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World Equestrian Center – Ocala Summer IX



Dorothy Douglas (USA) and MTM Pablo, owned by Davenport Farms, won the \$100,000 Wheels Up Grand Prix.

"It feels surreal. MTM Pablo has been knocking on the door the entire year for one of these big wins. I've been second a few times, and we like to call it being a bridesmaid but today I'm the bride. For him to win this class is unbelievable. He deserves this win."

Photo by <u>Andrew Ryback Photography</u>



Erika Moore and Chacco Ricco, owned by Noble Steeds LLC, captured the top prize in the \$12,500 3'6"-3'9" Hunter Derby sponsored by Golden Ocala Golf <u>& Equestrian Club</u>. The pair earned fantastic scores of 88 and 92.

"Going back with the top score, it's better to play it a little conservative, be handy, be tidy, but don't be overzealous. I rode exactly what I planned on, and I was lucky to ride my other horse before him. It showed me what I needed to do better and what I needed to do less."

Photo by Andrew Ryback Photography



Alberto Michan (ISR) and Kabuki, owned by Maeve O'Connor, claimed top honors in the \$10,000 Buckeye Nutrition Futures Prix.

"She's naturally fast over the jumps, and I think that was the difference. I was in the beginning of the class, and I knew there were a bunch of fast riders behind me so I gave it my all. She stayed focused and was trying to be very careful."

Photo by Andrew Ryback Photography

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Watch the Winning Round for Dorothy Douglas and MTM Pablo in the \$100,000 Wheels Up Grand Prix



Check out Dorothy Douglas and MTM Pablo, owned by Davenport Farms, as they secure victory in the \$100,000 Wheels Up Grand Prix under the lights on Saturday, August 5.

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World Equestrian Center Winners



Luiz Francisco de Azevedo (BRA) and Nashville topped the \$24,000 C. Jarvis Insurance Welcome Prix. Photo by

Jordan Lubow and Wisely were victorious in the \$10,000 UF Veterinary Hospital USHJA National 3' Open Hunter

Memorable Moments From World Equestrian Center

Photos by Andrew Ryback Photography



Sunday Spotlight: Jennifer Bliss



Jennifer Bliss and Poker Face competing at WEC – Ocala. Photo by <u>Andrew Ryback Photography</u>

This week's Ocala Sunday Spotlight shines on professional hunter rider Jennifer Bliss of Wellington, FL. Bliss began riding at an early age, and shortly after she finished her junior career she became a professional, opening Harris Hill Farm, LLC. Bliss is not only an accomplished hunter rider and trainer, but she is also a Large 'R' Hunter and Equitation judge. We caught up with Bliss to learn more about her career, some of her top mounts and how judging has influenced her riding.

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Upcoming Events

<u>World Equestrian Center – Ocala</u>

2023 Summer Show Series

Summer Series X: August 9-13

2023 November and December Show Series

November I: November 8-12 November II: November 15-19

December I: December 5-10 CSI3* (pending USEF and FEI approval) December II: December 12-17 CSI3* (pending USEF and FEI approval)

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2023 Summer Show Series

Summer III: August 9-13

2023 Fall Classic Series

Fall Classic I: September 27-October 1 Fall Classic II: October 4-8 Fall Classic III: October 11-15 Fall Classic IV: October 18-22 Fall Classic V: October 25-29

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Dedicated to offering great sport and good fun in a family-friendly environment, World Equestrian Center promises an unparalleled experience for exhibitors, spectators, vendors, sponsors and retailers built on three core values: Quality. Class. Distinction.

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