

Large Flock Diagram & Description

Level III

- 1. Outrun / Lift / Fetch: Handler & dog start at the Handler post. Gather, lift, fetch 25 head of sheep from the field to the handler.
- Roadwork: Move sheep along the Farm Road to the graze, staying left at the fork. Dog may move the stock by pushing from behind, working the sides or moving to the heads to control speed.
- 3. **Graze:** Enter the left hand side of the field with the marked graze areas. Turn right and continue along the leading edge of the field until reaching your assigned graze. Enter the wide graze. Dog is to keep the sheep in the graze while staying outside of the graze using the Borders.
- 4. **Bridge**: From the Graze move to, and then across, the bridge. All sheep, dog and handler must cross the bridge.
- 5. **Return to Ranch:** Return to the ranch, again using Farm Road. Turn left at the Dirt Road toward the Drive Away Panels.
- 6. Drive Away: The handler stays on the Dirt Road while the dog drives the sheep through the 1st set of panels.
- 7. Cross Drive: Handler remains on the Dirt Road while dog turns the sheep right and drives them through the Cross Drive panels.
- 8. **Gate Sort (LFIII Only):** Handler meets the sheep & dog at the Main Arena; sorts 5 sheep into the Main Arena, and the remaining 20 sheep into the Duck Arena

<u>Level II</u>

- 1. **Outrun / Lift / Fetch:** Dog is placed at post. Handler may go half-way to the stock. Gather, lift, fetch 25 head of sheep from the field to the handler, continuing up the Dirt Road toward Farm Road.
- 2. **Roadwork:** Move sheep along Farm Road to the Graze, staying left at the fork. Dog may move the stock by pushing from behind, working the sides or moving to the heads to control speed.
- 3. **Graze:** Enter the left hand side of the field with the marked graze areas. Turn right and continue along the leading edge of the field until reaching your assigned graze. Enter the Graze. Dog is to keep the sheep in the Graze while staying outside of the graze using the Borders.
- 4. **Bridge**: From the Graze move to, and then across, the bridge. All sheep, dog and handler must cross the bridge.
- 5. **Return to Ranch:** Return to the ranch, again using Farm Road. Turn left at the Dirt Road toward the Drive Away Panels.
- 6. **Drive Away:** Handler & dog fetch/drive to the first set of panels.
- 7. **Cross Drive:** Once the sheep are through the Drive Away Panels, Handler stays at the panels and turns the sheep right and then through the Cross Drive panels.
- 8. **Pen:** After the sheep have passed the second set of panels, the Handler meets the stock & dog at the pen to secure the stock.

<u>Level I</u>

- 1. **Outrun / Lift / Fetch:** Dog is placed halfway between post & the stock. Handler can be within 15' of the stock. Handler may fetch or drive throughout, with the Handler in any position.
- 2. **Roadwork:** Move sheep along Farm Road to the Graze, staying left at the fork. Dog may move the stock by pushing from behind, working the sides or moving to the heads to control speed.
- 3. **Graze:** Enter the left hand side of the field with marked graze areas. Turn right and continue along the leading edge of the field until reaching your assigned graze. Enter the Graze. Dog is to keep the sheep in the Graze while staying outside of the graze using the Borders.
- 4. **Bridge**: From the Graze move to, and then across, the bridge. All sheep, dog and handler must cross the bridge.
- 5. **Return to Ranch:** Return to the ranch, again using Farm Road. Turn left at the Dirt Road and head down hill towards the bridge.
- 6. **Drive Away:** Upon successfully crossing the bridge, stock is to move through the 1st set of panels.
- 7. Cross Drive: Once through the Drive Away Panels, stock is to be turned right and moved through the Cross Drive Panels.
- 8. Pen: Upon completing the Cross Drive, stock is to be moved to, and secured in, the pen.