

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Stock Dog Trial Enthusiast  
FROM: Chip Blalock  
Chip Blalock, Executive Director  
DATE: July 6, 2021  
SUBJECT: 2021 Sunbelt Ag Expo American Grand Finals SDT

The 2021 Sunbelt Expo American Grand Finals Stock Dog Trial is fast approaching. We are excited to host you all again and have a live, in-person Sunbelt Ag Expo Farm Show on October 19-21, 2021.

The open sheep entry fee will be \$150/dog and this covers all 3 runs. We will have 3 open sheep trials on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 19-21, 2021.

We will run the pro-novice trial for 3 days on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 18, 19 and 20, 2021. The 3 day entry fee for pro-novice will be \$130/dog.

The nursery trial will only run 1 day this year on Monday, October 18, 2021. The one day entry fee for nursery will be \$50/dog .

The Judge for the open trial is David Saunders and the judge for the pro-novice and nursery trials is Chris Hicks.

Tommy Connell is supplying the sheep. Jason Boyce will handle the scoring and scribing.

We will waive the fees for dry camping (reservations are still required to ensure we have enough space), but continue to charge \$30 per camper per day for wet camping. This is mandated by the City of Moultrie.

Please find enclosed an entry and camping form for this years Sunbelt Ag Expo trial. Please **completely** fill out the forms and return as soon as possible to ensure your spot in the trial. Entry open date is July 15, 2021 and close date is August 14, 2021. Entries are also available online at: [www.usbcha.com](http://www.usbcha.com) on the upcoming trials page. Payment for the trial and camping must accompany forms. One check for trial entry and camping is acceptable (please note on check). You may also enter at [www.dogtrialentry.com](http://www.dogtrialentry.com)

All stock dog participants camping reservations must be made through the Sunbelt Ag Expo office.

At no other trial can you receive the following included in your entry fee: Two 3-day passes valued at \$40 to North America's Premier Farm Show® to see the latest and greatest in Agricultural Technology; Three free suppers – steak and pork chop on Monday night, the exhibitors reception on Tuesday night and BBQ pork on Wednesday night; and a commemorative Expo cap. In addition, this is one of a few trials that draw hundreds of spectators, which helps educate the visitors on the wonderful sport of stock dog trialing and promote this great competition.

Please be sure to fill in the blank on the entry form describing your dog and any interesting and fun facts that may be of interest to the spectators. It is very important that we keep in mind the many educational opportunities that we have at this trial with the thousands of Expo visitors in attendance.

Thanks again for your interest in our trial. Deirdre Allen [deirdre@sunbeltexpo.com](mailto:deirdre@sunbeltexpo.com) or 229-985-1968 will process the entries as they come in. Please call on us at any time that we may be of assistance.

# SUNBELT AGRICULTURAL EXPOSITION

## Event sponsored by Tyson Steel Building Products

### 2021 American Stock Dog Grand Finals

October 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> (Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday) for SHEEP

USBCHA Sanctioned

GSDA Points Trial

Judge: David Saunders

Minimum \$5000 Purse

Sunbelt Ag Expo Site, Moultrie, Georgia

▪ **Classes include:**

- Open Sheep– 3 daily open runs October 19, 20, 21, 2021 - 2 dogs/handler
- Limited to the first 45 dogs
- Prize money pays 20% of entries daily
- Course Director – Dr. Mark Ireland
- Trial Director – Jim Shepard
- Judge – David Saunders
- Tommy Connell is supplying the sheep
- Jason Boyce will handle scoring and scribing
- Open Sheep will begin running after handlers meeting at 7:15 a.m. daily.

• **Entry Fee: Sheep - \$150 per dog, includes all (3) days**

- No one day entries
- *Entry Fee MUST be included with entry – no email or fax entries accepted*
- Entry open date July 15, 2021 and close date August 14, 2021
- No refund after September 17, 2021
- No entries accepted after September 17, 2021

**Mail entries to:**

**SUNBELT AGRICULTURAL EXPOSITION**

**290-G Harper Blvd.**

**Moultrie, GA 31788**

**For more information contact:**

**Chip Blalock or Deirdre Allen (Deirdre@sunbeltexpo.com)**

**229-985-1968 office 229-890-8518 fax**

**Or enter on [www.dogtrialentry.com](http://www.dogtrialentry.com)**

**Camper hookups available.**

*Dry Camping – No Charge (Reservations still needed)*

Limited Number of Water and Electricity Hookups - \$30/night

Camping forms are attached and must be turned in with entry form and payment

Camping reservations must be made through the Sunbelt Ag Expo office

*~Camping fees are mandated by the City of Moultrie~*

WAIVER AND RELEASE: I, (Print Name) \_\_\_\_\_,  
 understand that I am responsible for any and all damage done to livestock, property and/or persons by myself, my  
 dog(s), or any member of my party. I understand that in the event of personal injury or damage to my property,  
 including animals, I will not hold Sunbelt Agricultural Exposition, Inc., Open Stock Dog Trial, property owners,  
 sponsors, operators, employees, or anyone associated with said event, responsible. In addition, my dog(s) in this  
 trial have not been imported from Great Britain as of September 15, 2021 and I have not been on a hoof and  
 mouth infected farm as of September 15, 2021.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Judge – David Saunders**

CLASSES	DOG 1	DOG 2	TOTAL FEE PER CLASS
OPEN SHEEP TUE / WED / THUR \$150 PER DOG			

**TOTAL ENTRY FEES ENCLOSED:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please share with us something concerning your dogs, or you, such as: an interesting antidote, awards, a trial  
 experience – let your imagination be your guide. We would like to share them with the spectators at the trial. If  
 you need more room, please use another sheet of paper:

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**Signature**

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Telephone Number for Trial Director  
 Jim Shepard: Cell (229) 886-7266  
 Dr. Mark Ireland (321) 693-6226

**SUNBELT AGRICULTURAL EXPOSITION**  
**Event sponsored by**  
**Tyson Steel Building Products**

**2021 Nursery Stock Dog Trial**

**October 18th** (Monday, One day only) for Nursery SHEEP  
USBCA Sanctioned  
GSDA Points Trial  
Sunbelt Ag Expo Site, Moultrie, Georgia

• **Entry Fee:**

- Entry Fee: Sheep - \$50 per dog, one day trial
- Limited to the first 15 dogs entered
- Course Director – Dr. Mark Ireland
- Trial Director – Jim Shepard
- Judge – Chris Hicks
- Tommy Connell is supplying the sheep
- Jason Boyce will handle the scoring and scribing
- Pro-Novice, followed by nursery will begin at noon on Monday October 18
- Entry open date July 15, 2021 and close date August 14, 2021
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Judge – Chris Hicks**

CLASSES	DOG 1	DOG 2	TOTAL FEE PER CLASS
Nursery SHEEP Monday \$50 PER DOG			

**TOTAL ENTRY FEES ENCLOSED:** \_\_\_\_\_

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