

Rolex FEI World Cup Riders Announced

Show jumping and dressage competitors are headed for Las Vegas.

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The United States Equestrian Federation has announced the U.S. riders who will compete in the 2007 Rolex FEI World Cup in Las Vegas, April 19-22. This competition will be dual World Cups in both show jumping and dressage. Riders qualify by accumulating points throughout the competition year at designated Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) events in one of the FEI worldwide leagues. There is one U.S. league for dressage and East Coast and West Coast U.S. leagues for show jumping. The FEI may also grant "wild cards" enabling additional riders to compete and the host country for the Show Jumping World Cup is allowed two wild card riders. The FEI is the international governing body for equestrian sport reporting to the International Olympic Committee (IOC).

Show Jumping:

Qualifying from the U.S. East Coast League
(Rider/Residence/Horse/Age, Breed, Sex/Owner)

Beezie Madden/Cazenovia, NY/Authentic/12-year-old Dutch Warmblood gelding/Abigail Wexner

McLain Ward/Brewster, NY/Sapphire/12-year-old Belgian Warmblood mare/McLain Ward & Blue Chip Bloodstock

Lauren Hough/Wellington, FL/Casadora/11-year-old Dutch Warmblood mare/Laura & Meredith Mateo

Margie Engle/Wellington, FL/Hidden Creek's Perin/17-year-old Westphalian gelding; and Hidden Creek's Quervo Gold/13-year-old Belgian Warmblood gelding/Hidden Creek Farm

Schuyler Riley/Wellington, FL/Ilian/17-year-old Dutch Warmblood gelding/South Beach Stables

Molly Ashe/Wellington, FL/Kroon Gravin/15-year-old German Warmblood mare/Molly Ashe; and Cocu/15-year-old Holsteiner mare/Jane F. Clark

Christine McCrea/East Windsor, CT/ Promised Land/13-year-old Holsteiner gelding/Candy Tribble & Windsor Show Stables

Wild Card:

Kate Levy/Katonah, NY/Vent du Nord/nine-year-old Belgian Warmblood gelding/Kate Levy, LLC

Qualifying from the U.S. West Coast League
(Rider/Residence/Horse/Age, Breed, Sex/Owner)

Jill Humphrey/Sacramento, CA/Kaskaya/12-year-old Holsteiner mare/Leone Equestrians, Inc.; and Felix 380/11-year-old ZWEIB gelding/Equistar, LLC

Richard Spooner/Glendale, CA/Cristallo/nine-year-old Holsteiner gelding/Show Jumping Syndications International

Rich Fellers/Wilsonville, OR/Gyro/14-year-old Dutch Warmblood gelding /Harry Chapman

Wild Card:

Mandy Porter/Encinitas, CA/Summer/10-year-old Belgian mare/Wild Turkey Farm

Dressage:

Qualifying from the U.S. League
(Rider/Residence /Horse/Age, Breed, Sex/Owner)