



November 20 - 22, 2026

Barn Hunt event hosted by
Oriole Dog Training Club
at Branchwater Farms,
1800 Knox Ave, Reisterstown, MD 21136

Judges

Elizabeth Staley, VA (BHAJ-202A)
Shannon Floyd, VA (BHAJ-135A)
RBJ: TBD

Any Judge of Record and the RBJ may judge in any ring for any class. Judge of Record and Event Official dogs may be judged prior to Event start or as the first dogs of the Event. Judging assignments may be altered to improve trial efficiency and meet MRV requirements.

Certification

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

This trial is a combination of two outside rings (East Ring and West Ring, under cover/open-sided), and one indoor climate-controlled ring. Crating in cars or the Training Center (heating, but no AC)

STRICT ONSITE SPEED LIMIT is 5mph

no exceptions - no excuses - speeders will be asked to leave (no refunds)

Opening Date: October 12, 2026

Early entries close: November 9, 2026

Late entries close: November 16, 2026

Day of show entries: Only accepted if there is no waitlist.

Move-ups: Due by Noon, November 18, 2026

Late and/or Day of Show entries are not guaranteed and will be accepted only if there is no waitlist and up to Judging limits. Confirmations may not be sent for Late entries.

Classes offered:

Friday: 2 Master and 1 Crazy8

Saturday: 1 Instinct, 2 Novice, 2 Open, 2 Senior, 2 Master, 2 Crazy8

Sunday: 1 Instinct, 2 Novice, 2 Open, 2 Senior, 2 Master, 2 Crazy8

Judges are limited to 8 hours of judging and a maximum run value, which may require this Club to limit entries accordingly

The blinds and rings are not easily wheelchair accessible (there may be gravel and/or grass or a step). Please inform the Trial Secretary if you need reserved handicapped parking, or someone assigned to help you to and from the ring.

COSTS PER RUN	Early Entry	Late Entries	Day of Show
Instinct	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Novice	\$22.00	\$27.00	\$27.00
Open	\$22.00	\$27.00	\$27.00
Senior	\$27.00	\$32.00	\$32.00
Master	\$27.00	\$32.00	\$32.00
Crazy 8s	\$27.00	\$32.00	\$32.00

Attention Junior Handlers – see our Junior Handler incentives on the next page!

Trial Chair

Katie Johnson, chs драма2010@gmail.com

Trial Secretary

Sally Josselyn, 1112 Concordia Dr, Towson MD 21286
odtcbhsec2@gmail.com

Trial Committee

Katie Johnson, Penny Miller, Cindy Hill, Martha Badura,
Doreen Suchting, Janet Gauntt

Daily Schedules (Day of show entries only accepted if waitlist is cleared)

Friday

12:00-12:30pm - Day of Show entries accepted
12:30pm - General Briefing
12:55pm - First blind loads for T1 Master
1:55pm - First blind loads for T1 Crazy8s

Saturday & Sunday Schedule

8:00-8:15 am – Day of show entries accepted
8:30 am – General briefing
8:55 am – First blind loads for T3 Crazy8s
9:25 am – First blind loads for T3 Instinct

Class order:

Friday

Inside Ring: Master; Master
East Ring: Crazy8s

Saturday and Sunday

Inside Ring: Crazy 8s, Master; Master
East/West Rings: Instinct; Novice; Novice; Senior; Open; Senior; Open;
Crazy8s;

Start times and ring assignments may change based on entries.

Junior Handler Incentive: To encourage the participation of Junior Handlers as competitors and volunteers, ODTc is offering one free run per day to any Junior Handler who commits to working four blinds on each day entered. Task(s) to be performed will be appropriate for Junior's age and maturity level. Make a notation on paper entries that the handler is a Junior. If entering online, contact the Trial Secretary for special instructions prior to entering.

Online Entries: Go to <https://www.midatlanticbarnhunt.com>. Ensure your dog's information (including highest title) is correct! Then go to "Events" > "Enter a BH Trial". For multiple dogs, add all entries to the cart before paying. Payment is PayPal or credit card via PayPal portal.

Mailed Entries: Entry forms from the BHA website can be printed, signed and mailed with check to the Trial Secretary: **ODTC Barn Hunt, attn: Sally Josselyn, 1112 Concordia Dr, Towson MD 21286**. Ensure that you press "Generate PDF Entry" after filling out your entry form to save a pdf file to your computer for you to print and send to the secretary. Alternatively, you can use the paper entry form at the end of this premium list.

Note that dogs may be entered in two different regular classes (Novice, Open, Senior, Master, Champion) on the same day (but not in the same trial). For example, if a dog has its RATO title, you may enter Open-B for one trial and Senior-A for the other trial on that day. Also, see move-ups below. You may enter Crazy8 and Instinct in addition to the regular classes.

Updated information for the trial will be communicated via email to everyone who has submitted an entry with an email address.

Veterinary Clinics on Call:

Falls Road Animal Hospital	Pet + ER
6314 Falls Road,	10626 York Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21209	Hunt Valley, MD 21030
410-825-9100	410-252-8387

Hotel Information: Check that the hotel accepts dogs before making a reservation. Please pick up after your dogs so that these hotels will continue to accept dogs.

Red Roof Inn

111 W. Timonium Rd Timonium, MD
(800) 733-7663 (410) 666-0380

Residence Inn

45 Schilling Rd. Hunt Valley, MD
(888) 236-2427 (410) 527-2333

Quality Suites

10710 Beaver Dam Rd, Hunt Valley, MD
(410) 584-1001

Directions to Trial Site:

From the North: Merge onto I-83S. Take Exit 20B to merge onto Shawan Rd. Turn left onto MD-25S/ Falls Rd. Slight Right onto Knox Ave. Site will be on the right.

From the South: Merge onto I-83N. Slight left onto Jones Falls Expy. Continue onto MD-25N/Falls Rd. Sharp Left onto Knox Ave. Site will be on the right.

From the West: Head East on MD-128E/Butler Rd; Continue on Worthington Rd, Greenspring Ave. Turn Left onto Baublitz Rd. Left onto Dover Rd; Take the first Right onto Knox Ave. Site is on the left.

Late entries must be received online or by mail, **no later than the date shown at the top of this premium.** Late and day of show (DOS) entries are not guaranteed entry and will be accepted only up to judging limits. Confirmations may not be sent for late entries.

Day of show entries If possible, please email your entry info in advance to the Trial Secretary. DOS entries are not guaranteed, and will not be accepted if there is a waitlist.

Move-ups, lateral moves, etc. Move-ups, and lateral moves from A class to B class due to getting a new title will be allowed day-to-day and trial-to-trial. The trial secretary must be notified immediately after the completion of the class where the title was earned.

Waitlist: Entries are accepted in the order the Trial Secretary receives them. If a trial fills we will be keeping a waitlist. Payment is required to be added to

the waitlist. Exhibitors on the wait list will receive a web link that shows them their position on the waitlist. Exhibitors not getting in off the waitlist will have their entry checks shredded or PayPal payment (less processing fees) refunded a few days after the Event is over.

Withdrawals: Any entries pulled prior to the early closing date will be refunded in full, less transaction or processing fees. Withdrawals after the early closing date due to illness or injury will be eligible for a 75% refund of entry fees paid upon receipt of a note from your veterinarian. Please alert the Secretary as soon as possible.

Administrative Reminders: If you provide your email address, we will acknowledge receipt of your entry via email. If you do not receive an initial confirmation within one week of submitting your entry, contact the Trial Secretary. Any errors should be reported no later than the move-up deadline. If you do not have email but want us to confirm receipt of your entry, please include a SASE with your entry and we will confirm your entry when we send the final confirmations. Please double-check your entry form and remember to sign the Release Form.

A \$35.00 service charge will be added for any returned checks or canceled charges.



Event grounds are defined for the property as it is bounded by Knox Avenue down to the cow barn past the kennels and from Falls Rd to the pasture used for overflow parking (approx. 16 acres in total). This is a working Angus Beef farm and exhibitors should take care to remain within the identified grounds. **Under no circumstances are attendees allowed in the boarding portion of the facility or on the hill housing the puppy kennel.**

Parking & Site Provisions: All competitors must park and unload in the designated areas. Special parking places will be reserved for handicapped individuals who have notified the trial secretary beforehand. Bring your own chair and provisions for shade. Crate from cars, or there is plenty of space in the Agility Training Building. A waterproof tarp is required under all crates in this building.

RV and Overnight Camping Information: Overnight parking (dry-camping only - no hookups) is allowed for RVs, cars, and tent campers by pre-approval only for a fee of \$15/night for RVs and \$5/night for cars/tents. Contact Doreen at branchwaterbc@aol.com to make arrangements.

Collars and Leashes: Per BHA rules, all dogs must be on a leash at all times except while crated or in the ring. **Leashes cannot be left dangling or dragging. Standing or stepping on a leash is not allowed as a form of restraint.** Flexi-leads may not be used within 50 feet of the rings or blinds. Electronic collars/devices are not allowed on the site – this includes electronic bark collars as well as citronella collars. Tracking collars (e.g., GPS) are only permitted if they do not have any corrective functions, whether activated or not. Head halters are not allowed at BHA trials. Covered pinch/prong collars may be used on the property and into the ring if there is a quick release snap/buckle. Dogs should be brought to the ring with collars/harnesses (no hanging attachments!) which can be easily and quickly removed and replaced.

Bitches in season (BIS) are eligible to compete but will be kept separate from all other dogs and they must run in panties/britches at the end of their class, regardless of height. Entry fees for BIS that come into season will be refunded until date/time of early closing of the trial if you wish to withdraw. If the handler decides to pull after the early closing date, the BIS can receive a 75% refund after a veterinarian note is received. If bringing a BIS, please inform the Trial Secretary prior to the trial and make sure it is announced at the briefing and appropriate parking is reserved for you.

Ribbons: We will have placement ribbons, New Title, RATM, RATCH, RATCHX and HIC ribbons. Perfect weekend ribbons will be offered at this event for Master dogs who earn 6 Qs out of 6 attempts, and for Novice, Open, and Senior dogs who earn 4 Qs out of 4 attempts. Special 3D printed mementos will be offered for dogs who earn a RATCH or above or a Crazy8s title.

Miscellaneous Exhibitor Information:

- At all times, the safety of the dogs, handlers, and rats is to be of paramount importance. Rats are humanely handled and safely confined in aerated PVC tubes; Barn Hunting is not intended to harm or kill rats.
- All entries must be accompanied by entry fees and be received prior to the day/time of closing to be considered valid. Late entries must be received by the late closing date with the late fee.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, excused, or barred from competition by action of the show committee.
- Children of any age may attend the event and 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. All children of age 16 or under must have a parent, guardian, or a designated adult onsite and readily available at all times. Key workers responsible for children must designate an alternate while they are working.
- It is expressly understood that participants alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs. Any participant whose dog creates an unnecessary disturbance or repeatedly engages 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. ODTC will assume no responsibilities for any loss, damage, or injury sustained by participants or spectators, or to any of their dogs or property. ODTC and Branchwater Farm reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression. No one shall have any recourse or claim against ODTC or Branchwater Farm or any official thereof.
- No entry fee will be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed because 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 organizing committee.
- Exhibitors are responsible for complete, accurate, and legible information on the entry forms; illegible or incomplete entries cannot be entered in the show

- By entering this trial, 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. Barn Hunt LLC Rules can be obtained online in the form of a PDF file at
<http://www.barnhunt.com/barnhuntrules.html>
- Exhibitors not attending the General and/or Judge's briefings will still be held responsible for knowing the information given in those briefings.
- Any dog that is sick, lame, or injured (defined as having open wounds, stitches or bandages) will be excused from the trial grounds.
- 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 a refund if the event committee deems the exhibitor to be in violation of this requirement, per BHA regulations.
- The schedule is fluid throughout each day. No special considerations will be made to accommodate other activities outside of the trial.
- The inside ring blind is in a garage, and the East/West ring blinds are outdoors, with sections covered by tents and shade from trees. All blinds are at least 200 sq ft.
- Instinct, Novice, and Open will run in blinds of up to 6. Senior, and Crazy 8s will run in blinds of up to 5. Masters will run in blinds of 4 or 5.
- JOR/RBJ, event official and key worker dogs may be judged prior to event start or as the first dogs of the event.
- No Refund, changes, or withdrawals of Pre-Entries after the closing date except as noted.
- Open to all breeds and mixed breeds, ages 6 months or older. Dogs must have a Barn Hunt number to participate. Register your dog online at www.barnhunt.com. Allow at least 48 hours to receive a Barn Hunt number.

November 20-22, 2026 ODTL Licensed Barn Hunt Trial

Opens Oct 12	Closes: Nov 9	Late Entries to Nov 16
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Make checks payable to ODTL and mail to "ODTL Barn Hunt, attn Sally Josselyn, 1112 Concordia Dr, Towson MD 21286."

OWNER/HANDLER INFORMATION: Check box if new address: ☐

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Handler, if other than owner: _____

Dog's Call Name: _____ BHA Reg# : _____

Dog's Full Name: _____

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female Height At Withers: _____

Breed: _____ Birthdate: _____

**THIS DISCLAIMER MUST BE SIGNED
AND INCLUDED FOR A VALID ENTRY**

I (we) acknowledge that if this application for the 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; Oriole Dog Training Club, Inc; Branchwater Training Center, LLC; 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 premises or grounds or near any entrance thereto, and I (we) personally assume all responsibility and liability for such claim, 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 by 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 Maryland 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

\$ _____ Fri Trial 1	☐ Master-A ☐ Master-B ☐ Crazy 8s
\$ _____ Fri Trial 2	☐ Master-A ☐ Master-B
\$ _____ Sat Trial 3	☐ Instinct ☐ Novice-A ☐ Open-A ☐ Senior-A ☐ Master-A ☐ Novice-B ☐ Open-B ☐ Senior-B ☐ Master-B ☐ Crazy 8s
\$ _____ Sat Trial 4	☐ Novice-A ☐ Open-A ☐ Senior-A ☐ Master-A ☐ Novice-B ☐ Open-B ☐ Senior-B ☐ Master-B ☐ Crazy 8s
\$ _____ Sun Trial 5	☐ Instinct ☐ Novice-A ☐ Open-A ☐ Senior-A ☐ Master-A ☐ Novice-B ☐ Open-B ☐ Senior-B ☐ Master-B ☐ Crazy 8s
\$ _____ Sun Trial 6	☐ Novice-A ☐ Open-A ☐ Senior-A ☐ Master-A ☐ Novice-B ☐ Open-B ☐ Senior-B ☐ Master-B ☐ Crazy 8s
\$ _____ Total	☐ Junior Handler ☐ Handicapped Parking Req'd (must display state decal) ☐ Bitch in season

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