

Irish Sport Horse Studbook Showjumping Series Grand Finals 2011

23/07/11 THE GRAND Finals of the Irish Sport Horse Studbook Showjumping Series 2011 took place today (Saturday) at the Tattersalls Ward Union Hunt Show in Ratoath, Co. Meath. There was in excess of €15,000 on offer for the culmination of this prestigious Series, with €5,000 on offer for each of Grand Final classes as well as League and breeders' prizes.

The 6/7 Year Old Grand Final saw 33 qualified combinations starting, with 13 horses jumping clear in the first round to make it through to the jump-off. Last into the ring, and holding top position in the League were Trevor Breen and the seven year old Cruising stallion, **Oldtown KC** (ISH). A double clear in the very fast time of 39.46 seconds, meant the duo took not only the 6/7 Year Old Grand Final but also the League title. **Oldtown KC** (ISH) is a fully approved stallion bred by Martin Coffey from Templemore, Co. Tipperary.

The 5 Year Old Grand Final saw 11 horses making it through to the jump-off from a starting field of 30 combinations. Fourth to go were Shane McFadden and the Clinton stallion, **Clinton Jack** (ISH), who set off at a blistering pace from the outset. Their time of 38.45 seconds, with all the fences standing, was to prove unbeatable. Taking home the 5 Year Old League title was Linda Courtney with **LCC Silver Fox** (ISH), a horse Linda bred herself.

Horse Sport Ireland's Director of Breeding & Programmes, Alison Corbally, said: "We are delighted with the 2011 Irish Sport Horse Studbook Showjumping Series. There is very positive feedback from breeders, riders and owners that the Series is allowing them to keep young Irish Sport Horses in Ireland and produce them up to seven year olds. This in turn is helping to support the future breeding of quality Irish Sport Horses. The Grand Final classes today were of a very high standard and it is particularly good to see a HSI Approved stallion winning both the 6/7 Year Old Grand Final, as well as the 2011 6/7 Year Old League."

Full results, including breeding information, are detailed below. Horse Sport Ireland would like to thank all owners, riders and breeders for their support of the Series and to congratulate all our Grand Final and League winners.

5 Year Old Grand Final:

1st Clinton Jack (ISH) – 2006 stallion by Clinton (HOLST) out of ISHD First Chance (ISH), by Concorde (KWPN). Bred by Gerard Corry. Owner: Desmond & Shane McFadden. Rider: Shane McFadden [0/0, 38.45]

2nd Coco Channele (ISH) – 2006 mare by Lux Z (HANN) out of Orchid Hill (ISH), by Clover Hill (ID C1). Bred by Eamonn Gleeson. Owner: Deirdre Bourns. Rider: Declan Egan [0/0, 38.79]

3rd One Ders (ISH) – 2006 mare by VDL Arkansas (KWPN) out of Vahine De La Cense (SF), by Lama Des Landes. Bred by Heemskerk Irl Ltd. Owner: Deirdre Bourns. Rider: Declan Egan [0/0, 39.79]

4th LCC Silver Fox (ISH) – 2006 gelding by Cavalier Royale (HOLST) out of Sperrin Mist (ISH), by Diamond Lad (ID C1). Owner/Bred by Linda Courtney Cadam. Rider: Linda Courtney [0/0, 39.85]

5th BP Elastic (ISH) – 2006 gelding by Cruising (ISH) out of Warrenstown Josie (ISH), by Cavalier Royale (HOLST). Bred by Cliodhna Gleeson. Owner: Austin Broderick. Rider: Darragh McCarthy [0/0, 40.12]

6th Morning De Reve (ISH) – 2006 mare by Hermes De Reve (SF) out of Morning Extra (ISH). Bred by Gabriel Jackman. Owner: Alan Cheney & Gabriel Jackman. Rider: James Hogg [0/0, 51.67]

5 Year Old League:

1st LCC Silver Fox (ISH) – see above for breeding. Owner/Rider: Linda Courtney [27 points]

2nd Morning De Reve (ISH) – see above for breeding. Owner: Alan Cheney & Gabriel Jackman. Rider: James Hogg [22 points]

3rd Coco Chanelle (ISH) – see above for breeding. Owner: Deirdre Bourns. Rider: Declan Egan [20 points]

6/7 Year Old Grand Final:

1st Oldtown KC (ISH) – 2004 stallion by Cruising (ISH) out of Oldtown Katie (ISH), by Clover Fields (ISH). Bred by Martin Coffey. Owner: Martin & Paschal Coffey. Rider: Trevor Breen [0/0, 39.46]

2nd LCC Diamond Dazzaler (ISH) – 2005 gelding by Harlequin Du Carel (SF) out of Glanduff Diamond (RID), by Diamond Lad (ID C1). Bred Ciaran O'Reilly. Owner/Rider: Linda Courtney [0/0, 39.94]

3rd Renolli (ISH) – 2005 gelding by Poltarf (TB) out of Coolmannon Porsch (ISH), by Porsch (BWP). Bred by Anthony Connolly. Owner: John Scally. Rider: Gary Quinn [0/0, 40.66]

4th Tabby (ISH) – 2005 gelding by Captain Clover (ISH) out of Majestic Cruise (ISH), by Cruising (ISH). Owner/Bred by Pamela Donaghy. Rider: John McGuinness [0/0, 44.95]

5th Derryinver Luxury Cruise (ISH) – 2005 stallion by Lux Z (HANN) out of Icing (ISH), by Cruising (ISH). Bred by Tom & Linda Magee. Owner: David Campbell. Rider: Harry Marshall [0/4, 39.76]

6th Pashmina K (ISH) – 2004 mare by Harlequin Du Carel (SF) out Midnight Imp (ISH), by Master Imp (TB). Bred by Tom Faulkner. Owner: Knightfield Stud. Rider: Nicholas Butler [0/4, 40.42]

6/7 Year Old League:

1st Oldtown KC (ISH) – see above for breeding. Owner: Martin & Paschal Coffey. Rider: Trevor Breen [26 points]

=2nd Golden Exchange (ISH) – 2005 mare by Cruising (ISH) out of Ballinakill Clover (ID), by Clover Hill (ID C1). Bred by Noel Cawley. Owner: Lisa Cawley. Rider: Greg Broderick [16 points]

=2nd LCC Diamond Dazzaler (ISH) – see above for breeding. Owner/Rider: Linda Courtney [16 points]