

COURSE DIRECTIONS
RANCH LARGE FLOCK – Friday & HERDING RANCH DOG – Saturday

1. Stock is pushed out of the set-out gate for all levels.
LEVEL III – Dog & handler both are at the post.
LEVEL II - Dog is set at the post, and the handler may go halfway to the stock.
LEVEL I – Dog may be taken to a point halfway between the post and the stock, and the handler may go to within 15 feet of the stock.
Stock is gathered to handler
2. Bridge; all levels, handler must cross bridge, dog may cross but is not required to do so..
LEVEL III – Handler stays at the mouth of the wing.
LEVEL II – Handler may go to the end of the wing.
LEVEL I – Handler may walk anywhere.
3. Chute; all levels, handler may not enter obstacle.
LEVEL III – Handler stays at the mouth of the wing until all stock has cleared the chute.
LEVEL II – Handler may go to the end of the wing and wait until all stock has cleared the chute.
LEVEL I – Handler may walk anywhere except thru obstacle.
4. Drive; Level III – 120 feet. Level II – 60 feet. Level I no drive.
LEVEL III – Start drive at Cone #1, handler stays behind handler III line till stock pass Cone #3. Drive between barrel marker and fence, around corner to Cone #3. Fetch or drive to Graze area.
LEVEL II – Start drive at Cone #2, drive to Cone #3. Handler stays at Cone #2 till stock pass Cone #3. Fetch or drive to Graze area.
LEVEL I – Fetch or drive to Graze area.
5. Graze; Table will hold St. Patrick's accessories, dog holds stock in graze area while handler must put on and wear accessories through the remainder of course.
6. Free Standing Pen;
LEVEL's III & II – Handler may enter pen, if necessary, but with points deduction.
LEVEL I- Handler may go into pen to assist dog if necessary.
7. Maltese Cross; All levels, handler may not enter obstacle.
LEVEL III – Push stock to the center and turn them to the left at intersection to exit. Proceed to and go through Gate #1.
LEVELS I & II – Push stock straight thru panels to exit. Proceed to and go through Gate #1.
8. Sort; Level III only.
Sort off and pen at Gate # 2; Cattle, any 3 head. Sheep & Goats 3 marked head, close gate and leave them there.
9. Re-pen;
LEVEL III – Re-pen remaining stock to appropriate pen. (Gate #3 for sheep or goats, Gate # 4 for cattle.)
LEVEL I & II – Re-pen stock in appropriate pen. (Gate #3 for sheep or goats, Gate # 4 for cattle.)
10. LEVEL III only-
Return to gate #2 and remove sorted stock. Re-pen them in the pen with the remainder of the stock.

TIME LIMIT; 20 minutes

TIE BREAKERS; 1. Bridge 2. Sort 3. Time