

2025 CAPITAL CHALLENGE HORSE SHOW—Upper Marlboro, MD



1. **Amanda Steege** and **Lafitte de Muze** won their second consecutive \$50,000 World Championship Hunter Rider (WCHR) Professional Challenge, presented by The Gochman Family and the John R. Ingram Fund. 2. **Scott Stewart** was all smiles after he captured the Grand Green Hunter Championship, sponsored by Balmoral, with **Dr. Betsee Parker's Fidelio**. 3. **Nick Haness** is surrounded by friends congratulating him after winning the \$30,000 WCHR Professional Finals, presented by World Wide Technology. 4. **Kadara** was quite pleased with herself for winning the \$10,000 NAL 115m Amateur Jumper Final, presented by SmartEquine, with **Willow Vince**. 5. A rescue himself, **Mini Mick Jagger** was on hand as an ambassador to raise awareness for the CCHS Official Charity Partner, Days End Farm Horse Rescue. 6. **Glenda Monkarsch** swept the Adult Amateur 36-49 Hunter division with **Hush Money** and **Wroyal Jester** (pictured), who was also named the Grand Adult Amateur Hunter Champion. 7. **Paige Walkenbach** celebrated her final indoor season in the Junior Hunters by sweeping the Small Junior Hunters 16-17 with **Babylon** and **Princeton**, but she won the Grand Junior 36" Hunter Championship with her own **San Pedro 15** (pictured). 8. **Congran PS** was congratulated after **Hannah Hoch** rode to the win in the Ariat National Adult Medal Finals. 9. **Avery Faye Smith** led from start to finish on **Keep Calm**, owned by Terrapin Hill Farm, to win the Marshall + Sterling Insurance/USHJA 33" Jumping Seat Medal Final - East. Photo by Shawn McMullen Photography 10. **Rachel Kennedy** of ESP Farm in Brookeville, Maryland, took time out at CCHS to read the September issue of *Sidelines* magazine, including her Unbridled feature! 11. A score of 89.5 gave four horses and riders—**Martha Ingram** and **Private Practice**, **Stephanie Danhaki** and **Cadet**, **Irene Neuwirth** and **Heirloom**, and **Rindy Dominguez** and **Frosted**—the award for the Marshall + Sterling Best Amateur-Owner 33" Trip of the Show. Photos by Flaxen Mane Media, unless noted otherwise.