking Dog (BTD) Test shall be for dogs not less than six months of age that are eligible for entry and have not earned an ASCA TD or TDU. A dog may continue to participate in the Beginning Tracking Dog (BTD) Test after it has earned the title of BTD but not after it has earned a TD or TDU. The Tracking Test Secretary shall give dogs not holding a Beginning Tracking Dog (BTD) Title priority for entry in the Beginning Tracking Dog (BTD) Test.

Event Information

General Information: This test will be held in grassy farm fields.

Links and entry forms can be found at Rules & Forms - ASCA

Tracking entry form = trackingentryform.pdf (asca.org)

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS: CASC RULES AND REGULATIONS

•These shows will be judged and run by the Show Rules of the Australian Shepherd Club of America. •All entries must be complete (with agreement signed) or they will be refused. All dogs must have ASCA registration or tracking number on entry form. Entries must be on the current ASCA entry form. •Incorrect and/or missing information will invalidate entries.

•Bitches in season must stay in the car and get direction on where to park. They will run their tracks last. •There will be no food vendor at these shows.

•No electrical and/or mechanical training devices will be permitted on the show grounds.

·Cascade ASC and Johnston Dairy will not be held responsible for any missing or lost items.

•Entry fees will not be refunded in the event a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the show committee.

•No entry fee will be refunded if the show cannot be opened or completed by reasons of riots, civil disturbances, fire, Acts of God, or public emergency.

•Exhibitors are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or guests and family members. Any Exhibitor whose dog and/or guests/family members create an unnecessary disturbance or engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the direction of the trial committee or CASC board member, be asked to leave the show site. In such case no refund of any entries fees will be made. The facility, show-giving club, the Show Chairman, their agents, officers and/or committee assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors or handlers or to any of their dogs or property and further assumes no responsibility for injury to spectators. •All dogs must be on leash or confined to a crate at all times. Dogs must be on leash to and from parking area to Tracking area.

•Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning up after your dogs. Failure to do so will result in excusal from trial and forfeiture of entry fees.

•No entry shall be accepted from a dog or handler disqualified from the ASCA Tracking program, a dog or handler disqualified from all ASCA programs and a person not in good standing with ASCA.

•For the safety of your dogs and others, all dogs must have current vaccinations against rabies. You are asked to bring a copy of the rabies certificate with you.

Johnston Dairy is on a private road, SPEED LIMIT IS STRICTLY ENFORCED FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Hotels which accept dogs:

Quality Inn and Suites 7001 NE Hwy 99 Vancouver, WA 98665 (360) 696-0516

Best Western Ferryman Inn 7901 NE 6th Ave. Vancouver, WA 98665 (360)574-2151

RV Parks:

Vancouver RV Park 7603 NE 13th Ave. Vancouver, WA 98665 360-695-1158

99 RV Park 1913 NE Leichner Road Vancouver, WA 98686 360-573-0351

EMERGENCY VETERINARIAN

Dove Lewis Veterinary Hospital 1945 NW Pettygrove St Portland, OR 97209 503-228-7281

EMERGENCY HUMAN HOSPITAL

400 NE Mother Joseph Pl. Vancouver, WA 98664 360-514-2000

Cascade ASC Club Officers:

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