

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2025

GREAT MEADOW

PP	Horse	Med	Sex/Age	Clm	\$	Wgt	Jockey	Owner	Trainer
1st Race. (C103) Post Time: 12:00PM Purse \$45,000									MAIDEN About 2 1/2 Miles(Hurdle)
Virginia Equine Alliance Maiden Hurdle (Maiden Hurdle) Presented by the Virginia Equine Alliance									
For Maidens. Three Years Old and Upward.									
1	THOMAS AQUINAS	(L)	G.4			150	Dwan, Evan	Ballybristol Farm LLC	Garner, Thomas
2	NOBEL SPEAKER	(L)	G.6			154	Watters, Graham	Bruton Street-US	Fisher, Jack
3	POINT ME BY	(L)	G.7			154	Dalton, Bernard	Stonelea Stable LLC	Gomena, Julie
4	CARTOGRAPHER	(L)	G.5			154	Poretz, Eric	Ballybristol Farm LLC	Morris, Neil
5	YES SIR JACK (GB)	(L)	G.5			154	Bargary, Jamie	Leipers Fork Steeplechase	Young, Leslie
6	PERFECT REEL (IRE)	(L1)	G.4			150	Procter, Freddie	Reed, Nancy A. and Cat and Kat Racing	Neilson, Katherine
7	SEA THE OCEAN (IRE)		G.4			150	Mulqueen, Stephen	Leipers Fork Steeplechase, Willis, Paul, Willis, Molly, Atlantic Friends Racing and Poorman, Steven	Brion, Keri
8	ALPAMAYO		G.4			150	Beswick, Harrison	Naylor, Irvin S.	Murphy, Cyril
9	AFT		G.4			150	Boucher, Richard	Laampton, Mason Hardaway	Boucher, Lilith
10	KEYS TO COURT (IRE)	(L1)	G.4			**143	Carberry, Luke	Leipers Fork Steeplechase	Young, Leslie
Cheek Piece On: Sea The Ocean (IRE)									

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2nd Race. (C109) Post Time: 12:40PM Purse \$20,000									ALLOWANCE About 3 Miles(Timber)
The Steeplethon Presented by Warrior Canine Connection									
Timber. For Five Year Olds and Upward.									
1	FASHION LINE	(L)	G.9			165	Mulqueen, Stephen	Armata Stables	Neilson, Katherine
2	I CAN ONLY IMAGINE (IRE)	(L)	G.7			165	Watters, Graham	South Branch Equine LLC	Beecher, Mark
3	SULTAN PIERJI (FR)		G.5			160	Dwan, Evan	Naylor, Irvin S.	Garner, Thomas
4	MINELLA PLUS (IRE)	(L)	G.8			160	Dalton, Bernard	Willis, Molly and Willis, Paul	Garner, Thomas
5	ANZIO	(L)	G.5			160	Procter, Freddie	Johnston, Jr., Mrs. S. K.	Webb, Sandra
6	WALK THE WARRIOR (IRE)	(L)	G.6			160	Bargary, Jamie	Leipers Fork Steeplechase	Young, Leslie
7	ICANDOTHAT	(L)	G.6			160	McDermott, Sean	Rall, Vivian E.	McDermott, Sean
Cheek Piece On Blinkers Off: Icandothat									

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3rd Race. (C104) Post Time: 1:20PM Purse \$50,000									ALLOWANCE About 2 1/2 Miles(Hurdle)
(Allowance Hurdle) Presented by George and Jacqueline Ohrstrom									
For Three Year Olds and Upward Which Have Never Won a Race, Other Than Maiden, Claiming, Three-Year-Old, Ratings 115 or Lower, or Two Races.									
1	PREDOMINATE	(L)	G.6			154	Tierney, Conor	McKenna, Todd, Clark, Gail and Barr, Betsy	McKenna, Todd
2	RISK TAKING	(L)	G.7			154	Dalton, Bernard	Stonelea Stable LLC and Bonnie Rye Stable	Gomena, Julie
3	READY TO WEAR (IRE)	(L)	G.6			154	Bargary, Jamie	Leipers Fork Steeplechase	Young, Leslie
4	TWO PAST EIGHT (GB)	(L)	G.5			**147	Carberry, Luke	Silverton Hill LLC	Young, Leslie
5	MODERN SCIENCE (IRE)	(L)	G.7			154	Watters, Graham	Slingshot Racing	Morris, Neil
6	DYNAMITE DAN (IRE)	(L)	G.5			154	Dwan, Evan	Northwoods Stable	Garner, Thomas
7	CHOSEN JUDGE (IRE)	(L)	G.6			154	Procter, Freddie	Sheppard, Sharon E.	Young, Leslie
8	MOONSHINE TIME (IRE)		G.6			154	Mulqueen, Stephen	Upland Flats Racing	Brion, Keri

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4th Race. (C105) Post Time: 2:00PM Purse \$100,000 Guaranteed									STAKES About 2 1/8 Miles(Hurdle)
The William H. Allison Stakes (Grade 2) (Sport of Kings Hurdle Stakes) Presented by UVA Health Foundation & Great Meadow Foundation									
Hurdle Hanidcap for Four Year Olds and Upward.									
1	COOL JET (IRE)	(L)	G.9			158	Dalton, Bernard	Riverdee Stable	Fisher, Jack
2	WELSHMAN	(L)	G.7			148	Watters, Graham	Riverdee Stable	Fisher, Jack
3	ACTIVE DUTY (FR)	(L)	G.6			142	Procter, Freddie	Johnston, Jr., Mrs. S. K.	Garner, Thomas
4	FOXY WALK (IRE)	(L)	G.6			146	Carberry, Luke	Smith, Michael A.	Young, Leslie
5	DECISIVE TRIUMPH	(L)	G.12			142	Nevin, Dan	Baker, Daniel R.	Beecher, Mark
6	LITTLE TRILBY (GB)	(L)	G.5			150	Tierney, Conor	Del Rio Racing LLC	Hendriks, Richard
7	RAMPOLDI PLAN	(L)	G.6			152	Bargary, Jamie	Leipers Fork Steeplechase	Young, Leslie
8	JIMMY P		G.7			158	Mulqueen, Stephen	Madaket Stables LLC, Willis, Molly and Willis, Paul	Brion, Keri
9	BELFAST BANTER (IRE)	(L)	G.10			148	Beswick, Harrison	Naylor, Irvin S.	Murphy, Cyril
10	NOBLE ANTHEM (IRE)	(L)	G.6			144	Dwan, Evan	Ballybristol Farm LLC	Garner, Thomas

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5th Race. (C106) Post Time: 2:40PM Purse \$50,000 Guaranteed									STAKES About 3 1/2 Miles(Timber)
The 88th Running of the International Gold Cup (Timber Stakes)									
Timber for Four Year Olds and Upward.									
1	SHOOTIST	(L)	G.11			165	Carberry, Luke	Upland Partners	McKenna, Todd
2	TRACK AND TRACE (IRE)	(L)	G.8			165	Nevin, Dan	Bruton Street-US	Beecher, Mark
3	THE HERO NEXT DOOR (IRE)	(L)	G.7			165	Bargary, Jamie	Smith, Michael A.	Young, Leslie
4	KEYS DISCOUNT	(L)	G.6			165	Watters, Graham	Fisher, Mrs. John R.S.	Fisher, Jack
5	UCO VALLEY (IRE)	(L)	G.7			165	Procter, Freddie	Potter Group USA, LLC, Gaskells Waste Services and Ashwell Stable, LLC	Young, Leslie
6	DRUID'S ALTAR (IRE)	(L)	G.8			165	Dwan, Evan	Hyggelig Haven LLC	Dowling, William
7	ANIMAL KINGSTON	(L)	G.10			165	Poretz, Eric	Russell, William M.	Morris, Neil
8	QUEENS EMPIRE (IRE)	(L)	G.8			165	Mulqueen, Stephen	Riverdee Stable	Fisher, Jack

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6th Race. (C107) Post Time: 3:15PM Purse \$40,000				The Zeke Ferguson Memorial (Ratings Handicap Hurdle)				HANDICAP About 2 1/2 Miles(Hurdle)
Hurdle Handicap For Four Year Olds and Upward which are rated 115 or lower.								
1	TAKE YOUR SEATS (IRE)	(L)	G.4	(111)	154	Dwan, Evan	Butler Hall Racing Stables, LLC	Garner, Thomas
2	GARRISON FOREST (IRE)	(L)	G.6	(111)	**147	Carberry, Luke	Leipers Fork Steeplechase	Young, Leslie
3	ARTISTIC CHOICE (IRE)	(L)	G.6	(112)	155	Bargary, Jamie	Leipers Fork Steeplechase	Young, Leslie
4	DANTE'S FIRE	(L)	G.8	(113)	156	Watters, Graham	Stainbrook, James, Bonanni, Vincent and PathFinder Racing	Morris, Neil
5	L'AVVOCATO (FR)	(L)	G.6	(111)	154	Procter, Freddie	Hard Game LLC	Neilson, Katherine
6	THE INSIDER (IRE)		G.6	(115)	158	Mulqueen, Stephen	Hudson River Farms and R and K Racing LLC	Brion, Keri
7	HOLEY MOLEY	(L)	G.5	(113)	156	McDermott, Sean	Willis, Molly and Willis, Paul	Foley, Barry
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7th Race. (C108) Post Time: 3:45PM Purse \$30,000				(Optional Maiden Starter/Maiden Claiming Hurdle) Presented by the VHBPA				MAIDEN OPTIONAL CLAIMING \$25,000 About 2 1/2 Miles(Hurdle)
For Maidens. Three Years Old and Upward.								
1	BIG GEORGE	(L)	G.5		154	Watters, Graham	Johnston, Jr., Mrs. S. K.	Fisher, Jack
2	MADE TO BE LUCKY		G.6		154	Beswick, Harrison	Hickory Made Stables and Celtic Venture Stable	Smith, Lawrence
3	LUCKY PRINCE	(L)	G.5		154	Davies, Teddy	Crawford II, Irvin L.	Davies, Joseph
4	LOVE SHAQ	(L)	G.4		150	Mulqueen, Stephen	Willis, Molly and Willis, Paul	Foley, Barry
5	LAKER MAMBA	(L)	G.7		154	Dalton, Bernard	Slingshot Racing	Morris, Neil
6	FENWICK	(L)	G.6		154	Dwan, Evan	Ballybristol Farm LLC	Garner, Thomas
7	STARFORCE	(L)	G.5		154	Tierney, Conor	Morningstar Farm	Hendriks, Richard
Blinkers On: Lucky Prince								
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8th Race. (C108) Post Time: 4:15PM Purse \$30,000				(Optional Maiden Starter/Maiden Claiming Hurdle) Presented by Commonwealth Event Company				MAIDEN OPTIONAL CLAIMING \$25,000 About 2 1/2 Miles(Hurdle)
For Maidens. Three Years Old and Upward.								
1	BRITISH ROYALTY	(L)	G.7	\$25,000	154	Procter, Freddie	Commonwealth Racing LLC	Neilson, Katherine
2	ALOTTACENTS	(LX)	G.5		154	Tierney, Conor	Cockburn Stables LLC	Cockburn, Sam
3	SLIABH AUGHTY (FR)	(LX)	G.8		154	Dalton, Bernard	Shannon Hill Farm	Gomena, Julie
4	GETTIN'DOWNONIT	(L)	G.5		154	Nevin, Dan	Stevenson, Louisa and O'Donovan, Achsah	Beecher, Mark
5	THAT'S NOT FUNNY	(L)	G.6		154	Poretz, Eric	Willis, Molly and Willis, Paul	Morris, Neil
6	KING OF TSAVO (GB)	(L)	G.7		154	Bargary, Jamie	Sheppard, Sharon E.	Young, Leslie
7	DANCING DEB	(L)	M.5	\$25,000	147	Watters, Graham	Del Rio Racing LLC	Hendriks, Richard
8	FOURONEOHSMOKESHOW		G.4		150	Mulqueen, Stephen	Smith, Devon	Brion, Keri

8-DIV			
Great Meadow Course Report			
Date of Inspection: 10/20/25			
Report By: Bob Hilton			
Compaction: Honest 111 (Good) throughout.			
Holding great Moisture: Average of 9-10 (Wet)			
Notes: Turf Strong 6-8"			
Turf Fescue Bluegrass			
We will be very conscious of irrigation timing leading up to race day.			

2025 International Gold Cup Overnight Information

- Scratches:** By 10 AM, Wednesday, October 21, 2024 with the NSA office (410-392-0700)
For communication with NSA after 5PM Friday
Bill Gallo (443-553-1882) & Tad Zimmerman (540-539-1502)
- Stewards:** Tad Zimmerman | Larry Curtis | Beale Payne | Wayne Van Sant (Safety Steward)
- NSA Officials:** All NSA Officials must be on the grounds by 10:30 AM
Stewards Secretary - Bill Gallo
Clerk of Scales - Harrison Young
Horse Identifier - Wayne Van Sant
Starter - Stirling Young
- Veterinarians:** Dr. David Stanford - Lead Commission Veterinarian
Dr. Jeff Whitwer - Lasix Veterinarian
- Horsemen's Concerns:** Please direct all horsemen's issues or concerns to one of the below individuals prior to approaching the Race Chairman or a member of the Race Committee.

SOTA Representative:
Jockey Representative:
- Race Officials:** Officials meeting to begin at 11AM at the Steward Stand. Buffet lunch in the Officials Tent immediately following the meeting. IGC credentials will be available in the Officials tent for pickup.
- Jockeys:** **Mandatory** meeting of all jockeys with the Stewards at 11:15 AM.
Check in with Clerk of Scales by 10:45 Noon to report engagement (s) and overweight, if any.
Jockey Breathalyzer Screening
All jockeys will be required to undergo breathalyzer testing one hour prior to race time on race day.
This procedure is in accordance with VRC regulation 11VAC10-60-10 V.1.A, which states that alcohol screening may be required by the Commission before competition. The screenings will be quick and discreet, and are part of our ongoing commitment to safety, fairness, and the integrity of the sport.
- Pre Race Exam:** Mandatory veterinarian pre-race exam for all horses. Examinations will begin at 8:30am and end by 11AM. Horses will be called up in race order. Horses on Lasix must be on the grounds four (4) hours prior to their scheduled post time, but no later than 10AM for pre-race exams.
- VRC Licenses:** All owners, trainers, riders and grooms participating in the Virginia Gold Cup races are required to be licensed by the Virginia Racing Commission (VRC).
Individuals 15 years of age and under are not permitted in the barn area.

License forms and instructions can be accessed at www.vrc.virginia.gov.

Participant Licensing

The VRC will be on-site to license all participants on Oct 23 & Oct 24 from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Please note that all participants must be fully licensed by Friday at 5:00 PM in order to compete. This includes trainers, owners, and other credentialed individuals.

VRC license must be visible AT ALL TIMES to the Security Staff.

VRC Licensing Contact: Israel Saavedra 804-381-9100

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Third Party Furosemide (SALIX) Administration:

Horsemen are reminded that third party administration of furosemide (Salix) is in effect at this race meet. Please refer to the NSA's website (nationalsteeplechase.com) for complete details of the NSA Medication policy. Contact Dr. Jeff Witwer (803-243-0328) with questions.

Saddling:

ALL HORSES WILL BE SADDLED IN THE BARN BEFORE EACH RACE ~ NO SADDLING IN THE PADDOCK. Horses will be led to the paddock TOGETHER before each race. The trainer or their licensed designate will be responsible for transporting the tack after weighing out back to the barn for saddling. Jockeys are not allowed in the stabling area. If trainers have multiple horses in a race or horses in back-to-back races, please make appropriate plans as it is imperative to stay on schedule.

Foal Papers:

No longer required to be on file with the Horse Identifier at the races provided the horse can be properly identified by tattoo or microchip. A one-time exception may be made provided the horse can be identified by its markings.

Scratches:

All scratches after 10am Tuesday, Oct 21, must be made no later than 11AM on race day.

Heath Certificate:

Horses shipping to the Virginia Gold Cup must have a Health Certificate dated within the last 5 days with the following information.

- Originated barn location with status on active or suspect case of Herpes Virus
- Vaccination date for EHV-1 that is dated no less than 7 but no more than 120 days.
- Coggins test conducted within 12 months.

Stabling:

Stalls & a bale of straw will be provided with each entry. Contact TC Williams at 703-843-6385 if you are planning to bring an AE horse as well. Please discard all wraps and supply materials in a **trash can**, not in the stall along with any other trash generated during the day.

Schooling:

NO SCHOOLING ON THE COURSE RACE WEEK. The course will be available for walking on Thursday, October 23, 2025 beginning at 11am.

Refreshments:

Grab & Go breakfast and lunch will be available in the barn area for all trainers and grooms along with cold beverages.

Pets:

PETS ARE NOT PERMITTED ON THE PROPERTY.



Race Meet: 88th Running of the International Gold Cup | Great Meadow Race Course | The Plains VA

Race Date: October 25, 2025

Post Time: 12 PM

Course Address: Great Meadow 5089 Old Tavern Rd The Plains, Virginia 20198

Credentials Needed: Horse Vans - NSA Hangtag visible
Owners/Trainers/Jockeys not in rigs—Natalie will be calling you to get pass counts soon.
Additional needs over the allotment per horse (4) will be \$100 each.

All rigs will park in the Stable area.

Passenger only vehicles will park along access road behind stable pad near polo pavilion.

VRC License must be visible AT ALL TIMES to the Security staff.

If you need license assistance contact Israel Saavedra at 804-381-9100.

Individuals 15 years of age and under are not permitted in the barn area.

NO DOGS or any other PETS!

Property Access: Horsemen - Gate 2 with proper credentials
NSA Members not racing that day - Please call the VGCA office prior to Oct 24, 2025 for passes.
All Patrons must have VGCA issued tickets for admittance,
NSA pins are not accepted.

Airports: Dulles International | Dulles, VA
Ronald Reagan Washington National | Arlington, VA
Warrenton-Fauquier (small planes only) | Midland, VA
Manassas Regional | Manassas, VA

Food Service at Races: Breakfast - Grab & Go items and coffee available at the Stable Hospitality Tent
Lunch - Available at the Stable Hospitality Tent
Cold Beverages available until 4:30PM

Contact Information: Event - Barbara Shannon 703-477-1651
Stabling - TC William 703-843-6385

Horse Related: Stabling: Temporary stalls for each entry. Contact Stable Manager for any AE entry stalls.
Water: Hot (No) Cold (Yes) Ice (Yes)
Electric: NO
Fans: Available to check out at Stable Entry Tent
Vet Assistance: YES



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