



## JULY NEWSLETTER

Greetings, Western Dressage Enthusiasts!

We're excited to bring you the latest edition of our newsletter, where passion for the art of Western Dressage meets the vibrant community of Florida riders. Whether you're a seasoned competitor or just beginning your journey, our newsletter is here to keep you informed, inspired, and connected. In this issue, we aim to celebrate the achievements of our members! Thank you for being a part of this incredible journey. We look forward to riding alongside you and making the most of every stride, both in and out of the arena.

### ***This Month's Medal Winners***

Amanda Kopak-Hiser



Silver

Suzi's Big Hot Rod in Heaven

Mary Eurice



Bronze

Beau De Leon



We're thrilled to announce the fantastic results of our members from the 2024 WDAFL Online International Challenge! Our Florida riders showcased their talent and dedication on a global stage, and their hard work truly paid off. From stunning performances to impressive scores, our members have made us proud once again. Be sure to check out the full results and celebrate with us as we highlight the outstanding achievements of our very own Western Dressage stars. Congratulations to all who participated and made a mark in this exciting event!

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# WDAFL Member Results

## **Faith Faille and Millstreet Mitch**

Intro Junior Division - Grand Champion - 75.375%  
Basic Division Junior Division - Grand Champion - 71.271%  
Overall High Score - Junior Rider 13 and Under - 76.250%  
Irish Sport Horse Breed High Score

## **Lauren Argeros and Hoo Willy Cares**

Basic Junior Division - 4th place - 66.709%

## **Brooke Adamo and Uno**

Level 2 Junior Division - Grand Champion - 68.005%

## **Leslie Emery and Scarlett's Hershez Kiss**

Intro/Basic Gaited Jr/Am Division - 10th Place - 63.600%

## **Holly Greene and White of Morning EQ**

Level 2 Amateur Division - 6th Place - 67.838%

## **Jackie Cavaliere and Blaine**

Level 2 Amateur Division - 8th Place - 67.442%

## **Amanda Kopak and Suzi's Big Hot Rod in Heaven**

Level 1 Amateur Division - 6th Place - 68.978%

Level 1 Open Division - 7th Place - 69.526%

Level 2 Open Division - 9th Place - 62.841%

Freestyle - Level 1 - Top 5

Horsemanship Advanced Pattern - Amateur - Res Champion

Horsemanship Advanced Pattern - Open - Top 5

Versatility Horse

North American Spotted Draft Breed High Score

## **Dana Jo Fitch and Blanche**

Basic Open Division - Grand Champion - 73.505%

Oldenburg Breed High Score

## **Dana Jo Fitch and French Twist PR**

Level 3 Open Division - Grand Champion - 71.859%

## **Lauren Merchant and Duke**

Level 3 Open Division - 6th Place - 66.588%

German Riding Pony Breed High Score

## **Melanie Werst and Duke**

Level 2 Test 2 Amateur - Top 10 - 60.000%

Level 2 Test 3 Amateur - Top 10 - 65.833%

## **Susan Butler and He's a Radical Loper**

Basic Level Test 1 Amateur - Top Ten - 68.077%

## **Andrea Martin and SweetStylishMarana**

Level 2 Test 3 Open - Top Ten - 63.333%

Costume Freestyle - Level 1 - Top 5 - 73.382%

## **Diane Davitt and GHS Poco Skipn Scotch**

Basic Level Amateur Exhibitor

## **Brenda Morrow and MamaTried**

Basic Level Test 2 Amateur - Top 10 - 68.600%

## **Lauren Merchant and Buckkeyz Southern Cazzady**

Gaited Level 1 Open Division - 5th Place - 65.087%

## **TJ Larson and Takoda Blue**

Therapeutic Rider Division - 4th Place - 66.265%

Mustang Breed High Score

## **TJ Larson and Zeke**

Therapeutic Rider Division - 5th Place - 65.249%

American Quarter Pony Breed High Score

## **Reese Gurski and Salsa Baby**

Therapeutic Rider Division - Reserve Champion - 73.561%

Arabian Breed High Score - 75.455%

## **Robin Ford and Vincenzo**

Level 2 Test 4 Amateur - Reserve Champion - 68.276%

Level 2 Test 4 Open - 3rd Place - 69.310%

## **Leah Marshall and He Did it For Real**

Intro Freestyle - Grand Champion - 78.929%

## **Andrea Martin and Right Az Rain**

Intro/Basic Freestyle - Top 5 - 70.357%

## **Tilly Dombroski and Pocos Silver Sagebrush**

Intro/Basic Costume Freestyle - Top 5 - 65.00%

## **Diane Davitt and Fantasia AT**

Level 1 Amateur Exhibitor

## **Lauren Orlinsky and Whiskey Bent and Hell Bound**

Therapeutic Rider - Coached Test Walk Only - Top 5

## **Skylar Tobiassen and Whiskey Bent and Hell Bound**

Therapeutic Rider - Coached Test 1 - Top 5

Int'l Spotted Horse Breed High Score

## **Our Florida Team Challenge Participants were:**

**SMART Girls** - First Place - Blended Teams - 67.025%

**Lauren's Lovelies** - Second Place - Blended Teams - 63.391%

**Florida Stable Sisters** - Fifth Place - Pairs Teams - 64.047%

**Team Cicada Songs** - Second Place - Freestyle - 70.616%

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January 17-19, 2025  
**WDAFL** Annual Show  
WESTERN DRESSAGE

