

**RACE CONDITIONS  
FOR THE 2018  
VIRGINIA  
POINT-TO-POINT  
CIRCUIT**



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**Piedmont Fox Hounds**

**Orange County Hounds**

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**ATTENTION: FAILURE TO READ AND OBEY THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS MAY RESULT IN YOUR ENTRIES NOT BEING ACCEPTED OR YOUR HORSES BEING SCRATCHED.**

**GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- 1. Attention: Horsemen are liable for all entry fees that are made for each point to point or pair event. A scratch does not void an entry fee.**
2. All horses, owners, trainers and riders must be acceptable to the Race Committees.
3. The Race Committees reserve the right to split, combine or cancel any race.
4. There must be a minimum of 10 runners before Stewards will consider splitting races unless an unforeseen circumstance arises.
5. The Race Committees reserve the right to refuse any entry.
6. The Race Committees may vary the conditions or courses in any way which may seem in the best interests of the race meets.
7. The Stewards may scratch any horse or rider.
8. An official veterinarian may recommend to the Stewards that an entry be scratched due to unsoundness.
9. The Race Committees and the owners of the properties on which the races are held assume no responsibility for injury or loss incurred by either participants or spectators, and entries are accepted only under the condition that the participants release them from any and all liabilities.
10. Horses must be checked in at the scratch board near the paddock with the Race Day Secretary no later than one hour prior to the post time listed on the overnight sheet of the first race in which they are entered. This will be strictly enforced.
11. Minimum age for all riders will be sixteen. This does not apply to pair and junior races.
12. A junior is a rider who has not reached his or her sixteenth birthday as of January 1 of the current year.
13. Ponies may be measured at the Stewards' discretion.
14. Current coggins tests are required and must be available on race day; likewise a health certificate must accompany horses shipping from outside Virginia.
15. All races will be ridden in proper race or hunting attire and protective head gear. All riders must wear protective vests. Overgirths are required in all races. **This MAY not apply to exhibition races.**
16. Riders are responsible for their own lead weights.
17. Horses must be entered and run under registered names.
18. All allowances must be claimed at time of entry. Allowances for maidens apply to the type races (timber, hurdle, flat) in which they are entered. Correct weights are the responsibility of the person making the entry.
- 18a. In all series races, weight penalties apply only to the current season.
19. Mares are allowed **ten** pounds in races not restricted to fillies or mares.
20. Point-to-points are not sanctioned by the NSA, therefore results will have no effect on a horse's eligibility in sanctioned races.
21. All riders must read and sign waiver of liability forms, and they must be filed at the scratch board near the paddock before being allowed to participate in any race on the Virginia Point-to-Point Circuit. In case of minors the signing of indemnification agreements will be required.
- 21a. Outriders and all other persons on horses/ponies on the grounds are required to wear protective head gear and to read and sign waiver of liability forms, and these forms must be on file.
22. Workmen's Compensation or personal insurance will be required of all riders. Proof of insurance will be required before being allowed to ride.

23. Races will be split at the Stewards' discretion when there are more than the number of starters allowed in each point-to-point's conditions.

24. Scratch time is 11:00 a.m., the Wednesday prior to the races at (540) 439-3820.

25. The use of turn downs and raised toes (toe grabs) is prohibited. Horses will be scratched or disqualified. A "raised" toe is defined as an extension of the toe that exceeds 1/16 inch in depth.

26. The NSA Rule Book is used where applicable.

27. The Stewards shall exercise immediate supervision, control and regulation of racing at each point to point. Race Day Stewards have the authority to assess fines on trainers and riders for specific infractions of rules. By entering a horse in a VPPF Sanctioned race, trainers and riders agree to abide by those rules governing fines.

**28. Trainers of horses late to the paddock may be fined \$100 the first time, \$200 the second time, and for the third offense the trainer may be suspended. Riders late to the paddock may be fined \$50 the first time, \$100 the second time and for the third offense the rider may be suspended.**

29. Pre-race veterinary examinations will be conducted.

30. Lead ponies or horses will be allowed only to take horses to the start and then must clear the race course and remain stationary until the completion of the race. In all races horses or ponies may be led to the start but released when under starter's orders. Exceptions will be at the discretion of the starter.

31. Any rider who falls or is thrown will not be allowed to ride again during the day until he or she is examined and cleared by the official physician and the stewards are so advised by the official physician.

32. Violations of any of the general conditions may result in denial of the right to participate in races on the Virginia Point-to-Point Circuit.

33. Novice Riders over fences will be allowed 10 lbs. in non-series races over fences. (including the novice timber series) A novice is a rider who has not won **ten sanctioned** races over fences prior to January 1 of the current year **under any racing jurisdiction**.

34. Every rider in all races must check out and in with the Clerk of Scales. This also applies in races where weight is listed as "catch weights".

35. The minimum weight carried in races over hurdles is 130 lbs.; over timber, 140 lbs.

**36. ALL NOVICE RIDERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE SIGN AN AFFIDAVIT STATING THAT THE NOVICE RIDER IS COMPETENT TO COMPETE AT THIS LEVEL. A REPRESENTATIVE IS EITHER A TRAINER OR A KNOWLEDGABLE RACING OFFICIAL (ACCEPTABLE TO THE COMMITTEE) FAMILIAR WITH THE ASPECTS OF RACE RIDING AND HAS WITNESSED OR WORKED WITH THE NOVICE RIDER. RIDERS WHO DO NOT HAVE A CURRENT WORKING ASSOCIATION WITH A TRAINER SHOULD CONTACT DON YOVANOVICH, (540) 270-0115, FOR ACCREDITATION PROCEDURES.**

**NOVICE RIDER CERTIFICATION FORMS CAN BE DOWN LOADED FROM THE CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE WEBSITE.**

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING ENTRIES  
POINT TO POINTS AND PAIR EVENTS**

- 1. Attention: Horsemen are liable for all entry fees that are made for each point to point or pair event. A scratch does not void an entry fee.**
2. Number cloths will not be issued until entry fees are paid.
3. All entry fees are the responsibility of the person making the entry.
4. Entry fees should be paid by check (not cash) to the Race Clerk when reporting horses in on race day.
5. Entries will not be allowed to start until past year's entry fees have been paid.
6. Failure to pay entry fees in a prompt manner **will** result in denial of entry privileges.
7. The Racing Secretary reserves the right to extend the closing of entries to facilitate the filling of races. This may apply to a race or races that do not fill at the time of closing.
8. The order of races on race day may be different from the order in the condition book. It is the participant's responsibility to be informed by the overnight sheet or by telephone.
9. All entries by telephone to (540) 439-3820 between **8:00 a.m.** and 11:00 a.m. on the Monday preceding the races, by fax (888) 439-5521 or by e-mail at centralentryoffice.com. Scratches or changes must be made by 11:00 a.m. the Wednesday preceding the races by telephone, fax or e-mail, wfo@vabb.com.

**POST ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ALLOWED UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT TO FACILITATE FILLING RACES.**

**POINTS IN ALL SERIES WILL BE AWARDED TO THE FIRST FOUR FINISHERS: 5-3-2-1. IN THE CASE OF A WALKOVER HALF POINTS WILL BE AWARDED.**

**(IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR YEAR-END AWARDS HORSES AND OR RIDERS MUST MAKE AT LEAST TWO STARTS AND MUST WIN AT LEAST ONE RACE.)**

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# VIRGINIA POINT TO POINT CHAMPIONSHIPS & SERIES CONDITIONS

## SEVEN CORNERS AMATEUR AND NOVICE RIDER TIMBER SERIES

Sponsored by Armfield, Harrison & Thomas, Inc.

For five-year-olds and up, which have not won a timber race under rules since 1/1/2016 other than maiden and are ridden by amateur or novice riders, who hunt with any recognized or organized foxhunting or beagle packs whose entry is acceptable to the Seven Corners Committee. An amateur is defined as a rider who has not accepted compensation for riding in races since 2013. A novice is defined as a rider, who has not won ten sanctioned races over fences prior to January 1 of the current year under any racing jurisdiction. Riders and horses must have hunted six or more times and for at least half of the hunting day with any recognized foxhunting pack during the current season. Proper certification of the rider is the responsibility of the rider, is to be kept chronicling one's hunting days and signed by the Master(s). Proper certification of the owner is the responsibility of the owner and is to be kept chronicling one's hunting days and signed by the Master(s). The horse and rider do not necessarily have to hunt together. Minimum weight as established by conditions of each race, the minimum carried to be not less than 175 lbs. (excepting maiden allowance of 10 lbs. and mare allowance of 8 lbs.) or such lower weight as may be agreed in the paddock by unanimous consent of all riders, competing for Seven Corners points and approved by the Hunt Race Committee. An additional 3 lbs. is to be assessed for each Seven Corners win during a given season, up to a total of 6 lbs. over the base weight. No rider allowances. In the event that a base weight of less than 175 lbs. is set by the entered owner/riders in a given race, the assessed 3 to 6 lb. handicaps will be added to the reduced base weight. Maidens over timber are allowed 10 lbs. **Series races at Warrenton, Piedmont, Orange County, Old Dominion and Blue Ridge. Perpetual Trophy donated by Times Community Papers.**

## ORANGE COUNTY FOXHUNTER TIMBER SERIES

For foxhunter riders (ladies or gentlemen), who have not won five races over fences since 2010 with the exception of pair, old-fashioned or foxhunters-only races, on five-year-olds and up. A rider/horse combination that has won five races over fences prior to January 1 of the current year is not eligible to compete in this series. Riders and horses must have hunted six or more times and for at least half of the hunting day with any recognized foxhunting pack during the current season. Certification will be required prior to participation in the series and must be filed with the Central Entry Race Secretary or Race Day Secretary prior to issue of number cloths on race day. Masters must certify in writing that both the horse and rider have hunted regularly and fairly during the current season. Proper certification, which is the responsibility of the foxhunter, is to be kept chronicling one's hunting days and signed by the Master(s). Weight 170 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. An additional 3 lbs. is to be assessed for each win during a given season, up to a total of 6 lbs. over the base weight. **Riders must wear foxhunting attire.** This race will be combined with the amateur highweight timber race unless there are three starters. In combined races the foxhunter finishers will accrue points, and eligibility will be affected as if the foxhunter race was a separate event. In combined races the base weight will be 175 lbs. **Series races at Warrenton, Piedmont, Orange County, Old Dominion and Blue Ridge. Sponsored by the Orange County Hounds.**

**ALL NOVICE RIDERS MUST COMPLY WITH GENERAL CONDITION # 36.**

## THE HUME STABLE LEADING NOVICE RIDER ON THE FLAT FOR THE SHR FRED PLATE

For riders who have not won five sanctioned races prior to January 1 of the current year under any racing jurisdiction (NSA, ARCA or Fegentri or any other recognized racing jurisdiction. (excluding junior, pair and old-fashioned races.) **COURSE WALKS ARE MANDATORY. Series races at Warrenton, Orange County, Old Dominion, Blue Ridge and Middleburg. Sponsored by the Hume Stable.**

## **LEADING NOVICE RIDER OVER FENCES**

For riders in non-series races over fences who have not won **ten sanctioned** races over fences prior to January 1 of the current year under any racing jurisdiction. Points earned in the Amateur/Novice Rider Series and the Novice Timber Series will be counted. *Sponsored by New Hope Farm LLC.*

## **PAGELAND AMATEUR/NOVICE RIDER HURDLE SERIES**

**For four-year-olds and up, which have not won under rules since 1/1/16 other than in maiden, ratings races at 115 lbs. or less, claiming races or amateur rider only races and that are ridden by an amateur or novice rider. An amateur is defined as a rider who has not accepted compensation for riding in races since 2013. A novice is defined as a rider, who has not won ten sanctioned races over fences prior to January 1 of the current year under any racing jurisdiction.** Weight 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. An additional 3 lbs. is to be assessed for each win by the horse during a given season, up to a total of 6 lbs. over the base weight. In the event that a base weight of less than 165 lbs. is set by the entered riders in a given race, the assessed handicaps will be added to the reduced base weight. No rider allowances will be allowed. Points will be awarded to horse/rider combinations. Only five best starts to count toward season championship. **Series races at Warrenton, Old Dominion, Blue Ridge and Middleburg.** *Sponsored by Pageland Farm.*

## **VIRGINIA GOLD CUP**

### **NOVICE TIMBER HORSE OF THE YEAR**

For Five-Year-Olds and Up, which have not won two point to point races or one NSA sanctioned race over timber prior to January 1 of the current year. **Series races at Warrenton, Orange County, Loudoun and Blue Ridge.** *Sponsored by the Virginia Gold Cup Association.*

### **VIRGINIA TIMBER HORSE OF THE YEAR**

To be selected by a panel.

### **VIRGINIA HURDLE HORSE OF THE YEAR**

To be selected by a panel. *Sponsored by Nelson Gunnell.*

### **RACE MARE OF THE YEAR**

Points awarded to mares in races over fences. Half points will be awarded in maiden or novice races. *Sponsored by Melanie and Loring Heard.*

### **RIDER OF THE YEAR**

Points awarded in races over fences to both gentlemen and lady riders.

### **LADY RIDER OF THE YEAR**

Points awarded to lady riders in races over fences.

### **LADY RIDER TIMBER SERIES**

Points awarded in designated lady rider races over timber. **Series races at Piedmont, Old Dominion and Blue Ridge.**

### **LEADING TRAINER**

Full points awarded for winning races over fences, half points awarded for winning races on the flat.

### **RESTRICTED YOUNG ADULT FLAT**

For Five-Year-Olds and Up to be ridden by amateurs, 15 - 18 years old. Any rider younger than 15 must seek approval from the committee before entering. Weight 140 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. **Series races at Old Dominion, Loudoun and Blue Ridge**

## **NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE FOUNDATION DEVELOPING RIDER AWARD**

The rider, who starts in the most Restricted Young Adult Flat Races will receive a Charles Owen helmet. Ties will be broken by rider accumulating most points in the series. [www.nationalsteeplechasefoundation.org](http://www.nationalsteeplechasefoundation.org). **Races at Cheshire, Old Dominion, Loudoun and Blue Ridge.**

## VHBPA SPRING FLAT SERIES

The Virginia Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association (VHBPA) is sponsoring a series of flat races for Registered Virginia Bred or Sired horses. A Virginia Bred certificate from the Virginia Thoroughbred Association must be available if requested. The VHBPA is offering a \$2,000 purse to be paid through the first five finishers for each of these races. Purse distribution in all races: 60% to first, 20% to second, 11% to third, 5% to fourth, 4% to fifth. Races will be carded for Virginia Bred or Sired maidens and winners. Point to point winners on the flat are not considered maidens. *Purses sponsored by the VHBPA. Year-end award sponsored by Northfield Farm, LLC.*

## GOOD HANDS AND HEELS SERIES FOR NOVICE RIDERS

All novice riders both on the flat and over jumps are eligible for this series award. A selection of knowledgeable horsemen will judge riders on their racing abilities and skills. Riders will be permitted to carry a pro-cush stick but not use the stick behind the saddle or turned over in his/her hand on the shoulder. Judges will watch for stick use restricted only as an aid to steering, turning, correction of lead changes, keeping position and stretch finish urging on the horse's shoulder. Points will be awarded as a rider exhibits his ability to maintain good racing positions, judging pace and his/her finish placing. Style, seat, control, negotiating beacons and turns, making good racing decisions and whether or not an optimum ride was executed will all be considered in evaluating the rider's performance. *Award donated by Mr. Don Yovanovich and sponsored by Len and Norman Gold in memory of Robyn D. Yovanovich.*

## GROOMS AWARD

This award will recognize a person, who is seldom in the spotlight but whose contributions are essential in the care of the horses and their success on race day. To be selected by a panel. *This award will be given by the Friends of Phillip Hughes, son of Michael and Diane Hughes.*

## THE PAGELAND TIMBER HORSE CHALLENGE

There will be a \$10,000 bonus for the top three timber horses by points on the 2018 Virginia Point to Point Circuit. The bonus will be split \$5,000 to first, \$3,000 to second and \$2,000 to third. Points will be awarded 5-3-2-1 to the first four places in open and lady races and half points will be earned in maiden, novice, amateur and novice rider timber and foxhunter races.

This competition is sponsored by Sara and Bruce Collette and will be awarded at the annual VPPF awards party.

**IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR YEAR-END AWARDS HORSES AND OR RIDERS MUST MAKE AT LEAST TWO STARTS AND MUST WIN AT LEAST ONE RACE.**

**YEAR-END AWARDS IN A SERIES WILL NOT BE AWARDED IF THERE ARE NOT THREE RACES RUN IN THE SERIES.**





## HUNTER PACE SERIES CONDITIONS

1. Championships are awarded in four divisions: Adult Optimum Time, Junior or Adult/Junior Optimum Time, Fast Time Adults and Optimum Time on the Flat.
2. The Junior or Adult/Junior Optimum Time division is open to pairs of juniors or pairs consisting of an adult and a junior.
3. Juniors in pair races are those who have not reached their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday as of January 1 of the current year .
4. To accrue points for year-end titles the horse / rider combinations must remain consistent. (The same horse and rider at each meet.) **To be eligible for points for the year-end awards at least 50% of a pair must be pre-entered. Pre-entered pairs may change divisions on the day of the event.**
5. For pairs or teams of horses or ponies at catch weights.
6. Horses and riders must have fairly hunted for at least six times during the current season with any foxhunting or beagle pack or pony club. This does not apply to the open hunter pace events.
7. Pair members do not have to represent the same hunt.
8. Insurance waivers must be signed before anyone can compete.
9. Distances of the races are about 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 miles.
10. All entries in series races must be made to the Central Entry Office (540) 439-3820 or [www.centralentryoffice.com](http://www.centralentryoffice.com). **In order to be eligible for year-end awards in all divisions, entries must be made by 11:00 am Wednesday. Post entries and cross entries allowed, but under no circumstances will points be awarded to post entries.**
11. **Entry fee \$30 per horse. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse. All post entries must be made the day of the event.**
12. Entry fees must be paid to the secretary and release forms signed before a number pinney will be issued.
13. Declare the division in which you are competing at the time of entry.
14. **NO SCHOOLING.** Courses may be walked in advance.
15. Pairs running for fast time to go first.
16. Current coggins tests are required and must be available on race day; likewise a health certificate must accompany horses shipping from outside Virginia.

### HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES

For pairs of horses/ponies and riders that have fairly hunted during the current season with any foxhound or beagle pack or pony club. Catch weights. There will be three divisions of pairs run in the following order: Adult Fast Time, Adult/Junior or Junior/Junior Optimum Time and Adult Optimum Time. Teams must declare division at time of entry. **Entry fee \$60 per pair; no post entries. Points count toward year-end awards.**

### HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

For pairs of horses/ponies and riders that have fairly hunted during the current season with any foxhound or beagle pack or pony club. Catch weights. One division of pairs including adults, juniors, or adult/junior combination. Optimum time only. **Entry fee \$60 per pair; no post entries. Points count toward year-end awards.**

### OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES

Open to all pairs or three member teams of horses/ponies and riders. Catch weights. Optimum time only. May be ridden in ratcatcher or formal hunting attire. **Entry fee \$30 per horse; post entries accepted. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse. All post entries must be made the day of the event. No points will be counted toward year-end awards.**

### OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

Open to all pairs or three member teams of horses/ponies and riders. Catch weights. Optimum time only. May be ridden in ratcatcher or formal hunting attire. **Entry fee \$30 per horse; post entries accepted. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse. All post entries must be made the day of the event. No points will be counted toward year-end awards.**

**OVERNIGHTS AND RESULTS ARE AVAILABLE AT  
[www.centralentryoffice.com](http://www.centralentryoffice.com)**



## **SPRING SANCTIONED MEETS**

### **MIDDLEBURG SPRING RACE MEET**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 2018**

**GLENWOOD PARK**

**MIDDLEBURG, VA.**

**FIRST RACE 1:30 P.M.**

**INFORMATION (540) 687-6545,**

**(540) 687-6595**

### **FOXFIELD SPRING RACE MEET**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 2018**

**FOXFIELD**

**CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.**

**FIRST RACE 1:00 P.M.**

**INFORMATION (434) 293-9501**

**[www.foxfieldraces.com](http://www.foxfieldraces.com)**

### **VIRGINIA GOLD CUP RACE MEET**

**SATURDAY, MAY 5, 2018**

**GREAT MEADOW COURSE**

**THE PLAINS, VA.**

**FIRST RACE 12:00 P.M.**

**INFORMATION (540) 347-2612**

**[www.vagoldcup.com](http://www.vagoldcup.com)**

**For race entries contact:  
The National Steeplechase Association  
(410) 392-0700**

# **BLUE RIDGE HUNT HUNTER PACE EVENTS**

**Sunday, March 11, 2018**

**Trelawny Farm**

**2055 Springsbury Road, Berryville, Virginia 22611**

## **HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES - 12:00 noon**

Open to pairs. About 3 1/4 miles over flagged hunting country. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions.** Trophies and rosettes to each winning pair member in each division. Rosettes through sixth place. **NO POST ENTRIES.** Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points count toward year-end awards.

## **OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES**

Open to all pairs or three member teams. Same course as above. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions.** Cross entries will be accepted. Entry fee \$30 per horse. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.

## **HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT**

Open to pairs. About 2 3/4 miles over natural hunting country on the flat using gates and gaps. The nearby jumps are optional. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions.** **NO POST ENTRIES.** Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points count toward year-end awards.

## **OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT**

Open to all pairs or three member teams. Same course as above. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions.** Cross entries will be accepted. Entry fee \$30 per horse. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.

## **ADDITIONAL PACE INFORMATION**

The course may be walked after Noon on Tuesday, March 7, 2017, at which time course maps will be available in a BRH Hunter Pace mailbox set 150 feet inside the entrance to Woodley Farm.

**Entry fees must be paid to the secretary at the event, a Negative Coggins Form dated within 12 months must be shown, and Release Forms must be signed before number pinneys will be issued.**

Hunting or ratcatcher attire required. English type saddles and bridles required.

For information or directions, approximate scheduling, and/or questionable weather, call Barbara Batterton (540) 247-3449 or Iona Pillion (540) 539-5215. [www.BlueRidgeHunt.org](http://www.BlueRidgeHunt.org)

## **DIRECTIONS**

**From the Rt. 7:** Take business Rt. 7 into Berryville, across from the True Value Hardware take a left on Springsbury Road. Go about 3 miles and Trelawny Farm is on the left.

**From the South/Rt. 50, Boyce, VA:** Follow Rt. 340 North for 4.3 miles. Turn Right onto Bishop Meade Highway, Rt. 255. Proceed .2 miles. Turn Sharp Left onto Briggs Road, Rt. 617, then turn left onto Lockes Mill Rd, Rt. 618, and turn left onto Springsbury Road. Trelawny Farm is on the right.

**From the East:** Travel West on Rt. 50 crossing the Shenandoah River Bridge. Proceed 2.5 miles. Turn Right onto Bishop Meade Highway. Proceed .6 miles to Stop Sign. Bear Left at the intersection continuing on Bishop Meade Highway for .2 miles to Millwood. Turn Right following Bishop Meade Hwy, Rt. 255. Proceed 2.9 miles. Turn Right onto Briggs Road, Rt. 617. Then as above.

**POST ENTRIES will be accepted in the open divisions, but only pre-entries will be awarded points that count toward year-end awards. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

**All Hunter Pace pre-entries close**

**11:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 7**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**



**The 77th Annual  
WARRENTON HUNT POINT TO POINT  
Saturday, March 17, 2018  
Airlie Race Course, Warrenton, Virginia**

**First Race - OPEN HURDLE - 12:30 P.M.**

About 2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over hurdles in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Second Race- AMATEUR/NOVICE RIDER HURDLE**

About 2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Pageland Series Conditions. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win by the horse, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Third Race - MAIDEN HURDLE**

About 2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over hurdles. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

**Fourth Race - SIDE SADDLE RACE**

**The Viola T. Winnill Sidesaddle Chase Cup**

Field Masters Chase Flat Race - About 1/2 mile on the right rein, may be split into TB and non-TB sections if entries warrant. Limited to 12 starters. Open to Side Saddle Chase Foundation members over 16 years old riding aside. All side saddles must have a balance girth and a racing overgirth. Catch weights. Hunting attire. All horses and riders must meet all SSCF requirements in order to be invited and attend the course walk. Numbered saddle cloths and colored helmet covers to be worn. Side Saddle race contact: Maggie Johnston (703) 362-6255 or Devon Zebrovius (540) 287-2035 or [www.sidesaddlechase.com](http://www.sidesaddlechase.com)

**Fifth Race - OPEN FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Sixth Race - NOVICE RIDER FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Novice Rider Flat Series Conditions. Four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Seventh Race - VIRGINIA BRED OR SIRED FLAT**

**Sponsored by the VHBPA**

**Purse \$2,000.** About 1 1/8 mile. For Three-Year-Olds and Up, Registered Virginia Bred or Sired. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

**Eighth Race - OPEN TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over timber in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Ninth Race - NOVICE TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up which have not won two point to point or one sanctioned race over timber prior to January 1 of the current year. 165 lbs. For each series win, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Tenth Race - AMATEUR AND NOVICE RIDER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Seven Corners Series Conditions. 175 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Tenth Race (2<sup>nd</sup> div.) - FOXHUNTER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Orange County Foxhunter Series Conditions. 170 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight. This race may be combined with the amateur and novice rider timber race.

**All entries close 11:00 a.m., Monday, March 12  
NO POST ENTRIES UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS  
INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

Thirteen starters allowed in races over hurdles.

Fifteen starters allowed in races over timber.

Fifteen starters allowed in races on the flat.

Entry fees: \$35 in all races.

For Racing Information contact: Matt van der Woude (540) 270-1730.

**ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION**

For subscriptions and parking call Mrs. Betsy Burnett (540) 937-4626, email ebburnett4626@gmail.com or write Warrenton Hunt Point to Point Races, PO Box 972, Warrenton, VA 20188.

**DIRECTIONS TO THE AIRLIE COURSE**

South from Int. 495 to Int. 66, west to Rt. 29, south at Gainesville, south on Rt. 29 to Rt. 17 north, north for approximately 2.7 miles to Rt. 628 to Rt. 605, Race Course on right; or Int. 66 to Rt. 17 south at Marshall, south for approximately 7.5 miles to Rt. 628 on left to Rt. 605, Race Course on right.

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**The 77th Annual  
PIEDMONT FOX HOUNDS  
POINT TO POINT  
Saturday, March 24, 2018  
Salem Course, Upperville, Virginia**

**First Race – MAIDEN TIMBER – 1:00 P M**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over timber. 165 lbs.

**Second Race**

**AMATEUR AND NOVICE RIDER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Seven Corners Series Conditions. 175 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Second Race (2<sup>nd</sup> div.) – FOXHUNTER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Orange County Foxhunter Series Conditions. 170 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight. This race may be combined with the amateur and novice rider timber race.

**Third Race – LADY RIDER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up to be ridden by lady riders. 150 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over timber in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Fourth Race – OPEN TIMBER  
THE ROKEBY CHALLENGE BOWL**

About 3 1/2 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Rokeby Bowl to be presented to the owner of the winner to be held for one year. A piece of plate also to be presented outright to the owner and rider of the winner. The Bowl to be kept outright if won three times by the same owner, not necessarily consecutively and not necessarily with the same horse. 170 lbs.

**Fifth Race – JUNIOR PONY FLAT RACES**

Small ponies about 3/8 mile, medium and large ponies about 1/2 mile. Pony races open to juniors who have not reached their 16th birthday as of the first of the current year. Mounts to be a minimum of five years old. Catch weights. Trophy to small, medium and large pony winners.

**Sixth Race – MAIDEN FLAT**

About 1 1/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up which have never won on the flat. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs.

**Seventh Race – OPEN FLAT**

About 1 1/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Eighth Race – VIRGINIA BRED OR SIRED FLAT  
Sponsored by the VHBPA**

**Purse \$2,000.** About 1 1/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up, Registered Virginia Bred or Sired. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

**All entries close 11:00 a.m., Monday, March 19**

**NO POST ENTRIES UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS  
INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

**DIRECTIONS TO THE COURSE**

Salem Course is located on Rt. 50 in Upperville, opposite the Upperville Horse Show Grounds.

**PIEDMONT FOX HOUNDS  
HUNTER PACE EVENTS  
Saturday, March 24, 2018  
Clifton Back Gate, Upperville, Virginia**

**HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES – 9:30 a.m.**

Open to pairs. About 3 miles. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points Count Toward Year-End Awards.**

**OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES**

Open to all pairs or three member teams. Same course as above. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$30 per horse. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

**HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT**

**Following the over fences divisions**

Open to pairs. About 3 miles on the flat. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points Count Towards Year-End Awards.**

**OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT**

Open to all pairs or three member teams. Same course as above. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$30 per horse. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

For information on the hunter pace: Lissa Green (410) 790-5359.

Course may be walked after noon the Wednesday prior to the event.

**POST ENTRIES will be accepted in the open divisions, but only pre-entries will be awarded points that count toward year-end awards. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

**All Hunter Pace pre-entries close  
11:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 21**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

**DIRECTIONS TO THE HUNTER PACE COURSE**

Clifton Back Gate is on Willisville Road. From Rt. 50 turn onto Willisville Road. Pass Clifton Farm on your left and proceed to Clifton back gate on left. This is approximately a mile and a half from Rt. 50. For information contact Lissa Green (410) 790-5359.

**ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION**

Eleven starters allowed in all races over fences.

Entry fees: \$35 in all races.

For information on the races call: Gill Lucas (540) 664-1645 or write The Piedmont Point to Point Races, PO Box 13, Upperville, VA 20185.

For tickets or parking: call (540) 592-7100 or write The Piedmont Point to Point Races, PO Box 13, Upperville, VA 20185.



Erin Swope's Sweet Talking Guy won the Pageland Timber Horse Challenge. Erin Swope won the VPPF's Lady Rider Timber Series and was the Leading Lady Rider over Fences.

Lesley and David Hower Photo



**ORANGE COUNTY HOUNDS  
POINT TO POINT**

**Sunday, April 1, 2018**

**Locust Hill Farm, Middleburg, Virginia**

**First Race - NOVICE RIDER FLAT - 1:00 pm**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Novice Rider Flat Series Conditions. Four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Second Race - MAIDEN FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up which have never won on the flat. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs.

**Third Race - NOVICE TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up which have not won two point to point or one sanctioned race over timber prior to January 1 of the current year. 165 lbs. For each series win, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Fourth Race - MAIDEN HURDLE**

About 2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over hurdles. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

**Fifth Race - OPEN HURDLE**

About 2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over hurdles in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Sixth Race - OPEN TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over timber in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**All entries close 11:00 a.m., Monday, March 26**

**NO POST ENTRIES UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS  
INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

**ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION**

Twelve starters allowed in races over fences.

Fourteen starters allowed in flat races.

The maximum/minimum number of starters is to be determined by the Stewards.

Entry fees: \$35 in all races.

Number cloths will not be issued unless current coggins tests for each starter is presented; likewise a health certificate must accompany horses shipping from outside Virginia. Entry fees must be paid by cash or check in order to receive number cloths. This will be strictly enforced.

No dogs allowed on the Locust Hill Farm property.

For parking and subscriptions:

Pippy McCormick (540) 687-5552 or [pippy@vafallraces.com](mailto:pippy@vafallraces.com)

Race Chairman: Neil R. Morris (540) 272-8615.



## **ORANGE COUNTY HOUNDS HUNTER PACE EVENTS**

**Saturday, March 31, 2018**

**Locust Hill Farm, Middleburg, Virginia**

### **HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES –9:00 a.m.**

Open to pairs. A flagged course over approximately 3 miles of natural hunting country. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points Count Toward Year-End Awards. Post Entries will not count for points or for placings on the day of the event.**

### **HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT**

#### **Following the Hunter Pace Events Over Fences**

Open to pairs. About 3 miles with optional jumps not more than two feet high. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points Count Toward Year-End Awards. Post Entries will not count for points or for placings on the day of the event.**

No schooling. Course may be walked after noon on the Thursday prior to the races.

Information: Geraldine Peace (540) 295-5141

**POST ENTRIES will be accepted but only pre-entries will be awarded points that count toward year-end awards. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$70 per pair.**

**All Hunter Pace pre-entries close  
11:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 28**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

### **DIRECTIONS TO THE COURSE**

From Rt. 50 west of Middleburg, take Rt. 709 south for one mile to the course on the right. From Rt. 17, take Rt. 709 north for six miles to the course on the left.



Eva Smithwick's Rutledge Classic (McLane Hendriks) won the VPPF's Amateur and Novice Rider Timber Series. He is shown winning at the Blue Ridge Hunt Point to Point. McLane Hendriks was the VPPA leading novice rider over fences.

Lesley & David Hower Photo



**OLD DOMINION HOUNDS  
POINT TO POINT  
Saturday, April 7, 2018  
Ben Venue Farm, Ben Venue, Virginia**

**First Race – 12:00 pm**

**First Race – AMATEUR/NOVICE RIDER HURDLE**

About 2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Pageland Series Conditions. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win by the horse, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Second Race - LADY RIDER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up to be ridden by lady riders. 150 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over timber in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra

**Third Race - MAIDEN HURDLE**

About 2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over hurdles. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

**Fourth Race**

**AMATEUR AND NOVICE RIDER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Seven Corners Series Conditions. 175 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Fourth Race (2<sup>nd</sup> div.) - FOXHUNTER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Orange County Foxhunter Series Conditions. 170 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight. This race may be combined with the amateur and novice rider timber race.

**Fifth Race - OPEN HURDLE**

About 2 1/4 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Weights: four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over hurdles in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Sixth Race – OPEN TIMBER**

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About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over timber in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Seventh Race – RESTRICTED YOUNG ADULT FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up to be ridden by amateurs, 15 - 18 years old. Any rider younger than 15 must seek approval from the committee before entering. 140 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

**Eighth Race - NOVICE RIDER FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Novice Rider Flat Series Conditions. Four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Ninth Race – VIRGINIA BRED OR SIRED FLAT**

**Sponsored by the VHBPA**

**Purse \$2,000.** About 1 1/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Upward, Registered Virginia Bred or Sired. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

**All entries close 11:00 a.m., Monday, April 2**

**NO POST ENTRIES UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS  
INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

## ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION

There will be \$1,000 bonuses for the leading trainer and rider. Races 1, 2, 4, 7, and 8 are restricted rider races and will not count towards the leading rider bonus.

Eleven starters allowed in races over hurdles.

Thirteen starters allowed in races over timber.

Fifteen starters allowed in races on the flat.

Entry fees: \$15 in junior races, \$35 in all other races.

For subscriptions and reserved parking contact:

Ms. Betsy Smith (540) 270-7353

For other information contact Race Co-Chairmen:

Mr. Gus Forbush, MFH (540) 636-1507

Dr. Scott Dove, MFH (540) 364-1762

Mr. Tim Colgan (540) 222-7392

## OLD DOMINION HOUNDS HUNTER PACE EVENTS

Sunday, April 8, 2018

Ben Venue Farm, Ben Venue, Virginia

### HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES – 1:00 p.m.

Open to pairs. About 3 miles over flagged natural hunting country. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions.** For pairs of horses or ponies at catch weights. **NO SCHOOLING ALLOWED.** Pairs running for fast time to go first. **Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points Count Toward Year-End Awards. Post Entries will not Count Toward Year-End Awards.**

### HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

Open to pairs. About 3 miles over flagged natural hunting country. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions.** There will be optional log jumps. Post entries and cross entries allowed. **Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points Count Toward Year-End Awards. Post Entries will not Count Toward Year-End Awards.**

Directions to the course: 16 miles west of Warrenton on Rt. 211. Turn right on Rt. 729 at Ben Venue. Course entrance 1/4 mile on the right.

For information contact: Sarah Crocker (978) 808-2828

**POST ENTRIES will be accepted but only pre-entries will be awarded points that count toward year-end awards. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$70 per pair.**

**All Hunter Pace pre-entries close**

**11:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 4**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

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# RAPPAHANNOCK HUNT HUNTER PACE EVENTS

Saturday, April 14, 2018

Greenwood Farm, Washington, VA

## HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES – 12:00 pm

Open to pairs. To be run over a 2 1/2 - 3 1/2 mile course (as weather and ground dictate) of natural hunting country. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. NO POST ENTRIES. Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points Count Towards Year-End Awards.**

## OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT

Open to all pairs or three member teams. About 2 1/2 - 3 1/2 mile course (as weather and ground dictate) of natural hunting country. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Post entries and cross entries allowed. Entry fee \$30 per horse. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

## HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

Open to pairs. About 2 miles over natural hunting country on the flat. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Optimum Time Only. NO POST ENTRIES. Entry fee \$60 per pair. Points Count Toward Year-End Awards.**

## OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

Open to all pairs or three member teams. About 2 miles over natural hunting country on the flat. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Post entries and cross entries allowed. Entry fee \$30 per horse. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse. Points Count Toward Year-End Awards.**

## ADDITIONAL PAIR RACE INFORMATION

The course will be flagged and maps available the Sunday prior to the races.

## NO SCHOOLING - WALKING ENCOURAGED.

Directions: From Warrenton, take 211 West toward Sperryville. Turn RIGHT onto Gid Brown Hollow Road (622) just past the Blue Rock Inn. Go 1.8 miles to Freeman Lane (before the bridge). Turn LEFT. Follow signs to parking and maps.

For information contact: Oliver Brown (540) 229-7752, Audra Bielke (612) 508-0244.

**POST ENTRIES will be accepted in the open divisions, but only pre-entries will be awarded points that count toward year-end awards. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

**All Hunter Pace pre-entries close  
11:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 11**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**





**The 52nd Annual  
LOUDOUN HUNT POINT TO POINT**

**Sunday, April 15, 2018  
Oatlands Plantation, Leesburg, Virginia**

**EXHIBITION RACE - 12:00 P.M.**

**The Mrs. George C. Everhart Memorial Side Saddle Race**

2 sections: Field Masters Chase Jumping Race - About 2 miles on the right rein with 8 fences; Flat Race - About 1 mile on the right rein, may be split into TB and non-TB sections if entries warrant. Limited to 12 starters in each section. Open to Side Saddle Chase Foundation members over 16 years old riding aside. All side saddles must have a balance girth and a racing overgirth. Catch weights. Hunting attire. All horses and riders must meet all SSCF requirements in order to be invited and attend the course walk. Entry fees \$25. Numbered saddle cloths and colored helmet covers to be worn. Side Saddle race contact: Maggie Johnston (703) 362-6255 or Devon Zebrovius (540) 287-2035 or [www.sidesaddlechase.com](http://www.sidesaddlechase.com)

**First Race - MAIDEN HURDLE - 1:00 p.m.**

About 2 1/4 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over hurdles. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

**Second Race - OPEN HURDLE**

About 2 1/4 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Weights: four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over hurdles in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Third Race - NOVICE TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up which have not won two point to point or one sanctioned race over timber prior to January 1 of the current year. 165 lbs. For each series win, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Fourth Race - OPEN TIMBER  
THE WILLIAM CORCORAN EUSTIS CUP**

About 3 1/2 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. 170 lbs.

**Fifth Race - RESTRICTED YOUNG ADULT FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up to be ridden by amateurs, 15 - 18 years old. Any rider younger than 15 must seek approval from the committee before entering. 140 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. **This race must have at least five entries or it will not be carded. All riders will be required to attend a course walk.**

**Sixth Race - OPEN FLAT**

About 1 3/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra. **This race will be drawn with 14 starters and 6 also eligibles. Trainers or owners with multiple entries should declare a preferred entry.**

**Seventh Race - VIRGINIA BRED OR SIRED FLAT**

**Sponsored by the VHBPA**

**Purse \$2,000.** About 1 1/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Upward, Registered Virginia Bred or Sired. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

**ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION**

Thirteen starters allowed in all races

Entry fees: \$35 in all races

Number cloths will not be issued until entry fees are paid. This will be strictly enforced.

Loudoun Fairfax Monitor (703) 957-4633

Loudoun Monitor (703) 777-8480

Race Information: Paul Wilson, MFH (703) 431-8861 or (703) 431-9555

Parking and subscriptions: Cathy Spicer (703) 327-3935

The Loudoun Hunt Point to Point, 18055 Harmony Church Rd, Hamilton, VA 20158

**All entries close 11:00 a.m., Monday, April 9  
NO POST ENTRIES UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS  
INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT  
CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**



**The 69th Annual  
BLUE RIDGE HUNT POINT TO POINT  
Sunday, April 22, 2018**

**Woodley Farm**

**490 Woodley Lane, Berryville, Virginia 22611**

**First Race - MAIDEN HURDLE - 12:00 PM**

About 1 7/8 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over hurdles. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

**Second Race- AMATEUR/NOVICE RIDER HURDLE**

About 1 7/8 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Pageland Series Conditions. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win by the horse, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Third Race - OPEN HURDLE**

About 1 7/8 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over hurdles in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Fourth Race - RESTRICTED YOUNG ADULT FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up to be ridden by amateurs, 15 - 18 years old. Any rider younger than 15 must seek approval from the committee before entering. 140 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

**Fifth Race - NOVICE RIDER FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Novice Rider Flat Series Conditions. Four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Sixth Race - VIRGINIA BRED OR SIRED FLAT**

**Sponsored by the VHBPA**

**Purse \$2,000.** About 1 mile. For Three-Year-Olds and Up, Registered Virginia Bred or Sired. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

**Seventh Race - MAIDEN FLAT**

About 1 1/8 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up which have never won on the flat. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs.

**Eighth Race - LADY RIDER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up to be ridden by lady riders. 150 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over timber in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Ninth Race - NOVICE TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up which have not won two point to point or one sanctioned race over timber prior to January 1 of the current year. 165 lbs. For each series win, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Tenth Race**

**AMATEUR AND NOVICE RIDER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Seven Corners Series Conditions. 175 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Tenth Race (2<sup>nd</sup> div.) - FOXHUNTER TIMBER**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Orange County Foxhunter Series Conditions. 170 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight. This race may be combined with the amateur and novice rider timber race.

**All entries close 11:00 a.m., Monday, April 16**

**NO POST ENTRIES UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS  
INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

**ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION**

Twelve starters allowed in all races.

Entry fees: \$15 in junior races, \$35 in all other races.

Number cloths will not be issued until entry fees are paid.

No schooling allowed at any time (before or after the races).

For reserved parking spaces call:

Hon Secretary Jenny Irwin (202) 664-4664

For racing information and/or inclement weather call Race Chairman: Brian Ferrell, MFH (540) 550-7015.

www.BlueRidgeHunt.org

## WARRENTON HUNT HUNTER PACE EVENTS

Saturday, April 21, 2018  
Clovercroft/Millpoint Farm

### HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES – 1:00 p.m.

Open to pairs. About 2 1/2 miles over flagged hunting country; course to be announced the Sunday prior to the event. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$60 per pair; no post entries. Points count toward year-end awards.**

### OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES

Run concurrently with above divisions

Open to all pairs or three member teams. Same course as above. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$30 per horse; post entries accepted. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

### HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

Following the over fences divisions

Open to pairs. About 2 1/2 miles over hilly hunting country on the flat using gates and gaps. The nearby jumps are optional. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$60 per pair; no post entries. Points count toward year-end awards.**

### OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

Run concurrently with above division

Open to all pairs or three member teams. Same course as above. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Catch weights. Optimum time only. Entry fee \$30 per horse; post entries accepted. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

### DIRECTIONS

Three miles out Springs Road from Warrenton to drive on the right. Address is 8714 Springs Road. Sign says "Millpoint Farm".

FOR PAIR RACE INFORMATION

Clydetta Talbot (540) 219-6565

**POST ENTRIES will be accepted in the open divisions, but only pre-entries will be awarded points that count toward year-end awards. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

**All Hunter Pace pre-entries close**

**11:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 18**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**



Gordonsdale Farm's Canyon Road (Jeff Murphy-left) is shown winning the open timber race at the Old Dominion Hounds Point to Point. He was the VPPF's Timber Horse of the Year and was trained by Chris Kolb. Four Virginia Gents' Worried Man (Brendan Crowley) was second.  
Douglas Lees Photo

# LOUDOUN FAIRFAX HUNT HUNTER PACE EVENTS

Saturday, April 28, 2018  
Rolling Meadow Farm  
Philomont, Virginia

## HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES - 10:00 am

Open to pairs. About 3 miles over flagged hunting country. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. NO SCHOOLING ALLOWED.** Maps are available on the Wednesday before the event. Trophies and ribbons to each winning pair member in each division. **POST ENTRIES will not be awarded points toward the year-end VPPF Awards nor are they eligible for prizes at this event. Entry fee \$60 per pair.**

## OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT OVER FENCES

Run concurrently with above divisions

Open to all pairs or three member teams. Same course as above. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions.** Catch weights. Optimum time only. **Entry fee \$60 per pair. POST ENTRIES will be accepted. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

## HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

Open to pairs. About 2 miles over natural hunting country on the flat. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions.** Maps are available on the Wednesday before the event. Post entries and cross entries allowed. **POST ENTRIES will not be awarded points toward the year-end VPPF Awards nor are they eligible for prizes at this event. Entry fee \$60 per pair.**

## OPEN HUNTER PACE EVENT ON THE FLAT

Run concurrently with above division

Open to all pairs or three member teams. Same course as above. **Hunter Pace Series Conditions. Entry fee \$60 per pair. POST ENTRIES will be accepted. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

**Directions to course: From Middleburg take Route 611 to Jeb Stuart Road. Turn right on Jeb Stuart Road. Rolling Meadow Farm is the first right.**

For information: Linda Devan, MFH (703) 887-2711  
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**POST ENTRIES will be accepted in the open divisions, but only pre-entries will be awarded points that count toward year-end awards. All post entries (entries made after 11:00 am on Wednesday) will be \$35 per horse.**

All Hunter Pace pre-entries close  
Wednesday, April 25

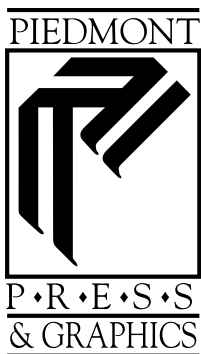
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**MIDDLEBURG HUNT  
POINT TO POINT  
Sunday, April 29, 2018  
Glenwood Park, Middleburg, Virginia**

**First Race - 1:00 p.m.  
NOVICE RIDER FLAT**

About 1 1/2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. To be ridden by Novice Riders. Novice Rider Flat Series Conditions. Four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**Second Race - AMATEUR/NOVICE RIDER HURDLE  
THE MIDDLEBURG HUNT CUP**

About 2 1/8 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Pageland Series Conditions. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win by the horse, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

**Third Race - MAIDEN FLAT  
THE SAMUEL E. BOGLEY MEMORIAL**

About 1 1/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up which have never won on the flat. Three-year-olds, 150 lbs.; four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

**Fourth Race - MAIDEN TIMBER  
THE LOUIS LEITH MEMORIAL**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over timber. 165 lbs.

**Fifth Race - MAIDEN HURDLE  
THE MATTHEW LESLIE MEMORIAL**

About 2 1/8 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over hurdles. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

**Sixth Race - RESTRICTED MAIDEN HURDLE**

About 2 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up which have not won over hurdles and which have not started over hurdles prior to January 1 of the current year. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs. If there are not five entries or three starters, this race will be combined with the Maiden Hurdle Race.

**Seventh Race - OPEN TIMBER  
THE MIDDLEBURG BOWL**

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

**Eighth Race - OPEN FLAT  
THE GEORGE STRAUB MEMORIAL**

About 1 1/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up. Three-year-olds, 145 lbs.; four-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 155 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2017-18, 10 lbs. extra.

**The flat races will be drawn with 14 starters and 6 also eligibles. Trainers or owners with multiple entries should declare a preferred entry.**

**In drawn races horses that are not in the body of another race on the card will be preferred.**

**In drawn races horses scratched after 11:00 a.m., the Wednesday prior to the races (scratch time) will pay an additional \$25.**

**The Race Committee reserves the right to combine or cancel any races that do not have sufficient entries.**

**All entries close 11:00 a.m., Monday, April 23**

**NO POST ENTRIES UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS  
INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT**

**CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (540) 439-3820**

## ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION

Eleven starters allowed in races over hurdles.

Thirteen starters allowed in races over timber.

All timber races will be run over the main timber course.

Fifteen starters allowed in races on the flat.

Entry fees: \$35 in all races.

Racing Info: Mrs. Katherine Kingsley (540) 338-4366

Parking Info: Mrs. Lois Tuohy (540) 454-2991

The Middleburg Hunt is awarding the Journey's End Bowl to the Leading Lady Rider of the day.

A Groom's Award will be presented for each division of a race. The horses will be judged in the paddock before each race by qualified horsemen based on condition, presentation and appearance. Each winner of the Groom's Award will be announced during the parade-to-post and will receive a cash award.



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To be eligible to receive Year End Awards and to be invited to the Annual Banquet

Annual fees are \$50 individual, \$75 family and \$15 junior.

Make checks payable to: Virginia Steeplechase Association

## Map To Point to Points



## 2018 VIRGINIA SPRING STEEPLECHASE SCHEDULE

|          |                                     |            |
|----------|-------------------------------------|------------|
| March 17 | Warrenton Hunt Point-to-Point       | 12:00 p.m. |
| March 24 | Piedmont Fox Hounds Point-to-Point  | 1:00 p.m.  |
| April 1  | Orange County Hounds Point-to-Point | 1:00 p.m.  |
| April 7  | Old Dominion Hounds Point-to-Point  | 12:00 Noon |
| April 15 | Loudoun Hunt Point-to-Point         | 12:00 Noon |
| April 21 | Middleburg Spring Races             | 1:30 p.m.  |
| April 22 | Blue Ridge Hunt Point-to-Point      | 12:00 Noon |
| April 28 | Foxfield Spring Race Meet           | 1:00 p.m.  |
| April 29 | Middleburg Hunt Point-to-Point      | 1:00 p.m.  |
| May 5    | Virginia Gold Cup Race Meet         | 12:00 Noon |

## FALL STEEPLECHASE SCHEDULE

|            |                                  |            |
|------------|----------------------------------|------------|
| October 7  | Foxfield Fall Race Meet          | 1:30 p.m.  |
| October 13 | Virginia Fall Race Meet          | 1:30 p.m.  |
| October 27 | International Gold Cup Race Meet | 12:00 Noon |
| November 3 | Montpelier Race Meet             | 12:30 p.m. |

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