

**The 60th Annual
BLUE RIDGE HUNT
POINT TO POINT**

**Saturday, March 7, 2009
Woodley Farm, Berryville, Virginia**

First Race – 12:00 Noon

JUNIOR FIELD MASTERS CHASE

Open to Junior Riders on Horses or Ponies. Junior Field Masters Chase conditions. Trophies awarded in three divisions: small ponies (under 13.0 hands), large ponies (13.0 to 14.2 hands) and horses. Catch weights.

Second Race

AMATEUR/NOVICE RIDER HURDLE

About 1 7/8 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up. Pageland Series Conditions. 170 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Riders, who have won under rules over fences since 2007, 5 lbs. extra. For each series win, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

Third Race – MAIDEN HURDLE

About 1 7/8 miles. For Four-Year-Olds and Up which have never won over hurdles. Four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

Fourth Race - LADY RIDER TIMBER

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up to be ridden by lady riders. 150 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over timber in 2008-09, 10 lbs. extra.

Fifth Race – NOVICE RIDER FLAT

About 1 1/2 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up. Novice Rider Flat Series Conditions. Three-year-olds, 150 lbs.; four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under rules on the flat in 2008-09, 10 lbs. extra.

Sixth Race - NOVICE TIMBER

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up which have not won two point to point or one sanctioned race over timber prior to January 1 of the current year. 165 lbs. For each series win, 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

Seventh Race - VIRGINIA BRED OR SIRED FLAT

Sponsored by the VHBPA

Purse \$2,000. About 1 mile. For Three-Year-Olds and Upward, Registered Virginia Bred or Sired. Three-year-olds, 150 lbs.; older, 160 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs.

Eighth Race - OPEN TIMBER

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. 165 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners under NSA rules over timber in 2008-09, 10 lbs. extra.

Ninth Race – OWNER-RIDER TIMBER

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Seven Corners Series Conditions. 180 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight.

Ninth Race (2nd div.) - FOXHUNTER TIMBER

About 3 miles. For Five-Year-Olds and Up. Orange County Foxhunter Series Conditions. 170 lbs. For each series win 3 lbs. extra up to 6 lbs. over the base weight. This race may be combined with the owner-rider timber race.

Tenth (Extra) Race - MAIDEN FLAT

About 1 1/4 miles. For Three-Year-Olds and Up which have never won on the flat. Three-year-olds, 150 lbs.; four-year-olds, 155 lbs.; older, 160 lbs.

All entries close 11:00 a.m., Monday, March 2, 2009

**NO POST ENTRIES UNLESS AN EXCEPTION IS
INCLUDED ON THE OVERNIGHT**

CENTRAL ENTRY OFFICE (703) 777-2575

The hurdle races will be carded and run only if there are sufficient entries. If the hurdle races fail to fill sufficiently by scratch time Wednesday, the extra race will be run.

ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION

Course walking strongly advised.

Twelve starters allowed in all races.

Entry fees: \$10 in junior races, \$25 in all other races.

Number cloths will not be issued until entry fees are paid.

No schooling allowed at any time (before or after the races). For reserved parking spaces call:

Doris Stimpson, MFH (540) 837-2077.

For racing information and/or inclement weather call:

Michael E. Hoffman (540) 539-1577.

**DIRECTIONS TO THE
RACE & HUNTER PACE COURSES**

West on Rt. 50 to Rt. 340 then north four (4) miles thru Boyce to Rt. 255 or west on Rt. 7 to Rt. 340 then south four and one half (4 1/2) miles (thru Berryville), turn east on Rt. 255 (Bishop Meade Rd.) for 1/4 mile (under railroad trestle). Turn left on Rt. 617 (Briggs Rd.) and go approximately one (1) mile to race course.