



**FRIDAY  
JUNE 11, 2021**

## PARKER HUNTER RING

**8:00 AM**

- 57 A/O Hunter 3'6" - 36+
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- 59 A/O Hunter 3'6" - 36+ U/S
- 52 A/O Hunter 3'6" - 18-35
- 53 A/O Hunter 3'6" - 18-35
- 54 A/O Hunter 3'6" - 18-35 US
- 42 A/O Hunter 3'3" - 18-35
- 43 A/O Hunter 3'3" - 18-35
- 47 A/O Hunter 3'3" - 36+
- 48 A/O Hunter 3'3" - 36+
- 504 Markel Ins. A/O Hunter Classic
- 223 Best A/O Hunter Rider
- 509 Paul & Eve Go As You Pls. Handy

## HUNTER RING II

**8:00 AM**

- 202 USEF Pony Medal (w/ division)
- 208 VHSA Pony Equitation (w/division)
- 90 Small Pony Conformation Hunter
- 91 Small Pony Hunter \*
- 94 Small Pony Hunter U/S
- 95 Medium Pony Conformation Htr
- 96 Medium Pony Hunter \*
- 99 Medium Pony Hunter U/S
- 100 Large Pony Conformation Hunter
- 101 Large Pony Hunter \*
- 104 Large Pony Hunter U/S

## B&D BUILDERS JUMPER RING

**8:00 AM**

- 666 1.35m \$2k Seven Yr Old Qualifier
- 633 1.30m Medium Jr/Am/AO Jumper
- 636 1.40m High Jr/Am/AO Jumper

**1:00 PM**

- 851 \$73k Upperville Welcome Stakes

## HORSEFLIGHT JUMPER RING

**8:00 AM**

- 630 1.20m Low Jr/AO/Am Jumper
- 901 1.10m The Masters Jumper
- 650 1.10m High Adult Jumper
- 644 1.10m High Children's Jumper

## *Rodrigo Pessoa and Venice Beach Emerge Victorious in \$37,000 Power & Speed Stakes CSI4\* at Upperville Colt & Horse Show*



International show jumping kicked off at the 168th Upperville Colt & Horse Show (UCHS) Thursday afternoon with the \$37,000 Power & Speed Stakes CSI4\*, presented by Sotheby's International Realty. Forty-nine athletes from six countries tried their hand over the track, with 19 combinations producing double-clear efforts. The fastest performance belonged to Brazil's Rodrigo Pessoa and Venice Beach, owned by Artemis Equestrian LLC.

Brazil's Marina Azevedo designed a welcoming track for the first FEI event of the week, featuring two double combinations and two liverpools. The speed phase of the course offered several options for inside turns to shave off time and top the leaderboard. Ireland's Jordan Coyle was seventh in the ring and set the early pace to beat in a clear 30.32 seconds with Elan Farm's Eristov.

Olympian McLain Ward (USA) took over the lead midway through the class with Susan Heller's Blossom Z, stopping the clock at 30.07 seconds, which would hold up for 11 more rounds until Pessoa stepped into the B&D Builders Jumper 1 ring with Venice Beach. He and the 12-year-old Hanoverian mare by Voltaire were hoof perfect, slicing through the middle of the arena upon advancing to the speed phase and leaving a stride out to the final fence to break the beam 29.68 seconds to top the leaderboard.



Molly Ashe Cawley (USA) tried to catch Ward with Louisburg Farm's Berdien, but she was just 2/10ths of a second shy of the time, finishing with a clear effort in 29.80 seconds to take over the second place position. In the end, Pessoa took home the victory, while Ward and Coyle placed third and fourth, respectively.

Pessoa was thrilled with the mare's performance, stepping up the pace in the second half of the course after Venice Beach jumped so well in the first round. A consistent competitor in speed classes, Pessoa and Venice Beach will return to the arena Saturday for the \$37,000 Speed Stakes CSI4\*.

Thursday's competition wrapped up later in the afternoon with the \$30,000 Upperville American Standard Grand Prix, presented by the Ingram Family. Twenty horses advanced to the tiebreaker where Mimi Gochman claimed three of the top five spots, including the victory with Celina BH. David Blake took home the second place position with Dy Zento, while Abigail McArdle and Victorio 5 rounded out the top three.

International show jumping competition will continue at the Upperville Colt & Horse Show throughout the week. Friday's highlight event will be the \$73,000 Upperville Welcome Stakes CSI4\*, followed by the \$37,000 Speed Stakes CSI4\* Saturday. The pinnacle of the competition will be held Sunday as athletes vie for the top honors in the \$213,300 Upperville Jumper Classic CSI4\*.





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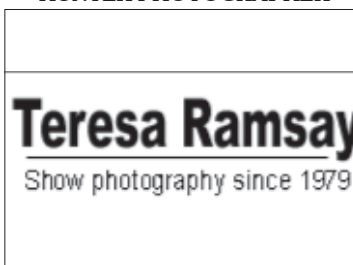
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## Dominic Gibbs and Cent 15 Clinch the Platinum Performance/ USEF Show Jumping Talent Search 2\* at Upperville Colt & Horse Show



Equitation competition the Upperville Colt & Horse Show kicked off Thursday morning with the Platinum Performance/USEF Show Jumping Talent Search 2\* and the ASPCA Maclay taking to the HorseFlight Arena of the historic showgrounds. Besting 30 of the country's top junior riders in the Platinum Performance/USEF Show Jumping Talent Search 2\* was Dominic Gibbs and Cent 15, while Alexander Alston and Canny Windsor Z took home the win in the ASPCA Maclay.

The Platinum Performance/USEF Show Jumping Talent Search 2\* over fences track, designed by Nick Granat (USA), consisted of 14-efforts in a time allowed of 69 seconds, which included a one-stride, a two-stride and multiple bending lines. Riders then had the option to jump an open-water jump or a skinny vertical for the final jump in course. Following the jumping phase, 12 riders were invited back for the flat portion of the class, bidding them one final chance to make a positive impression on the judge. Gibbs, who trains with Stacia Klein-Madden and the Beacon Hill Show Stables team, and Mountain King Ranch LLC's Cent 15 continued to wow the judges, ultimately nabbing the win at the conclusion of the two phases. While Cent 15 has been out of the competition ring since the 2021 Winter Equestrian Festival, the 2020 ASPCA Maclay Finals champions did not miss a beat in tackling their first show back together, further solidifying their status as one of the most competitive equitation partnerships in the country.



Following the Platinum Performance/USEF Talent Search 2\* class, the ASPCA Maclay welcomed 33 entries to compete over a 10-effort track, once again designed by Granat. Besting the field of junior athletes were Alston and Peacock Ridge LLC's Canny Windsor Z. The pair is coming off a strong few weeks at the Tryon International Equestrian Center after only beginning their partnership during the 2021 Winter Equestrian Festival. Training under Missy Clark and John Brennan of North Run, Alston has his sights set on the major 2021 equitation championships set to take place in the Fall.

Concluding the day in the Parker Hunter Ring, Dominic and Jordan Gibbs claimed the first and second place spots in the Dover/USEF Hunt Seat Medal. Dominic and Cent 15 came back in the top spot for the test and maintained their lead to win. Jordan and Mountain King Ranch LLC's Limitless impressed the judges and moved up from the fifth spot for the red rosette, rounding out top performances for the Gibbs family on Thursday.

Competition in the hunter divisions at the UCHS will continue Friday, June 11, beginning at 8 a.m, closing out the Amateur-Owner divisions and concluding with the Paul and Eve "Go As You Please" Handy Hunter. The regular pony hunters will be featured in Hunter Ring II.



### In The Winner's Circle

#### Green Conformation Hunter

**Champion:** Scott Stewart  
Charlemagne (Dr. Betsee Parker)  
**Reserve:** Evan Coluccio  
Radio City (Donald Stewart)

#### High Performance Conformation Hunter

**Champion:** Evan Coluccio  
Pritchard Hill (Balmoral)  
**Reserve:** Scott Stewart  
For Always (Dr. Betsee Parker)

#### Green 3'9" Hunter

**Champion:** Hunt Tosh  
Autograph (Ceil & Kenny Wheeler)  
**Reserve:** Scott Stewart  
Love Note (Richard Prant)

#### High Performance Hunter

**Champion:** Amanda Steege  
Lafitte De Muze (Cheryl Olsten)  
**Reserve:** Scott Stewart  
Hudson (Dr. Betsee Parker)

#### Adult Amateur Hunter 36-49

**Champion:** Linda Shuford  
Candy Crush (Linda Shuford)  
**Reserve:** Alexandra Beyrer  
CSF Sir George (Alexandra Beyrer)

#### Adult Amateur 50+ Hunter

**Champion:** Cynthia Giorgio  
Best Of (Gabriella Conte)  
**Reserve:** Clementina Brown  
Monarch (Clementina Brown)

#### 1.30m Jumpers

**Champion:** Brooke Kemper  
Chlotillo (Elizabeth Maloney)  
**Reserve:** William Coleman  
TKS Cooley (TKS Cooley Syndicate)  
**Reserve:** Conor O'Regan  
Tiadora DR (Dynamite Ranch)  
**Reserve:** Paige Cade  
Lena M (Country Fox Farm Inc.)

#### 1.35m Jumpers

**Champion:** Harold Chopping  
Fast Forward (Rein Family LLC)  
**Champion:** Karl Cook  
Coronado Blue NF (Signe Ostby)  
**Champion:** Quentin Judge  
HH Qualido (Double H Farm)

#### 1.40m Jumpers

**Champion:** Gavin Harley  
Kavalli De Magico (Clear Ride LLC)  
**Champion:** Alison Robitaille  
Happiness (Alison Firestone LLC)  
**Champion:** Quentin Judge  
HH Qualido (Double H Farm)

#### 5-Year-Old Jumpers

**Champion:** Agustin Rosales  
Kandoo PJ (Gail Dady)  
**Reserve:** Agustin Rosales  
Tornado PJ (Gail Dady)

#### 6-Year-Old Jumpers

**Champion:** Cathleen Driscoll  
Conajita (Dorothy Cox)  
**Reserve:** Victoria Ketchum  
Patience VD Dries (Copperline Farm)

#### Adult Amateur 18-35 Hunter Section A

**Champion:** Kate Howlin  
Incognito (Kate Howlin)  
**Reserve:** Samantha Schiff  
Try It Again (Samantha Schiff)

#### Adult Amateur 18-35 Hunter Section B

**Champion:** Alexa Weisman  
Status (Krista & Alexa Weisman)  
**Reserve:** Devon Winsor  
Unspoken (Alexandra Bukowski)  
**Reserve:** Kathryn Kranking  
Mahalo (Kathryn Kranking)



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