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**Sweet Smiles in Attendance During Kids Day at the  
50<sup>th</sup> Annual Hampton Classic Horse Show**

*Bridgehampton, NY – August 30, 2025* – The Kids’ Area at the 50<sup>th</sup> annual **Hampton Classic Horse Show** featured **Kids Day** on Saturday, providing an array of creative activities and live entertainment tailored for children across a range of age groups. Children from Long Island and the New York metropolitan area enjoyed free admission, complimentary pony rides and other activities including games, music, magic, and crafts.

“Kids Day is always one of our favorite days here at the Hampton Classic,” said Shanette Barth Cohen, the show’s Executive Director. “So many kids come out to enjoy the entertainment, the games, petting the animals and the free pony rides. Families can all enjoy Kids Day together, even if they don’t watch the horse show. There are so many fun activities, and we are thrilled to host them.”

The Classic’s Kids Day offered free pony rides for young children courtesy of [Steppin’ Out Petting Zoo & Pony Rides](#), who brought some of their petting zoo which includes sheep, goats, chickens, ducks, rabbits and llamas.



Other great family attractions included performances by [All Star Party](#) and returning circus performers [Keith Leaf](#) & Amazing Friends; creative bracelet-making activities and fun giveaways with [Macaroni Kid Hamptons](#); horse-themed button making with [Shine NYC](#); coloring activities and a visit by the resident tortoises of [Turtle Rescue of the Hamptons](#); magic and mystery card tricks with [The Amazing Zola](#); facepainting by the Amazing Rubini and [Fancy Faces by Kathy](#); and ping pong, cornhole and more yard games. There were also healthy snacks available courtesy of [Scott's Protein Balls](#).



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Each year, approximately 50,000 people – including many A-list celebrities – come to watch the nation's best equestrian athletes compete at the Hampton Classic Horse Show. Rated **USEF 'Premier-6'** for hunters and jumpers with designated **FEI 2\* and 5\*** jumping classes, the Hampton Classic features more than 200 competitions in six spectacular show rings, the Agneta Currey Boutique Garden with more than 70 vendors, and a wide selection of dining options, all on its world-class 60-acre showgrounds.

FEI competition began on Thursday, August 28, with the **\$5,000 Citarella Open Jumper CSI2\*** and **\$32,000 CSI5\* Two-Phase** and continues throughout the weekend with seven 2\*/5\* classes. FEI competition also includes Friday's **\$32,000 Wölffer Estate 2\* Grand Prix Qualifier**, **\$116,100 Douglas Elliman 5\* Grand Prix Qualifier**, Saturday's **\$62,500 5\* Winning Round**, and culminates

with the **\$70,000 Hampton Classic 2\* Grand Prix** and **\$400,000 Longines Hampton Classic 5\* Grand Prix** on Sunday, August 31.

Other competition highlights include the **\$30,000 The Wellington Jumper Challenge**, **\$10,000 Stomp Capital 1.40m Open Jumper**, **\$40,000 CME Group 1.45m National Grand Prix**, **\$10,000 Hunt & Go Stake presented by The Baran**, **\$10,000 Hermès Equitation Championship**, **\$25,000 Agneta & Brownlee Currey 1.45m Junior/Amateur Jumper Classic**, and **\$30,000 Longines Rider Challenges**, which are now being offered as two separate bonuses: \$10,000 for the FEI 2\* division and \$20,000 for the FEI 5\* division.

Tickets for **reserved grandstand seats** for Grand Prix Sunday, August 31, are \$55 per seat and are available on the [Hampton Classic website](#). Tickets for the Classic's new **Judge's Box Lounge**, which offers an elevated experience for watching Grand Prix Ring competition on Thursday-Sunday, August 28-31, are also available. Lounge tickets are priced at \$200 for Thursday, \$300 for Friday or Saturday, and \$600 for Grand Prix Sunday and are available on the [Hampton Classic website](#).

For those who can't make it to the show grounds, [complimentary live webcasts](#) of all Grand Prix and Aspinall Ring competitions air on the Hampton Classic website. Produced by ClipMyHorse.TV, the Grand Prix Ring livestreams are sponsored by Longines and the Aspinall Ring livestreams are sponsored by [ClipMyHorse.TV](#). In addition, WVVH-TV, Hamptons Television, broadcasts up to five hours of competition and highlights each day during the Classic. These broadcasts can also be seen online at [www.wvvh.tv](http://www.wvvh.tv).

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