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2008-09 Series Standings

Western Carolina Hunter Pace & Trail Ride Series

Final Standings for 2008-2009

Reported by: Jan Smith

After a record sixteen events of the 2008-09 Western Carolina Hunter Pace & Trail Ride Series, the final standings are in as follows:

Six dedicated riders attended all 16 events and have earned the special 100% Support Award – a 10x14" wall plaque with their choice of an 8x10" Series photo of their choice!! They are: Sinclair Berdan, Chris Britton, April McCormack, Peggy McMakin, Thomas Pluemper and Bobby Turner.

Seven [almost most as] determined riders missed only one of this Series events and will receive an 8x10" wall plaque with a 5x7" Series photo of their choice! They are: Kathy Bethka, Stephanie Culbretson, Boots & Sarah Plyler, Kristen Pearce, Jennifer Spratt and Mary Tolles.

Congratulations and thanks to these special riders and all of our event supporters over the Series!

Total # Rides: 816

Field Hunters: 319

🏆 Mary Tolles retained her lead and finished this Series as our Field Hunter Champion with a total of 49 Points.

🏆 Bill Boger finishes as Reserve Champion with a total of 44 Series Points.

🏆 Thomas Pluemper was close behind to take the First Place ribbon with 43 points.

🏆 Duane Harm ended this Series in Second with 39 points.

🏆 Terry Boger came in Third Place with 34 Series points.

🏆 Sinclair Berdan and April McCormack ended the current Series in Fourth Place with a tally of 32 points.

🏆 Cindy Kaufman made a last event jump to take Fifth with 31 points.

🏆 Harlene Harm came in Sixth Place with 29 Series Points.

🏆 Brian & Carolyn MacCormack moved into Seventh Place with total of 27 points.

🏆 Liz Crawley & Sue Smolka completed the Series in Eighth Place with 23 Series points.

🏆 Linda Matthews accumulated 22 points to earn Ninth Place honors.

🏆 Anne, Kayleigh & Kelsey Spicer earned 19 Series points for Tenth Place ribbons.

🏆 Baiba Bourbeau, Gale Ford & Beatrice Lamb have each earned 17 Series Points for the frustrating "honor" of first out of the ribbons.

🏆 Rodney Hawk, Jeannie Hester, Leanne Jetton, Eileen Taylor, Sherry Wyatt and Kris Yon have each earned 16 Series points.

🏆 Betty Hill and Kem Ketchem each earned 15 points this Series.

🏆 Lorie Blessing, Cat Dye and Kay Flennor accumulated 14 Series points.

🏆 Michael & Roberta Axelrod, Blanche Costa, Kathy Godsey, Judy Heinrich, Karen Kaufman, Brenda King, Janet Ladd, Ron Piccari and Peter Shanahan tied with 13 Series points.

🏆 Jeanne Parsons has earned 12 Series Points.

🏆 Dee & Jack Black, Ann Fratcher, Tom & Vicky Jackson, Barbara Ketcham, Dean McKinney and CeeCee Wilmanns have each earned 11 points.

🏆 Susane Brown and Roberta McKinney have each accumulated ten Series points this year.

🏆 Kat Dooley, Madison Gardinier, Mike Kinsey and Marge Warder have each earned nine points.

🏆 Becky Bockoven, Autumn Fagan, Ken Feagin, Pamela Minnick and Pepper Oliver each have 8 Series points.

🏆 Seven points have been earned by Paula Anderson, Sharon Carden, Gretchen Enright, Shelia Grymes, Grethe Haladyna, Melinda Holland, Rachel Johnston, Bonnie Lingerfelt, April Pauley Mink, Kasey Minnick, Lisa Moore, Kim McCrea Pavioski, Samantha Roubaud, C.R. Stanley, Megan Tarre, Charlene Tomsough, Nancy Tuckerman and Katrina Turnage.

🏆 Mike Bostic, Ilena Budde, Maude Carr, Yo Casey, Catie Costa, Charlie & Dolores Erthal, Jan Hayward, Rhonda Lewis, Kelly Rappuchi, Roger Smith, Carol Stanley and Susan Wallahora have each earned 6 Series points to date.

🏆 Carrie Britt, Jeanne Clark, Chrystal Crispin, Charlotte Enderle, Amy Gantt, Natalie Holliday, Debra Kennerly, Joe Manno, Gail Patton, Debra Porter, Krista Sands, Debbie Thrasher and Lisa Tyler have earned five Series points apiece.

🏆 Dan Bates, Brandon Blankenship, Jan Ellis, Stephanie Ferriouolo, Jana Hinely, Delene Huggins, Toni Laston, Marianne Moore, Michele Parrish, Laura Pierz, Mallory Vaughn and Cathy Weaver each have four points this Series.

🏆 Darbie Barr, Debbie Cobb, Joni Fielding, Kelsey Garvey, Peg Henneke, Daphne Hoffen, Freda Jessen, Linda Ketcham, Rachel Knight, Kimberly Kuss, Roger Leik, Jillian & Travis Mangum, Kate Manno, Lisa McGrady, Anne McIver, Casey Morris, Yasmine Ouertani, Kerry Shelley, Anna ter Kuile and Emily Turnage have each earned three Series points.

Two Completion points each for: Grace Barnes, Andrea Blankenship, Deborah Bundy, Rachel Butterworth-Tice, Lori Childress, Aryn Durbin, Erin Fletcher, Garry Gill, Carolyne Groves, Miriam Jayne, Teresa Johnson, Katelyn Jones, Sara Ketcham, Biddie Lowry, Cindy Lubin, Debra Lusk, Buck Matthews, Payton Miller, Jan Mize, Amanda Morfinos, Meghan O'Brien, Harold Pfeiffer, Stephanie Poole, Madison Potts, Diane Roemer, Jamie Roper, Suzanne Russell, Terry Russell, Jennifer A Smith, Jean Stryker and Rachel Wood.

One completion point for: Jeanne Ahrenholz, Rachel Ambrosin, Steve & Kaitlyn Bardos, Rebecca Barnes, Patti Bell, Ben Boatwright, Jenny Bost, Cynthia Boyle, Monika Branham, Susan Brenn, Mary Britt, Ashley Bronn, Elizabeth Bush, Michele Calvert, Anna Carpenter, Clara Carter, Olivia Case, Marlene Chappel, Ginny Chibbaro, Sabine Connors, Morgan Conrad, Candace Crawford, Chris Crispens, Philip Crotwell, Janice Cyrill, Tom Dashiell, Anna Deason, Jessica Demay, Lori Dodd, Hilary Drohan, Carly Earp, Ashley Ellis, Wendy Elwell, Sara Erwin, Jennifer Evans, Cathy Fitzjohn, Kim Floyd, Carla Fullam, Johanna Fuller, Lacy Galloway, Erin Gambrel, Amy Gantt-2nd Ride, Kristina Gardenas, Laurel Godfrey, Liza Goodlett, Jessica Greene, Ruth Grubbs, Ken Hagn, Sylvia Hamilton, Gwen Hunter Hancock, Lee Ann Harmon, Norene Hazlett, Carleigh Hews, Mary Hill, Kathryn Hodge, Kathy Hodge, Trip Hoffman, Hali Holloway, Sheree Holmes, Sarah Hovck, Sara Isely, Shanna Israel, Lillian Jayne, Ines Jennings, Katie Jones, Resa Kearse, Lydia Kellett, Rachel King, Holly King, Molly King, Shaina Kinnunen, Taylor Kinter, Jason Knight, Christina Lawhon, Sarah Lawing, Jackie & Samantha Lazarus, Brooke Leonard, Ed Lominack, Amber Massey, Zadie Mathis, Angie & Sue McDaniel, Doug McMillan, Sharon Melvin, Barbara & Bill Mills, Nelson Minnick, Avery Mintz, Bettina & Emil Montano, Shanna Moore, Daniel & Jennifer Murphy, Fran Nagle, Brian Niemitalo, Virginia Noonan, Kristina Nordan, Lyn Owen, Mike Pitts, Norman Powers, Nancy Reynolds, Maggie Ricketson, Krista Rose, Susan Russell, Stephanie Schulte, Susan Sloan, Jennifer B Smith, Brandon Sprouse, Grace Spurrell, Curt & Laura Steinke, Kara Stroupe, Clare Summers, Ivey Sumrell, Jennifer Taylor, Justine Tibbles, Rachel Tice, Briana Timmerman, Denise Trantham, Debbie Traver, Lisa Tyler-2nd Ride, Teresa Tyree, Alan Van Wieren, Stan Von Hofe, T.J. Vore, Tina Walker, Elizabeth Watson, Momo Weatherby, Jan & Kim Whitehurst, Leah Whiting, Helen Wilson, Stephanie Wood, Janet Wooten, Erica & Linda Yopp and Cassie Younginer.

Also out to enjoy the trails and support these benefits with us were Ruth Ahcorne, Amy Barrington, Jill Decker, Jane & John Gallagher, Ed Hall, Martha Hall, Ed Lubin, Emily & Phillip Osborne and Leslie Patton.

Trail Riders: 497

Boots & Sarah Plyler have finished the 2008-09 Series with 63 Series points for Trail Rider Grand Champions.

Kathy Bethka and Stephanie Culbretson earned a total of 45 Series points to take Reserve Champion.

Linda Farris made a last event jump to earn the First Place honors with 43 Series Points.

Chris Britton and Peggy McMakin took Second Place with 42 points apiece.

Wayne Farris and Bobby Turner share Third Place honors with an accumulation of 34 points.

Kristen Pearce and Jennifer Spratt are in Fourth Place with 32 Series points.

Deanna Baldwin, and Lacy Hein have earned Fifth with 31 points.

Lisa Spriggs made a last event jump into Sixth Place with a total of 30 Series Points.

Skyler Warren jumped up to take Seventh Place honors with 29 points.

Jan Ellis and Paula Mierop finished the Series in Eighth Place with 23 Series points.

Teresa Johnson and Cathy Weaver tied in Ninth Place with 21 points apiece.

Sally Rock finished the 2008-09 Series in Tenth Place with an accumulation of 20 points.

Nancy Finkell and Russell Rock have 18 Series Points accumulated.

Susan Haslam earned 16 Series points.

Connie Moore, Susan Wykel, Erica & Linda Yopp have earned 15 points each.

Ruth Ann DeHollander, Carla Fullam, Erin Gambrel and Elizabeth Skeie have accumulated 14 Series points each.

Susan Carrier and Nancy Hasselbring have earned 12 points apiece.

Kathy Gleason and Liz Strahlo Holdren have each earned 11 Series points.

Jeffrey Clayton, Candace Crawford and Kristen White have ten points each.

🏆 Jane Eden, Melinda Holland, Patti Lovelace, Debi Morris, Donna & Leah Odom, Julie Bland-Price, Karen Reynolds and Kathy & Ric Rondell have nine Series Points accumulated.

🏆 Adam & Kelly Brown, Angel Cairnes, Brenda Cox, Erin Fletcher, Amy Gee, Mary Hager, Debbie Henderson, Elaine Hobbs, Sandra Hyder, Lindsey Newsom, Heatha Ramsey and Ralph & Teresa Tyree have earned eight points apiece.

🏆 Allen & Suzanne Butler, Kara Cassels, David Delano, Audrey, Carnie & Susan Goforth, Donald Hall, Pam Hilsman, Miriam Jayne, Susie Justus, Michelle Mallonee, Sarah Silver, Flo Sommerich and Berkeley Thorsten have each earned seven points.

🏆 Teresa Dennison, Deanna Ermson, Carolyn Groves, Susan Hartley, Tony Hill, Grant Hilsman, Hugh Hobbs, Stacey Lindsey, Barbara Madill, Wendy McLea, Jennifer Smith and Ivey Sumrell have each earned six Series points apiece.

🏆 Chris & Kelly Cannon, Carol Greata, Rust Hilsman, Randi McEntire, Ali Merritt, Jasmin Poor, Debra Porter, Kelly Rappuchi, Allison Rhyne, Sue Z Truitt and Emily Wilson have each accumulated five Series points.


🏆 Paula Allen, Bill Anderson, Ashley Autrey, Jeanette Beandry, Andrea Blankenship, Holly Domoto, Vickie Durham, Nancy Grennon, Fred & Susan Knickerbocker, Art Lazarus, Emaline & Soline McGee, Jennifer Murphy, Linda Solinas, Anne Schoch and Karen Sennewald and have each earned four points this Series.

🏆 Brittany Anderson, Becky Bockoven, Cherie Burns, Claire Carey, Clara Carter, Mary Nan Ellenburg, Susan Fillmore, Holly Fisher, Karen Graham, Martha Hall, Joanna Holzinger, Debra Kennerly, Terri Kothe, Jackie & Samantha Lazarus, Janet Leatherwood, Rhonda Lewis, Cheryl Lilley, Paige Cowan Livert, Graham Martin, Dee McWhorter, Jan Mize, Joy Morris, Amy Moyer, Rachel O'Brien, Caitlyn Ridgeway, Diana Schenning, Leslie Scott, Emily & Peter Shanahan, Susan Sloan, Sydney Sourveson, Katie Tighe, Larry Wassong, Jackie West, Elliott Williams and David Wilson have each earned three Series points.

🏆 Two completion points have been earned to date by Amanda Aiello, Libby Arnold, Laura Bierly, Thann Boyum, Paige Brinkley, Carrie Britt, Mary Britt, Anastasia Brown, Brian Butler, A.B. Caudle, Janet Chandler, Ginny Chibbaro, Madeline Clas, Maxine Cook, Amy Corbett, Kat Dooley, Beth Durocher, Fredalyn Evans, Susan Fiala, Gail Frandsen, Deana Gilliam, Tomas Gimenez, Katie Gordon, Mary Hill, Amanda, Amber & Beverly Huntley, Lillian Jayne, Freda Jessen, Linda King, Nancy Klouda, Lisa Kotallik, Sandra Lederer, Matthew Lewis, Ed Lominack, Don Lyons, Jamie Maddox, Alice Kay McMillan, Susan Melvin, Elizabeth Morosani, Tom Morton, Holly Nelson, Sarah Olivia Pearson, Claire Phillips, Laurel Pyatt, Denise & Shelby Ritacco, Stephanie Schulte, Pamela Scott, Judy Scott, Jordan Simmers, Kristen Simmons, Susan & Steve Suber, Virginia Sullivan, Kelley Thomson, Terri Vick, Stan Von Hofe, Susan Wallahora, Rhonda Williams and Cindy Wilson.

🏆 And one completion point each have been earned by Peggy Abbott, Annie Ager, Natasha Aide, Linda Algire, Helen & Mike Atkins, Irene Backer, Laura Backus, Sarah Bailey, Donald Barnes, Grace Barnes, Damian Bartholomew, Emily Barton, Cynthia Barziloski, Elizabeth Baucom, Lynn Baxter, Karen Beckwith, Christi Bell, Patti Bell, Patricia Bellanca, Quentin Benjamson, Derek Billib, Dee & Jack Black, Brenda Blaylock, Lissa Boatwright, Becky Bockoven-2nd Ride, Sara Boelt, Sarah & Emily Bonner, Allie Boone, Chloe Bosshard, Cynthia Boyle, Brittany Brecken, Regina Broughton, Ilena Budde, Hillary Edwards Burdett, Rachel Butterworth-Tice, Ali Cameron, Katie Carpenter, Maude Carr, Julia Cass, Murphy Cassell, Charlotte Caudle, Charlesey Chartin, Ella Chesnee, Meredith Church, Andrew Clarke, Robert Clifford, Valerie Collins, Vicky Copeland, Owen Cothran, Cathy Cowan, Liz & Taylor Crawley, Anita & Sara Crouse, Jennifer Daugherty, Joy Deitle, Casandra Delop, Patsy Demitt, Charmaine DeRosa, Debie DeVere, Marianne Devoursney, Abigail Dey, Josie Dickins, Carol Divey, Debra Dowling, Kimberly Dunn, Sean Eastman, Mark Eden, Pamela Ellis, Charlie Erthal, Amy Eskew, Jennifer Evans, Rachel Fields, Patricia Fisher, Lori Foster, Magen Fowler, Gina Franco, Gwen Frangias, Suess Fraser, Fran Gambrell, Tracie Gant, Jonathan Gee, Robert Giffard, Dan Gilmore, Rebecca Gimenez, Brittany Godfrey, Kathy Godsey, Ashley Goodlett, Steve & Valleri Gospodinoff, Kyle Grant, Jessica Greene, Trish Griffin, Jacky Hallenbeck, Britain Hamrick, Terri Harrah, Shari Harris, Laura Hathaway, Courtney Hatherlee, Jan Hayes, Donna Haynie, Rachel Helm, Tara Herrero, Ashton Hill, Bill Hill, Kathy Hites, A.E. Hogan, Pat Holbrook, Hali Holloway, Danny & Debbie Hoxie, Tracey Hudson, Rob Hull, Patti Ivie, Kathy Jackson, Tamra Jesse, Kris Johnson, Charlotte Jones, David Jones, Katie Jones, Casalyn & Jacien Jussila, Clare Kerry, Linda Kial, Jessica Kicklighter, Dana Kind, Cindy King, Alyssa Klavans, Jason & Rachel Knight, Lori Knight, Leanna Kugkendall, Lou & Patti Kunz, Addie Lalumondier, Stephanie LaMarcie, Kara Lassels, Christian Lawhon, Virginia Leavitt, Lydia Lechecki, Kim Leitch, Rebecca Lever, Amy Lewis, Deirdre Perot Lightey, Sarah Lindsay, Bonnie Lingerfelt, Riina Lugas, Debra Lusk, Peggy Lyons, Rachel Mackley, Elizabeth Macko, Virginia Maclure, Weslee Maddox, Joe & Kate Manno, Shelley Marquis, Anne Mason, Linda & Buck Matthews, Betsy McCray, Sue McDaniel, Andrew Meeks, Heidi Mendez, Russell Mierop, Grayson & Payton Miller, Mascal Milligan, Carole Milne, Kasey & Pamela Minnick, Chloe Beth Miranda, Victoria Nauman, Andrea Nechodom, Allison Neely, Maureen Neff, Kimberli Nichols, Ashlan & Shana Niemitalo, Diane Nolin, Jeannie O'Connor, Cassandra Owensby, Erin Pagliano, Jeanne Parsons, Gail Patton, Kim McCrea Pavioski, Ashley, Damon & Darlene Pavlas, Brittany Pee, Emily Phifer, Bev Phillips, Susan Phillips, Joe & Kathy Picone, Maggie Powell, Missy Powell, Norman Powers, Stephen Queen, Shannon

Randall, Beth Rebels, Janna Ritacco, Abbey Roberson, Jinx Roberts, Jamie Robertson, Grace Routh, Bill Rucker, Sarah Russell, Susan Russell, Ingrid Sander, Liza Sapir, Nina Schug, Kennedy Sealey, Donna Searby, Emily Shaunn, Marlene Sher, Sue Silver, Emily Singleta, Claire Solomon, Zeb Sprinkle, Ron Stanley, Barbara & Billy Stephens, Kayce Stevens, Melody Stewart, Amanda Stickly, Janet Stone, Abi Stringer, Jackie Stroksbury, Sally Sturdevant, Lilly Talley, Mary Taylor, Cindy Teddy, Anna & Katherine ter Kuile, Allison & Bruce Thompson, Diane Thorpe, Debbie Thrasher, Savannah Tracy, Debbie Traver, Nancy Tuckerman, Katrina Turnage, Lisa Tygrelski, Dale Weaver, Christina Wessling, Wilma White, Kim & Jan Whitehurst, Alison Whitman, Sarah Whitten, Anita Williamson, CeeCee Wilmanns, Heather Wilson, Maxine Winesett, Rachel & Stephanie Wood, Renee & William Wormell, Sherry Wyatt, Ellie Yarborough, Amy & Heather Young, Sarah Ellen Yungermeyer and Morgan Zepeda.

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The 2008-09 Western Carolina Hunter Pace & Trail Ride Series has ended, but we hope you'll join us as we finish up this Series in a grand flourish in conjunction with the Spartanburg based therapeutic riding program - HALTER. We will have a Poker Ride with a twist, a delicious BBQ lunch, vendors and awards at Croft State Natural Area for the Year End Gathering on June 21st, be sure to check the info on the website.

We hope you will be able to join us to enjoy the trails, food and most of all the camaraderie of people and mounts. Always remember to check the Western Carolina Hunter Pace and Trail Ride website at www.WCHPace.org for all upcoming events, news, articles, photos, placements and contact information.

Thank you to Lou Smith for being at every event to capture the riders and their mounts as they fly over jumps, canter through the fields and ride the trails. Hit "Photos" on the website to view you and your friend's pictures. You can place an order online.

For information on the Western Carolina Hunter Pace & Trail Ride Series please e-mail Series Coordinator, Jan Smith at jan@wchpace.org or wchpace@windstream.net or call her at 828-894-8760.