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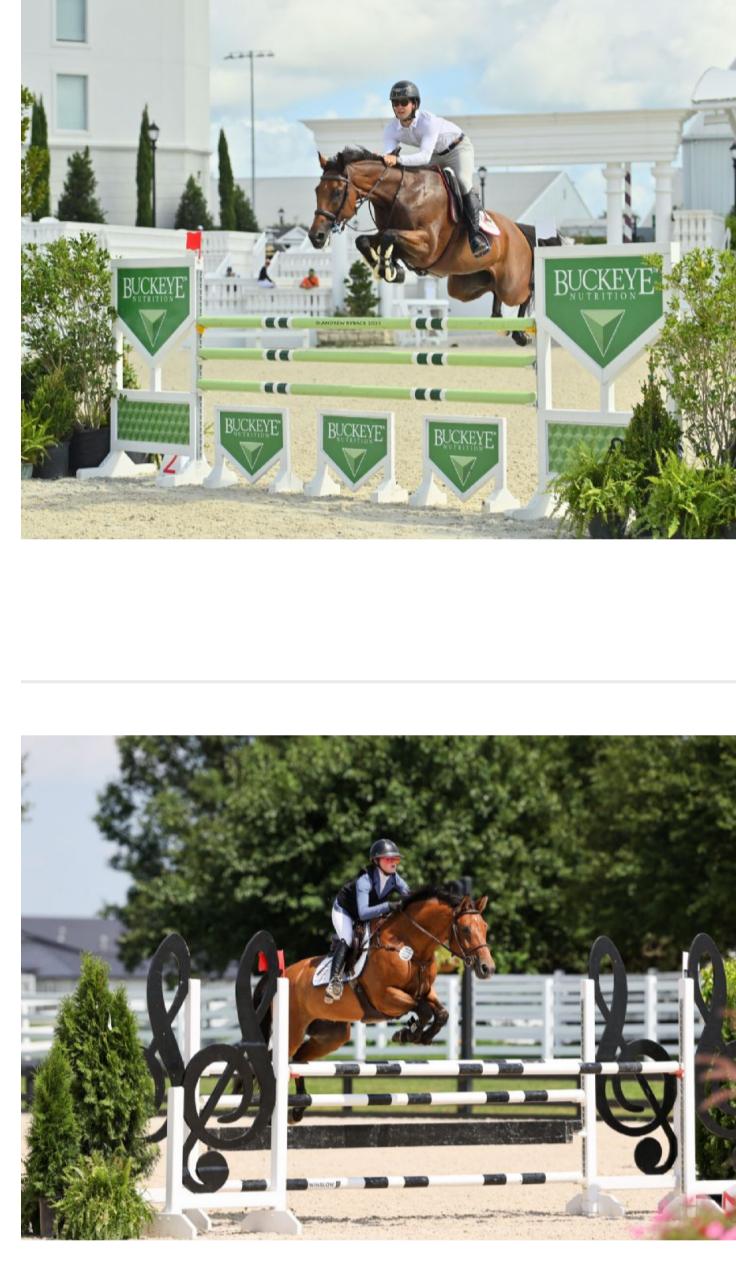
World Equestrian Center Highlights From Ocala Summer VII and Wilmington Summer II



Luis Sabino Goncalves (POR) and Vick du Croisy, owned by Sigma Stables LLC, secured victory in the \$100,000 MARS Equestrian Grand Prix at WEC – Ocala.

"There is always an amazing atmosphere here. The public gets connected with us, and we feed off of their excitement. They cheer during the whole round, and it makes for an electric grand prix. It's exciting and motivates us to go even faster."

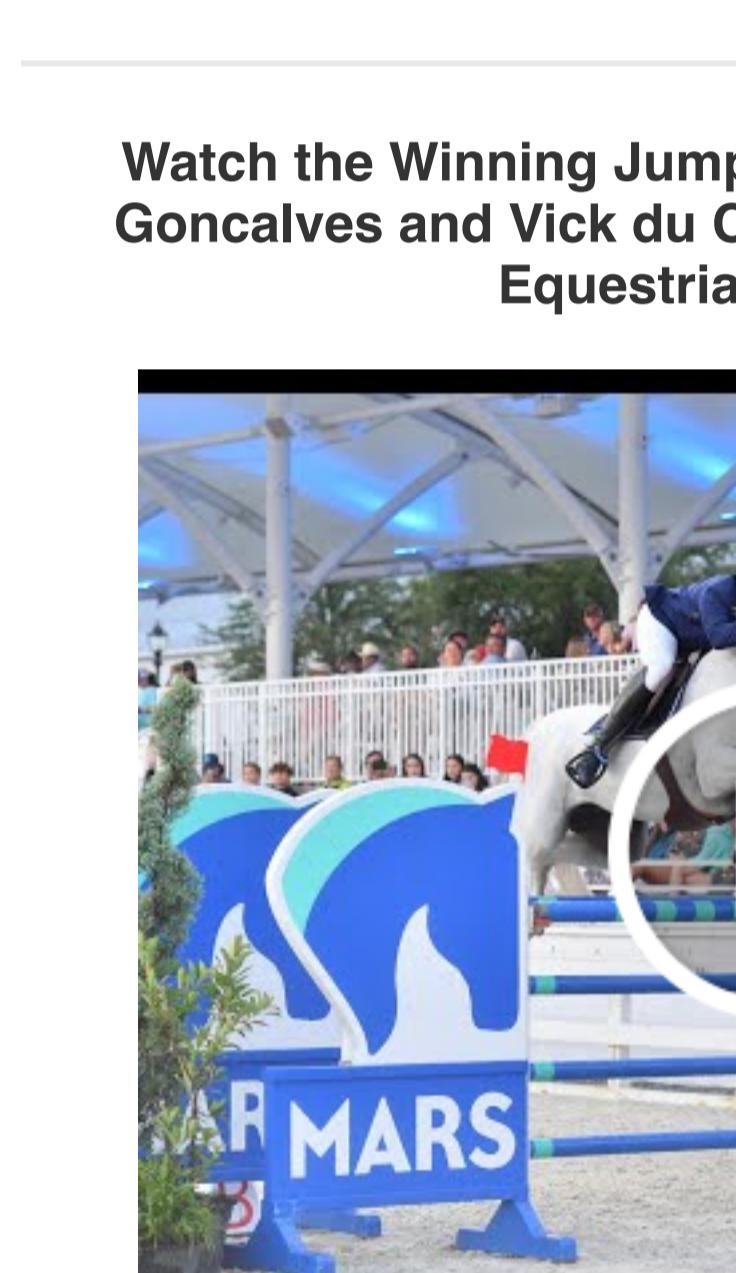
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For the second week in a row, Richard Rinehart (USA) and Vincent, owned by Ron Caraway, earned the win in the \$25,000 Standlee Grand Prix at WEC – Wilmington.

"Hats off to Vincent. At the end of the day, it is the horse. You can ask them all, but only a few of them can do that. He is really careful and is truly amazing. I am so thankful to have him."

Photo by Winslow Photography



Josh Dolan and Something Blue, owned by Margaret Robinson, topped the podium in the \$12,500 Golden Ocala Golf and Equestrian Club 3'6"-3'9" Hunter Derby at WEC – Ocala. The duo received impressive scores of 96 and 97.

"I've never received a 97 before. I have had a 96 a few times, but this was the first time I've ever had an overall score that high. It puts you on an emotional high – especially because we are going into the biggest event of the year for hunters in a few weeks – and to be able to walk into that after this performance is mind-blowing."

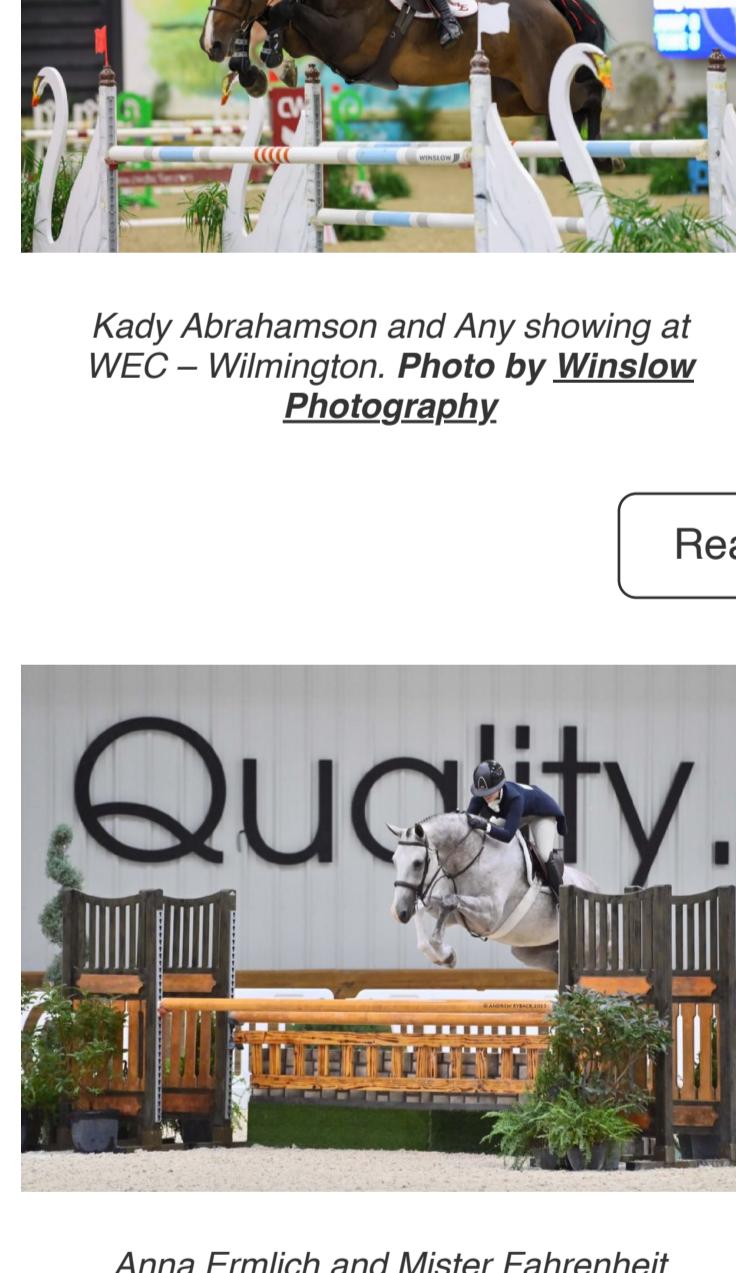
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Colleen Holton and her own Udefix captured the win in the \$10,000 IDA Development USHJA National Hunter Derby at WEC – Wilmington. The pair received high scores of 89 and 91.

"My mom and I bought Felix when he was six years old. I have developed him from the young hunters all the way up to the High Performance Hunters and the derbies. He has been so fun for me to get to do all the bigger classes on and move up."

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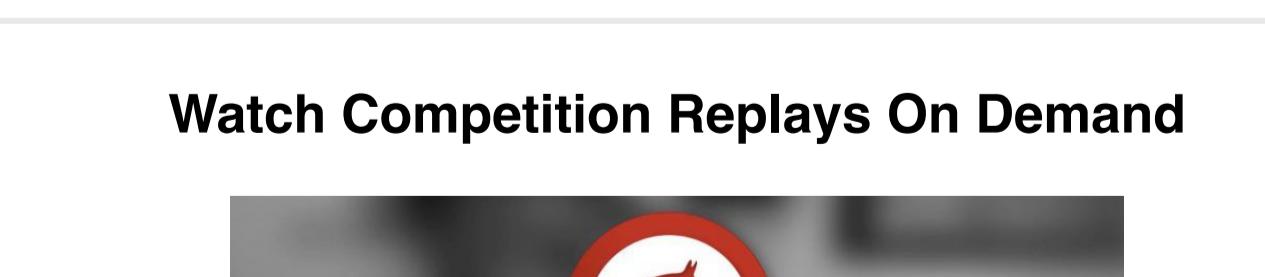
Luis Larrazabal (VEN) and Belle de Muze, owned by Driss Ngadi, were victorious in the \$10,000 Buckeye Nutrition Futures Prix at WEC – Ocala.

"I was very lucky to go last in the order. I was winning with my first horse for a while but then Will [Simpson] went faster on both his horses. I knew my mare was naturally fast, so I tried to be as quick as I could and hopefully leave all the poles in their cups."

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Watch the Winning Jump-Off Round for Luis Sabino Goncalves and Vick du Croisy in the \$100,000 MARS Equestrian Grand Prix



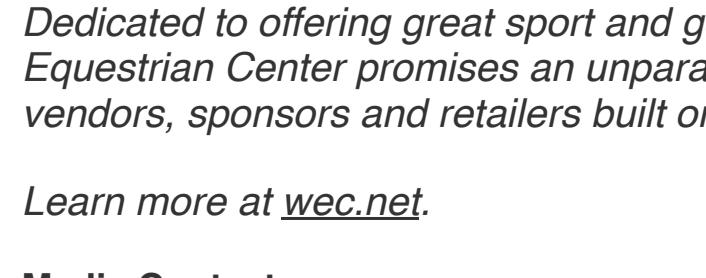
Check out Luis Sabino Goncalves and Vick du Croisy, owned by Sigma Stables LLC, as they secure victory in the \$100,000 MARS Equestrian Grand Prix in the WEC Grand Arena on Saturday, July 22.

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World Equestrian Center Winners



Patricia Rodriguez (ARG) and Corvet Enigma were victorious in the \$7,500 Kentucky Equine Research Welcome Stake at WEC – Wilmington. *Photo by Winslow Photography*



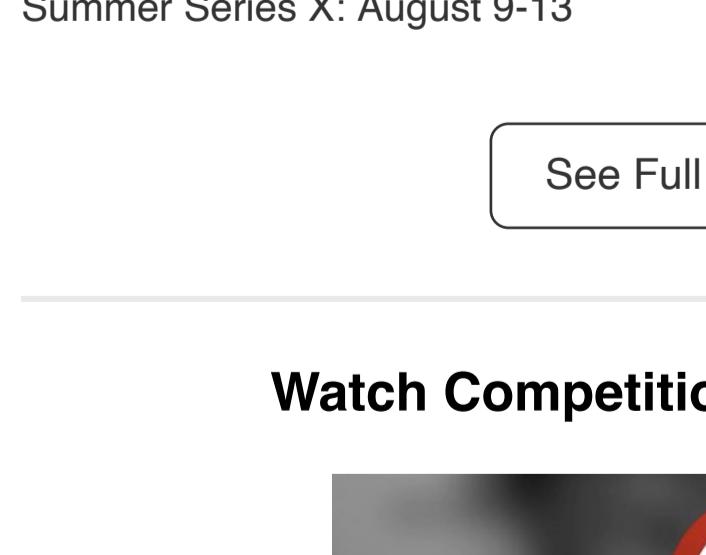
Alexander Adkins and Completo earned the win in the \$2,500 Standlee Non-Pro Hunter Derby in Wilmington. *Photo by Winslow Photography*



Daniel Geitner rode Even Steven to victory in the \$10,000 UF Health Veterinary Hospital USHJA National 3' Open Hunter Derby at WEC – Ocala. *Photo by Andrew Ryback Photography*

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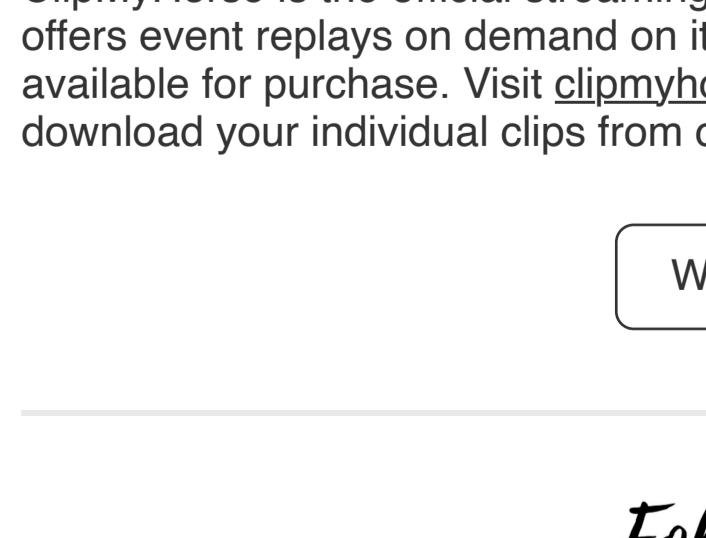
Sunday Spotlight: Any and Anna Ermlich



This week's Wilmington Sunday Spotlight shines on Kady Abrahamson's striking mare, Any (Aljano x Nina XI). The 15-year-old Holsteiner is a fan favorite and has earned a top-three placing in every grand prix she has competed in at WEC – Wilmington. The duo has made numerous outings to both WEC locations and never fails to rise to the occasion. We caught up with Abrahamson to learn more about the queen of her barn.

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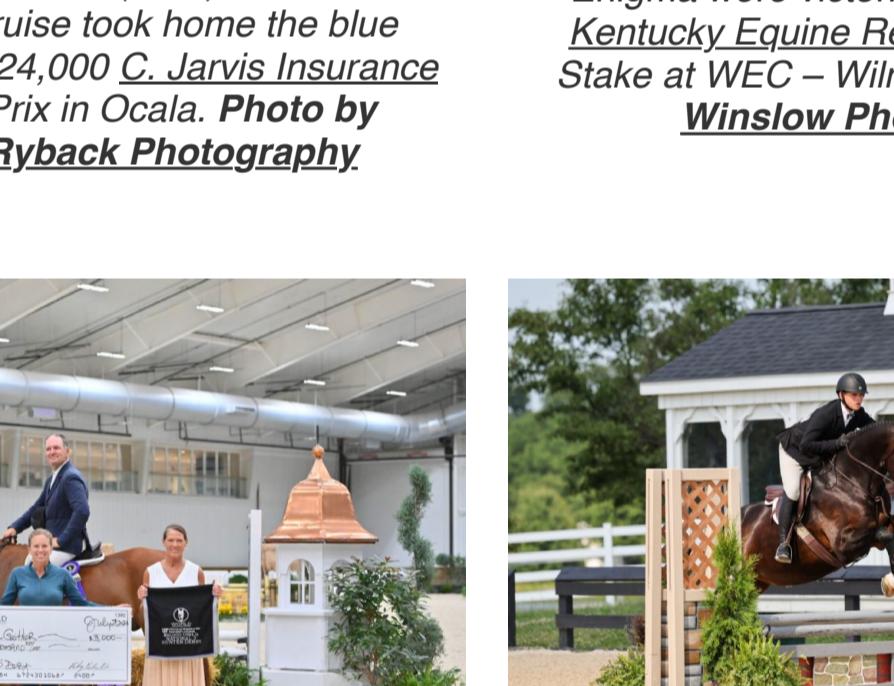
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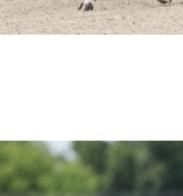
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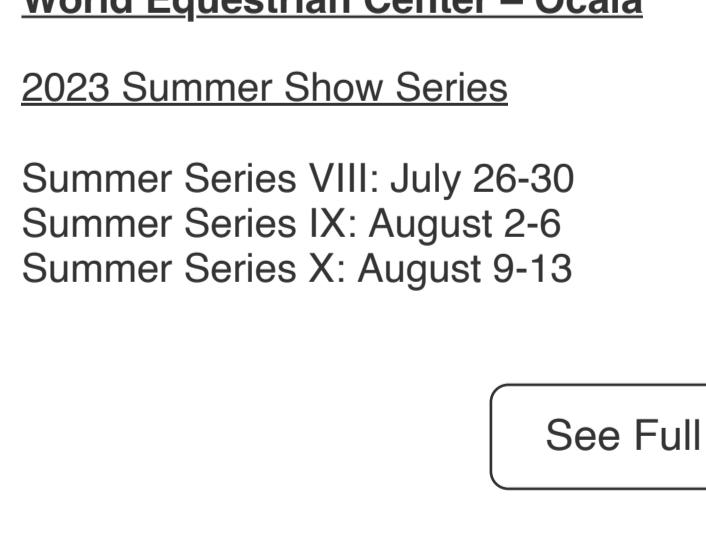
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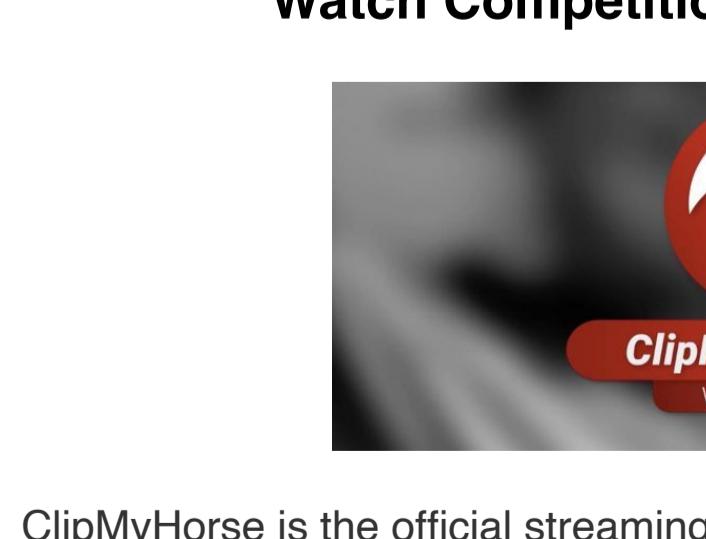
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