



## Saskatoon Working & Herding Dog Association

American Herding Breed Association Herding Trials

Dog Tale Ranch – near Watrous, Saskatchewan

TUESDAY August 30 2011

**Two Trials with:** Junior Herding Dog, HTAD 1, HTAD II & HTAD III

**Livestock for all Trials will be Sheep**

### ENTRIES LIMITED

*\*Entries will be limited by judging time limits and the number of stock available one week prior to entry closing date. If necessary, first entries received will be first accepted\**

This show is held under American Herding Breed Association Rules

Briefing: 8:00 A.M.

<u>Trials</u>	<u>JUDGES</u>	<u>COURSES</u>
Trial A (Follows briefing)	<b>Dave Viklund</b> 11909 NE 189th St. Battleground, WA USA 98604	HTAD Course #2 Gather Shed (HTAD III)
Trial B (to follow Trial A in AM)	<b>Shelley Fritze</b> 44210 South Sumas Rd Chilliwack BC V2R 4B7	HTAD Course #2 Take Pen Gate Sort (HTAD III)

**ENTRIES OPEN: MAY 28, 2011**

**ENTRIES CLOSE: FRIDAY AUGUST 5, 2011 AT 6:00 PM**

**Mail entries to:** SWHDA C/O Jill Werle  
Site 708 RR7 Comp 37 Station Main Saskatoon, SK S7K 1N2

Make all cheques/money orders payable to the: **Saskatoon Working & Herding Dog Association (SWHDA)**

**Held in Conjunction with the Dog Tales Herding Camp & the Canadian National Australian Shepherd Association CKC Arena Herding Trials (all listed on [www.canuckdogs.com](http://www.canuckdogs.com))**

### Event Committee:

**Event Superintendent:** Cathy Bishop

**Course Director:** Kathy Chorney

**Event Secretary:** Jill Werle

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306-955-0789 [jill@dogsandmore.ca](mailto:jill@dogsandmore.ca)

**Chief Stock Handler:** Arlette Seib

### Club Executive:

**President:** Jack Henderson

**Treasurer:** Dorothy Hood

**Secretary:** Judy Henderson

**Vice-President:** Jill Werle

### FEES:

Entry fee: \$50.00 per class includes AHBA recording fee

Lunch: \$8.00 per person

### AWARDS AND RIBBONS:

Awards are for qualifying scores only

Award for each High in Trial

Award for first in each class

### ON-SITE FOOD:

There will be no concession.

**Lunch will be available for advance purchase.** Please book your lunch when you send in your entry. Lunch will be \$8.00. Coffee and snacks will be available at the Dog Tales Meeting building. It will be a busy day – so take one pressure off by knowing you will have a great meal at the noon break.

If you have special dietary requirements, let us know with your entry and we will do our best to accommodate them.

**Saskatoon Working & Herding Dog Association website:**

[www.swhda.ca](http://www.swhda.ca)

## CAMPING & ACCOMMODATIONS BY DOG TALE RANCH

Trial location is Dog Tale Ranch [www.ranching-with-sheep.com](http://www.ranching-with-sheep.com). Limited camping in the yard no hook ups. There will be a portable toilet and hand wash area in the yard.

There is a full campground facility at Manitou Beach, 35 km from the site. There are Bed & Breakfast and hotel accommodations at Manitou Beach. Check out <http://watrousmanitou.com/accom.htm>

## DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL LOCATION

### To Dog Tale Ranch from Saskatoon

Take Highway 11 South and travel to Hanley. About 1 km South of Hanley turn East (left) onto gravel (grid) road 764. Travel east on this grid for 35 km. Turn North (left) and travel 3.2 km. Turn East (right) and travel 1.6 km. Turn South (right) and travel 1.6 km into yard. The yard is located around a bend and tucked into trees so is not visible until you arrive. *This route involves 40 km of gravel road travel.*

### Alternate Route to Dog Tale Ranch from Saskatoon

Take highway 16 East to the junction of highway 2. Turn South (right) onto highway 2 and travel to Young. At Young, just past the grain elevator, turn West and cross the railroad tracks (your turn is the one with the railroad crossing arms). Follow the curves of this grid road (going west, curving south and then curving west again); travel 8 km (5 miles) from the tracks. Turn South (left) and travel 9.6 km (6 miles). Watch for a white church that will be on the driver's side of the road. At the white church, turn West (right) and travel 3.2 km (2 miles). Turn South and travel 1.6 km (1 mile) to the yard. *This route has half the gravel road travel but is 10 km longer than first route.*

### To Dog Tale Ranch from Highway 2 South

Travel North on highway 2 up to Highway 15. Turn West (left) on highway 15. Travel 32.4 km going through two small valleys. Turn North (right, this turn is at the bottom of the second valley) and travel 12.5 km. Turn East (right) and travel about 1 km to first road going North again. Turn North (left) and travel 3.2 km. Turn East (right) and travel 1.6 km. Turn South (right) and travel 1.6 km into yard.

### To Dog Tale Ranch from Watrous, SK.

Leave Watrous on highway 2 heading North. At the Co-op Agro Centre turn West (left) and cross the railroad tracks. Immediately turn North (right) and follow the curve back to the west again. Travel this grid road for 24 km (15 miles) until you reach a yield sign. At the yield sign, turn South (left) and travel 4.8 km (3 miles). Watch for a white church that will be on the driver's side of the road. At the white church, turn West (right) and travel 3.2 km (2 miles). Turn South and travel 1.6 km (1 mile) to the yard.

See map on next page

## VOLUNTEERS

Making the trial a success with participant volunteers. Herding trials as with most performance events are successful because of the judges, sponsors, facilities, in herding the stock AND last but not least the **volunteers**. This year, we are expecting each entrant to volunteer during the event.

We are a small group of enthusiastic herders, the judges, stock and facilities are great. **YOU WILL MAKE THE DIFFERENCE between a good event and a GREAT event.** The roles available on the day are:

**Judge's Steward** assists the judge in filling out the score sheets during the trial.

The judge's steward may also act as one of the Timekeepers. (AKA scribe)

**Assistant Stock Handler** will assist the chief Stock Handler, to handle the stock in the pens, set them for the trial levels and care for the stock during the trial.

**Timekeepers** will keep time, warn handlers when 2 minutes remain in their run time, and confirm score totals.

**Hospitality** will provide drinks to Judges and stockhandlers

*(Sign-up sheets will be at the briefing)*

## RULES:

The AHBA Trial Program rules can be found at:

<http://www.ahba-herding.org>

## **IMPORTANT AHBA RULE CHANGE - EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2010**

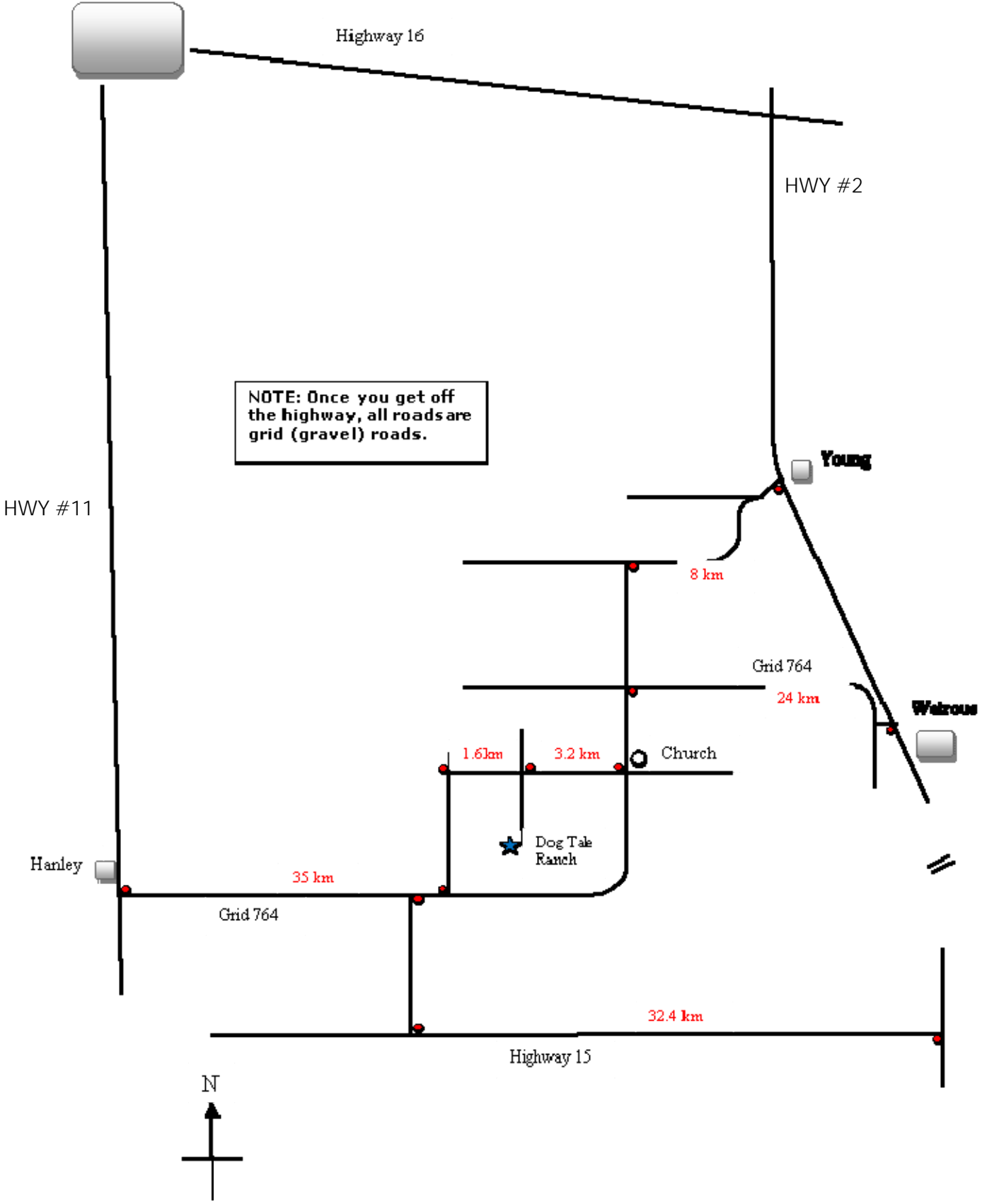
Effective June 1, 2010, all dogs participating in AHBA events must have full information including a registration number, provided for entry on recording forms. **The registration number to be used should be the dog's regular registration number. In the case of dogs which have more than one registration number, the owner must choose one and use it consistently for AHBA purposes. Owners of unregistered dogs may apply to the AHBA for a tracking number to be used in place of a registration number. The tracking number is only for dogs which are not otherwise registered.** The Request for Tracking Number form may be obtained from Siouxsan Eisen, [lbsioux@hotmail.com](mailto:lbsioux@hotmail.com), or Linda Rorem, [pacifica19@aol.com](mailto:pacifica19@aol.com). The completed form is sent to Siouxsan Eisen at the address on the form, and the owner will be sent a tracking number to use for entering AHBA events. **In addition to using a consistent registration or tracking number, owners must use one consistent name when entering a dog.** After June 1, 2010, any incomplete recording form received by the AHBA will not be processed.

## LAST BUT NOT LEAST: COURTESY RULES

**Poop & Scoop courtesy rules apply.** Lots of dogs and people frequent *Dog Tale Ranch*; we need to leave it as we find it. If you are in the yard, on the way to the trial area, around the arenas or in the arenas, please pick up after your dogs. If you are in a field or wildlife area, use your judgment – but if in doubt ... pick it up. There will be garbage pails around and pick-up bags for those who have forgotten them.

**Leashes.** Dogs must be on leash when in the trialing or yard areas and in proximity of stock or guardian dogs. This is a working ranch and the jobs of the "hands" must be respected.

Map to Dog Tale Ranch (not to scale)



Official AHBA Entry Form

Saskatoon Working & Herding Dog Association

Mail Entries to: SWHDA c/o Jill Werle RR7 Site 708 Comp 37 Saskatoon, SK S7K 1N2
Entries Open: May 28, 2011 Entries Close: August 5, 2011

Entry Fee (\$50 CDN/class): \$ \_\_\_ Lunch (\$8): \$ \_\_\_ Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_

All Tests & Trials are on Sheep

Table with 2 columns: SWHDA Trial A (Dave Viklund) and SWHDA Trial B (Shelley Fritzke). Rows include checkboxes for Junior Herding Dog, HTAD I, HTAD II, and HTAD III.

Dog Information

Registered Name of Dog: \_\_\_\_\_

Call Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Male Female

Name of organization dog is registered: \_\_\_\_\_ Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: Canada Elsewhere (dd/mm/yy):

Breeder: \_\_\_\_\_

Sire: \_\_\_\_\_

Dam: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s) & Agent Information

Registered Owner(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Address: \_\_\_\_\_ (Street Address - City - Province - Postal Code)

Name of Agent (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Address: \_\_\_\_\_ (Street Address - City - Province - Postal Code)

I CERTIFY that I am the registered owner(s) of the dog or that I am the authorized agent of the actual owner(s) whose name(s) I have entered above and accept full responsibility for all statements made in this entry.

Signature of Owner/Agent Telephone Number Email

Release Form

The release form must be signed and accompany the entries.

Agreement Waiver

In consideration for participation in an event held at Allen and Arlette Seib's and sponsored by the Saskatoon Working & Herding Dog Association (SWHDA).

I (we) agree to assume all responsibility for any claim, loss or damage, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, which may be caused at or near this event, either directly or indirectly, by me(us) or the dog(s) I(we) have entered in or brought to this event.

I(we) further agree that I(we) will hold the officers, directors, agents and members of SWHDA and the judges and Allen and Arlette Seib, Dog Tale Ranch, and their employees/help working this event, harmless and defend them from any and all liability for any injury, claim, damage or loss, of whatever kind or nature, whether to person or property, caused at or near this event.

I(we) agree to indemnify the officers, directors, agents and members of SWHDA, the judges, Allen and Arlette Seib and Dog Tale Ranch, its officers, directors, agents or members and associated persons, for any loss, cost or expenses, including legal fees and costs, to which the the officers, directors, agents and members of SWHDA, the judges and Allen and Arlette Seib and associated persons might be subject as a result of any claim, suit, loss or damage caused in any way by any act or negligence on my(our) part or on the part of any dog(s) I(we) have entered in or brought to this event.

I(we) acknowledge that while the hosts of the event may provide guidelines and rules for this event Allen and Arlette Seib, Dog Tale Ranch and associated persons do not have and do not exercise control over the conduct of those present.

I(we) certify and represent that the dog(s) I(we) have entered in or brought to this event is/are not a hazard to other dogs, other animals, or to people.

I(we) will pay for any livestock injuries or replacement value in the event of death of any livestock by my(our) dogs. In case of any injury to any stock caused by the dog(s) entered or said dog(s) actions thereof, I (we) will assume total responsibility for any damage.

I(we) agree to pay the full market value, as set for the livestock and noted here and/or in this event premium, of the injured animal in case of serious injury, or the veterinarian bill or its equivalent if the injury is slight. Livestock replacement market value is \$175 CDN dollars per head.

Signature of Entrant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_