

Malinois-only Herding Awards
2023 National Specialty Herding Trials
held

Sunday, April 29, 2023 at Rosehaeven Farm in Alger, OH

Duck Trial

High Scoring Malinois:

Micah/Sara Michelin, 1st place from Started A Ducks

Reserve High Scoring Malinois:

Diamond/Claudia Bailey, 5th place from Started A Ducks

Sheep Trial

High Scoring Malinois

Rival/ Kathryn & David Mangers, 1st place from Intermediate A Sheep

Reserve High Scoring Malinois

No eligible Malinois

High Scoring Combined Malinois

Awarded to Micah/Sara Michelin

For **Most Versatile Malinois** purposes, at all-breed herding trials High Scoring Malinois will be considered High in Trial, Reserve High Scoring Malinois will be considered Reserve High in Trial; and High Scoring Combined Malinois will be considered High Combined, which is defined as qualifying from the advanced classes on multiple stock at designated national specialty herding trials.

Should scores are tied, the tie-breaking criteria in the AKC *Herding Regulations* is used.

All ties, within the same level and the same course shall, if possible, be decided by (in order):

Course A: Best score on crossdrive; Best time.

Course B: Best score on outrun; Best time.

Course C: Best score on grazes; Best time.

Ties between levels or between courses (to decide High in Trial, Reserve High in Trial or for championship points, or to award special trophies) shall, if possible, be broken by (in order) highest level class, then by best percentage of score on the crossdrive, outrun or grazes. If this is not possible, ties will be decided by reruns on the part of the course (crossdrive, outrun or wide graze) which decides the winner. The Judge shall choose whether the run will be all or part of the course but the scoring will be only on the crossdrive, outrun or wide graze.