

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.

Event # 2026391105 and 2026391106

Entries Close: When numerical limit is reached or HT/PT Wednesday August 18, 2026 1PM. HIC/FDC 10:00 AM, Friday, August 28, 2026 after which time entries cannot be accepted, canceled or substituted. Run order will be determined as entries received.

Limits: HT/PT/HIC and FDC limited to 50 runs combined per judge.

AKC Licensed Herding Tests & Trials

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



Short Dog Herding Tests

All-Breed Tests with preference given to Pembroke and Cardigan Welsh Corgis, Swedish Vallhunds, and Lancashire Healers

Friday, August 28, 2026

Herding Tested HT, Pre-Trial (PT), Herding Instinct Tests (HIC)
& Farm Dog Certification – 2026391105

Herding Tested HT, Pre-Trial (PT), Herding Instinct Tests (HIC)
& Farm Dog Certification – 2026391106

Rancho Terra Norté

1227 East County Road 82, Wellington, CO 80549

Event hours: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm or one hour after conclusion of the Test

These Tests will be held outdoors regardless of weather

Test Secretary: Julie Venable

261 Warwick Place, Castle Pines, CO 80108

(303) 921-1983 venable4@msn.com

Club Officers

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Test/Trial Committee

Test/Trial Chairman: Marisa Johnson, 5747 Road 6, La Grange WY 82221
Test/Trial Secretary: Julie Venable 261 Warwick Place, Castle Pines, CO 80108
(303) 921-1083 venable4@msn.com
Test committee: Carol Swinney, Hannah Hazlett, Beth Merrill, and Julie Yamane

DATE/EVENT #	JUDGE	CLASS	STOCK	LEVELS
Friday Aug 28 2026391105	Val Manning (103172)	Herding Instinct Certification Test (HIC)	Goats	Test
Friday Aug 28 2026391105	Val Manning (103172)	Herding Tested (HT)	Goats	Test
Friday Aug 28 2026391105	Val Manning (103172)	Pre-Trial Test (PT)	Goats	Test
Friday Aug 28 2026391105	Val Manning (103172)	Farm Dog Certification	Goats	Test
Friday Aug 28 2026391106	Karen Trimble (51369)	Herding Instinct Certification Test (HIC)	Goats	Test
Friday Aug 28 2026391106	Karen Trimble (51369)	Herding Tested (HT)	Goats	Test
Friday Aug 28 2026391106	Karen Trimble (51369)	Pre-trial Test (PT)	Goats	Test
Friday Aug 28 2026391106	Karen Trimble (51369)	Farm Dog Certification	Goats	Test

Judges:

Val Manning (103172) 1227 E County Road 82, Wellington, CO 80549
Karen Trimble (51369) 8621 SUMMER SONG CIR, FAIR OAKS RANCH, TX 78015-4433

Note: AKC's recent ruling effective September 3, 2013, the three qualifying scores required to be awarded a herding trial title may be earned under two or more different judges. The current Regulations require the three qualifying scores to be earned under three different judges. The effective date means that the second qualifying score under the same judge will only count if earned after September 3, 2013. The requirement of two passing legs earned under two different judges is still in effect for Herding Instinct Tests, Herding Tests and Pre-Trial Tests. This trial weekend will have the alternating test judges.

Livestock

Goats – Registered Kiko and Crossbred Goats (value \$ 350 each) - three to five head of stock per run
Ducks - Mixed runner or call ducks (value \$50 each) Five head of stock per run.

American Kennel Club Certification



Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of these events under American Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.
James P. Crowley, Secretary

Ribbon and Rosette Prizes

Tests
Qualifying Run.....Green Ribbon
Trials

Classes Offered

Herding Tested (HT), Pre-Trial (PT) and Herding Instinct Test, (sheep or goats)
Farm dog Certification Test

Entry Fees: \$45.00 test classes

Veterinarian (on call)

Richard Wheeler, DVM Poudre River Veterinary Clinic
970-227-2320

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 6th 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. Mulberry, 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) for more information.

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 AGREEMENT

I (WE) AGREE THAT ANY CAUSE OF ACTION, CONTROVERSY OR CLAIM ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THE ENTRY, EXHIBITION OR ATTENDANCE AT THE EVENT BETWEEN THE AKC AND MYSELF (OURSELVES) OR AS TO THE CONSTRUCTION, INTERPRETATION AND EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION. HOWEVER, PRIOR TO ARBITRATION ALL APPLICABLE AKC BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND PROCEDURES MUST FIRST BE FOLLOWED AS SET FORTH IN THE AKC CHARTER AND BYLAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS. PUBLISHED POLICIES AND GUIDELINES.

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Please remember to sign the agreement and complete contract