

# Sugar Bush Gap

## Novice Learning Trial Information

**Two Novice Learning Trials – NN, PN and Ranch – Sunday November 12, 2023**

**Trial information:** Morning and afternoon trials. Entry limit: 20 dogs per trial. Each handler is limited to two dogs per trial (unless the trials do not fill in the initial period – see below). Relatively small fully fenced field, mixed breed stock. Setout pen may be used. ProNovice may require a cross drive. NEBCA sanctioned.

Camping (without hookups) available.

Participants should bring their own shade and chairs and wear masks at their discretion.

This is a learning trial and all participants should plan to help in some way -learning to help at trials is an important aspect of learning trials. Consider entering the judging clinic with Barb Armata on November 11 to best prepare for the trial. Entry forms available on NEBCA.net under Clinics.

**Judge:** Pam Davies

**Fee -** \$35 per run. There will be a morning and an afternoon trial. The initial entry period is October 2 through October 11. All entries received during this time will be regarded equally and if there are more entries than available runs, a draw will be held and wait list established. Entries received after October 11 will be accommodated if there is space or placed at the end of the wait list.

Third dog entries will be accepted if the trial does not fill in the opening period. Day of trial non-competitive runs may be available if there is space.

**Note: You can enter the morning or afternoon trial or both. See forms below.**

**Location information:** 283 Williams Rd., Windsor, NY 13865

Lunch provided.

**Contact information:** questions? Email Sara Reiter sarareit @ gmail.com 607-768-3015 texts only

### **Directions to the Trial Site**

From the North and West, take Interstate 81 South or Rt 17 east. Stay on Rt 17 east when Interstate 81 goes off south. Take EXIT 77 toward WEST WINDSOR. Turn RIGHT onto PLACE Rd. At the top of the hill, turn SLIGHT LEFT onto TRIM ST. Go 4.2 miles and Turn RIGHT onto WILLIAMS RD. Proceed on Williams Road (0.9 miles) to the first right – Sugarbush Rd. Enter the first driveway on the right for parking

From the East, take Rt 17 to EXIT 79 WINDSOR. Turn right on Chapel Street and Right on Rt. 79. After the Rt 17 East entrance, turn RIGHT on KENT Street. Turn left on WILLIAMS Rd. (the first left hand turn possible). Proceed on Williams Road (0.9 miles) to the first right – Sugarbush Rd. Enter the first driveway on the right for parking.

From the South, take Interstate 81 north to EXIT 230 - Hallstead/Great Bend. Turn left at ramp and right on Rt 11 north through Great Bend. On the outskirts of Great Bend, turn RIGHT on RANDOLPH Road. Go 1.5 miles and over a one bridge and take the next right (at the state line), HONEY HOLLOW Road. Go 4 miles to WILLIAMS Rd, bearing right when Anne Rd goes off to the left. Turn left on WILLIAMS Rd 1.2 miles. Turn left at an old white farmhouse on SUGARBUSH Rd. and immediately right in the first driveway on the right for parking.

**Motels – Binghamton NY area** – check for pet fees Red Roof Inn 607-773-8111, Comfort Inn, 607-724-3297; Motel 6 607-771-0400, Econo Lodge Inn & Suites, 607-724-1341

**Learning Trial Entry Form/Fees**

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Entry fees must accompany registration form. (US dollars, please)

Novice/Novice Pro/Novice \$35 per run

Each handler is limited to two dogs per trial.

Third dogs may be allowed if the trial does not fill in the initial period.

NFC entries will be available on day of event if there is room.

If sending an entry for a third dog or NFC run, please send a separate form and check.

Dog	Handler	NN a.m.	NN p.m.	PN a.m.	PN p.m.	Ranch a.m.	Ranch p.m.	fees

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City/State \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate how you are willing to help. This is a learning trial – everyone is expected to help in some way. There are jobs that don't require experience.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Help with course changes      | <input type="checkbox"/> Push out      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Score runners, posting scores | <input type="checkbox"/> Scribing      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhaust                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Score-keeping |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any job                       |  |

The initial entry period is October 2 (it is OK if your entry arrives early) through October 11. All entries received during this time will be regarded equally and if there are more entries than available runs, a draw will be held and wait list established. Entries after October 11 will be accommodated if there is space or placed at the end of the wait list. Checks will be cashed after November 8.

I take full responsibility for the actions of my dog(s) and myself to any livestock, person or property associated with the Sugar Bush Gap Novice Trials, the Reiter's, their management, and any employees/volunteers associated with the Trials. I will not hold them responsible for injury to myself, my family, my vehicle, or my dogs(s). I agree to be responsible for damages to livestock (up to a value of \$150) and to adhere to all safety directions from trial managers related to prevention of the spread of COVID-19.

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(Signature)

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(Date)

Make checks payable to Sara Reiter, 283 Williams Rd., Windsor, NY 13865  
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