

Top of the Rock Sheep Dog Trial

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Start time: 9:30 am; handlers meeting – 9:15 am; 1 Day, 1 Trial

Class Order: Open, Open Ranch, Ranch, Novice, Nursery, Locals

Entry fee: \$35 all classes (except Locals)

Payback: All after expenses; according to TSDA Guidelines

Depending on the number of entries there may be two runs with prize money going to the highest combined score.

Locals

Entry Fee: \$10, 1 run, winner take all

A Local is any handler who does not currently (within the past 5 years) compete in any recognized association herding trials. The Locals course will consist of the handler and dog gathering the goats and putting them in a pen or through a chute or both.

Sheep: Mohair goats

Judge: TBA

Secretary: TBA

Clerk: TBA

Entry form: [Click Here](#)

Entry deadline: June 26, no refunds after deadline unless spot can be sold

Make checks payable to TSDA.

Send entries to: Susan Carpenter, PO Box 1096, Rocksprings, TX 78880

Late entries will be wait listed and accommodated, if possible. So feel free to enter if your plans change at the last minute and you are able to make it.

Sanctioned: TSDA, USBCHA

This trial is being held as part of the Edwards County Fair Association's July 4th celebration and in conjunction with the shearing contest. Each handler will receive a general admission pass to the Saturday night PBR performance. There is an open-air dance both Friday and Saturday night. Friday night is Tejano Night with GRUPO VIDA *The Electric Cowboys*. Saturday night is Country /Western and Members of the Ace in the Hole Band will play. There is a music festival all day Saturday along with a goat cook-off, shearing contest washer pitching and lots more family fun. The dance is generally attended by all age groups. This whole event is a lot of fun and there is something to do for every member of the family. Please visit the website for more information: www.edwardscountyfair.com.

Directions:

Rocksprings is located at the junction of Highways 377 & 55 between Junction and Del Rio. The trial site is at the

Edwards County Fairgrounds located on Highway 377 just north of town. The trial will be held on the baseball field

between the show barn and the arena. RV parking with no hook-ups is available to the south of the baseball field.

Handler parking should be sign posted. If you are not camping, it is **STRONGLY** recommended you make reservations early. Below are some options:

The Red Rooster Guest House, 830-683-5217

Guest House Bed & Breakfast, 840-683-6303

Historic Rocksprings Hotel, 840-683-4212

Sorrells Inn and Mesa Motel, 830-683-1800

Mitchell Lodge & RV Park, 830-683-2184