

## 2014 Cow Country Classic Trial Report

It was a great weekend of stock trials. The weather was a bit hot but there was a nice breeze all weekend that made the above normal temperatures bearable. Pam and Gaye fed us well and Amy, Molly and Connie made sure that the stock was set calmly and was always ready for the next competitor. The competitors all helped to make the trial run efficiently and there was a spirit of friendly competition that made the event interesting and fun. Several dogs earned titles and Kyle and Rush finally beat the ducks and Rush is now WTCH Twin Oaks No Bull Rush.

**The official results for the daily and weekend awards are listed below.**

7/11/14--

High Started Score: Hitch and Sarah--94 Cattle  
High Open Score: Finn and Chelsey--74 Cattle  
High Advanced Score: Billy and Sarah--122 Ducks  
High Combined Cattle: Billy and Sarah--234  
High Combined Sheep: Billy and Sarah--234  
High Combined Ducks: Rail and John--220

7/12/14--

High Started Score: Hitch and Sarah--92 Cattle  
High Open Score: Finn and Chelsey--93 Cattle  
High Advanced Score: Guss and Jim-- 115 Ducks  
High Combined Cattle: Rush and Kyle-- 215  
High Combined Sheep: Billy and Sarah-- 223  
High Combined Ducks: Guss and Jim-- 228

7/13/14--

High Started Score: Hitch and Sarah-- Sheep 91  
High Open Score: (no open runs)  
High Advanced Score: Billy and Sarah-- 120 Sheep  
High Combined Cattle: Rush and Kyle-- 217  
High Combined Sheep: Guss and Jim-- 216  
High Combined Ducks: Ki and Tom-- 233

## Weekend Awards--

High in Trial: Billy and Sarah-- 122 Ducks  
High Combined Cattle-- Billy and Sarah  
High Combined Non-WTCH-- Rush and Kyle  
High Combined Aussie WTCH-- Billy and Sarah  
High Combined Other Breed-- Rail and John

So the Canadians took home most of the loot, but we hope they will return to give us mere Montanans another go for the silver next year.

For those who are interested in this sort of thing, here are the full names of the competitors and dogs who are mentioned in the above trial results:

### Dogs:

Billy -- WTCH Starlitt Boot Scoot N'Ta Billy RTDcs DNA-VP  
Finn -- Casselcreek Good Cop Bad Cop ATDs, OTDcd  
Guss -- WTCH W Lazy J BJM Kodiaks Slyguss RTDcs PATDcs DNA-VP  
Hitch -- GS RANCH A COWBOYS HITCH STDcsd DNA-VP  
Ki -- WTCH W Lazy J Yippie Ki Yi Yo RTDcs CD DNA-VP  
Rail -- WTCH Double Shoe Rail  
Rush -- WTCH Twin Oaks No Bull Rush DNA-VP

### Handlers:

Chelsey Hinkley  
Jim McKay  
John Knepper  
Kyle Martin  
Sarah Van Yken  
Tom Morarre