



Mason-Dixon Bernese Mountain Dog Club Bernier Tales Winter 2014

Calendar

Celtic Classic 5 day dog show March 12-16, 2014

- Saturday MDBMDC regional specialty and sweepstakes with the Delaware Co K ;
Breeder Judge Joanne Gerow
- Friday supported entry with the York Kennel Club
- General meeting following Bernier show Saturday.
- BIG RAFFLE with good stuff including beverages related to the show theme

Kennel Clubs holding the shows

- Wednesday and Friday York KC
- Thursday Lancaster KC
- Saturday and Sunday Delaware Co KC

Back to Back Draft Tests

March 29 BMDCoFW

March 30, MDBMDC

John Ruddy Dog Park, York PA

**VOLUNTEER HELPERS NEEDED -
NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED**

CELTIC CLASSIC DOG SHOW March 12 - 16

The York Exposition Center, Memorial Hall West every day for BMDs
Rt 74, York PA 17404

This is a huge dog show with many Berniers entered every day and great shopping in the main exhibit area. Obedience and Rally will be in Old Main Thursday thru Saturday so you can watch working dogs as well as show Berniers.

How do you know what time and where Berniers are showing? About 5 days before the shows, go to www.raudogshows.com and select judging programs. Then from the pull down menu, select the date and show you want. All Berniers will be in the Memorial Hall West, NOT the all breed dog show Utz building. Vendors are in the Utz Arena.

Saturday the BMDCA Regional Specialty will have the largest Bernier entry, social time before and a reception after showing, a GREAT RAFFLE, and a MDBMDC members meeting after the show. Non- members and prospective members are most welcome at the meeting and the show.

BMDCA/MDBMDC REGIONAL SPECIALTY Saturday, March 15, 2014

YORK EXPOSITION CENTER YORK PA

Supported Entry Friday March 14

BACK TO BACK DRAFT TESTS MARCH 29 AND 30 at JOHN RUDY DOG PARK, York PA

Please volunteer to help and/or donate a trophy.

**19241 Middletown Rd
Parkton, MD 21120**

Back to Back Draft Tests

The annual draft test weekend shared by the Bernese Mountain Dog Clubs of Watchung (Saturday) and the Mason Dixon Bernese Mountain Dog Club (Sunday) is on this side of the two clubs' territory this year. Don't miss the chance to see our dogs work at one of their traditional jobs - pulling carts. Here Angela Evan's Loui demonstrates his usefulness around the farm hauling hay to the horses.



You can see several dozen dogs working alone and in pairs at the draft tests March 29 and 30 at John Rudy Dog Park on the north side of York, PA. 400 Mundis Race Rd. From Rt. 30, follow Sherman St. north 3 miles to Mundis Race Rd; turn left, park is .6 mile on right. Follow the signs to Canine Meadows where the clubs are set up in one entire fenced section of the park.

We need help! Please volunteer as a steward - no experience necessary.

Draft tests involve stewards - people who do things to test the dog. If you can ring a bell or wave a flag or give a load to the handler, we need you on SUNDAY, March 30 to help. Valerie Chase is chief steward. Contact her at vchase529@att.net if you can help. Sonny can't wait so is pulling his sled, taking his buddies for a ride.

Dogs other than BMDs are eligible so be ready to see more than Berners at work. To donate a trophy, contact Jill at jillsberner33@aol.com

