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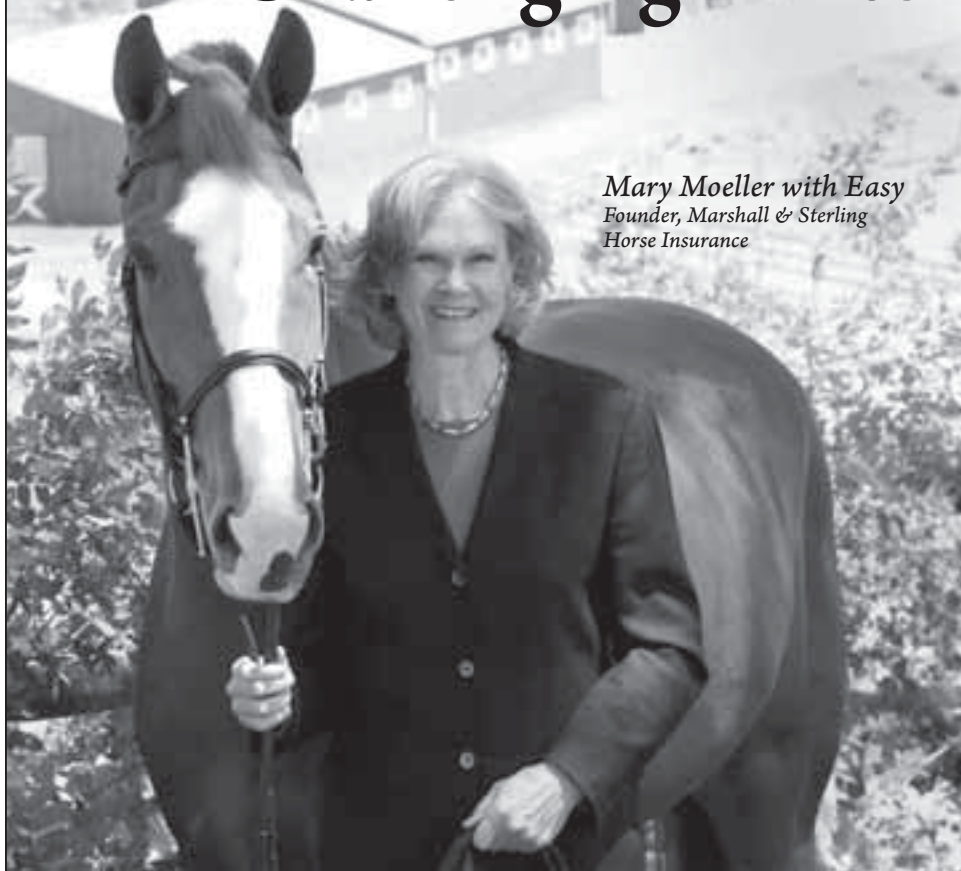
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2009 TENTATIVE CLASS SCHEDULE

NOTE: Class Schedule is tentative and subject to change. Special exhibitions (scheduled for Thursday, Friday, Saturday evenings and Saturday afternoon) are not shown.

Tuesday Day, October 20 – beginning at 7:00 A.M.

- 10 Regular Conformation Hunter Model
- 1 Green Conformation Hunter Model
- 12 Regular Conformation Hunter
- 13 Regular Conformation Hunter
- 3 Green Conformation Hunter
- 4 Green Conformation Hunter
- 22 First Year Green Hunter
- 23 First Year Green Hunter
- 32 Second Year Green Hunter
- 33 Second Year Green Hunter
- 42 Regular Working Hunter
- 43 Regular Working Handy Hunter
- 52 Amateur-Owner Hunter (35 & Under)
- 62 Amateur-Owner Hunter (Over 35)
- 61 Amateur-Owner Hunter Under Saddle (Over 35)
- 51 Amateur-Owner Hunter Under Saddle (35 & Under)

Tuesday Evening, October 20 – beginning at 6:30 P.M.

- 186 Children's Hunter Championship
 - ❖ Children's Hunter Championship Presentation
- 187 Adult Hunter Championship
 - ❖ Adult Hunter Championship Presentation

Wednesday Day, October 21 – beginning at 7:00 A.M.

- 34 Second Year Green Hunter Stake
- 5 Green Conformation Hunter Stake
- 24 First Year Green Hunter Stake
- 44 Regular Working Hunter Stake
- 14 Regular Conformation Hunter Stake
- 41 Regular Working Hunter Under Saddle
 - ❖ Regular Working Hunter Championship Presentation
- 11 Regular Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
 - ❖ Regular Conformation Hunter Championship Presentation
- 31 Second Year Green Hunter Under Saddle
 - ❖ Second Year Green Hunter Championship Presentation
- 2 Green Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
 - ❖ Green Conformation Hunter Championship Presentation
- 21 First Year Green Hunter Under Saddle
 - ❖ First Year Green Hunter Championship Presentation
- ❖ Grand Champion Hunter Award Presentation
- ❖ Leading Hunter Rider Award



- 53 Amateur-Owner Hunter (35 & Under)
- 54 Amateur-Owner Hunter Stake (35 & Under)
- ❖ Amateur-Owner Hunter (35 & Under) Championship Presentation
- 63 Amateur-Owner Hunter (Over 35)
- 64 Amateur-Owner Hunter Stake (Over 35)
- ❖ Amateur-Owner Hunter (Over 35) Championship Presentation
- ❖ Grand Champion Amateur-Owner Hunter Presentation
- ❖ Leading Amateur-Owner Hunter Rider Presentation
- 188 Children's Jumper Championship
- ❖ Children's Jumper Championship Presentation

Wednesday Evening, October 21 – beginning at 7:00 P.M.

- 189 Adult Jumper Championship
- ❖ Adult Jumper Championship Presentation
- 206 Amateur-Owner Jumper (TFJO)
- 209 Open Jumper Training

Thursday Day, October 22 – beginning at 8:00 A.M.

- 132 Small Junior Hunter (15 & Under)
- 133 Small Junior Hunter Handy (15 & Under)
- 152 Large Junior Hunter (15 & Under)
- 153 Large Junior Hunter Handy (15 & Under)
- 142 Small Junior Hunter (16-17)
- 143 Small Junior Hunter Handy (16-17)
- 162 Large Junior Hunter (16-17)
- 163 Large Junior Hunter Handy (16-17)
- 207 Amateur-Owner Jumper (TFR)
- 202 Junior Jumper (TFJO)
- 210 \$30,000 Open Jumper (TFJO) - Part I

Thursday Evening, October 22 – beginning at 7:00 P.M.

- 210 \$30,000 Open Jumper (TFJO) - Part II
- 211 \$20,000 Open Jumper – Gambler's Choice Costume Class

Friday Day, October 23 – beginning at 7:00 A.M.

- 134 Small Junior Hunter Stake (15 & Under)
- 154 Large Junior Hunter Stake (15 & Under)
- 144 Small Junior Hunter Stake (16-17)
- 164 Large Junior Hunter Stake (16-17)
- 181 WIHS Equitation Classic (Hunter Phase)
- 131 Small Junior Hunter Under Saddle (15 & Under)
- ❖ Small Junior Hunter (15 & Under) Championship Presentation
- 151 Large Junior Hunter Under Saddle (15 & Under)
- ❖ Large Junior Hunter (15 & Under) Championship Presentation
- 141 Small Junior Hunter Under Saddle (16-17)
- ❖ Small Junior Hunter (16-17) Championship Presentation
- 161 Large Junior Under Saddle (16-17)
- ❖ Large Junior Hunter (16-17) Championship Presentation
- ❖ Grand Champion Junior Hunter Presentation
- 208 Amateur-Owner Jumper Ambassadors Cup (TFJO)
- ❖ Amateur-Owner Jumper Championship Presentation
- 201 Junior Jumper (TFJO)
- 212 \$15,000 Open Jumper Table C (1.40m) Faults converted

Friday Evening, October 23 – beginning at 7:00 P.M.

- 213 \$20,000 Open Jumper – Table C (1.50m) Faults converted
- 214 \$25,000 Open Jumper – Puissance

Saturday Day, October 24 – beginning at 7:00 A.M.

- 102 Small Pony Conformation Hunter
- 112 Medium Pony Conformation Hunter
- 122 Large Pony Conformation Hunter
- 101 Small Pony Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
- 111 Medium Pony Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
- 121 Large Pony Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
- 185 WIHS Pony Equitation Classic
- 194 WIHS Hunter Classic Derby
- 203 Junior Jumper – Senators Cup (TFJO)
 - ❖ Junior Jumper Championship Presentation
 - ❖ Style of Riding Award
 - ❖ Best Child Rider on Horse Presentation
- 215 \$15,000 Open Jumper – Pair Relay
- 182 WIHS Equitation Classic (Jumper Phase)

Saturday Evening, October 24 – beginning at 7:00 P.M.

- ❖ WIHS Equitation Final Work-Off
- ❖ WIHS Equitation Awards Presentation
- 216 \$100,000 Open Jumper – President’s Cup Grand Prix
 - ❖ Leading Rider Award
 - ❖ Leading International Rider Award Presentation

Sunday Day, October 25 – beginning at 7:00 A.M.

- 103 Small Pony Hunter
- 104 Small Pony Hunter Stake
 - ❖ Small Pony Hunter Championship Presentation
- 113 Medium Pony Hunter
- 114 Medium Pony Hunter Stake
 - ❖ Medium Pony Hunter Championship Presentation
- 123 Large Pony Hunter
- 124 Large Pony Hunter Stake
 - ❖ Large Pony Hunter Championship Presentation
 - ❖ Grand Champion Pony Hunter Presentation
 - ❖ Best Child Rider on Pony Presentation
- 193 Local Hunter Finals (Ponies)
 - ❖ Local Pony Hunter Championship Presentation
- 191 Local Hunter Finals (Horses)
 - ❖ Local Hunter Championship Presentation

Visit the Washington International Horse Show’s official website, www.wihs.org, for the latest show news, point standings, qualifying lists, officials and more. Also, you can stay connected by following WIHS on Facebook and Twitter.



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ENTRIES CLOSE TUESDAY, SEPT. 1, 2009. Entries postmarked after midnight Tuesday, Sept. 1, will not be accepted, with the following exception: If a section does not fill, management may accept late entries using the alternate qualifying criteria outlined below.

Please note that all horses (except WIHS Equitation and Local Finals), including WIHS Children's & Adult Championships, must be entered.

The U.S. Post Office date will be considered the effective date of mailing for entries received bearing a U.S. Post Office postmark as well as a postage meter date. For entries received bearing a postage meter date and no U.S. Post Office postmark, the metered date will be considered the official postmark only if received within seven days of the postage meter date.

Entries should be mailed directly to WIHS and entry questions should be directed to:

WIHS, 3299 K Street NW, Suite 600, Washington, DC 20007
ENTRY QUESTIONS CALL:
(859) 608-3709 (8:00 AM-7:00 PM only)
email: WIHSsecretary@aol.com • fax: (301) 987-9461

Please submit a separate entry form for each horse. Forms may be copied or additional forms requested by calling (301) 987-9400. Prize list and forms also are available on www.wihs.org.

Enclose \$150 application fee (non-refundable) for each horse entered (no fee for WIHS Children's & Adult Championships). DO NOT enclose entry or stall fees at this time. All checks must be in U.S. funds and made payable to the WIHS.

Each entry form must be signed by the owner, rider, trainer and coach (if applicable) and said signature shall constitute verification that the information contained thereon is accurate to the best of the signer's knowledge and belief. Any falsification of entry information will result in disqualification of the entry and forfeiture of entry and stabling fees.

USEF measurement cards, amateur certification, and membership cards or copies must be provided to the Horse Show Office before numbers will be released.

QUALIFICATIONS

The show will limit the number of entries accepted in all sections. Qualifying lists will be posted in mid-September on the Washington International Horse Show website at www.wihs.org.

Acceptance letters will be emailed in mid-September to the name and address specified on the entry form. Payment in full as billed in the acceptance invoice must be postmarked by the specified date; entries not paid in full by the specified date will not be permitted to show.

Non-negotiable checks will disqualify the entry and the exhibitor will be charged a \$150 collection fee. Exhibitors with outstanding debts to WIHS will not be allowed to compete.

If the qualifying list is exhausted and spaces are still available in a section, the following alternate qualification criteria will be used:

- Any horse applying for acceptance in a section must have shown in that section within the specified qualifying time period but need not necessarily have won points.
- Horses accepted based on the alternate qualifying criteria must have submitted an entry and will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

A mandatory office fee of \$50 will be assessed for each entry.

PRIZE MONEY

Prize money will be mailed within 30 days following the show to the owner or designee as listed on the entry form. **No prize money will be mailed unless the owner's social security number and complete address is listed on the entry blank. Prize money won by foreign competitors: Be advised that the U.S. Internal Revenue Service requires sporting events to withhold 30% of prize money won in the United States. Foreign competitors should apply for a U.S. Social Security number and will be asked to complete form W-8BEN or complete a W-8 Certificate of Foreign Status form.**

All prize money and refund checks must be cashed by December 31, 2009. After that date, checks are null and void and will not be re-issued.

APPROXIMATE NUMBER TO BE ACCEPTED

Green Conformation Hunters.....	20
Regular Conformation Hunters	10
First Year Green Hunters	20
Second Year Green Hunters	20
Regular Working Hunters	15
A/O Hunters 35 & Under	20
A/O Hunters Over 35.....	20
Small Jr Hunters 15 & Under.....	20
Small Junior Hunters 16-17	20
Large Jr Hunters 15 & Under.....	20
Large Junior Hunters 16-17	20
Small Pony Hunters	25
Medium Pony Hunters	25
Large Pony Hunters	25
Junior Jumpers	20
A/O Jumpers	20
Open Jumper Riders	30

HUNTERS

Qualifying for the Hunter, Junior Hunter and Pony Hunter divisions will be based on USEF National Horse of the Year points earned by horses/ponies at their best 15 shows starting on or after August 25, 2008, through shows starting on or before August 23, 2009. Horses that were Champions at the 2008 WIHS will automatically qualify in the section in which they were Champions **provided they are properly entered** and still eligible for that section.

Please see each division for the maximum number of horses or ponies permitted per rider. You may enter as many horses/ponies as you wish.

Hunter Champion and Reserve Champion titles will be awarded to the top two of the four horses that acquire the most points over fences in that section. In addition to these points, only these four horses receive half points for ribbons won in Model classes (full points for Regular Conformation Model class) and full points for ribbons won in one Under Saddle class. Ties broken under Article 2439.

All classes will be judged on performance and soundness unless otherwise noted.

JUMPERS

Qualifying for the Junior and Amateur-Owner Jumpers will be based on prize money won at USEF-recognized shows starting on or after August 25, 2008, through shows starting on or before August 23, 2009. Horses that were Champions at the 2008 WIHS in the Junior Jumper and Amateur-Owner Jumper sections will automatically qualify in the section in which they were Champions **provided they are properly entered** and still eligible for that section.

Please see each division for the maximum number of horses or ponies per rider. You may enter as many horses/ponies as you wish.

Open Jumper riders will qualify based on their ranking on the USEF Computer List dated September 4, 2009.

CROSS ENTRY RESTRICTIONS

Local Finals: Horses and/or riders may not enter any other classes at the Washington International Horse Show.

International-Open Jumper Section: Horses showing in the International-Open Jumper section may not show in the Junior or Amateur-Owner Jumper sections.

WIHS Children's and Adult Championships:

Hunters – Riders may not compete in any other hunter class at the Washington International Horse Show. Horses may not compete in any other class at the WIHS except the WIHS Equitation Finals.

Jumpers – Riders may not compete in any other jumper class at the Washington International Horse Show. Horses may not compete in any other class at the WIHS except the WIHS Equitation Finals.

REFUND POLICY

Stabling and nominating fees will not be refunded under any circumstances.

No substitution of horses may be made after the announced closing of entries. No horse may be withdrawn from competition in the Show without permission. Exhibitors shall be held responsible for entry fees of all horses entered by them or their agents.

Horses entered may be scratched without a veterinarian's certificate by notifying the Show Secretary in writing via letter, official scratch sheet, etc.

- If written notification is received by 8:00 A.M. Tuesday, October 13, 2009 (one week prior to beginning of the show), entry fee will be refunded less a \$150 processing fee.
- If written notification is received after 8:00 A.M. Tuesday, October 13, but prior to 8 A.M. Saturday, October 17, 2009 (72 hours prior to beginning of the show), one-half of entry fee will be refunded.
- Unless written notification is received by 8:00 A.M. Saturday, October 17, no portion of entry fee will be refunded.

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REGULAR: Allows access to exhibitor seating area only. Regular wristbands are available free of charge and are limited to six per exhibitor on a first-come, first-served basis, as long as they are available.

Should you require additional wristbands of either type, please see stabling office.

ALL wristbands will be issued at the stabling trailer on 6th Street and will be placed on the wrist of the wearer by horse show staff only. Wristbands are not transferable. Any wristband that shows evidence of stretching, cutting or removal will not be accepted. PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS POLICY WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

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All vehicles bringing horses to Verizon Center are required to come first to Prince George's Equestrian Center as a preliminary staging point. Horses will be shipped to Verizon Center by the official shipper of the Washington International Horse Show. A round-trip transportation charge of \$150 will be placed on each accepted horse's invoice. This charge includes a stall for any short-term waiting period at Prince George's Equestrian Center.

STABLING

Stalls are 9'x9' and are of vinyl construction. Stall doors will be provided. Exhibitors are responsible for any damages to assigned stalls or tent area. **Tack stalls will not be available.** Feed and bedding may be obtained daily through the feed store. Stall cost:

Hunters:.....	\$475
Jumpers:.....	\$500
Children's & Adult Championships:	\$375
Equitation:.....	\$375

Day stalls for Local Finalists, if available, will be billed at \$170 per stall.

Layover stabling and camper spaces will be available at Prince George's Equestrian Center. Layover stabling will be \$200 per stall if paid with acceptance, or \$250 per stall if paid later. Camper spaces are \$300 per space. Details will be provided in the acceptance letters.

No horses may be shown from vans or trailers.

Smoking in any part of the stables and Verizon Center is prohibited. This rule will be strictly enforced by the Fire Marshal.

MISCELLANEOUS

Dogs must be leashed at all times and will not be permitted into the arena. Any violation will subject the owner to a \$50 fine.

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Saturday, October 31, 2009

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1. At all stages during the preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery and tack, and transportation.
2. Horses and competitors must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids.
3. Events must not prejudice horse welfare. This involves paying careful attention to the competition areas, ground surfaces, weather conditions, stabling, site safety and fitness of the horse for onward travel after the event.
4. Every effort must be made to ensure that horses receive proper attention after they have competed and that they are treated humanely when their competition careers are over. This covers proper veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia and retirement.
5. The FEI urges all involved with the sport to attain the highest levels of education in their areas of expertise.

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USE OF WHIPS

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WIHS MANAGEMENT reserves the right to cancel or combine classes that, in the opinion of management, have insufficient entries except as prohibited by USEF rules. WIHS Management reserves the right to amend certain terms or conditions within the Prize List at its sole discretion and to decline any entry, or return any entry fees before or during the show, without being liable for damages. Any act of discourtesy or disobedience to the Judges or Officials by the owner, rider, trainer, coach or groom, shall disqualify the horse, and the owner shall forfeit all fees. Every animal entered shall be under management's control.

HUNTER DIVISION

Courses will simulate fences found in the hunting field such as: brush, wall, in-and-out, oxer, post and rails, gate, aiken and panels. **No rider may ride more than three horses per section**

\$8,000 Green Conformation Hunter Section

Entry Fee: \$1,300 for this section. Individual classes may not be entered except Class 1, which must be entered separately. First year horses to jump 3'6", second year horses, 3'9". All classes to be judged on performance and soundness-60%, conformation-40%.

Classes

- 1 **GREEN CONFORMATION HUNTER, MODEL**
No additional entry fee. Trophy and Eight Ribbons
- 2 **\$1,000 GREEN CONFORMATION HUNTER UNDER SADDLE**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 3 **\$2,000 GREEN CONFORMATION HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 4 **\$2,000 GREEN CONFORMATION HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 5 **\$3,000 GREEN CONFORMATION HUNTER STAKE**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **GREEN CONFORMATION HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**
Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

\$4,000 Regular Conformation Hunter Section

Entry Fee: \$1,000 for this section. Individual classes may not be entered except Class 10 which must be entered separately. Horses to jump 4' to 4'6". Horses may cross enter between Regular Working and Regular Conformation Sections.

- 10 **REGULAR CONFORMATION HUNTER, MODEL**
No additional entry fee. Trophy and Six Ribbons
- 11 **\$500 REGULAR CONFORMATION HUNTER UNDER SADDLE**
\$125, \$100, \$85, \$75, \$65, \$50
- 12 **\$1,000 REGULAR CONFORMATION HUNTER**
\$300, \$225, \$175, \$125, \$100, \$75
- 13 **\$1,000 REGULAR CONFORMATION HANDY HUNTER**
\$300, \$225, \$175, \$125, \$100, \$75
- 14 **\$1,500 REGULAR CONFORMATION HUNTER STAKE**
\$400, \$300, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150
- ❖ **REGULAR CONFORMATION HUNTER CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION**
Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

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\$8,000 First Year Green Working Hunter Section

Entry Fee: \$1,300 for this section. Individual classes may not be entered. Horses to jump 3'6".

Classes

- 21 **\$1,000 FIRST YEAR GREEN WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 22 **\$2,000 FIRST YEAR GREEN WORKING HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 23 **\$2,000 FIRST YEAR GREEN WORKING HANDY HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$12
- 24 **\$3,000 FIRST YEAR GREEN WORKING HUNTER STAKE**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **FIRST YEAR GREEN WORKING HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

\$8,000 Second Year Green Working Hunter Section

Entry Fee: \$1,300 for this section. Individual classes may not be entered. Horses to jump 3'9".

- 31 **\$1,000 SECOND YEAR GREEN WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 32 **\$2,000 SECOND YEAR GREEN WORKING HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 33 **\$2,000 SECOND YEAR GREEN WORKING HANDY HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 34 **\$3,000 SECOND YEAR GREEN WORKING HUNTER STAKE**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **SECOND YEAR GREEN WORKING HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

\$8,000 Regular Working Hunter Section

Entry Fee: \$1,300 for this section. Individual classes may not be entered. Horses to jump 4' to 4'6". Horses may cross enter between Regular Working and Regular Conformation sections.

- 41 **\$1,000 REGULAR WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 42 **\$2,000 REGULAR WORKING HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 43 **\$2,000 REGULAR WORKING HUNTER, HANDY**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 44 **\$3,000 REGULAR WORKING HUNTER STAKE**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **REGULAR WORKING HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon



\$8,000 Amateur-Owner Working Hunter—Riders 35 Years and Under

Entry Fee: \$1,300 for this section. Individual classes may not be entered. Horses to jump 3'6". No rider may ride more than 2 horses in this section. (You may enter as many horses as you wish).

Classes

- 51 **\$1,000 AMATEUR-OWNER WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE, 35 and Under**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 52 **\$2,000 AMATEUR-OWNER WORKING HUNTER, 35 and Under**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 53 **\$2,000 AMATEUR-OWNER WORKING HANDY HUNTER, 35 and Under**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 54 **\$3,000 AMATEUR-OWNER WORKING HUNTER STAKE, 35 and Under**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **AMATEUR-OWNER HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION, 35 and Under**

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

\$8,000 Amateur-Owner Working Hunter—Riders Over 35 Years

Entry Fee: \$1,300 for this section. Individual classes may not be entered. Horses to jump 3'6". No rider may ride more than 2 horses in this section. (You may enter as many horses as you wish).

- 61 **\$1,000 AMATEUR-OWNER WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE, Over 35**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 62 **\$2,000 AMATEUR-OWNER WORKING HUNTER, Over 35**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 63 **\$2,000 AMATEUR-OWNER WORKING HANDY HUNTER, Over 35**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 64 **\$3,000 AMATEUR-OWNER WORKING HUNTER STAKE, Over 35**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **AMATEUR-OWNER HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION, Over 35**

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

GRAND CHAMPION AMATEUR-OWNER HUNTER

Awarded to the horse accumulating the most points in its respective section. In the event of a tie, the award will be made jointly.

No entry fee.

Trophy and Ribbon

LEADING AMATEUR-OWNER RIDER

Awarded to the rider accumulating the most points in the Amateur-Owner Working Hunter Sections at this show. If a rider rides more than one horse in a class, only the points on the top placed horse will count.

No entry fee.

Trophy and Ribbon

GRAND CHAMPION HUNTER

Awarded to the horse accumulating the most points in the Green Conformation, Regular Conformation, Green Working or Regular Working Hunter Sections at this show. The model classes will not count. In the event of a tie, the award will be made jointly.

No entry fee.

Trophy and Ribbon

LEADING HUNTER RIDER

Awarded to the rider accumulating the most points in one or more of the following sections throughout the show (model classes not to count): Green Conformation Hunter, Regular Conformation Hunter, Green Working Hunter, Regular Working Hunter. If a rider rides more than one horse in a class, only the points on the top placed horse will count.

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HUNTER PONY DIVISION

Courses will simulate fences found in the hunting field such as: brush, wall, in-and-out, oxer, post and rails, gate, aiken, panels.

Entry Fee: \$1,300 for each section. Individual classes may not be entered. No rider may ride more than four ponies per division, two per section. You may enter as many ponies as you wish.

\$8,000 Small Pony Hunter Section

Ponies to jump 2'3".

Classes

- 101 **\$1,000 SMALL PONY CONFORMATION HUNTER UNDER SADDLE**
Conformation-25%
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 102 **\$2,000 SMALL PONY CONFORMATION HUNTER Conformation-25%**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 103 **\$2,000 SMALL PONY WORKING HANDY HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 104 **\$3,000 SMALL PONY WORKING HUNTER STAKE**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **SMALL PONY HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**
Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

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\$8,000 Medium Pony Hunter Section

Ponies to jump 2'6".

Classes

- 111 **\$1,000 MEDIUM PONY CONFORMATION HUNTER UNDER SADDLE**
Conformation-25%
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 112 **\$2,000 MEDIUM PONY CONFORMATION HUNTER Conformation-25%**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 113 **\$2,000 MEDIUM PONY WORKING HANDY HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 114 **\$3,000 MEDIUM PONY WORKING HUNTER STAKE**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **MEDIUM PONY HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**
Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

\$8,000 Large Pony Hunter Section

Ponies to jump 3'.

- 121 **\$1,000 LARGE PONY CONFORMATION HUNTER UNDER SADDLE**
Conformation-25%
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 122 **\$2,000 LARGE PONY CONFORMATION HUNTER Conformation-25%**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 123 **\$2,000 LARGE PONY WORKING HANDY HUNTER**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 124 **\$3,000 LARGE PONY WORKING HUNTER STAKE**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **LARGE PONY HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**
Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

GRAND CHAMPION PONY HUNTER

Awarded to the pony accumulating the most points in its respective section. In the event of a tie, the award will be made jointly.

No entry fee.

Trophy and Ribbon

171 **BEST CHILD RIDER ON PONY**

Each entry to be judged throughout the show. Post entries must be made prior to the beginning of the first Pony class. Trophy will be awarded to the rider who has demonstrated the highest quality in horsemanship and sportsmanship combined with good appearance and courtesy. To be judged by the hunter judges.

Entry Fee: \$25, Post Entry Fee: \$40

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JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER DIVISION

Horses shown in this section may cross-enter into another section if otherwise eligible and need not be ridden by a Junior Exhibitor in another section. Horses to jump 3'6".

Entry Fee: \$1,300 for each section. Individual classes may not be entered. No rider may ride more than three horses per division; two per section. You may enter as many horses as you wish. Entries will be qualified and accepted in only the height and age section entered and may not change sections for any reason.

\$8,000 Small Junior Working Hunter—Riders 15 and Under

Classes

- 131 **\$1,000 SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE, Riders 15 and Under**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 132 **\$2,000 SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER, Riders 15 and Under**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 133 **\$2,000 SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER HANDY, Riders 15 and Under**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 134 **\$3,000 SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER STAKE, Riders 15 and Under**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION, Riders 15 and Under**
Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

\$8,000 Small Junior Working Hunter—Riders 16-17

- 141 **\$1,000 SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE, Riders 16-17**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 142 **\$2,000 SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER, Riders 16-17**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 143 **\$2,000 SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER HANDY, Riders 16-17**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 144 **\$3,000 SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER STAKE, Riders 16-17**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **SMALL JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION, Riders 16-17**
Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

\$8,000 Large Junior Working Hunter—Riders 15 and Under

- 151 **\$1,000 LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE, Riders 15 & Under**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 152 **\$2,000 LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER, Riders 15 & Under**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 153 **\$2,000 LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER HANDY, Riders 15 & Under**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 154 **\$3,000 LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER STAKE, Riders 15 & Under**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION, Riders 15 & Under**
Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

\$8,000 Large Junior Working Hunter—Riders 16-17

Classes

- 161 **\$1,000 LARGE JR WORKING HUNTER UNDER SADDLE, Riders 16-17**
\$250, \$200, \$150, \$105, \$95, \$85, \$65, \$50
- 162 **\$2,000 LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER, Riders 16-17**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 163 **\$2,000 LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER HANDY, Riders 16-17**
\$500, \$350, \$275, \$225, \$200, \$175, \$150, \$125
- 164 **\$3,000 LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER STAKE, Riders 16-17**
\$700, \$550, \$375, \$325, \$250, \$225, \$175, \$150, \$125, \$125
- ❖ **LARGE JUNIOR WORKING HUNTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION, Riders 16-17**

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR HUNTER

Awarded to the horse accumulating the most points in its respective section. In the event of a tie, the award will be made jointly.

No entry fee.

Trophy and Ribbon

172 BEST CHILD RIDER ON HORSE

Each entry to be judged throughout the show. Post entries must be made prior to the beginning of the first Junior class. Trophy will be awarded to the rider who has demonstrated the highest quality in horsemanship and sportsmanship combined with good appearance and courtesy. To be judged by the hunter judges.

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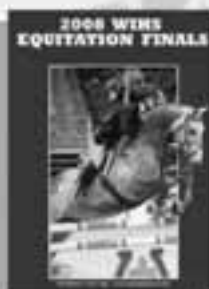
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EQUITATION

181 WIHS Equitation Finals

Invitations will be extended to the top 30 junior riders who are eligible to compete based on their points accumulated at shows starting on or after September 1, 2008, through shows starting on or before August 31, 2009. Letters of invitation will be mailed in September. **Do not enter this class until you have received official notification.** This class will be conducted as a two-phase competition (a hunter course and a jumper course) followed by a final work-off. Horses to jump 3'6" in hunter and jumper phases. The order for the first round will be drawn. The order of go for the Jumper Phase will be in reverse standing order of the Hunter Phase with the winner of the Hunter Phase competing last. The same horse must be used in all phases throughout the class. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** Riders competing in the WIHS Equitation Finals may not compete in the WIHS Pony Equitation Finals. **Entry fee: \$400.**

185 WIHS Pony Equitation Finals

Invitations will be extended to the top 25 junior riders who are eligible to compete based on their points accumulated at shows starting on or after September 1, 2008, through shows starting on or before August 31, 2009. Letters of invitation will be mailed in September. **Do not enter this class until you have received official notification.** This class will be conducted as a one-phase competition and a work-off. Ponies to jump 2'3" (small), 2'6" (medium) and 3'0" (large). The same pony must be used throughout the class. Each pony may be used by one rider only, unless the judges request a change. Conventional tack per USEF rules. Riders competing in the WIHS Pony Equitation Finals may not compete in the WIHS Equitation Finals. **Entry fee: \$300.**

WIHS Equitation and Pony Equitation competitors must be WIHS members in order for points to count for the 2009 Finals. See www.wihs.org or contact Ryegate for a WIHS Equitation membership form.

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JUMPER DIVISION

\$15,000 Junior Jumper Section

Horses shown in Amateur-Owner Jumper classes are eligible only if ridden by a junior member of the owner's family. Time in the first round will decide between horses tied for other than 1st place. **Horses competing in the International-Open Jumper Section are not eligible. No more than 2 horses per rider will be accepted in this section. You may enter as many horses as you wish.** An order will be drawn for class #203 and then rotated for classes #201 and #202. **Entry Fee: \$1,250 for this section.** Individual classes may not be entered. Classes 201 & 202 at 4'6". Class 203 at 4'9".

201 \$2,500 JUNIOR JUMPER, TIME FIRST JUMP-OFF

Table II, Sec. 2(a)

\$750, \$435, \$335, \$270, \$240, \$180, \$145, \$145

202 \$2,500 JUNIOR JUMPER, TIME FIRST ROUND

Table II, Sec. 1(a)

\$750, \$435, \$335, \$270, \$240, \$180, \$145, \$145

203 \$10,000 SENATOR'S CUP JUNIOR JUMPER STAKE, TIME FIRST JUMP-OFF (Formal attire required)

Table II, Sec. 2(a)

\$3,000, \$2,000, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$750, \$600, \$500, \$400, \$300, \$250

❖ **JUNIOR JUMPER CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION**

To be awarded to the two horses having the highest number of points in this section. In the event of a tie, the award will be made jointly.

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

❖ **STYLE OF RIDING AWARD**

To be awarded to the Junior Jumper rider who best exemplifies the American style of equitation and the respectful, dignified manner of a true sportsman. To be judged by the jumper judges and horse show personnel.

Trophy

\$15,000 Amateur-Owner Jumper Section

Horses competing in the International-Open Jumper Section are not eligible. Time in the first round will decide between horses tied for other than 1st place. No more than 2 horses per rider will be accepted in this section. You may enter as many horses as you wish. An order will be drawn for class #208 and then rotated for classes #206 and #207.

Entry Fee: \$1,250 for this section. Individual classes may not be entered. Classes 206 & 207 at 4'6". Class 208 at 4'9".

206 \$2,500 AMATEUR-OWNER JUMPER, TIME FIRST JUMP-OFF

Table II, Sec. 2(a)

\$750, \$435, \$335, \$270, \$240, \$180, \$145, \$145

207 \$2,500 AMATEUR-OWNER JUMPER, TIME FIRST ROUND

Table II, Sec. 1(a)

\$750, \$435, \$335, \$270, \$240, \$180, \$145, \$145

208 \$10,000 AMBASSADOR'S CUP AMATEUR-OWNER JUMPER CLASSIC (Formal attire required)

Table II, Sec. 2(a)

\$3,000, \$2,000, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$750, \$600, \$500, \$400, \$300, \$250

❖ **AMATEUR-OWNER JUMPER CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**

To be awarded to the two horses having the highest number of points in this section. In the event of a tie, the award will be made jointly.

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon



INTERNATIONAL-OPEN JUMPER SECTION

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This section is open to National Open Jumpers and International Open Jumpers. All National horses entered in this section must be recorded with the USEF. This section will be limited to 30 riders, 25 riders based on their ranking on the USEF Computer List dated September 4, 2009. The remaining five riders will be for non-U.S. riders according to their standings on the last FEI Rolex World Ranking list dated prior to September 4, 2009. If five or fewer foreign riders fail to enter, those remaining slots will be filled using the USEF Computer List dated September 4, 2009.

The nominating fee for the International Open Jumper Section is \$350 **per rider**. Specific showing fees are listed for each class in this section. Riders may nominate a maximum of two (2) horses to the International Open Jumper Section (not including horses that compete only in Class 214, the Puissance). Riders may only ride one horse in each class. Riders must be properly attired for all classes.

All International Open Jumper horses must be on the grounds of the Prince George's County Equestrian Center by Wednesday, October 21, 2009. All horses, along with their passports and proper credentials, must be presented at that time for the official horse inspection. Horses will then be shipped to the WIHS grounds, and must remain on the grounds for the duration of the event. Further details regarding admission to the stable area and schooling times will be sent with acceptance notices.

Riders may earn points for the USEF Computer List in the following classes:
Class 210 and Class 216

Riders may earn points for the FEI Rolex World Ranking in the following classes:
Class 210 and Class 216

Declarations for individual classes must be made by 9:00 A.M. on the day of the classes.

A starting order will be drawn and rotated for classes 210, 211, 212, 213. Separate starting orders will be drawn for class 214 (Puissance) and class 215 (Pair Relay). The starting order for class 216 will be determined from the results of classes 210 and 213 (points to be determined by number of entries in each class, with the winner receiving 2 points more than the number that competed; second place, 2 points less than the winner; third place, 3 points less than the winner, etc.). If a competitor only competes in one class, he will receive 0 points for the class he does not compete in. If a competitor does not compete in either class they will be placed at the start of the order. If there is more than one competitor who did not compete in either class there will be a separate draw among those competitors, who will be placed at the start of the order.



All Grand Prix held at this show are eligible for inclusion on the USEF Computer List.
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209 National Open Jumper Training

Fences to 1.40m

Open only to horses entered and accepted in the International/Open Jumper Section. There will be a training period in the main arena with a course consisting of approximately eight obstacles including a combination. Each competitor is permitted a maximum of 90 seconds per horse. Dress is informal; boots, breeches, shirt and a hard hat must be worn.

No Entry Fee., No Prize Money

210 \$30,000 INTERNATIONAL-OPEN JUMPER TIME FIRST JUMP OFF

Maximum fence height 1.50 m. In the event of equality of penalties for first place, there will be one jump-off against the clock. Other competitors are placed according to their penalties and time in the first round. FEI Table A, Art. 238.2.2. Speed 350 meters per minute.

Showing Fee: \$400

\$9,000, \$6,600, \$3,900, \$2,400, \$1,800, \$1,500, \$1,200, \$900, \$900, \$600, \$600, \$600

211 \$20,000 INTERNATIONAL-OPEN JUMPER GAMBLER'S CHOICE/TOP SCORE COSTUME CLASS

In this top scoring competition, each obstacle carries a point value of 20 to 120 according to its difficulty. The obstacles may be jumped in both directions. Each competitor has 50 seconds to accumulate a maximum number of points. Each obstacle may be jumped twice, with the exception of the joker. Upon crossing the finish-line, each competitor has 20 seconds to make one attempt at the joker. If it is jumped correctly, 200 points will be added to the score, but if it is knocked down, 200 points will be deducted. The winner will be the competitor with the greatest number of points. FEI Art. 270. Fixed time: 50 seconds. Maximum fence height 1.45 m. (Exception: Joker)

Showing Fee: \$300

\$6,000, \$4,000, \$2,400, \$2,000, \$1,500, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$800, \$600, \$500

212 \$15,000 INTERNATIONAL-OPEN JUMPER TABLE C FAULTS CONVERTED

Maximum fence height 1.40 m. In the event of equality of penalties and time for first place, one jump-off against the clock may take place. Other competitors are placed according to their penalties and time in the first round. FEI Table C - Article 239
Speed: 350 meters per minute.

Showing Fee: \$250

\$4,250, \$3,000, \$1,700, \$1,350, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$900, \$700, \$500, \$400

213 \$20,000 INTERNATIONAL-OPEN JUMPER TABLE C FAULTS CONVERTED

Maximum fence height 1.50 m. In the event of equality of penalties and time for first place, one jump-off against the clock may take place. Other competitors are placed according to their penalties and time in the first round. FEI Table C - Article 239
Speed: 350 meters per minute.

Showing Fee: \$300

\$6,000, \$4,000, \$2,400, \$2,000, \$1,500, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$800, \$600, \$500



214 **\$25,000 INTERNATIONAL-OPEN JUMPER PUISSANCE**

The initial round will be comprised of 4 to 6 single obstacles of which at least one must be a wall or vertical obstacle which may vary from 1.70 m to 1.80 m in height. Successive compulsory jump-offs are conducted over a reduced number of enlarged jumps until only two, one spread jump and one vertical jump, remain. If at the end of the third jump-off there is no result, the Ground Jury may stop the competition. After the fourth jump-off, the Ground Jury must stop the competition. The competitors left in the competition are placed equally. FEI Art. 262.2.

Showing Fee: \$350

\$8,000, \$5,000, \$3,000, \$2,250, \$2,000, \$1,750, \$1,500, \$1,500

215 **\$15,000 INTERNATIONAL-OPEN JUMPER PAIR RELAY**

This competition is for teams of two. Each team will enter the ring together. The entire course must be jumped twice in the correct order by either competitor. One change is mandatory. Competitors may change over as often as they wish. A change is obligatory whenever a fault is incurred. A fault is indicated by an audible signal at which time the other competitor continues the course from the next obstacle. In the event of a disobedience, the other competitor must jump the obstacle at which the fault occurred and then continue on course. Faults incurred are penalized by adding four seconds for each occurrence to the time of the round. Should a competitor jump an obstacle before his partner has landed over the preceding obstacle, the pair will be eliminated. The fastest overall time wins. In case of a tie for first place, there will be a compulsory jump-off over a shortened course. FEI Table C, Art. 268.5. Jumps to 1.40 m. Speed 350 meters per minute.

Showing Fee: \$300 per pair

Per pair: \$6,000, \$4,000, \$3,000, \$2,000

216 **\$100,000 INTERNATIONAL-OPEN JUMPER PRESIDENT'S CUP FEI**

WORLD CUP QUALIFYING CLASS – To count towards USEF computer list Maximum fence height 1.60 m. FEI Table A, Art. 238.2.2 and Art 652.2 of the FEI World Cup Rules. Speed 350 meters per minute.

Showing Fee: \$800

\$30,000, \$22,000, \$13,000, \$8,000, \$6,000, \$5,000,
\$4,000, \$3,000, \$3,000, \$2,000, \$2,000, \$2,000

An additional \$5,000 will be awarded and divided equally among competitors who clear the course in the fourth jump-off.

❖ **LEADING RIDER AWARD**

To be awarded to the overall leading rider accumulating the highest number of points in the International-Open Jumper section. Ribbons won in class 216 to count 7,5,4,3,2,1. Ribbons won in classes 210, 211, 213, 214 and 215 to count 8,6,4,3,2,1. Ribbons won in class 212 to count 12,8,6,3,2,1. In the event of a tie, the award will be made jointly.

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❖ **LEADING INTERNATIONAL RIDER AWARD**

To be awarded to the overall leading international rider accumulating the highest number of points in the International-Open Jumper section. Ribbons won in class 216 to count 7,5,4,3,2,1. Ribbons won in classes 210, 211, 213, 214 and 215 to count 8,6,4,3,2,1. Ribbons won in class 212 to count 12, 8,6, 3,2,1. In the event of a tie, the award will be made jointly.

Trophy and Ribbon



FEI RULES AND REGULATIONS

This event is organized in accordance with:

- FEI Statutes, 22nd edition, revision effective 21st November 2008,
- FEI General Regulations, 23rd edition, revision effective 1st January 2009,
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 11th edition 1st January 2009,
- The Rules for Jumping Events, 23rd edition, effective 1st January 2009, and the Rules for the World Cup™ Jumping Events.
- All subsequent published revisions, the provisions of which will take precedence.
- An arbitration procedure is provided for in the FEI Statutes and General Regulations referred to above. In accordance with this procedure, any appeal against a decision rendered by the FEI or its official bodies is to be settled exclusively by the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) in Lausanne, Switzerland.
- It is the responsibility of NFs to ensure their participants are of the correct age.

VETERINARY EXAMINATIONS, HORSE INSPECTIONS & PASSPORT CONTROLS

These will be carried out in accordance with the “Veterinary Regulations”, Art. 1011 & the discipline rules.

“General Regulations”, 22nd Edition, effective 1st January 2009 will apply:

Art. 139.1

Every horse entered for any competition at CNs or CIMs (see Appendix D) in a foreign country (see GRs 141.2), and all horses entered for other CIs, CIOs, Championships, Regional and Olympic Games, whether at home or in foreign countries (see GRs 141.2), must have an official, valid FEI Passport, or a National Passport approved by the FEI and accompanied by an FEI Recognition Card and, when applicable, an FEI registration number, as a means of identification and to establish ownership.

Art. 139.2

Horses taking part in CNs and CIMs (see Appendix D) in their country of residence are not required to have such a passport as is mentioned in paragraph 1. All such horses must be properly registered and identifiable and, unless there is no national requirement for equine influenza vaccination in the host country and in the country of origin all horses must have a valid vaccination certificate.

EQUINE INFLUENZA VACCINATION, VET. REGS. ANNEX VII (except events taking place in NZL & AUS)

All horses and ponies for which an FEI Passport, or a National Passport approved by the FEI has been issued, must have the vaccination section endorsed by a veterinarian, stating that it has received two injections for primary vaccination against equine influenza, given between 1 and 3 months apart. In addition, a booster injection must be recorded as having been given within each succeeding 6 months, subsequent to the second injection of the primary vaccination. None of these injections must have been given within the preceding 7 days including the day of the competition or of entry into the competition stables.

The above are the minimum requirements for influenza vaccination. Both primary and first and subsequent booster injections should be given according to the manufacturer's instructions which will fall within the stipulation of the FEI ruling.

SAMPLING FOR PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES (Vet. Regs. Chapter V & VI and Annex IV)

Regular sampling is carried out in CCI3*/4*, CSIs (3*, 4*, 5*), CIOs, World Cup Qualifiers and Finals, Championships and Games, whereas at other CIs sampling is recommended.

When testing takes place, the number of horses tested is at the discretion of the Testing Veterinarian/Veterinary Delegate; however, a minimum of three is recommended (Vet. Regs. Art. 1016)

Special guidelines are applicable for events covered by the FEI Medication Control Programme (Groups I & II only).

MEDICATION CONTROL PROGRAMME (GROUP I & II ONLY)

The Organizing Committees of FEI events within Groups I & II are advised to charge competitors the equivalent of CHF 12.50 per horse per event as a contribution towards the costs of the MCP programme.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ENTRY OF HORSES/PONIES:

United States regulations require that all equines be covered by official interstate health certificates, issued by a licensed veterinarian, showing that the animals are free from any symptoms of any infectious or communicable disease. The certificate shall include the name of the owner and address, destination, number of horses examined, the name, registration numbers(s), if any, tattoo, if any, sex, age, rectal temperature, color, and marking of each animal listed. Health certificates will become void after 30 days from issue. Health certificates must show animals to be negative to an equine infectious anemia test within the past 12 months. Date of test and approved laboratory must be shown on the health certificate. Equine Rhinopneumonitis vaccination is not required; however, if any animal is vaccinated, it is ineligible for entry within 21 days of vaccination. Vehicles transporting animals must have certificates showing that they were cleaned and disinfected under veterinary supervision prior to loading. This information can be written on the health certificate.

CUSTOMS' FORMALITIES

Before a horse can enter the United States, it must have an import permit, a health certificate from the country of origin (signed by a veterinarian), and a negative CEM culture taking within 30 days of import (for mares and stallions). If allowed into the country, all horses must be placed in federal quarantine at a USDA animal import center, which usually lasts two or three days. In the United States, there are four ports of entry for horses coming into this country—Los Angeles, Calif; Newburg, N.Y.; Miami, Fla.; and Honolulu, Hawaii.

Each horse brought into this country must pass through one of these USDA facilities. During that time, the horse will be tested and observed for clinical signs of illness resulting from "exotic" diseases such as dourine, glanders, piroplasmosis, or more common diseases such as influenza. After quarantine, the mares and stallions over 731 days of age (two years) which are new to our country must undergo CEM quarantine at a separate facility.

NF's holding an international event in their country should inform their national veterinary authority and their customs authority at least four weeks prior to the event. They should request every facility to assist the movement of horses/ponies accompanied by FEI passports and the necessary veterinary certification at frontier crossing points into and out of their countries. (Vet. Regs. Art. 1004.2)

INSURANCES

All owners and competitors are personally responsible for damages to third persons caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses. They are therefore strongly advised to take out third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date."

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Every class offered herein, which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book, will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Preliminary Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A nonmember may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$30 nonmember registration fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; 7) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) Opportunity classes, 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaultor or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of The United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the local rules of the competition.

I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and of the competition. I will accept as final the decision of the Hearing Committee on any question arising under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the competition, the Federation, their officials, directors and employees for any action taken under the Rules.

I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered.

I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cablecasts, or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation.

The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the laws of the State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State. See GR908.4.

"AA" in Green Working and Green Conformation Hunter, Regular Working and Regular Conformation Hunter, Amateur-Owner Hunter, Junior Hunter, Hunter Pony; "C" in Adult Amateur Hunter, Children's Hunter; "B" in Jumpers

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Thirty horse/rider combinations will be accepted, based on points accumulated in WIHS qualifying classes at shows starting on or after September 1, 2008, through shows starting on or before August 31, 2009. In addition, the overall children's and adult hunter champions at the WIHS local competition will automatically qualify. Riders are limited to showing two horses in the Hunter Championships. Riders may not compete in any other hunter class at the Washington International Horse Show. Horses may not compete in any other class at the WIHS except the WIHS Equitation Finals.

Please note: Horses must be entered for WIHS Children's & Adult Hunter and Jumper Championships. Entries must be made on the official entry form and must be postmarked on or before Tuesday, September 1, 2009. No Application Fee.

To be judged on performance and soundness, suitability and manners to count. To be scored under the open numerical judging system. Each competitor will jump one round of approximately 10 fences. The 12 horses/ponies with the highest scores from the first round will return to jump a second round. In the event of a tie that affects the selection of the top 12, one judge's score will be designated as the tie breaker. The scores of the 12 horses/ponies in the second round will be added to their first-round scores and placed in order of their total score for the two rounds. Horses/ponies tied for first place only will jump a third round over a shortened course. Ties for all other places will remain tied. Formal attire required.

To be shown over a course of approximately 10 jumps not to exceed 3' in height with spreads to 3'. Children's Hunter Ponies will jump 2'6"; spreads to 2'6".

186 \$10,000 WIHS Children's Hunter Championship

Open to junior riders who are eligible to compete in the Children's Hunter section as defined by the rules in Zone 3.

Entry Fee: \$500

\$2,000, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$850, \$750, \$750, \$650, \$650, \$600, \$550, \$500, \$500

187 \$10,000 WIHS Adult Amateur Hunter Championship

Open to amateur riders who are eligible to compete in the Adult Amateur Hunter section as defined by the rules in Zone 3.

Entry Fee: \$500

\$2,000, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$850, \$750, \$750, \$650, \$650, \$600, \$550, \$500, \$500

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Please note: Horses must be entered for WIHS Children's & Adult Hunter and Jumper Championships. Entries must be made on the official entry form and must be postmarked on or before Tuesday, September 1, 2009. No Application Fee.

The classes will be run under Table II, Sec. 2(a). Time First Jump-Off. The first round and first jump-off, if any, are decided by adding together the faults incurred over the course and any penalties for exceeding the time allowed. In the event of equality of faults after the first round, there will be one jump-off for the first place in which time will decide in the event of equality of faults. Time in the first round will decide between horses tied for other than 1st place.

To be shown over a course of approximately 10 jumps. Horses to jump 3'9".

188 \$10,000 WIHS Children's Jumper Championship

Open to junior riders who are eligible to compete in the Children's Jumper section as defined by the rules in Zone 3.

Entry Fee: \$500

\$2,000, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$850, \$750, \$750,
\$650, \$650, \$600, \$550, \$500, \$500

189 \$10,000 WIHS Adult Amateur Jumper Championship

Open to amateur riders who are eligible to compete in the Adult Amateur Jumper section as defined by the rules in Zone 3.

Entry Fee: \$500

\$2,000, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$850, \$750, \$750,
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WIHS Local Hunter Finals

A special Local Weekend will be held October 16-18, 2009, at the Prince George's Equestrian Center in Upper Marlboro, Maryland. Classes will be held for small, medium and large ponies and children's and adult amateur hunters; horses and ponies to be owned by exhibitors living within 100 miles of the nation's capital, based on owners zip code. Owner listed on the entry blank must be the owner listed on the horses USHJA Registration Papers or provide proof of ownership or lease. The top four in each pony hunter section, the top four in each children's hunter section, and the top four in each adult amateur hunter section will qualify to compete at Verizon Center in the WIHS Local Hunter Finals. (See Cross Entry Restrictions on page 14 for further details.)

191 WIHS LOCAL HUNTER FINALS (HORSES)

To be shown over a course of 8-10 fences not to exceed 3' in height, spreads to 3'.

To be judged on performance and soundness.

No Entry Fee.

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

❖ WIHS LOCAL HUNTER GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION

To be awarded to the two horses accumulating the highest number of points in this section. Points will carry forward from the WIHS Local Weekend at Prince George's Equestrian Center. Bonus points in Class 191 will count as follows: 15, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2, 1. In the event of a tie for Grand Champion the horse with the highest placing in Class 191 will be Grand Champion.

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

193 WIHS LOCAL HUNTER FINALS (PONIES)

To be shown over a course of 8-10 fences. Small ponies to jump 2', medium ponies to jump 2', large ponies to jump 2'6". Spreads not to exceed fence height. To be judged on performance and soundness.

No Entry Fee.

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

❖ WIHS LOCAL PONY GRAND CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION

To be awarded to the two ponies accumulating the highest number of points in this section. Points will carry forward from the WIHS Local Weekend at Prince George's Equestrian Center. Bonus points in Class 193 will count as follows: 15, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2, 1. In the event of a tie for Grand Champion the horse with the highest placing in Class 193 will be Grand Champion.

Trophy and Ribbon, Ribbon

The \$15,000 WIHS Hunter Classic Derby

Class is by invitation. No Entry Fee.

The WIHS Hunter Classic Derby is a two-round competition. The Champions from each of the following sections will be invited: Green Conformation, Regular Conformation, First Year Green Working, Second Year Green Working, Regular Working, Amateur-Owner (35 and Older), Amateur-Owner (Under 35), Small Junior Hunter (15 and Under), Small Junior Hunter (16-17), Large Junior Hunter (15 and Under) and Large Junior Hunter (16-17). In the event the Champion from any of the sections cannot compete, the Reserve Champion in that section will be invited. The first round will take place over a hunter-type course at 3' 6" and will be judged by three judges. Each judge will give one numerical score. The three scores will be averaged.

The top six horses will be invited back to jump a second round which will consist of a handy-type course. Each judge will give a second-round score and the three scores will be averaged. The second-round score will be combined with the first-round score to produce a total two round score. The horse with the highest two-round score will be the winner.

To be judged on brilliance, performance and soundness – suitability and manners to count.

To be scored under the open numerical judging system. Any ties will be broken by the scores in the second round. Formal attire required.

Prize Money Awarded:

\$5,000, \$3,000, \$2,500, \$2,000, \$1,500, \$1,000

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