

# The Adjacent Hunts Series of Hunter Paces Spring 2002

**Oak Ridge Fox Hunt Club    April 13 (rain date April 14)**

**Glenmore Hunt Club    April 20 (rain date April 21)**

**Rockbridge Hunt    April 28 (rain date May 5)**

English, Western, Gaited, Trail, Pleasure, Event and Walking Horse riders are welcome!

Pairs will follow well-marked courses through beautiful hunting territory.

## **Conditions:**

Virginia law requires a current negative Coggins test certificate be available for inspection.

All participants (and parents/guardians of those under age 18) must sign a liability release.

Hard hats or helmets are required for all riders that are jumping.

Riders do not need to be members of a hunt club.

Riders may enter any of the paces without participating in the series.

## **Special added attraction:**

A Series Hunter Championship is to be awarded in the Hunter Optimum Division at end of series. To be eligible for the Championship, the same pair of riders must complete the Hunter Optimum division in at least 2 of the 3 paces. Junior riders are eligible to enter the Series Optimum Divisions at each pace. You do not have to be a member of a recognized hunt to participate in the Series!

## **Awards:**

The Series Hunter Optimum Championship will be determined by the pair accumulating the most points in the series and will be awarded Championship ribbons, trophies with their names added to the *Adjacent Hunts Series Perpetual Trophy*. The pair earning second highest points will earn Reserve Championship ribbons. Presentations will be made immediately following the last hunter pace of the series.

## **For more information:**

See the rest of this brochure or the web page: <http://www.wlu.edu/~cmorton/pace/>

*Oak Ridge Fox Hunt Club, Glenmore Hunt, and Rockbridge Hunt would like to thank the landowners who generously and graciously make their lands available for foxhunting activities.*

# Oak Ridge Fox Hunt Club Spring Hunter Pace

Tea Time Farm, Afton, Virginia

## Saturday, April 13, 2002

(rain date Sunday April 14, 2002)

### Four Divisions:

Hunter Optimum

Hilltoppers (nonjumpers)

Fast Time

Trail Riders (Western and English)

### Course:

Pairs to ride a marked course. Pace for the Hunter Optimum division will be set by averaging two rides the preceding day by Oak Ridge Fox Hunt Club staff members.

Distance – about 3 miles.

Jumps – Hunter Optimum and Fast Time divisions will include natural obstacles as encountered in a day of foxhunting and jumps will not exceed 3'6".

**Time:** Pairs will start on course at 9:00 AM; last pair will start on course at 12:30 PM.

**Awards:** Prizes and ribbons to top 5 finishers in each division. Awards will be presented for the Best Turned Out pair, the Best Matched team, Youngest Rider, and more. Many other prizes will be drawn at random.

**Information:** Cindy Chandler (cindyk@cfw.com) or  
Dana Flaherty (whypryn@aol.com)

**Oak Ridge Fox Hunt Club web page:** <http://www.unimatrix.com/oakridge/index.html>

**Weather decision:** 540-456-8787

**Entry fees:** (includes lunch for riders)  
\$25 per horse / rider

### Directions:

(All mileage is very approximate.)

From I-64 take the Afton exit (exit 99) and turn right onto Route 250 East.

At the bottom of the mountain, turn right onto Route 151.

After about eight miles on Route 151 you'll see Ashley's store on your right (it's a white convenience store). Slow down.

About fifty yards from Ashley's store you'll turn left onto Route 635.

After one mile on Route 635, turn left into Tea-Time Farm. You'll see the white run-in shed on your left.

Park in the open field across from the run-in shed.

# Glenmore Hunt Spring Hunter Pace

Merrifield Farm, Staunton, Virginia

**Saturday, April 20, 2002**

(rain date Sunday April 21, 2002)

## Four Divisions:

Hunter Optimum  
Hilltoppers

Trail Riders  
Junior Optimum

## Course:

Hunter and Junior Optimum pairs to ride a marked course, setting a safe hunting pace as if following fox hounds.

Distance – 7 plus miles. Jumps optional – not to exceed 2'9" and include natural obstacles as encountered in a day of foxhunting.

Hilltopping and Trail Riding pairs will follow the same course with "go-arounds" at each jump.

The course will be well-flagged and easy to follow. There will be a check point. A token must be picked up at the check point and turned in at the finish line to qualify for awards and ribbons. The ideal time for each division will be announced after the last pair returns.

**Time:** Pairs will depart at 2 minute intervals starting at 11:00 AM; last pair out at 1:00 PM.

**Awards:** Ribbons will be presented to pairs finishing in 1st through 6th place in each division. DOOR PRIZES will be presented after all qualifying pairs have clocked in. To qualify, pairs need to clock in at the finish line by 3:00 PM.

**Information:** Jewell Phelps (phelps@cfw.com)

**Glenmore Hunt web page:** <http://personal.cfw.com/~glenmor/>

**Weather decision:** 540-885-7004

**Entry fees:** (includes lunch for riders)

\$30 per horse / adult rider

\$20 per horse / junior rider

\$6 per lunch for non-riders

## Directions:

From locations north of Staunton, follow Interstate 81 South and take Exit 225 for Woodrow Wilson Parkway (Route 275). Turn right onto Route 275.

At the stoplight, turn left onto Route 11.

Merrifield Farm is on your immediate right. Watch for signs.

From locations south of Staunton, follow Interstate 81 North and take Exit 225 for Woodrow Wilson Parkway (Route 275). Turn left onto Route 275.

At the stoplight, turn left onto Route 11.

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