



## Sanctioned Barn Hunt Trials May 24-27, 2024

### Location:

Stillwater Storage managed by Heart 7 Enterprises, 11 Gates Rd, Columbus MT 59019

### Contact Information:

Trial Chair – Sharon Flemetis – Columbus, MT

Trial Secretary - Jennifer Giacchi [Jen@RockyMountainRatters.com](mailto:Jen@RockyMountainRatters.com) – Westminster, CO

Trial Committee: Jennifer Giacchi, Sharon Flemetis, Lindy Phillips, Judy Katz, Jill Gibbs

### Judge(s):

Shelley Ingram (BHAJ-227A, Yellowknife NT)

### Photographer(s):

TBD

### Schedule:

All Days: Building to open around 9am, Briefing at 9:30am, Trials to follow.

MONDAY WE START WITH C8 AND RUN MASTER DOWN FOR LEVELS! See page 3.

A lunch and other breaks may be taken at the judge's and/or club's discretion.

*Help setting & cleaning up, & during the trial is greatly appreciated and makes for a much quicker day!*

Most of these jobs are easy, but necessary for the trial to run. We are happy to train anyone! Thank you!!!

Please remember it is your responsibility to show up on time for your runs and be in the blind when your blind is being loaded. It is not our responsibility to run around trying to find people. The blind is loaded when the last dog of the blind before yours is in the ring. The blind will be closed when that dog finishes running (which can be rather quickly in some cases!). If you aren't there the blind will be closed and you will miss your run. Do not wait until the last minute to get/potty your dog. Be ready to go!

### Crating:

Crating inside the building will be limited to all day dedicated workers only. There are limited spots available. Preference will go to people who can work the most days. Contact [Jen@RockyMountainRatters.com](mailto:Jen@RockyMountainRatters.com) if you are interested in being an all day dedicated worker.

### Late/Day of Show Entries:

Please check the event page on the [RockyMountainRatters.com](http://RockyMountainRatters.com) website for the most recent info. Please note that these counts are only current as of the date/time listed on the page. Available entries are first come first serve and subject to change at any time.

### Move-Ups:

Move-ups are available same-day except Monday and must be submitted before the next class starts. See the trial secretary for more information.

### RV Parking:

Mountain Range RV Park 406-322-1140:

<https://www.visitmt.com/listings/general/private-campground/mountain-range-rv-park>

### Pet Friendly Hotels:

Super 8 Columbus, 602 E 8th Ave North, Columbus, MT 59019

### Miscellaneous Notes:

All **crates** must have a top and bottom.

**Dogs** must be kept on lead in keeping with the leash laws. Please respect other people's property!

**Per Barn Hunt Association rules:** Dogs that are loud and disruptive may be asked to be located away from the rings/crating area.

**Potting:** Please be sure to pick up after your dog. Do not let dogs pee on the building, garbage cans, dumpsters, cars/tires, or on any items that people have to pick up or is someone else's property! We want to be good neighbors! Please clean up any accidents in the building immediately, and with cleaner.

### Class/Ring Running Order:

Fri/Sat/Sun: Instinct1&2, Novice1&2, Open1&2, C81, Senior1&2, Master1&2, C82

Mon: C81, Master 1&2, Senior 1&2, C82, Open 1&2, Instinct 1&2, Novice 1&2

Both classes run back to back (except C8). i.e. We will run all of Novice T1 and then all of Novice T2 before moving onto Open, etc. There is NOT a morning and an afternoon trial like some clubs do.

### ***But What Time Will My Class Start?***

We get a lot of questions on "when will my class start" for trials. We cannot give out times other than the start of the first class of the day. However, here is a way for you to estimate when your class MAY start running:

On RockyMountainRatters.com under the event page for these trials you'll find a "Judge Limits and Scheduling Chart".

Above, we give entry counts as of the pre-entry closing along with the order the classes will run.

You can multiply out the estimated judging time per run x the entries in each class to get a rough estimate. However, please note that this doesn't include absent dogs, move-ups, day-of-show/late entries, etc. And runs don't always last the "estimated" judging time per run. There are no refunds/credits/moves for missed runs. Calculate at your own risk!

**SEE NEXT PAGE FOR PRE-ENTRY COUNTS FOR EACH CLASS**

**Pre-Entry Counts:**

(This is only the entries that were submitted before pre-entry closing! These numbers are Subject to Change with Move-Ups, Late Entries and Day of Show Entries). It is your responsibility to be on time for your runs - we are not responsible if you miss your runs. ***THIS IS NOT THE CLASS ORDER. SEE SECTION ABOVE FOR ORDER.***

Friday	Entries	Saturday	Entries	Sunday	Entries	Monday	Entries
Instinct	5	Instinct	3	Instinct	2	Instinct	1
Novice	5	Novice	7	Novice	6	Novice	5
Open	1	Open	0	Open	0	Open	1
Senior	1	Senior	1	Senior	2	Senior	2
Master	8	Master	8	Master	8	Master	8
Crazy 8	10	Crazy 8	10	Crazy 8	9	Crazy 8	11
Instinct	2	Instinct	2	Instinct	0	Instinct	0
Novice	7	Novice	6	Novice	5	Novice	4
Open	1	Open	0	Open	0	Open	1
Senior	1	Senior	1	Senior	2	Senior	2
Master	7	Master	7	Master	6	Master	6
Crazy 8	8	Crazy 8	8	Crazy 8	7	Crazy 8	10
Total	56	Total	53	Total	47	Total	51

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE NEXT PAGE**

## Emergency Vet Info:

### **Stillwater Veterinary Clinic - Columbus**

Address: 621 E 4<sup>th</sup> Ave N Columbus MT 59019

Phone: 855-965-8474

Open MTWRF 8am-5:30pm (Holiday Hours May Vary)

### **Best Friends Animal Hospital & Urgent Care**

Address: 1530 Popelka Drive, Billings MT 59105

Phone: 406-255-0500

Open MTWRF 7am-8pm, Sat/Sun 8am-8pm (Holiday Hours May Vary)

Emergency Services are open 24/7.

## Emergency Human Info:

### **Stillwater Billings Clinic**

Address: 710 11<sup>th</sup> Street N, Columbus MT 59019

Phone: 406-322-1000

MTWRF 7:30am – 5:00pm, Sat 8am-12noon, Sun Closed. (Holiday Hours May Vary)

## Location Map:

- From Billings Get on I-90 W from MT-3 S/S 27th St - 5 min (2.2 mi)
- Follow I-90 W to Sheep Dip Rd in Stillwater County. Take exit 408 from I-90 W - 36 min (40.8 mi)
- Follow Sheep Dip Rd to Gates Rd - 2 min (0.8 mi)

