

# Is Your Ranch Dog Helping You?

The right training can make a big difference!

**Two Day Intermediate Stock Dog Clinic**  
**Betty Williams Clinician**  
Sponsored by the Australian Shepherd Club of Montana



- **Thursday, June 19<sup>th</sup> and Friday, June 20<sup>th</sup> -- 8:00 AM in Frenchtown, MT**
- **Clinic limit: 10 dogs per day; 15 auditors**
- **Cost:**
  - **\$180.00 ASC of MT members**
  - **\$200.00 non-members**
  - **\$25.00 per day for auditors.**
  - **If the clinic does not fill, then single day registrations will be accepted. Cost: \$100.**

**Clinic Focus—** Building skills and team work for dog and handler. All levels of experience are welcome.

**Day one:**

- Coffee and introductions
- Review of Stock and Stockdog handling techniques and concepts including the dog/handler team (lecture/demonstration)
- 20 minute sessions with each dog/handler team
- Lunch
- 20 minute sessions with each dog/ handler team
- Discussion of day's experience and questions.

**Day two:**

- Coffee and questions/discussion about the previous day's training
- Demonstration of more advanced techniques
- 20 minute sessions with each dog/handler team
- Lunch
- 20 minute sessions with each dog/handler team
- Assessment/evaluation of each dog/handler team
- Questions, discussion, clinic wrap-up

**Betty Williams** is a well known stock dog handler, breeder, trainer and clinician. She and her husband John operate a large ranch near Lewistown, MT. Her stock dogs help them daily with ranch work from roundup and sorting to penning and loading for shipment. Betty has developed an efficient system for training stock dogs and handlers, which maximizes both the dog's working instincts and its responsiveness to the handler. She has found that her training methods work very well for all stock dog breeds. Her previous clinics have been well received by those who have attended them. Note: These clinics tend to fill early.

For more information on the clinic or to download registration forms, please visit [www.ascofmt.org](http://www.ascofmt.org).  
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