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Adrienne Sternlicht Wins Show Jumping Hall of Fame Jumper Classic Series Final *Daisy Farish and Elisa Uribe Gutierrez Honored as East Coast Series Champions*

Lexington, KY –November 4, 2015– Adrienne Sternlicht, of Greenwich, CT, won the Show Jumping Hall of Fame (SJHF) Jumper Classic Series Final at the National Horse Show at the Kentucky Horse Park on October 31.

Riding her 8-year-old mare *Providence*, owned by Starlight Farms, Sternlicht topped a field of 32 horses, 11 of which made it to the jump-off. Sternlicht then rode *Providence* to the only fault-free ride in the jump off, finishing in 35.634 seconds to earn the win. Madison Goetzmann of Skaneateles, NY, took second place aboard *Wrigley* while third place went to Sternlicht riding *Quidam MB*.



“There were a lot of cleans in the first round, more than I anticipated actually,” said Sternlicht. “My horse is only 8 and she’s very inexperienced at this level, but she has incredible scope and ability. I thought I would just put in a nice double clear – that was my goal – and hopefully I would be in the top six, maybe, but luck worked in our favor this time.”



Following the Championship Final, the Series’ East Coast year-end winners were honored in an awards presentation. First place in the Amateur-Owner East Coast Final standings went to Elisa Uribe Gutierrez of Ocala, FL riding *Havana De La Lande* with a total of 1,308 points. Junior rider Daisy Farish of Versailles, KY took home first place in the East Coast standings in the Junior Division aboard *Travian* with 2,280 points--

568 points ahead of her nearest rival. Gutierrez was not able to be present but Farish was there to receive her award from Hall of Fame President George Morris and National Horse Show President Mason Phelps.

The Show Jumping Hall of Fame organizes the Show Jumping Hall of Fame Jumper Classic Series, designed to give amateur-owner and junior riders the opportunity to compete at higher levels and serves to promote the sport of show jumping. Any horse show offering a class that meets all the criteria set forth in the Show Jumping Hall of Fame Jumper Classic Series specifications and has prize money of at least \$1,000 is eligible to be part of the Series.

The Show Jumping Hall of Fame Jumper Classic Series hosts a junior and amateur-owner division in two conferences – The east conference and the west conference. Series standings are used to determine which junior and amateur-owner horse and rider combinations are eligible to compete in the National Horse Show and the Las Vegas National Horse Show SJHF Jumper Championships.

The Show Jumping Hall of Fame Jumper Classic Series is sponsored by National Horse Show Association of America, Stadium Jumping, Inc., Kentucky Horse Park, SmartPak and United States Hunter Jumper Association.

The National Horse Show is a weeklong championship event featuring "AA"-rated hunters, open jumpers, junior/amateur jumpers, and the ASPCA Alfred B. Maclay Finals. The 2015 event ran October 27 - November 1, in the Alltech Arena at the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington, KY, site of the 2010 Alltech FEI World Equestrian Games™. Further information is available at www.NHS.org.

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