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Sanctioned Barn Hunt Trial September 26-28, 2025

Hosted by
Jam-Min' Dog Sports
1140 Matthews Rd
Pilot Mountain, NC 27041



Judge: Jen Bailey– Auberry, CA (*BHAJ-200A*)

Permission has been granted by the **Barn Hunt Association, LLC** to hold this Barn Hunt Trial under BHA Rules and Regulations.

Any Judge of Record and the RBJ may judge in any ring for any class. Judge of Record and Event Official dogs may be judged prior to Event start or as the first dogs of the Event. Judging assignments may be altered to improve trial efficiency and meet MRV requirements.

This trial is a 2-ring, 1 judge trial. Ring 1 is in a 20 x 40 event canopy tent on dirt covered by a heavy tarp. Ring 2 is inside a barn with rubber matting. Blinds and rings are wheelchair accessible (there is some gravel). Crating in cars and/or under exhibitor's canopy. NOTE: Ring assignments subject to change due to weather and/or class entries.

OPENING DATE: August 1, 2025

CLOSING DATE: September 16, 2025

LATE ENTRIES CLOSE: September 25, 2025

MOVE-UPS: Due by September 25, 2025

CLASSES OFFERED: Instinct, Novice, Open, Crazy 8s, Senior, Master

Open to all breeds and mixed breeds, ages 6 months or older.

Dogs must have a Barn Hunt number to enter.

ENTRY FEES

Class Fees per run	Early Entry	Late Entries	Day of Show
Instinct	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$20.00
Novice	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$27.00
Open	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$27.00
Crazy 8s	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$32.00
Senior	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$32.00
Master	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$32.00

Entries will be accepted in the following ways:

1. Complete the entry form and email it to jammindogsports@icloud.com, payment must be received within 24 hours via PayPal for entry to be valid: PayPal email: jammindogsports@icloud.com OR [paypal.me/jamminaussies](https://www.paypal.me/jamminaussies)
2. Mail in paper entry and a paper check using the attached entry form, or the BHA generated entry.
3. Online Entry: <https://www.secreterrier.com/events/1670/enter>

Entries will be accepted in order of receipt. All entries must be accompanied by entry fees to be valid. There will be a \$35.00 fee for all returned checks. Confirmations will not be sent for late entries. Judges are limited to 8 hours of judging and a maximum run value, which will require this club to limit entries accordingly. Late and/or Day of Show entries are not a guaranteed entry and will be accepted only up to Judging limits. If the trial fills before the closing date, we will be keeping a waitlist. A paid entry is required to be added to the waitlist. Exhibitors waitlisted will be notified of their status by email no later than 3 days before the first day of the event. Exhibitors waitlisted with no entry will have their entry checks shredded or PayPal payment (less processing fees) refunded. All other refunds will only be honored if requested before the closing date. No refunds after the closing date.

Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and legible information on the entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show. PLEASE DOUBLE CHECK YOUR ENTRY FORM AND REMEMBER TO SIGN THE RELEASE FORM.

NEW ENTRY OPTIONS: Clubs may offer up to two regular class entries per dog, per Trial: Either any one lower level B class in addition to one upper level A class, or two different level B classes (e.g., a dog with a RATM could enter Novice B and Senior B, or Senior B and Master B). Dogs cannot enter the same class level twice in the same Trial (cannot enter Open B or Senior A twice). At least one class must be a B class. Entry options are:

- Novice B + Open A, Senior A, or Master A
- Novice B + Open B, Senior B, or Master B
- Open B + Senior A or Master A
- Open B + Senior B or Master B
- Senior B + Master A
- Senior B + Master B

Trial Chair: Amy Reynolds, grayson9@aol.com

Trial Secretary: CJ Fithian, cjfithian@mac.com

Entries address: 1140 Matthews Rd, Pilot Mountain NC 27041

Entries questions: jammindogsports@icloud.com; 562-686-1764

Event Committee Members

CJ Fithian, Victoria Tesh, Bridger Watson, Amy Reynolds, Bonnie Taylor, Lynda Oleksuk, Kimberly Dezern, Jessica Flint

Schedule

7:00 am – Trial site opens, DOS entries accepted, as applicable

7:30 am – General briefing

8:00 am – First class begins

Exhibitors not attending the General and/or Judge's briefings will still be held responsible for knowing the information given in those briefings.

Class order (SUBJECT TO CHANGE): Please review final confirmation for schedule and judges assignment - the order may be adjusted based on the submitted entries for load balancing. Height divisions are run together.

Friday, Saturday, Sunday

Ring 1: Instinct, Novice 1, Novice 2, Open 1, Open 2, Crazy 8s 1, Crazy 8s 2

Ring 2: Senior 1, Senior 2, Master 1, Master 2

Updated information for the trial will be communicated via email to everyone who has submitted a pre-closing date entry with an email address.

Move-ups, lateral moves, and Move-downs Move-ups, and lateral moves from A class to B class due to getting a new title will be allowed day-to-day and trial-to-trial. Any other move-ups and move-downs are only allowed day-to-day, and must be requested the day before. Come to the Trial Secretary desk to complete the move up sheet.

Ribbon Presentation Ribbons will be placed on the ribbon display table to be picked up with the results list of the class you may photograph. Results are tabulated at the end of each trial of each class. Please allow the secretary sufficient time to input and calculate results. Please wait until the trial secretary announces that ribbons are ready before you pick up your ribbons. If you find yourself waiting around for your ribbons, help out in the ring while you wait. For detailed descriptions of the ribbons provided, please refer to the BHA Official Competitor Handbook, Section 16: Ribbons and Placements.

Barnhunt Grounds as pictured on the map. Rings, parking, basement and grassy areas surrounding buildings and parking. Pond and stream (not pictured) are not considered part of barnhunt grounds.



DIRECTIONS TO THE SITE

From Highway 52 North: Take exit 134 from US-52 N. At the traffic circle, take the 1st exit onto S Key St. Turn left onto W Main St. Turn right onto Old Westfield Rd. Turn left onto Matthews Rd. Take slight left into 1st driveway.

From Highway 52 North: Take exit 135 (on the left) from US-52 S. Stay in left lane upon freeway exit, on Old U.S. 52 S. Turn right onto Old Westfield road and take slight hill, then turn left to continue on Old Westfield Road to Matthews Rd. Turn left onto Matthews Rd. Take slight left into 1st driveway.

Veterinarian

After Hours Emergency: Carolina Veterinary Specialists, 1600 Hanes Mall Blvd, Winston-Salem (336) 896-0902

ACCOMMODATIONS

VERIFY THAT THEY STILL ACCEPT DOGS, ASK ABOUT FEES

Econo Lodge/Sleep Well Inn & Suites, 711 S Key Street, Pilot Mountain 336-368-2237 or 844-684-9427 (may have changed ownership in 2025)

La Quinta, 2020 Griffith Rd, Winston Salem 336-765-8777

Quality Inn, 5719 University, Winston Salem 336-767-9009

Jomeokee Campgrounds in Pinnacle, NC - approx 8 miles/15 minutes from event site. <https://www.jomeokeecampground.com/>

Dry camping (no hook-ups) \$30/night: We can accommodate 2-3 RVs, depending on length. Car/tent campers are unlimited. \$15/night. Email jammindogsports@icloud.com to reserve.

VOLUNTEERS

We need your help! We will need Gate Stewards, Rat Wranglers, Course Builders, Leash Runners, Scribes, and Sheet Runners.

Information about each position is available at www.BarnHunt.com.

Exhibitor Information

Dogs must be leashed or crated when not actively working. Please pick up after your dog and dispose of waste in appropriate containers outside the building. Any dog that fouls the arena in any way (e.g. urinates, defecates, vomits) will be immediately excused. The handler is expected to clean up after the dog, both in the ring and out.

Ring Information/Location:

Ring 1 will be held under a carport on grass with tarp flooring. The ring will be enclosed by 4' fencing. Ring 2 will be inside a Barn with rubber matting. The ring will be enclosed by 2 walls and 4' fencing. Neither building/structure is temperature controlled.

Blinds:

Blinds 1 & 2 will be 10 x 30. Both blinds will be under cover external to the barn. Blinds will use either an musical tone doorbell or a flashing light and vibration doorbell. Blind limits: Six competitors may be loaded per blind for Instinct, Novice, Open and Line Drive; 5 for Senior/Crazy 8s; 4 or 5 for Master.

Crating

Crating is allowed in vehicles or under canopies. There is very little shade so you will need to provide adequate shading for your setup area. All dogs must be crated or on a leash at all times except when running. Please ensure your crate is secure as the dogs may be highly excited. Dogs should not be tied out or otherwise left attached to something other than a human; specifically leaving your dog(s) tied to an unattended chair or in an open crate is not allowed.

Leashes and Collars

All dogs must be on a maximum 6 foot leash, except while hunting, and be under control while on the grounds. Flexi-leads are not allowed on site. Electronic collars/devices and head halters are not allowed.

Collars in the Ring

Dogs may not be brought to the gate in any disallowed collar or on a Flexi-lead. Dogs MUST run "naked," without a collar/harness. Dogs should be brought to the ring with collars/harnesses which can be easily and quickly removed and replaced.

Bitches in season

Are eligible for entry but will be required to be kept separate from all other dogs and will run at the end of their class/trial. Entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded until the closing date if you wish to withdraw. If bringing a bitch in season, please inform the trial secretary prior to the trial and inform all exhibitors at the judge's briefing. They will run at the end of each class. BIS must wear pants at all times when not being pottied, including on the course. Owners of BIS should seek out one of the Committee members upon arrival so that you can be directed to the designated parking and walking area. Advance notice to the secretary is greatly appreciated if you will be bringing a BIS! Failure to notify the secretary and fellow competitors will result in dismissal from the show grounds.

Class Descriptions: For full descriptions refer to <http://www.barnhunt.com/forms/barnhuntrules.pdf>

Notice to Participants

*At all times, the safety of the dogs, handlers, and rats are to be of paramount importance. Rats will be humanely handled and safely confined in aerated PVC tubes; Barn Hunting is not intended to harm or kill rats.

*By entering these Trials, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all obstacles safely.

*Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Show Committee. No entry fee will be refunded if the event cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

*Children of any age are eligible to handle a dog in a Barn Hunt Trials as long as they can control the animal before, during, and after the hunt. However, the parent or guardian must remain on the premises at all times with any child under the age of 16.

*It is expressly understood that participants alone are responsible for the behavior of their dog(s). Any participant whose dog(s) create unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Committee, be asked to leave the Event site. In such case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. Jam-Min' Dog Sports (JDS) will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by participants or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property. JDS reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog(s) on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against JDS or any official thereof.

Jam-Min' Rattos Barn Hunt Trial Entry Form

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Checks: Payable to CJ Fithian PayPal: paypal.me/jamminaussies or cjfithian@mac.com . Please use Friends/Family or add 3% processing fee	Online entries: Secreterrier.com Email entries: jammindogsports@icloud.com Mail entries: 1140 Matthews Rd, Pilot Mountain NC 27041
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INFORMATION

Owner Name:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Phone:	Email Address:
Handler (if other than owner):	
Dog's Call Name:	
Registered Name (exactly as it reads on your Barn Hunt profile):	
Breed:	
Birthdate:	Height at Withers:
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly in season at trial	
BHA Registration #: BH-	

ENTRY FORM

Please circle up to two(2) Standard classes and A or B for each trial entered below.
See NEW ENTRY OPTIONS on Page 1 of this premium for more details.

DAY	TRIAL						
Friday 9/26	T1	Instinct	Novice A / B	Open A / B	Senior A / B	Master A / B	Crazy 8s
Friday 9/26	T2		Novice A / B	Open A / B	Senior A / B	Master A / B	Crazy 8s
Saturday 9/27	T3	Instinct	Novice A / B	Open A / B	Senior A / B	Master A / B	Crazy 8s
Saturday 9/27	T4		Novice A / B	Open A / B	Senior A / B	Master A / B	Crazy 8s
Sunday 9/28	T5	Instinct	Novice A / B	Open A / B	Senior A / B	Master A / B	Crazy 8s
Sunday 9/28	T6		Novice A / B	Open A / B	Senior A / B	Master A / B	Crazy 8s
Entry Fee		\$10	\$22	\$22	\$27	\$27	\$27
Day of Show Fee (if applicable)		+ \$5	+ \$5	+ \$5	+ \$5	+ \$5	\$5
# of runs entered		X	X	X	X	X	X
SUB-TOTAL		+	+	+	+	+	+
TOTAL DUE							

THE RELEASE AGREEMENT FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND INCLUDED FOR A VALID ENTRY

RELEASE AGREEMENT FORM

Certification of Agreement upon Registration or Entry of Dog

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Barn Hunt Associations, LLC in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the liability waiver enclosed with my entry. I (we) certify and represent that the dog entered is not a hazard (dog or human aggressive) to persons or other dogs. This entry is submitted for acceptance on the foregoing representation and Agreement. I (we) agree to conduct myself (ourselves) in accordance with all Barn Hunt Association, LLC Rules and Regulations and to abide by any decisions made in accord to them.

Liability Waiver

I (we) agree that Carolyn Fithian has the right to refuse this entry for cause which the club shall deem sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry and of the holding of this event and of the opportunity to win prizes, ribbons, and/or trophies, I (we) agree to hold Barn Hunt Association, LLC, Carolyn Fithian, Jam-Min' Dog Sports, their members, directors, governors, officers, agents, or event secretary and the owner and/or lessor of the premises and any provider of services that are necessary to hold this event and any employees or volunteers of the aforementioned parties, and any BHA LLC approved judge, judging at this event, harmless from any claim for loss or injury which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to any person or thing by the act of this dog while in or about the event premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for any such claim; and I (we) further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for loss and expense (including legal fees) by reason of the liability imposed by law upon any of the aforementioned parties for damage because of bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting there from, sustained by any person or persons, including myself (ourselves), or on account of damage to property, arising out of or in consequence of my (our) participation in this event, however such, injuries, death or property damage may be caused, and whether or not the same may have been cause or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any other persons.

Media Release Form

I hereby authorize club-appointed videographer and/or photographer to use, reproduce, and/or publish photographs and/or video that may pertain to me, including my image, likeness and/or voice without compensation. I understand that this material may be used in various publications, public affairs releases, recruitment materials, the BHA LLC website, the Jam-Min' Dog Sports web site or Facebook page, or for related endeavors. This authorization is continuous and may only be withdrawn by my specific recission of this authorization. Consequently, the BHA, LLC or Carolyn Fithian may publish materials, use my name, photograph, and/or make reference to me in any manner that the Corporation or project sponsor deems appropriate in order to promote/publicize service opportunities.

Signature-Owner or Parent/Guardian if Minor:

Date