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## COACHING CHAMPIONSHIP

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**Champion:** Misdee Wrigley Miller and Holland & Holland P.D.

**Reserve:** Harvey Waller & Road Coach Old Times

### Miller on what its like to drive a team:

"Number one: it is the best feeling in the world when you have that team working as a complete unit. And you can hear it when they're in step, rhythmic and in time, nice in your hands. That is the absolute ultimate feeling. I like to say I feel the lines singing in my hands."



McLain Ward and Catoki  
\$38,700 Devon Speed Derby 1st Place



Cathleen Driscoll and Flotylla  
\$38,700 Devon Speed Derby 2nd Place



Laura Chapot and Dirado's Flying Dutchman  
\$38,700 Devon Speed Derby 3rd Place

## \$38,700 DEVON SPEED DERBY CSI4\*

**1st:** McLain Ward & Catoki

**2nd:** Cathleen Driscoll & Flotylla

**3rd:** Laura Chapot & Dirado's Flying Dutchman

The sun set and the lights shined on the Dixon Oval for the night class on Friday at the Devon Horse Show - a stellar FEI CSI4\* one round competition. Speed was the name of the game, and because the class was set to the Table C format of FEI rules, instead of a rail counting for four faults, it counted for four seconds added on the clock to the riders' overall time.

Course designer Anderson Lima pulled everything out of his bag of tricks, utilizing two rings for the long track that featured two option opportunities at jump five and jump 14. With only two days of competition remaining, 31 horse-and-rider combinations stared down the Dixon Oval eager to capture one of the final blue ribbons of the 2023 Devon Horse Show.

Jessica Mendoza and Charlyn set the pace very early on with a clear round at 81.04 seconds, and their lead was not caught until Laura Chapot and Jimmy Torano entered the ring on back to back rides. The veteran McLain Ward, however, bested them all with a speedy round at 76.19 seconds, nearly three seconds faster than the second place duo.

### Ward on his second win this week:

"It was a very different type of competition. It's a new class here at Devon that I've actually been proposing to them for a couple years. There's a similar type class shown in Holland and its a crowd favorite, so no better place than Devon to have an event like this. It challenging, exciting and something different."

# ASB HUNTER COUNTRY PLEASURE

According to the American Saddlebred Horse Association, horses in the Country Pleasure division are typically less showy than the Show Pleasure horse and demonstrate easy, ground-covering action. The Country Pleasure horse is shown with a full mane and tail and must be plain shod, suitable for trail riding. A multitude of classes are offered in the Country Pleasure division, including three-gaited, five-gaited, driving, western and hunter classes.



First Place  
Jennifer Piper & Sedgefield's Miraculous



Second Place  
Samuel Foote & Miss Ivy League



Third Place  
Alexandra Ferris & Lavien Rose

## Piper on Sedgefield's Miraculous:

*"This is our second season together. She's pretty incredible, very special. Our paths crossed, sort of, by accident when we lost a really special horse early last year and had to think quick about what our next move was. "Samantha" crossed our paths; she wasn't even hunt seat at the time, and Kristen Cater and Casey Scotia have just done an amazing job with her. We're just having so much fun, she loves her job. She loves to perform, keeps me on my toes, and I just can say enough good things about her."*

## \$3,000 FIVE GATED SADDLE HORSE STAKE

- 1st: Burt Honaker & Epoque Kiss NKF
- 2nd: Erin McCracken & Cash For Keeps
- 3rd: Alicia Owens & Queen of Memphis

The American Saddlebreds are split into two groups: the three-gaited horse and the five-gaited horse. While the three-gaited horse displays the refined and elegant side of the Saddlebred, the five-gaited division is all about power.

Horses in the open five-gaited division perform the slow gait and rack in addition to the walk, trot and canter. These smooth four-beat gaits are performed with high knee and hock action, and the rack should be fast, without losing collection.

The Saddlebred's and their riders had to wait a long day, but it was worth it for the opportunity to show in the Dixon Oval. After a great competition, it was two-time World Champion Burt Honaker and Epoque Kiss NKF to seal the victory.



Burt Honaker and Epoque Kiss NKF



Erin McCracken and Cash For Keeps

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HORSE SHOW & COUNTRY FAIR  
Daily Events

Friday, June 2

## Hackneys and Saddlebreds

The Hackney and Saddlebred horses and ponies were the stars of the show at the Devon Horse Show on Friday. With several different classes scheduled just for them to show off their unique skills, the horses and their riders patrolled the Dixon Oval without any hesitation. The Hackney and Saddlebred classes are included as part of a long line of tradition at the Devon Horse Show to offer less traditional disciplines a chance to show on the grand stage.

Check out several special moments from the day below!



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## VENDOR SPOTLIGHT



**The Souvenir Shop** is a must stop spot while at the Devon Horse Show. The team there will happily greet you and be ready to serve you. At the shop you can find all Devon merchandise from clothing and hats, to a variety of accessories. The team at Devon wants you to remember your experience fondly and happily rep your merch wherever you go. They offer a variety of designs and sizes to meet many different styles and trends. Make sure you don't leave Devon without checking it out!

**Sips & Bits** is a one stop shop for all your drinks and snacks while at the horse show. Sips and Bits has a variety of items on their menu that you are sure to enjoy! Back for 2023, the Sips & Bits booth will feature, espresso creative infused options, and grab and go gourmet snack foods.



**Do Trot In Tack Shop** has everything you could possibly need when it comes to equestrian sports. They sell clothing and accessories for riders of several disciplines, tack and equipment for the horses, and even stable supplies and toys. They are dedicated to the best customer service and personal assistance we can offer, from the most beginner rider, to the seasoned show competitor.

**Hygain** is an equestrian feed and supplement brand that is committed to excellence. Their extensive high Performance, Equestrian, Stud and Supplement product range is backed by Hygain Feeds commitment to excellence encompassing all equine activities. They have a commitment to an uncompromising insistence on only using the finest certified ingredients and apply the strictest quality controls to provide our customers with the highest possible standards in equine nutrition, standards which our customers have come to expect from Hygain.



**Hilltop Bio** is a veterinary biotech company developing innovative, custom engineered regenerative therapies focused on helping our four-legged friends reduce inflammation from injuries or disease. The company's strategy is to identify key inflammatory conditions in horses and companion animals and produce targeted regenerative therapies to help reduce inflammation and normalize the damaged tissue function. They have developed a strong pipeline of innovative therapies within cGMP/cGTP manufacturing standards.



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