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WELCOME

from
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This year, virtually every aspect of our world has changed in ways we could have never foreseen. The Washington International Horse Show (WIHS) presented by MARS Equestrian™ has had to adapt and rethink tradition to find the safest possible path forward in support of our loyal competitors and those who make a living in the sport. We are pleased that through a special

collaboration between WIHS, the Pennsylvania National Horse Show (PNHS), US Equestrian (USEF), and Tryon International Equestrian Center (TIEC), WIHS will look very different this year, but will still offer the same level of prestige and achievement as in the past.

I would like to personally thank all those involved for persevering through the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic to put a plan in place to host the WIHS Equitation and Pony Equitation Finals, and WIHS Children's and Adult Championships at TIEC October 21-25, 2020. While qualified riders for WIHS will have their moments to shine, a great tradition will also continue in 2020. We are proud to have the 62nd President's Cup Grand Prix presented by MARS Equestrian™ take place at TIEC as a CSI4* grand prix event.

A show like WIHS depends on the support of many, especially in a year filled with so much uncertainty. After pledging support as the presenting sponsor of WIHS in 2019, MARS Equestrian™ stepped up to renew their support for 2020, and will also become the presenting sponsor of the President's Cup Grand Prix. Such enthusiasm, cooperation, and commitment from MARS Equestrian™, the WIHS Board of Directors, and all of our sponsors is appreciated beyond words.

The horse show world – like the rest of the world – had to adapt, but thanks to efforts by so many individuals, organizations, and governing bodies, WIHS is well positioned to go forward. In addition, horse sport fans will still be able to watch WIHS competition thanks to full live stream coverage on USEF Network.

The health and safety of WIHS exhibitors, staff, and sponsors are top priority for WIHS in this unprecedented year. Safety protocols will be enacted to provide as contactless and safe an experience as possible, including a single entry point to TIEC, temperature checks, mandatory masks, social distancing enforcement, as well as online entry and check-in procedures.

None of this would be possible without dedicated board members, partners, staff, and friends of WIHS contributing their special talents and passion to make this show a success, despite the challenges we all continue to face. I wish our competitors the best of luck this year, and look forward to many more years to come!

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Victoria Lowell".

Victoria Lowell, WIHS President

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Laura Wasserman's Boss,

WIHS Grand Champion Hunter (2015);

Small Junior Hunter Champion (2017-2019).

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TIME SCHEDULE

All classes will be streamed live on USEF Network and Tryon.com

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21

Grand Hunter Ring - Afternoon

190 WIHS Children's Hunter Championship

192 WIHS Adult Hunter Championship

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22

Tryon Stadium - Morning

186 WIHS Children's Jumper Championship

188 WIHS Adult Jumper Championship

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23

Grand Hunter Ring - Afternoon

181 WIHS Equitation Finals - Hunter Phase

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24

Tryon Stadium - Morning

181 WIHS Equitation Finals - Jumper Phase

181 WIHS Equitation Finals - Final Work-Off (Prior to 2:00 p.m. Grand Prix)

❖ WIHS Equitation Finals Championship Presentation

Tryon Stadium - Afternoon

2:00 p.m. WIHS President's Cup Grand Prix CSI4* Presented by MARS Equestrian™

For the President's Cup Grand Prix only: This class is run through Tryon's Fall Series - Fall 6. Entries must be completed through Tryon's show system at www.tryon.com

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25

Pony Ring - Morning

185 WIHS Pony Equitation Finals

NOTE: Class schedule is tentative and subject to change. Visit wihs.org for updates.

COMPETITION RINGS

All competition/riding rings have all-weather footing that consists of sand and synthetic material mixture and draining system.

Ring Size: Rings 1-4: 178'x390' each; Tryon Stadium: 310'x250'; Rings 6/7: 370'x420', Ring 8: 150'x691'; International Arena: 260'x325'; Longeing Area: 420'x115'.

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TIEC Official Veterinary

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Management reserves the right to vary this list.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Entries/Qualifying: Brett Waters, Show Secretary, 202-679-5660, WIHSsecretary@wihs.org

Enter Online: <http://entries.showmanagementsystem.com>

Stabling (TIEC): 828-863-1003

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Hotels (TIEC): On-site accommodation: Visit tryon.coth.com/page/lodging-online-booking or call 828-863-1025.

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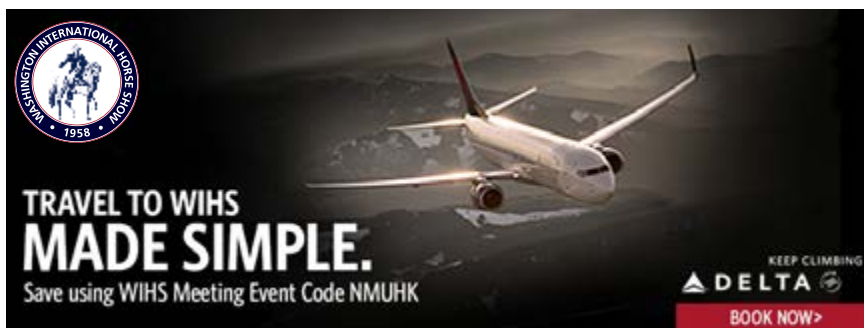


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DIRECTIONS TO THE SHOW

FROM ASHEVILLE NC:

Take I-26 E then US 74 E to exit 170 . Take a right on to Pea Ridge Rd.
At the roundabout, follow signs to TIEC. The showgrounds are on the left.

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Spartanburg, SC 29303
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Distance to Show: 6.5 miles
101 Hospital Drive
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ENTRIES & QUALIFICATIONS

ENTRIES

ENTRIES CLOSE TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2020.

An application must be submitted for all horses including all horses in the WIHS Children's and Adult Hunter and Jumper Championships, except for WIHS Equitation riders, who will receive invitations.

All competitors and trainers must submit entries electronically through the Show Management System™ Platform: <http://entries.showmanagementsystem.com>, with which we process entries and communicate with competitors about acceptance status. All entries will be charged a \$5 non-refundable entry processing fee payable to Show Management System™ at the time of submission. This fee applies to all entries.

Entries submitted after midnight Tuesday, September 15, 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.

For Entry Questions, Please Contact:

WIHSsecretary@wihs.org

Tel 202-679-5660

- **Submit \$155 with your entry (\$150 application fee + \$5 entry processing fee) for each horse entered (non-refundable).**
- All Health Papers must be with the horses and will be checked upon arrival. Do not bring to office.
 - 1 - Negative Coggins test within one year.
 - 2 - Proof of EHV1 and EHV4 vaccinations within 6 months as per USEF Rule GR845
 - 3 - Out-of-state horses must have a 30-day interstate health certificate.See page [24](#) for details.
- Each entry form must be signed by the owner, rider, trainer and coach (if applicable). Said signature shall constitute verification that the information contained therein 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.
- Signed US Equestrian Federation Waiver and Release of Liability Form. See [page 42](#) for details.
- USEF measurement cards, amateur certification, and membership cards or copies must be provided to the horse show office before numbers will be released.

QUALIFICATION: The show will limit the number of entries accepted in all sections. Qualifying lists will be posted in September on the WIHS website, wihs.org.

- **Please see each section/division for the maximum number of horses or ponies allowed per rider. You may enter as many horses or ponies as you wish, however, you are responsible for complying with the restrictions in each section/division.**
- Acceptance letters will be emailed in September to the name and address specified on the entry form. Payment in full as billed on the acceptance invoice must be submitted online by the specified date; entries not paid in full by that date will not be permitted to show. If response to acceptance letter is not received by the date specified in the acceptance letter, management will move down the list.
- 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.

Alternate Qualifying Criteria

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 \$100 will be assessed for each entry.

APPROXIMATE NUMBER TO BE ACCEPTED

WIHS Equitation	40
WIHS Pony Equitation.....	25
WIHS Children's Hunters	29
WIHS Children's Jumpers	25
WIHS Adult Hunters	29
WIHS Adult Jumpers	25

CROSS ENTRY RESTRICTIONS

Horses will not be allowed to cross enter into the TEIC Fall series shows the same week they are entered to compete in the WIHS Equitation Finals. WIHS Pony Equitation and WIHS Adult and Children's Hunter and Jumper Finals horses and ponies will be permitted to cross enter.

SUBSTITUTIONS: 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.

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RULES & REGULATIONS

PRIZE MONEY: Prize money will be mailed within 30 days of the conclusion of the show to the owner or designee as listed on the entry form. No prize money will be mailed unless the payee's social security number and complete address are listed on the entry blank.

All prize money and refund checks must be cashed by December 31, 2020. After that date, checks are null and void and will not be re-issued.

REFUND POLICY/SCRATCHES

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

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

- If written notification is received prior to 8:00 a.m. EST Wednesday, October 7, 2020, entry fee will be refunded less \$155 (\$150 application fee + \$5 entry processing fee).
- If written notification is received after 8:00 a.m. EST Wednesday, October 7, 2020, but prior to 8:00 a.m. EST Saturday, October 10, 2020, one-half of entry fee will be refunded.
- Unless written notification is received by 8:00 a.m. EST Saturday, October 10, 2020, no portion of **entries or fees** will be refunded.
- In the event of a cancellation of the show, WIHS will refund the \$150 application fee along with any additional payments made before the cancellation date.

USEF MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT:

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Modified Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A non-member 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 \$45 Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) headline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot (exception: Friesian performance FR218) 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.

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Masks are mandatory onsite at all times, including barns, unless mounted on a horse. Temperature checks are mandatory for access to Tryon Resort.

TIEC GROUND ACCESS AND WRISTBAND POLICY:

All individuals entering the competitions grounds will be required to be credentialed. Additional information to complete credentialing forms will be included with acceptance packets

STABLING/FEED & BEDDING:

The Stabling/Feed Office may be reached at 828-863-1003.

WIHS Stabling Fees: \$390 Stall/Facility fee includes: Equine Nighttime Security, COVID-19 fee, ambulance and medical fee and a facility fee. In addition, all participants at Tryon are covered by ShowPlus.

Stalls: Permanent 10x12 stalls of wood/metal construction and temporary 10x10 stall of canvas/metal construction with doors. Stall flooring is rubber mats over stone dust. Locking tack stalls may also be available.

Stalls are not refundable after the closing date.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ENTRY OF HORSES/PONIES

The state of North Carolina requires a **Negative Coggins Test** within the last 12 months of the horse show, a **Routine Health Certificate** within 30 days for horses crossing into the State, and proof of EHV1 and EHV4 **vaccination** within 6 months as per USEF Rule GR845. **All health paperwork vaccination must be presented upon arrival.** All certificates subject to inspection by North Carolina State Board of Health.

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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.
- WIHS is not responsible for errors, omissions or typographical errors in the prize list.
- 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.
- Waiver: the Washington International Horse Show Association, Ltd., shall not be responsible for any accident, loss, injury or damage to persons or property which may occur to any spectator, guest, rider, driver, groom, trainer, attendant or other employee, animal or equipment at the Washington International Horse Show and the site of the Washington International Horse Show.
- All owners and competitors are personally responsible for damages to third persons caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses/ponies. 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.

POLING:

Manual poling or the use of bamboo off-sets is prohibited at all times while on the Tryon International Equestrian Center property or surrounding properties. Violators will be penalized with the automatic elimination of the horse involved from the class in which it is participating and/or the next succeeding class in which it is entered. The second violation will be cause for elimination of the horse involved from the remainder of the show, forfeiting all entry and stabling fees.

USE OF WHIPS:

Any rider or trainer who uses a whip in a cruel or excessive manner will be immediately eliminated from the current and/or next succeeding class in which the horse/rider is entered. In the case of further violations by that exhibitor, on the same or different horse, the exhibitor/horse will be barred from any future classes at WIHS and all entry and stabling fees will be forfeited. No rider may carry a whip longer than 30" (75cm) while in the process of jumping or schooling over fences.

MOTORIZED VEHICLES:

Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for penalties against those responsible for the child committing the offense. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule. The unsafe use of personal electronic transport devices, as determined by the competition officials and management in their sole discretion, that do not require a driver's license to operate, including but not limited to segways, hover boards, and single wheeled scooters is prohibited on competition grounds.

INSURANCE

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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WIHS Equitation and Pony Equitation competitors must be WIHS members in order for points to count for the WIHS Equitation Finals at the Tryon International Equestrian Center. Visit [wihs.org/membership](https://www.wihs.org/membership) for a WIHS Membership Form, standings, upcoming shows and more information.

181 WIHS EQUITATION FINALS

Invitations will be extended to 40 junior riders — the top 30 riders from the East Coast League and the top 10 riders from the West Coast League, who are eligible to compete based on their points accumulated at shows starting on or after September 1, 2019, through shows starting on or before August 31, 2020. Invitation will be emailed in September. **Do not enter this class until you have received official notification.**

This class will be conducted in three phases, a hunter phase, a jumper phase and a work-off. Horses to jump 3'6" in all phases. The order of go for the first phase (hunter) will be drawn. The order for the second phase (jumper) 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. Equitation horses may not cross enter into the TIEC Fall Series Show in the same week.

Entry fee: \$500

Hunter Phase: Medallions, Ribbons
Jumper Phase: Ribbons
Finalists: Championship Coolers, Ribbons
Champion: Trophy, Sash

PROCEDURES FOR WIHS EQUITATION FINALS AT THE TRYON INTERNATIONAL EQUESTRIAN CENTER:

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Third Phase - The scores from the Hunter & Jumper Phases will be added together to determine the ten riders who will participate in the Third Phase. The combined score will determine the order of go, with the highest scoring rider competing last. In the event of a tie in determining the ten riders for the Third Phase, or the order for the Third Phase, the higher score in the Jumper Phase will break any ties. These ten riders will change horses. The order of change will be as follows; first and second place will switch, third and fourth place will switch, fifth and sixth place will switch, seventh and eighth place will switch, ninth and tenth place will switch. Once the riders have changed horses for the Third Phase and before the first rider in the Third Phase has entered the arena to compete, there will be a 3-minute period during which riders may work individually on the flat. Should any rider feel that the horse on which they will compete in the Third Phase is unsound to the extent it will impair the horse's ability to perform the Third Phase, that rider must petition the panel of Judges(s) and Veterinarian(s) who will be

available to assess the soundness of any questioned horse. The panel's decision regarding the fitness of a questioned horse to compete will be final. Should a horse be declared unfit to compete in the Third Phase, the rider who qualified that horse will be eliminated from the Third Phase and automatically placed 10th. The Show Steward will then draw by lot 1 of the 8 remaining riders (not to include the rider who was to ride the eliminated horse in the Third Phase). The rider drawn will then change its switched mount with the horse qualified by the rider who was switched to the unfit horse. In the event that more than one horse is declared unfit to compete, this procedure will be repeated in each instance. In the case of multiple eliminated riders due to unsoundness, the combined score of the first two rounds of the Finals will determine their final placing.

Once the Third Phase begins only two Riders will be permitted in the schooling/warm-up area at one time. The next Rider in the competition and the one that follows. There will be one oxer and one vertical. Each Rider will be permitted to jump a total of four fences. Riders in the Third Phase will negotiate the Jumper Phase course. There will be neither a starting tone nor a Time Allowed in the Third Phase. A score will be given by the judges in the Third Phase, but will not be announced until the conclusion of the class. All horses must compete in the same equipment (saddles excluded) as in the Second Phase. This includes, but is not limited to: bridle, bits, reins, boots. Any ties in the overall after the third phase will be broken by the designated tie breaking judges' panel score in the third phase.

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, 2019, through shows starting on or before August 31, 2020. Invitation will be emailed 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: \$400

Trophy, Sash, Championship Cooler, Ribbons

WIHS CHILDREN'S & ADULT CHAMPIONSHIPS

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WIHS Children's and Adult Hunter and Jumper competitors must be WIHS members in order for points to count for the WIHS Championships. See www.wihs.org or www.ryegate.com for WIHS Membership Form, standings, shows and more information. Horses must be entered for WIHS Children's and Adult Hunter and Jumper Championships using the official electronic entry form. Entries must be submitted through Show Management System on or before Tuesday, September 15, 2020.

WIHS HUNTER CHAMPIONSHIPS

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Entry Fee: \$550 for each section. Individual classes may not be entered. Twenty-nine (29) horse/rider combinations will be accepted, based on points earned in WIHS qualifying classes at shows starting on or after September 1, 2019, through shows starting on or before August 31, 2020. For the 2020 year, only the top 8 shows for each horse/rider combination will count in the standings. Riders are limited to showing two horses in the hunter championships. Please refer to [page 22](#) for cross entry restrictions. **WIHS reserves the right to offer up to one (1) Wild Card invitation, which, if used, will be in addition to the 29 accepted entries. All horses to be considered for Wild Cards must be entered in the competition and have competed in the class during the 2020 competition year.** Overall Children's and Adult Hunter Champions at the WIHS Regional Horse Show automatically will qualify for the WIHS Hunter Championships.

Starting order will be determined by the final standings at the end of the qualifying period with the horse/rider combinations with the fewest points going first. Riders qualifying from the WIHS Regional Horse Show will be drawn at the end of the order.

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

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Entry Fee: \$500

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WIHS JUMPER CHAMPIONSHIPS

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Entry Fee: \$550 for each section. Individual classes may not be entered.

Twenty-five (25) horse/rider combinations will be accepted, based on points earned in WIHS qualifying classes at shows starting on or after September 1, 2019, through shows starting on or before August 31, 2020. For the 2020 year, only the top 8 shows for each horse/rider combination will count in the standings. Riders are limited to showing two horses in the jumper championships. Horses may not compete in any other class at WIHS. **WIHS reserves the right to offer up to two (2) Wild Card invitations which, if used, will be in addition to the 25 horses in this section. All horses to be considered for Wild Cards must be entered in the competition and have competed in the class during the 2020 competition year.** Overall Children's and Adult Jumper Champions at the WIHS Regional Horse Show automatically will qualify for the WIHS Jumper Championships.

Starting order will be determined by the final standings at the end of the qualifying period with the horse/rider combinations with the fewest points going first. Riders qualifying from the WIHS Regional Horse Show will be drawn at the end of the order.

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 first place. To be shown over a course of approximately 10 jumps. Horses to jump 1.15m.

For more information, please visit <https://www.wihs.org/wihs-championships/>

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.

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Entry Fee: \$550

Trophy, Championship Cooler, Ribbons

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.

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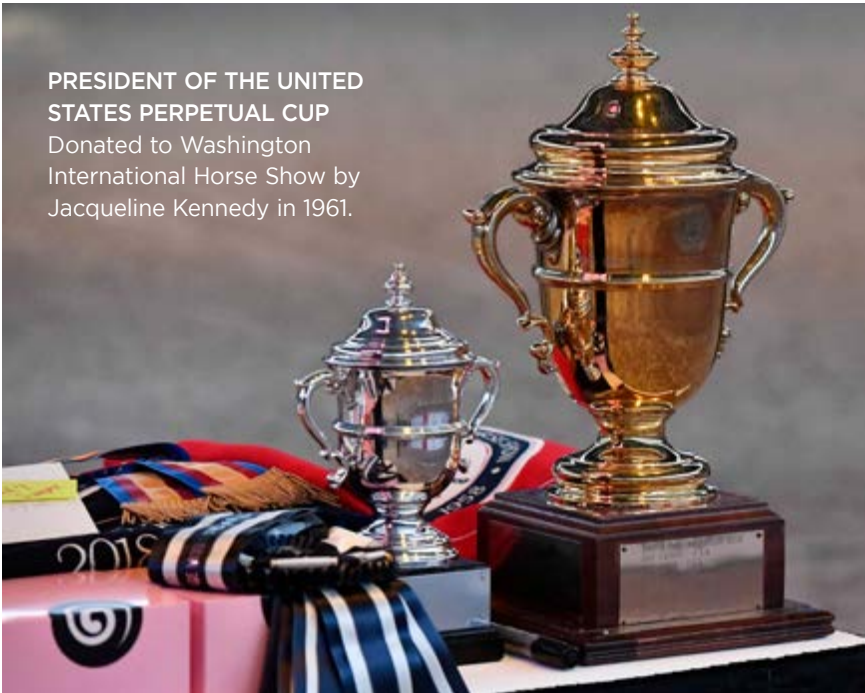
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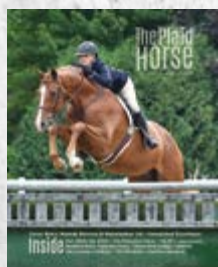
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