



# West Texas Rat Pack

Amarillo TX

## Licensed Barn Hunt Trial

OPEN TO ALL BREEDS AND MIXED BREEDS of all sizes.



# May 3-5

Cinco De Mayo  
Arena of Life

Entries Open: March 1  
Entries Close April 24

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

**Dogs must be  
registered with Barn Hunt Association to compete.  
2 Ring Trial - 2 Judges**

**Classes offered :**  
Instinct, Novice, Open, Senior, Master, Crazy 8s

**Judge Helene Shryock BHAJ-262A  
Dodson LA**

**Judge Karen Miller BHAJ-207A  
Davenport FL**

Trial Hours:  
Friday: 12:00 AM 6:00 PM  
Saturday & Sunday 9:00AM - 6:00PM  
Building Open 10Am Friday, 8AM Saturday and Sunday

**Run Order:** The run order will be determined by the club depending on entries. Final confirmation email will list class run order.

**Mail in entries:** as well as **Online entries** will be accepted until trial is full. Judges are limited to 8 hours of judging and a max. run value, which will require the club to limit entries accordingly. Load balancing or assignment splitting may be done at this event. Any judge of record at this event may be used in any ring. Qualifying scores will show the judge who designed to course.

**Entry fees:**

Instinct \$15, Novice & Open \$25

Crazy8s \$30 classes are limited to 20 dogs, each dog may enter only one CZ8 per day.

Senior, Master, & Championship \$30

Junior handlers \$10 per class.

**Electronic Entries and Payments:** We are taking electronic entries and payments for this trial. If you use this method, you MUST go to [www.dogshow.com](http://www.dogshow.com), select barn hunt and find us there. We will be notified of your entries. There is a non-refundable convenience fee attached to online entries.

Entries will be accepted in order of receipt.  
All entries must be accompanied by entry fees to be valid.  
There will be a \$35 fee for returned checks.

**Day of Show Entries:** are accepted, but not guaranteed and will be accepted only up to judging limits for an additional fee of \$5 per run.

**Refund and Cancellation Policy:**

Refunds are **ONLY** allowed if requested before the closing date.  
No refunds after closing, unless a replacement entry is available.

No entry fee will be refunded if the event cannot open or be completed by reason of riots, civil disturbance, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond the control of the organizing committee.

**Trial Chair**

Melanie Singleton  
806 679-4883  
5401 Tradewind St.  
Amarillo, TX 79118

**Trial Secretary**

Kristy Ketterlin  
806 670-7063  
8105 St. Louis Dr.  
Amarillo, TX 79118

[wtratpack@hotmail.com](mailto:wtratpack@hotmail.com)

**Event Committee:** Melanie Singleton, Kristy Ketterlin, Carol Bishop, Cherie Scholz , and BradenTurner

**Move Ups:** Move ups/down/laterals are available trial to trial depending on class run order.

**Blinds:** 2 10'x20' indoors with groups of no more than 6 for instinct, novice, open, and 5 for Senior, Masters and Crazy8's

**Hight Divisions:** Small – Dogs 15” and under at the withers, Medium – Dogs 15.1” to 22” at the withers, and Large – Dogs over 22” at the withers.

**Animal Safety:** The safety of our dogs and rats are our primary concern. By entering these trials, exhibitors acknowledge they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport and that their dogs are familiar and physically able to perform all course elements.

**Dog Aggression:** A judge or the trial committee may dismiss any dog behaving in a threatening or aggressive manner toward another dog or person. Please report any issues immediately!

**Collars and Leads:** No electronic collars, bark collars, muzzles or head halters allowed on Barn Hunt show grounds. Per Barn Hunt Association all pinch collars must be covered. All dogs must be on leash and under control while on trial grounds.

**Bitches in Season (BIS):** May compete but must be run at the end of each class. BIS must wear pants at all times when not in their crate except when being pottied. Please inform the Trial Secretary prior to the start of the trial so your fellow exhibitors can be made aware of BIS present.

**Crating:** There is plenty of crating available for this event. Dogs must be on lead at all times when not in the ring hunting

- Check in will start at **10:00AM**. Friday **8:00AM** Saturday and Sunday
- General Briefing will be at **10:30 AM**. and **8:30AM**  
The facility will close 1 hour after the trial ends.

### **Trial Site**

Large Indoor Arena, outside potty area, and restrooms. Parking directly in front of the Arena for easy unloading or crating out of the car.

RV Parking with Electric and Water across the Parking lot for just \$25 a night electric/water.

### **Trial Site Rules**

Exercise and toilet your dog in designated areas.

Please poop and scoop and use garbage containers on the outside.

**All dogs must be on leash at all times**, except when in the ring.

**No alcohol allowed On Premises!!! per the rental agreement.**

Please be considered and don't let your dog go into the personal space of other dogs.

### **Food:**

We will try to get a food truck. Details will be emailed 10 days before the trial.

### **Awards:**

Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 4th place in all regular classes (not Instinct) In each height division. Brown qualifying ribbons will be awarded for all qualifiers. High in class Rosettes will also be awarded in each class. New Title Rosettes, RATCH, RATCHX, and Crazy 8s awards are also available. Please let the secretary know if you think you may earn a

**Volunteers:** No event can run without the wonderful help of volunteers. Not only does it help the trial to run more efficiently and smoothly, it is an opportunity to learn much more about the sport. Thankyou in advance for helping with wrangling, scribing, course building and all the other things that come along! There will be workers raffles! Pitch in and you will have a chance to win some fun things!!!

Please mail completed, signed entry incl. check to:

**KristyKetterlin**

8105 St. Louis Dr. Amarillo, TX 79118

Make out checks to: **West Texas Rat Pack**

Dog's registered Name:\_\_\_\_\_BHA#:\_\_\_\_\_

Dogs Call Name\_\_\_\_\_

Breed:\_\_\_\_\_Sex: ☐ M ☐ F

Birthdate:\_\_\_\_\_

Dog's Height (inches):\_\_\_\_\_

Owner:\_\_\_\_\_Handler:\_\_\_\_\_

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

City:\_\_\_\_\_State:\_\_\_\_\_Zip:\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Class	Division	Friday Trial 1	Sat Trial 2	Sat Trial 3	Sun Trial 4	Sun Trial 5	Total
Instinct		O	O		O		\$
Novice	A B	O	O	O	O	O	\$
Open	A B	O	O	O	O	O	\$
Senior	A B	O	O	O	O	O	\$
Master	A B	O	O	O	O	O	\$
Crazy 8's		O	O	O	O	O	\$
Total							\$

#### AGREEMENT

I certify that I am the actual owner of the dog, or that I am the duly authorized agent of the actual owner whose name I have entered above. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I (we) agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Barn Hunt Association, LLC in effect at the time of this event, and by any additional rules and regulations appearing in the premium list for this event, and further agree to be bound by the liability waiver enclosed with my entry. I (we) certify and represent that the dog 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 Barn Hunt Association, LLC Rules and Regulations and to abide by any decisions made in accord with them.

#### LIABILITY WAIVER

I (we) agree that the club 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, West Texas Rat Pack; 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 or presenter, presenting or 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 any person or their 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 the entrant or their 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 afore-mentioned 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 hereby authorize club-appointed videographer and/or photographer to use, reproduce, and/or publish photographs and/or video that may pertain to me, including my image, likeness and/or voice without compensation. I understand that this material may be used in various publications, public affairs releases, recruitment materials, the BHA LLC's website, and/or West Texas Rat Packs website or social media page or for other related endeavors. This authorization is continuous and may only be withdrawn by my specific rescission of this authorization. Consequently, the BHA LLC, West Texas Rat Pack may publish materials, use my name, photo-graph, and/or make reference to me in any manner that the Club, LLC or project sponsor deems appropriate in order to promote/publicize service opportunities.

#### Signature of owner or agent authorized to make this entry:

Your Name:\_\_\_\_\_ Signature:\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: Name\_\_\_\_\_Phone:\_\_\_\_\_ Relationship:\_\_\_\_\_

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Trial Secretary Use Only: Check #\_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Online \_\_\_\_\_ DOS \_\_\_\_\_

### **Local Emergency Vet info**

Amarillo Small Animal Emergency Clinic  
5127 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, TX 79110  
806 352-2277

### **Hotels that accept pets:**

La Quinta Mid City:  
1708 I-40 East, Amarillo, TX 79103  
806 373-7486  
1 dog is \$15.00 more than one dog \$25.00

La Quinta Inns and Suites Amarillo Airport  
9305 I-40 E. Amarillo TX 79118  
806 335-9572

Baymont Inn & Suites  
3411 I-40 West, Amarillo, TX 79109  
806 356-6800  
\$10.00 per dog per day

Days Inn East Amarillo  
1701 I-40 E. Amarillo, TX 79102  
806 379-6255  
\$12.00 per dog per night

Super 8 Amarillo Central  
2909 I-40 E. Amarillo, TX 79104  
806 223-2345  
\$15.00 per pet

### **RV Hookups:**

On site RV Parking with electric and water  
\$25 per night first come basis

Book your RV spot at  
<https://arenaoflifechurch.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/2038385>

***Friday night Team practice Find a  
team mate and join the fun!  
\$20 per team Team rules apply  
\$\$\$\$ Jackpot Fastest team \$\$\$\$  
sign up day of.***





Google Maps

Amarillo, Texas to Arena of Life Church, 8827 S  
Washington St, Amarillo, TX 79118

Drive 7.8 miles, 13 min

