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Liza Boyd Wins Second Consecutive **WCHR Pro Finals**

Professional hunter competition at the 25th anniversary Capital Challenge Horse Show concluded on Friday, October 5, with the highlight \$10,000 World Championship Hunter Rider (WCHR) Professional Finals, sponsored by Radwanski Enterprises.

The top six professional hunter riders in the country went head-to-head at the Prince George's Equestrian Center, with Liza Boyd of Camden, SC, ultimately emerging victorious for the second year in a row following three phases of competition.

"It's a great feeling; it's exciting. I'm glad my husband, Blake, and my daughter, Elle, are here to experience it with me."

- Liza Boyd

In a format new for 2018, the first round of the \$50,000 WCHR Professional Challenge, held on Wednesday, October 3, also counted as the first round of the \$10,000 WCHR Professional Finals, with the top six riders in the national WCHR professional standings bringing forward their scores from Wednesday night into Friday's class.



Radwanski Enterprises, for the second consecutive year. Photo by Shawn McMillen Photography While John French was in the top six, he opted not to

compete, opening up a spot for Boyd in the top six. Victoria Colvin, Sandy Ferrell, Jenny Karazissis, Amanda

Steege, Scott Stewart, and Boyd returned on Friday night to jump the opening round over a handy hunter course on the horse of their choosing. Colvin was mounted on Airport 48, owned by John &

Stephanie Ingram LLC; Ferrell was aboard Moonshot, owned by Stephanie Bulger; Karazissis rode Big Shot, owned by Dulcie Lou Morris; Steege returned with Lafitte de Muze, owned by Cheryl Olsten; Stewart rode Private Life, owned by Dr. Betsee Parker; and Boyd was aboard O'Ryan, owned by Maggie Hill. Read More

PRO FINALS SCORING

I LIZA BOYD	Playoffs Round 1 86.16
	Playoffs Round 2 89.66
	Playoffs Total 175.82
Final Four 92.33	89.33 91.66 93.50 <u>366.82</u>
2 SCOTT STEWART	Playoffs Round 1 92.66
	Playoffs Round 2 92.33
	Playoffs Total 184.99
Final Four 87.00	91.00 90.00 93.50 <u>361.50</u>
3 AMANDA STEEGE	Playoffs Round I 88.33
	Playoffs Round 2 88.00
	Playoffs Total 176.33
Final Four 87.00	90.00 87.66 90.33 <u>354.99</u>
4 VICTORIA COLVIN	Playoffs Round I 89.41
	Playoffs Round 2 91.33
	Playoffs Total 180.74
Final Four 89.00	78.00 91.33 90.66 <u>348.99</u>



ROTATION Watch the final ride of each of the top four

THE WCHR PRO **FINALS - FINAL**

riders in Friday's \$10,000 WCHR Pro Finals!

Week of Wins in **Ariat National Adult Medal Finals** Completing a fairytale week at Capital Challenge, 21-year-old Martha Ingram

Completes a

led the victory gallop at yet another major event, the Ariat National Adult Medal Finals on Friday, October 5. She and Airport 48 ran away with the win by more than six points, completing two rounds with a total of 175.16. The Nashville, TN, resident scored 88.50 in the first round and led all the way through the class after scoring an 86.66 in round two. Ingram added this victory to those in the North American Adult Equitation

Championships during the

Capital Challenge Equitation Weekend,

sponsored by Bigeq.com. She also rode Lyons Creek Bellini to the win in the WCHR Amateur-Owner 3'3" Hunter Challenge and reserve champion in the Amateur-Owner 18-35 3'3" Hunter division. "I'm feeling really ecstatic. As the first national horse show [of the indoor season], you've been working all year and you want to

come in and have a

good horse show and

set your season off. It's

just been a whirlwind and I couldn't be

happier."

- Martha Ingram



gelding owned by her father John, in the equitation. Two weeks prior, they competed in a three-foot hunter

class in Kentucky, but they do not have an extensive relationship despite her family owning him for six years. After a fall and two fractured fingers last week, Ingram

decided to stay on Airport 48 for the Ariat finals, even

for the class. **Read More**

though her original equitation horse (who wasn't quite right

for last weekend's equitation championships) was ready

Ariat Medal Finals Scores 1. Marth Ingram

88.50 86.66 175.16

165.33

2. Sara Wytrzes 83.83 85.00 168.83

- 3. Lily Walton 83.13 83.66 166.79
- 4. Catie Staszak
- 84.50 80.83 5. Elysse Ruschmeyer
- 83.00 81.33 164.33 6. Wynne Weatherly 84.00 80.00 164.00
- 85.16 76.33 161.49 8. Michael Andrade

7. Jaime Krupnick

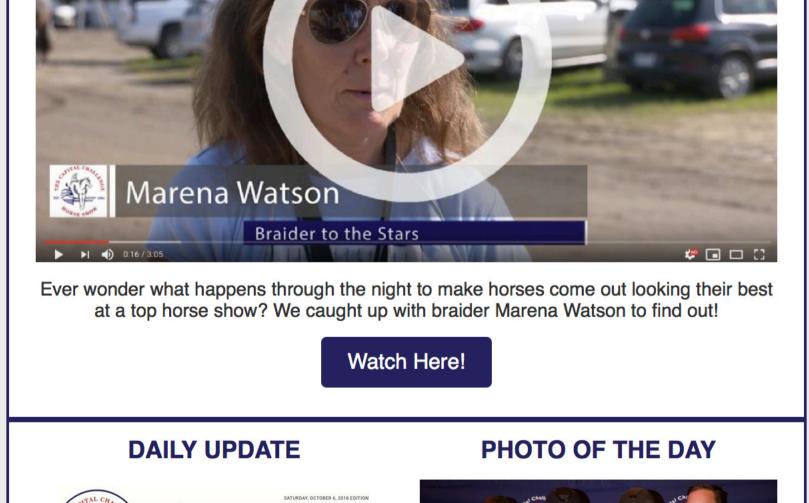
84.33 76.33 160.66 9. Kendall Fately

10. Elysse Ruschmeyer

87.66 67.33 154.99

84.16 54.33 138.49

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