DIRECTIONS TO SITE

(720 Atlantic Avenue, Franklin, PA 16323)

FROM THE NORTH: From I-79 take exit 147A for US-6 E/US 322 E toward Meadville (0.3 miles). Merge onto US-19/US-322E/US-6E (1.7 miles), Slight right onto Park Ave. (450 feet), Turn right onto Linden St. (0.1 miles) Turn right onto US-322 E/S Main St. (25 miles) Keep right to continue on Atlantic Ave (0.4miles) Claddagh Glen is on your left (green metal building)

FROM THE EAST OR WEST: From I-80 take exit 29 (Barkeyville) for PA-8 N toward Franklin-Oil City Area. Head north on PA-8/Pittsburgh Rd. (16 mi) Turn right onto Liberty St (0.2 mi) Turn left onto US-322 W/13th St (0.4 mi) Turn left onto E Atlantic Ave (1 mi) Claddagh Glen is on your right (green metal building).

FROM THE SOUTH: From I-79 take exit 116A for I-80 toward Clarion. From i-80 take exit 29 (Barkeyville) for PA 8N toward Franklin-Oil City Area. Turn left onto PA 8/ Pittsburgh Rd. Turn right onto Liberty St. Turn left onto US-322 W/13th St. Turn left onto E Atlantic Ave. (1 mi) Claddagh Glen is on your right (green metal building).



ACCOMMODATIONS

RV PARKING IS AVAILABLE IN OUR LOT. NO HOOK UPS AVAILABLE. Please check pet policy when you make reservations at these motels.

IDLEWOOD MOTEL (3 miles)
PET FEE: \$15
1566 Mercer Rd.
Franklin, PA 16323
814.437.3003

MOTEL 6 (17.8 miles)
PET FEE: \$10
1010 Dholu Rd.

Barkeyville, PA 814.786.8375

Knights Inn (8.6 miles)
PET FEE: \$10
847 Allegheny Blvd
Franklin, PA 16323
814.432.2101

QUALITY INN (17.9 miles)
PET FEE: \$50 deposit + \$10 per stay
137 Gibb Rd.
Barkeyville, PA
814.786.7901



May 20-21, 2017

FRENCH CREEK

4 Licensed Barn Hunt Trials
2 TRIALS PER DAY

Trial 1— BH170731—05/20/2017

Trial 2—BH170732— 05/20/2017

Trial 3— BH170733— 05/21/2017

Trial 4— BH170734— 05/21/2017

CLADDAGH GLEN TRAINING CENTER
720 Atlantic Avenue Franklin, PA 16323

JUDGE TALIA BYERS (BHAJ-170A), Newville, PA

Permission has been granted by the Barn Hunt Association, LLC to hold these Barn Hunt trials under BHA Rules and Regulations

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

Dogs are required to be registered with Barn Hunt Association to show in Barn Hunt. Register your dog online at www.barnhunt.com

OPENING DATE: March 1, 2017
CLOSING DATE: May 11, 2017
A LATE FEE of \$2/class entered will be added
if your entry is postmarked after the closing date.
No refund of entries withdrawn after the closing date.

CLASSES OFFERED: RATI, RATN, RATO, RATS and RATM

LIMIT: 120 runs per day or 8 hours of judging time per judge.

IF THE TRIAL DOES NOT FILL BY CLOSING DATE, DAY OF TRIAL ENTRIES ARE AVAILABLE

Between 7:30am and 8:00am each day \$20 for Instinct, \$25 for regular classes

TRIAL OFFICIALS

Trial Chairperson: Karen Wisler, karenwisler@sbcglobal.net
Trial Secretary: Mary Housholder, mahousholder@gmail.com
Event Committee: Penny Fuller, Sharon Pappas, Penny HaylettMinnick, Mark Kentz

COST: \$15 INSTINCT, \$20-NOVICE, \$21-OPEN, \$22-SENIOR, \$23-MASTER

ADD \$2/CLASS ENTERED IF YOUR ENTRY IS POSTMARKED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE.

DAY OF TRIAL ENTRIES ARE \$20 FOR INSTINCT AND \$25 FOR ALL REGULAR CLASSES.

Building will be open for trial set up at 3pm on Friday. You may come early to set up crates. Volunteers who help with course construction, and set up are invited to practice with their dog prior to tear down of the existing practice ring. Building will close Friday evening at 6pm.

SCHEDULE FOR SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

7:30 AM-8:00 AM—Check in , DOS entries, MOVE-UPS, measuring of dogs $\,$

8:15 AM—Judges briefing

8:30 AM—First GROUP in the blind

RUNNING ORDER: Instinct, Novice—T1, Novice—T2, Open—T1, Open—T2, Senior—T1, Senior—T2, Master—T1, Master—T2

AWARDS

PLACEMENT RIBBONS for 1st through 4th in NOVICE, OPEN, SENIOR and MASTER classes; QUALIFYING RIBBONS for all qualifiers in the regular classes and the INSTINCT TEST; NEW TITLE ROSETTES for INSTINCT, NOVICE, OPEN, SENIOR and MASTER titles; HIGH SCORING TEAM ROSETTES for all regular classes; A SPECIAL ROSETTE and a mini rat tube for a RATCH or RATCHX.

MOVE UPS: Move ups will be accepted until 30 minutes before the start of each trial. You must complete a move up form at the Secretary Table.

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Happy Trails Health Center, 4871 US 322, Franklin, PA 814-432-3627

Directions to Veterinarian: From Claddagh Glen parking lot turn left on to Atlantic Ave. Travel 1 mile, turn right on to 13th St. turn left on Elk St. (Andersons Furniture is on the corner). Stay on Elk Street to Route 322 East. Turn left on to US 322 East. Travel approximately 1 mile. Happy Trails is on the left.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- At all times, the safety of the dogs, handlers, and rats are of paramount importance. Rats will be humanely handled and safely confined in aerated PVC tubes or cages; 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 trial committee.
- Children of any age are eligible to handle a dog in a Barn Hunt Trial 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. French Creek Barn Hunt Association, Claddagh Glen LLC, Precious Paws Animal Rescue will assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by participants or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property. French Creek Barn Hunt Association, Claddagh Glen LLC, Precious Paws Animal Rescue 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 French Creek Barn Hunt Association, Claddagh Glen LLC, Precious Paws Animal Rescue, or any official thereof.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trials 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 trial committee.
- Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and legible information on the entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the trials.
- Please make sure the information on your entry is the same as the information you recorded in the BHA register.
- PLEASE DOUBLE CHECK YOUR ENTRY FORM AND REMEMBER TO SIGN THE RELEASE FORM.

BARN HUNT LLC RULES CAN BE OBTAINED ONLINE IN THE FORM OF A PDF FILE AT: http://barnhunt.com

EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

- All dogs must be on a maximum 6' leash, except while hunting, and be under control while on the grounds. Flexi-leads are not permitted on the trial site.
- Any dog that fouls the course 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. A \$5 fine will be charged to the exhibitor.
- Exhibitors not attending the Judge's briefing will still be held responsible for knowing the information given in these briefings.
- Please ensure your crate is secure as the dogs may be highly excited.
- At no time should dogs 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.
- Any dog that is sick, injured or lame will be excused from the trial.
- Please be considerate about picking up after your dogs and leaving the grounds as you found them. Any exhibitor failing to do so may be excused without benefit of refund if the Event Committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement, per BHA Regulations.
- The schedule is fluid throughout each Trial. No special consideration will be made to accommodate other activities outside of the trial.
- Loud/Disruptive dogs: Please keep dog barking to a minimum so as not to disturb the working dogs. Exhibitors are expected to know the BHA rules as far as aggression is concerned, both on and off the course.
- Bitches in Season: Are eligible to compete but will be required to be kept separate from all other dogs and run in panties/britches at the end of their class, regardless of height. Entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded until CLOSING DATE, if you wish to withdraw. If bringing a bitch in season, please inform the Trial Secretary prior to the trial. You must also make sure the Judge informs all exhibitors at the briefing.
- Collars and Leashes: Per BHA rules, electronic collars/devices are not allowed anywhere on the site; this includes electronic bark collars. Head halters are also not allowed at BHA Fun Tests or Trials. Prong collars are not allowed on trial site. Approved collars include flat snap or buckle collars of solid construction and leather or nylon leads. Limited slip martingale and single piece slip collars/leads are allowed. Harnesses are allowed. Dogs may not be brought to the gate in a prong 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. All dogs must be on leash at all times except when in the ring.
- Other dogs: No refunds after CLOSING DATE except for injured dogs with vet proof.
- A \$50.00 SERVICE CHARGE WILL BE CHARGED FOR ANY RETURNED CHECKS.



VOLUNTEER WORKER SIGN-UP

Volunteers will be scheduled by groups.

Volunteers will not be scheduled to work groups before you are scheduled to run your dog(s).

IΑ	ME:		
	JOB	SAT	SUN
	Gate Steward		
	Blind Steward		
	Scribe		
	Course Builder		
	Rat Wrangler		
	Sheet Runner		
	Leash Runner		

^^^ Please include this page with your entry form. ^^^

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED. COMPLETE ONE FORM PER DOG						
MAY 20-21, 2017						
OPENING DATE: AF	PRIL 1, 2017	CLOSING: MAY 11, 2017				
MAKE CHECKS PAYA	ABLE TO:	CLADDAGH GLEN LLC				
MAIL TO: Mary Housholder, Trial Secretary 121 N Front Street Franklin, PA 16323						
DOGS BHA ID#		DOGS CALL NAME				
DOGS FULL NAME:						
BREED:		BIRTH DATE:	GENDER:			
DOG NEEDS TO BE	MEASURED:	DOGS HEIGHT S (13" and under) M (over 13" & under 18") L (over 18")				
DOGS HEIGHT AT W						
OWNER:						
HANDLER/AGENT:						
ADDRESS:						
CITY: STATE:		ZIPCODE:				
PHONE:						
EMAIL:						
(ENTRIES WILL BE CONFIRMED BY E-MAIL. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)						
CHECK EACH CLASS ENTERED NOTE: BOTH RATI and RATN MAY BE ENTERED IN THE SAME TRIAL						
SATURDAY TRIAL #1	SATURDAY TRIAL #2	SUNDAY TRIAL #1	SUNDAY TRIAL #2			
□RATI-\$15 □RATN-\$20 □RATO-\$21 □RATS-\$22 □RATM-\$23	□RATN-\$20 □RATO-\$21 □RATS-\$22 □RATM-\$23	□RATI-\$15 □RATN-\$20 □RATO-\$21 □RATS-\$22 □RATM-\$23	□RATN-\$20 □RATO-\$21 □RATS-\$22 □RATM-\$23			
TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$						

THIS DISCLAIMER MUST BE SIGNED AND INCLUDED FOR A VALID ENTRY

I/we acknowledge that if this application for entry of this dog is made available to me/us for participation in a Barn Hunt event, that I /we agree that this facility has the right to refuse the entry of this dog and/or they reserve the right to dismiss the dog and myself for cause which Barn Hunt deems to be sufficient. In consideration of the acceptance of this and the opportunity to train my dog(s), I/we agree to hold Barn Hunt Association, LLC; French Creek Barn Hunt Association; Claddagh Glen LLC; and Precious Paws Animal Rescue and all associates 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 or dogs while in or upon the premise of grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I /we further agree to hold the aforementioned parties harmless from any claim for damage or injury to the dog or myself, either physically or mentally, whether such loss, disappearance, theft, damage or injury be caused or alleged to be caused my negligence while in or upon the premises of the Barn Hunt grounds. The terms of this agreement bind the parties for the current period of training, and all subsequent classes/ training/events in which they hereafter participate. I/we agree to abide by the rules of BHA currently in effect at the time of the trial date. I/we testify that the dog entered is healthy and vaccinated or tittered in accordance with Pennsylvania State Laws. I/we certify that the dog entered is not dangerous to any person or other dog. By signing below, I/we agree to the disclaimer on this entry form.

Signature/Owner or Parent/Guardian if Minor

Date

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