



Maryland Spring Hunter Pace Circuit

2010

Sponsored by

Potomac Hunt Club

Saturday, April 3, 2010

21315 Peachtree Road, Dickerson, MD 20842

New Market Middletown Valley Hounds

Sunday, April 18, 2010

1600 Marker Road, Middletown, MD 21769

Goshen Hounds

Saturday, April 24, 2010

18420 Brooke Grove Road, Olney, MD 20832

Marlborough Hunt Club

“Dodon Run”

Saturday, May 1, 2010

440 Dodon Road, Davidsonville, MD 21035

Howard County Iron Bridge Hounds

Sunday, May 9, 2010

4389 Jennings Chapel Road, Brookeville, MD 20833

Classes & Trophies

- 1. Fast Time Over Fences**
Go Barefoot Perpetual Trophy donated by Allen & Jeanne Forney
Fences 3'-3'6" – Competition for hunt teams over a course of fair hunting country with a distance of 2.5-4 miles. Fastest team wins.
- 2. Optimum Time Over Low Fences**
Shadowfax Memorial Perpetual Trophy donated by Dr. Patricia Straat
Fences not to exceed 2'6" - Competition for hunt teams over a 1-2 mile course. Team closest to preset optimum time wins.
- 3. Junior Optimum Time Over Low Fences**
Pat Solter Memorial Perpetual Trophy donated by the Robert M. Hanson family
Same as Class #2 except teams must be established as described in rule #8.
- 4. Optimum Time Over Fences**
JWS Miller Perpetual Trophy
Fences 3'-3'6" – Competition for hunter teams over a course of fair hunting country. Time will be preset by a field member to simulate riding to working hounds. Team closet to preset time wins. Distance of 2.5-4 miles.
- 5. Optimum Flat Time**
Ruth Cairns Perpetual Trophy
Competition for hunter teams over a course of fair hunting country with no fences. Minimum of 2 miles. Team closest to preset optimum time wins.
- 6. Junior Optimum Flat Time**
Johnny Bill Linton Perpetual Trophy
Same as Class #5 except teams must be established as described in rule #8.

Robert Lee Hall Memorial Trophy

Trophy awarded to the recognized Hunt Club with the highest total points from optimum time and team entries.

Ribbons, Points & Trophies

Six ribbons awarded in each class. Points in first through forth places (5, 3, 2, 1) with additional point credited to the Hunt Club total for each qualified team member. Trophies to be awarded at the last Hunter Pace.

Entry Fee: \$15 per horse/rider combination per team

ALL PACES BEGIN AT 10:00 AM

Directions & Contacts

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| Potomac Hunt Club | From Rt. 28 South, turn on Peachtree Road. |
| Potomac Kennels | Follow approx. 3 miles to Hunt Club on right |
| Barnesville, MD | before bridge. |
| Nellie Hanagan (301) 367-3703 | |
| New Market-Middletown Valley Hounds .. | Rt. 70 West to Exit 42 Rt. 17 South Follow |
| NMMVH Kennels | thru Middletown. About 2 miles South of town |
| Middletown , MD | turn right onto Quebec School Road. Stay on Quebec |
| Jackie Hoffman 240-818-0208 | School Rd thru 4 – way stop at Picnic Woods Rd. At |
| | next stop sign, make a slight left onto Marker Rd. |
| | Continue 1 mile to 1600 Marker Road. Look for parking |
| | signs |
| Goshen Hounds | From Rt. 97 to Rt. 108 E to left on Prince |
| Brook Grove Farm | Phillip Drive to left on Spartan. Farm is at the |
| Olney, MD | end of Spartan. |
| Blair Conrad 301-908-1777 or | |
| Bryan Snively 240-882-6659 | |
| Marlborough Hunt Club | Rt. 95 South to Rt. 50 East to Rt. 424 South. |
| Dodon Farm | Go 3.6 miles to Rts. 424/214 light and go |
| Davidsonville, MD | straight onto Birdville Road. Go 1.9 miles to |
| Iris Wagner (410) 991-5209 | Dodon Road on right. Go to dead end of |
| | Dodon Farm. |
| Howard County Iron Bridge Hounds | From intersection of Rt. 97 & Rt. 650 in |
| Pleasant Prospect Farm | Sunshine, go North on Rt. 97, left on Jennings |
| Brookeville, MD | Chapel Rd. Go approx. 0.8 miles to Pleasant |
| Mary Anne Ridgely (301) 873-1033 | Prospect Farm on right. |

Rules

1. No optimum times will be given out to anyone until the end of the racing day.
2. A "team" will consist of a minimum of two riders. At least two of the same riders must be in each "team" to be eligible to accrue points as a team.
3. The same "team" must enter its class on at least 3 of the 5 race days to be eligible for the end of circuit awards.
4. Teams of each recognized Hunt receive accumulated points for the Robert Lee Hall Memorial Trophy. If a team has members from more than one Hunt, they must designate which Hunt is to receive points with the minimum of two members. Points only for the members of the designated club are counted.
5. **Required Attire:** Protective head gear, formal hunt attire or ratcatcher. Juniors must have safety harness on helmet and safety vests are recommended. **No sneakers or chaps will be allowed.**
6. Liability form must be signed by every entrant with entry. Juniors must have parents sign their form.
7. Each course will be ridden within 48 hours of the pace to set the optimum time. Time is set with the first "team" rider out and ending with the last "team" rider in.
8. Juniors are 18 years or under. Two (2) Juniors are necessary for a Junior team except a rider 9 years or under may ride with an adult and classify as a "Junior Team."
9. There will be no rain dates. If in doubt, call the chairperson.