Permission has been granted by the Barn Hunt Association, LLC, to hold this Barn Hunt event under BHA rules and regulations.

Canine Country Academy at 975 Cripple Creek Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043
Under cover on horse stall mats
(mail entries to this address)

Saturday, December 18th and Sunday, December 19th, 2026

Registration will open on Saturday, October 16, 2027, via Secreterrier.com and US Mail.
Secreterrier preferred since trials fill quickly.
(www.caninecountryacademy.com/barnhunt-trials)

Pre-entries must be received by Saturday, November 27, 2027.

Two trials run each day sequentially.
The run order of classes will be:

SATURDAY & SUNDAY: Instinct, Novice 1, Novice 2, Open 1, Open 2, Crazy 8, Senior 1, Senior 2, Master 1, Master 2 - Trial begins at 8:30 am.
The run order for specific classes will be posted at approximately 7:30 am daily.

One Ring, One Judge:
Kathryn Smiley, TN, BHAJ-327A, will judge all classes.

Trial Chair: Paula Nowak / paula@caninecountryacademy.com / 770-356-0997 (975 Cripple Creek Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043)
Trial Secretary: Jeanne Anderson / events@caninecountryacademy.com / 678-979-2016
Event Committee: Paula Nowak, Jeanne Anderson, Sara Beth Pinson, Amy Rose Baumann, Ariel Boxall, Deb Leake, Jinnie Strickland

Day of Show entries accepted on Saturday and Sunday 7:00 am to 7:30 am each day, if limits are not reached with pre-entries. Check-in Saturday & Sunday begins at 7:00 am with General Briefing at 8:00 am, Judge's Class Briefing at 8:15 am for Instinct, Novice. No class briefing for Open, Senior, Master, and Crazy8s, unless there is a specific hazard or other issue to point out. A base-level map will be posted so that competitors can see the tunnel and any Master distance challenge elements. First dog in the ring Saturday & Sunday at 8:30 am.

Entry fees: Instinct $18 – Novice $30 – Open $30 – Senior $35 – Master $35 – CZ8 $35
Late or Day of Show entry fees: Instinct $20 – Novice $32 – Open $32 – Senior $37 – Master $37 – CZ8 $37

The Judge is limited to 8 hours of judging time and a maximum run value, which will require the Club to limit entries accordingly

Entries will be accepted in the order received. Please be sure your entry has all blanks filled in, is signed, and includes payment (check, money order, or cash). Incomplete and/or unsigned entries will delay processing and may be returned. PRE-ENTRIES must be RECEIVED by the TS by Saturday, November 28, 2026. Maximum of 10 dog entries per envelope. Late entries must be RECEIVED by Wednesday, December 9, 2026. Late and/or Day of Show entries are not guaranteed entry and will be accepted only up to Judging Limits. Please note that confirmations may not be sent for late entries. Confirmations are usually sent within 48 hours of receipt (please check your spam). Please send entries and fees (check or money order) made payable to Canine Country Academy and send to: Jeanne Anderson, % Canine Country Academy, 975 Cripple Creek Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043.

PLEASE NOTE, there is no RV parking available at this trial.

GENERAL INFORMATION AND POLICIES

It is the responsibility of each competitor to read and understand the current Barn Hunt Association, LLC (BHA) Rules before participating in this event. Rules can be found at http://www.barnhunt.com. Signing your entry form indicates that you have read the rules.

Possessing or training with personal tubes and/or live rats is NOT permitted on the event grounds at any time.

Barn Hunt Grounds: Barn Hunt rules apply to any activities held at Canine Country Academy. There will be a potty area that is designated for BHA competitors, and they must pick up after their dogs on the trial grounds and at hotels and dispose of waste in appropriate containers -- BHA competitors are subject to BHA rules in these areas as well.

Facility Info: The gate will be open during the trial from 7:00 am to 5:30 pm on Saturday and Sunday.

Blinds: Ring will have a 10x20 indoor area of Canine Country Academy's small brick building. Instinct, Novice, Open, Senior, and Crazy 8s blind will have 5 dogs. Master blind will have 4 dogs. Blind will be located at least 15', but no more than 40' from the ring.

Leashes and collars: See BHA Competitor Rulebook for specific information on what is allowed. Flexi-Leads are not allowed on event grounds.

Dog aggression: Any dog behaving in a threatening or aggressive manner toward another dog or person may be dismissed from the event if justification is found by the judge and/or Event Committee. Entry fees will not be refunded.

Potty Accidents in the Ring: A fee of $10 per incident in the barn payable by cash or Venmo.

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. They must wear panties at all times (including in the ring) while not being pottied. They must be pottied in a designated area away from the other dogs. Entry fees for bitches that come into season will be refunded until the closing date of Saturday, November 28, 2026 if you wish to withdraw. The trial secretary must be notified of BIS prior to or immediately upon arrival. Failure to do so will result in a disqualification and dismissal from the event.

Videotaping and photography: Is allowed and encouraged!

Volunteers & Worker Bucks: Volunteers are appreciated and needed! We reward volunteering. If you have "barn bucks" from our club, you can use them by contacting our secretary to get credit added to your Secreterrier account before the trial opens. Then you'll need to mail or turn those barn bucks in to our secretary.

Sportsmanship: All competitors/handlers and spectators are expected to follow the rules of the BHA and demonstrate good sportsmanship. Please do not discuss hide placement or any details of a dog's performance that may provide information or clues to other handlers or may be overheard. Please be cognizant of teams competing in the ring and avoid loud or disruptive distractions.

Crating: Dogs must be leashed or crated when not actively working, and never tied out/left attached to anything other than a human. Crating space available on grounds (indoor and climate-controlled) or in vehicles. Dogs must be under supervision by the owner at all times.

Awards: Ribbons will be awarded for all qualifiers in the regular classes and the Instinct Test. Ribbons will be awarded for first through fourth place in Novice through Master. Title ribbons will also be provided. Special Awards may also be provided.

Payment and entry information: Entries will NOT be accepted without signatures and payment. Owners are responsible for entry errors. Please write clearly and proofread your entry. Accepted methods of payment are Venmo, check, money order, or PayPal. Incomplete forms and returned checks are invalid entries. There is a $30.00 fee for all returned checks. Entries are accepted on a first come/first served basis. Refunds are ONLY allowed if requested before the closing date of Saturday, November 28, 2026. All refunds for all online entries will be less any non-refundable credit card/processor fees. After that date, no refunds will be processed. No event 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 event committee. Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, excused, or barred from competition by action of the Event Committee.

*Only one regular class per trial (no double entry) and one class per weekend (other than move-ups if/when space is available).

Canine Country Academy Barn Hunt Club
December 18 & 19, 2027, in Lawrenceville, GA
Make checks payable to Canine Country Academy
Mail entries to: Jeanne Anderson % Canine Country Academy 975 Cripple Creek Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043

PRE-ENTRIES must be **RECEIVED** by November 27, 2027
Late entries must be received by December 8, 2027

Please print carefully! Information MUST match your dog's registration on barnhunt.com!

Owner Name:		Phone Number:
Address:		Email:
City/State/Zip:		
Handler's Name (if different than owner):		
Are you entering the "A" class or the "B" class? (you MUST circle one) A B		
BHA Registration # (must include all 5 digits) BH- __ __ __ __ __ *(not required for fun day)*		Breed:
Full Name of Dog (do not include titles):		
Call Name:	Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female	Date of Birth:
Dog's Height at Withers:	Class Height: ☐ Small (15" & under ☐ Medium (15.1: to 22" ☐ Large (Over 22")	

Check appropriate boxes. Instinct and Novice may be entered at the same trial under the BH rules.

Class	Fees received on or BEFORE 11/27/27	Fees for Late & DOS or received AFTER 11/27/27	Saturday Trial 1 12/18/27	Saturday Trial 2 12/18/27	Sunday Trial 1 12/19/27	Sunday Trial 2 12/19/27	Total
RATI	$18	$20	☐		☐		$
RATN	$30	$32	☐	☐	☐	☐	$
RATO	$30	$32	☐	☐	☐	☐	$
RATS	$35	$37	☐	☐	☐	☐	$
RATM	$35	$37	☐	☐	☐	☐	$
CZ8s	$35	$37	☐		☐		$
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Club Release Agreement Form

Notice to Participants
It is expressly understood that participants alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any participant whose dogs and/or children create an 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 a case, no refund of any fees paid will be made. Canine Country Academy, and its agents, volunteers, etc., will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by participants or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property, and further assumes no responsibility for injury to children. Canine Country Academy reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of dog or human aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against Canine Country Academy or any agent thereof.

Certification of Agreement upon Registration or Entry of Dog
I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog(s), or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the **Barn Hunt Association, LLC and Canine Country Academy** (The Clubs) in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the flyer/premium for this event, and further agree to be bound by the liability waiver. I (we) certify and represent that the dog(s) 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 The Club's Rules and Regulations and to abide by any decisions made in accordance with them.

Liability Waiver
I (we) agree that The Club's holding this event 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, Canine Country Academy, 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, 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 therefrom, 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 caused 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 (we) hereby authorize The Clubs and their appointed videographers and/or photographers to use, reproduce, and/or publish photographs and/or videos that may pertain to me (us) and/or my dog(s), including my image, likeness and/or voice, without compensation. I (we) understand that this material may be used in various publications, public affairs releases, recruitment materials, websites, Yahoo groups, Facebook pages, or for other related endeavors. This authorization is continuous and may only be withdrawn by my (our) specific rescission of this media authorization. Consequently, The Clubs may publish materials, use my (our) name, photograph, and/or make reference to me (us) in any manner that The Clubs or the project sponsor deems appropriate in order to promote/publicize opportunities.

I have read and agree with the above. Date and Signature of owner or agent(s) duly authorized to make this entry. (Parent or Guardian Signature if participant is under 18 years of age)

X_____ Date: _____