

FARM TRIAL SHEEP – 4/4/24  
Directions

Time: 18 minutes - Warning 3 minutes

GATHER: (20pts) Send dog to gather sheep & fetch to handler

(a) Advanced Dog – Handler stays at cone

(b) Open Dog – Dog stays at cone. Handler may go ½ way

BRIDGES (Extra task #1) (20 pts) Take sheep across south bridge driving sheep down shed row & across north bridge

(a) Advanced Dog – handler stays at 1<sup>st</sup> cone until sheep reach 2<sup>nd</sup> cone

(b) Open Dog – handler may drive/fetch to north bridge

CHUTE (20 pts) Put all sheep thru chute. “Inspect” sheep as they go thru chute. Proceed to Gate #1

HOLD (Extra task #2) (20 pts) Take sheep thru Gate #1 to Hold Cone. Judge will call a Hold

SORT PEN (25 pts) Sort 3 sheep into Sort Pen/Pen #1 and close gate

(a) Advanced Dog – Sort 3 marked sheep

(b) Open Dog – Sort any 3 sheep

PEN #1 (5 pts) Open Pen #1/Sort Pen gate and put remaining sheep in. Dog & handler enter pen and close gate. Proceed to Pen #2

PEN #2 (5 pts) Open gate, put sheep in and close gate. Proceed to Pen #3

PEN #3 (5 pts) Open gate, put sheep in and close gate. Proceed to Pen #4

PEN #4 (10 pts) Open gate, put sheep in and close gate. Take all sheep into arena thru Gate #2 and re-pen

Tie Breakers: Sort & Hold