

Sheep Time!

Bring your favorite Beardie and go herding!

Time: October 12th, 2008 at 10 am

Place: Genoa City (Illinois/Wisconsin border)

Tester/instructor: Shannon Wolfe

HERDING INSTINCT TESTING

We will be starting at 10 am with a herding demonstration, followed by a BCCA Sanctioned Instinct Test. All dogs over 6 months of age can be entered in the instinct test. No previous experience or exposure to livestock is necessary.

To enter your Beardie in the test, please send in the following information: Dog's registered name, registration number, 3 generation pedigree (or at least registered name of sire & dam), date of birth, breeder's name, owner's name, address, email, and a check for \$30 (\$25 for CBCC members!!).

All dogs who pass will be given the title HIC (Herding Instinct Certified) as well as a diploma from BCCA (Bearded Collie Club of America).

HERDING CLINIC

Following the instinct testing we will put on a herding clinic. Each dog will be able to work sheep, how much time each dog gets depends on the individual dog's ability. We will also learn about the Beardie as a herding dog, how they compare to other breeds, what their strong and weak points are. Each dog will be critiqued and discussed so that we all can learn from watching each other. This is a great event for those who have already passed the instinct test, but this is NOT a requirement. Cost for the clinic is \$40 per dog. No pedigree info etc is necessary. Please note, if you enter both events and do not pass the instinct test, you can request a refund for the clinic.

Mail to Charlotte Laning, N84W21847 Menomonee Ave, Menomonee Falls, WI 53051 Before October 5, please!!! Make checks out to CBCC. A confirmation will be emailed shortly before the event - do not forget to include your email address with your entry!!

*If you miss the October 5th date please email me at: mail@oldsmuggler.net
You can also call me at 262-993-0073 but email is a better way to reach me.*

DIRECTIONS (from Illinois):

Take 294 north to route 173. Take 173 west about 15 miles to the stoplight at route 12 in the town of Richmond, IL. Turn right and take route 12 north out of Richmond. 12 will split, 12 to the right, Wisconsin County H to the left. Stay left on H into the town of Genoa City.

◆ *At the stop sign in Genoa City, take a left on Cty B. Follow B around the turn to the right and we are 1.5 miles down on the right side of the road. Small white house with a horseshoe driveway and a wooden sheep at the end of the drive.*

From Wisconsin:

Take I-43 to 12. 12 south until the freeway ends. Take Cty H right into Genoa City. See ◆ above!

If you prefer to use mapquest, please use: W1192 County Road B, Genoa City, WI