



BARN HUNT FUN TEST

Saturday June 16, 2018

\$10.00

Open to all breeds, all mixed breeds & all sizes of dog!

LOCATION: 649 Maloney rd., Renfrew ON K7V 3Z8

The test will have the following classes: Instinct, Novice, Open, Senior, Crazy 8s (limit of 10 Crazy 8 runs will be accepted)

Entries Open: April 30, 2018

PRE ENTRIES CLOSE: June 1, 2018 at 5:00 pm

OR Earlier if test fills* prior to closing date.

**Fun Test Limit 100 Entries/Runs per day*

Dogs are NOT required to have a Barn Hunt Registration number to show in a Barn Hunt FUN TEST. However, if you want to get your dog a barn hunt #, you can register your dog online at <http://www.barnhunt.com/>

No Legs are earned toward titles in a Fun Test.

Late entries/day of trial entries accepted IF space permits

Permission has been granted by the Barn Hunt Association, LLC to hold this Barn Hunt FUN TEST under BHA Rules and Regulations. FTLE – 18030

BARN HUNT COMMITTEE

Members: Marie-Claire Guindon, Louise Bessette, Manon Brisebois

Test Chairperson: Marie-Claire Guindon 613-265-5990

soulstormdogsports@gmail.com

Test Secretary: Louise Bessette ottawavalleybarnhunt@gmail.com

MAIL ENTRIES TO:

OVBH Test Secretary 5686 Trudeau ave., Vars ON K0A 3H0

- phone: 613-265-5990
- email: ottawavalleybarnhunt@gmail.com
- you can pay by e-Transfer to: ottawavalleybarnhunt@gmail.com and remember to send your answer in a separate email
- cheques payable to: Marie-Claire Guindon

GENERAL INFORMATION AND EVENT RULES

Open to all breeds and mixed breeds of all sizes. Dogs must be 6 months of age or older.

FUN TEST INFORMATION

Judge: Jane McLaughlin (BHAJ-179A)

This is a non-title event, but run as a real Barn Hunt Trial, with all the rules applying. You can come out and see what the excitement for this new sport is all about. Dogs will be run in height order, with dogs being handled by the same person separated into different staged groups. Dogs do NOT need a Barn Hunt registration number to enter.

NEW! Dogs may enter any level (class) and enter more than one level and/or multiple times at the same level in the test. If your dog is normally in Novice and you want to try Senior that is fine, you may enter it. This gives the dogs and the competitors lots of opportunities to experience new levels and practice in a trial environment.

NEW! Handlers may choose to train their dog in the ring. Please refer to page #5 in the rulebook for details. FOOD will NOT be permitted in the ring at this event, but toys will be allowed.

FUN TEST FEES: Pre Entry \$10; Late/Gate Entry \$15 *

**There will be a \$50.00 service charge for NSF cheques*

SPECIAL! 3 runs, any class, for the SAME DOG \$25. *Pre Entry ONLY.*

Fun Test entries, pre-entry closes June 1, 2018 at 5:00 pm. Day of entry will be taken until 11 am, if limit is not reached.

SCHEDULE

REGISTRATION: Test Secretary Desk opens at 8:00 am.

JUDGING ORDER: The order of testing in a class shall be the order in which entries are received. Dogs will be run in height order, except when multiple entries of the same handler require separation when possible. Dogs will be staged in groups of 5.

TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER: Instinct begins at 9:00 AM, followed by Novice thru Senior, followed by Crazy 8s. Lunch Break: at judge's discretion.

CONFIRMATION OF ENTRY: The receipt of entries will be confirmed for those providing a return e-mail address on their form.

VALIDATION OF ENTRIES: Entries must be complete, with entry fees, and signed Participation Agreement included. Entries submitted without payment or without the agreement filled in and signed will be refused participation in the test.

REFUND OF ENTRY FEES: will not be refunded after the closing date except for bitches in heat and for injured dogs with vet proof.

HEIGHT DIVISIONS: Dogs are divided into groups by their shoulder height. Small 13" and under, Medium 13.1" to 18", Large over 18"

VERY IMPORTANT!! YOU MUST BE AWARE OF THE RULES. Please refer to and be aware of BARN HUNT RULES at: www.barnhunt.com

EVENT SITE: Test will be held outdoors in a covered area on grass/dirt with an outdoor staging/blind area. Port-a-Potty will be on site. Bring water, shade and shelter for you and your dogs (E-z Up tent or X-pen). This event will be run rain or shine. All dogs must be under control and on a leash at all times, except during the test. Please make sure your crate is secure as the dogs may be highly excited. Wear appropriate footwear and clothing for the outdoors. No flexi leashes are permitted anywhere on the property.

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. Please inform the test secretary prior to the Test and inform all exhibitors at the judge's briefing that you are bringing a bitch in heat. Owners of BIS should crate/confine their dogs away from traffic and other dogs, should post "dog in season" signs on their crate/in their area, and potty the dog away from other competitors. Bitches in season MUST wear pants. Entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded with veterinary certificate, if you wish to withdraw.

DOG AGGRESSION: Any dog behaving in a threatening or aggressive manner toward another dog or a person may be dismissed from the trial if justification is found to do so by the judge and/or trial committee.

PARKING: Limited parking will be available within the grounds. Cars can also park all along Monroe rd.

FOOD: Morning coffee will be available. NO Lunch will be provided. Fast food restaurants are 5 mins away in Renfrew.

VETERINARIAN: Renfrew Animal Hospital (open until 2pm)
825 O'Brien Rd, Renfrew, ON K7V 0A1 (613) 432-8884
After hours: 2616 Bank St, Gloucester, ON K1T 1M9 (613) 731-6851

WEATHER on test day? Check out Renfrew weather at
https://weather.gc.ca/city/pages/on-58_metric_e.html

SAFETY: The Ottawa Valley Barn Hunt Club will use care and diligence for the safety and welfare of the dogs, the exhibitors, the spectators and the quarry, but will not be responsible in the event of any accident to dogs, exhibitors, spectators or quarry. Exhibitors and spectators are required to respect all signs posted on the property. Please stay out of the farm fields. Exhibitors and spectators are also reminded this test is being held on private property and we are here at the pleasure of our hosts. Children need to be under strict supervision at all times. Out of respect for our competitors, if their behaviour is disruptive, you will be asked to leave the property.



Please pick up after your dog(s) and yourself.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR COOPERATION!

ATTENTION FOREIGN EXHIBITORS: Please note that fees are due and payable in Canadian dollars. Due to consistently fluctuating currency rates, discounted cheques will not be accepted. Personal cheques will be accepted. If you pay by personal American cheque, it must be made out for the full amount of the entry and no exchange will be refunded to the exhibitor. Do not write "Payable In Canadian Funds" or "At Par". To simplify the process, we urge you to buy bank drafts or money orders payable in Canadian funds.

BORDER CROSSING: A valid rabies certificate is required to bring a dog into Canada. Please refer to the government website for any other restrictions.

NEW! *Is your dog CKC registered?* Effective January 1, 2018, the CKC will recognise Titles from The Barn Hunt Association earned after that date, if the dog is registered by CKC. Go to the CKC website for instructions on how to apply to register the title on your dog. You cannot earn a title at this Fun Test, but it gives you practice for our upcoming TITLING trials.



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WHAT IS BARN HUNT?

For hundreds of years itinerant 'rat catchers' travelled the countryside ridding barns and properties of vermin, thus helping to conserve food grains and prevent disease. The Barn Hunt Association has created a sanctioned sport based on this traditional dog work for all dogs, not just terriers. In this new sport, dogs locate rats (safely enclosed in aerated tubes) hidden in a straw/hay bale maze. It will test your dog's scenting ability, speed, agility and sure-footedness. Open to any and all dogs that can fit through an 18" wide by approx 20" high tunnel made of straw bales.

DIRECTIONS

Location: 649 Maloney rd., Renfrew ON K7V 3Z8 If you need further directions please email ottawavalleybarnhunt@gmail.com

FROM OTTAWA: Take Trans-Canada Hwy/ON-417 W. Continue onto Trans-Canada Hwy/Hwy 17. Turn left onto Bruce St/County Rd 20 (signs for County road 20/Renfrew). Turn left onto Maloney Rd, driveway is on the left.

NOTE: Google maps will show the destination as being a few 100 meters after the corner of Bruce/Maloney. The driveway is in fact only a few yards after the intersection.

REGISTER ONLINE: <https://form.jotform.com/81177585257265>

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Mail entry completed Forms and Fees to:

Trial Secretary, 5686 Trudeau ave., Vars ON K0A 3H0

Make cheque payable to: Marie-Claire Guindon

Total Fees \$ _____

Pre Entry \$10 per run Late/Gate Entry \$15 per run

Special 3 runs same dog for \$25 Pre-entry only

ONE FORM PER DOG -- Please check appropriate class boxes below

Instinct Number of runs ___ Novice Number of runs ___
Open Number of runs ___ Senior Number of runs ___
Crazy8 Number of runs ___
TOTAL Number of runs _____ X \$10 = _____ (or 3 for \$25)

Breed _____

Call Name _____ Bitch in Heat? yes no

Sex M F Date of Birth (D/M/Y) _____

Height division (circle one) Small Medium Large
(under 13") (13.1"-18") (over 18")

Actual Owner(s) Name _____

Owner's Address _____

City/Province/ Postal Code _____

Name of Handler or agent (if any) _____

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 Association 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 with them.

Signature of Owner or Agent _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Address _____

WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Barn Hunt Association LLC in effect at the time of this entry, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by this liability waiver. I (we) are required to sign a waiver and indemnity releasing Marie-Claire Guindon and the Ottawa Valley Barn Hunt Club from any liability whatsoever in respect of any damage or injury which you, your dog or your possessions may suffer. I (we) agree to hold Barn Hunt Association LLC, the event giving club, their directors, governors, officers, agents or event secretary and the owner 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, injury or damage to this dog. Additionally, I (we) hereby assume the sole responsibility for and agree to indemnify, defend and save the aforementioned parties harmless from any and all 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 be caused or may be alleged to have been caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties or any of their employees, agents, or any persons.

By Initialing here, I indicate my agreement with the above Liability Waiver
I, _____, realize and hereby acknowledge that Marie-Claire Guindon and the Ottawa Valley Barn Hunt Club, all Volunteers and Barn Hunt Association LLC can accept no responsibility whatsoever for the conduct or actions of other persons or their dogs, who may be participating in Barn Hunt events, or other factors beyond their control. Accordingly as a condition of the participation of myself, my dog and any other persons with whom I associate in the Barn Hunt events, I, _____, hereby release Marie-Claire Guindon and the Ottawa Valley Barn Hunt Club, all Volunteers and Barn Hunt Association LLC from any or all claims, damages, or injuries which they may suffer or incur, whether directly or indirectly, including any liability for damages suffered by others as a result of any conduct or action of myself or my dog.

THANK YOU FOR READING, INITIALLING, FILLING OUT YOUR NAME IN THE TWO (2) BLANK SPACES ABOVE, DATING AND SIGNING THIS FORM.

DATE: _____ PHONE: _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

DOG'S NAME: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

ALL ENTRIES MUST HAVE THIS FORM FILLED IN AND SIGNED IN ORDER FOR THE ENTRY TO BE ACCEPTED.

Ottawa Valley Barn Hunt Club – BE A VOLUNTEER

The Ottawa Valley Barn Hunt Club is a new club and does not require membership for people to attend trials. This means that in order to run Fun Tests like this one, or sanctioned trials in the future, we need help from people like you, willing to learn the various volunteer positions to make things happen!

Without volunteers, OVBH will not be able to host trials or Fun Tests.

Please consider assisting us in making this Fun Test a success!!

Select the positions and times you would be willing to volunteer for, select more than one if you have no preference, and submit this page with your entries.

	Morning	Afternoon	All Day	Time (from/to)
Timer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Scribe	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Leash Runner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Course Builder	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Gate Steward	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Blind Steward	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rat Wrangler (inside)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rat Wrangler (outside)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

*A draw will be held for the volunteers toward entries
to a future OVBH trial.*

