

The TheraPlate Peak Performance Award Soars to New Heights at the Colorado Horse Park



Parker, CO (July 15, 2016) – Already this July, two horses have won the TheraPlate Peak Performance award at the Colorado Horse Park’s Summer in the Rockies show series. The award is presented throughout the summer to horses that display obvious muscular build and fitness that allows them to perform exceptionally in the show ring. Winners receive a beautiful engraved silver plate and ribbon.

As an Official Sponsor of the Colorado Horse Park in Parker, Colorado, TheraPlate Revolution Therapy Platforms is proud to celebrate horses on the show grounds that exemplify soundness, fitness, strength, and peak performance— all qualities that the TheraPlate platform can help horses to achieve.

The first TheraPlate Peak Performance Award winner of this month was Dublin, an eight-year-old Warmblood gelding owned by Hays Investment Corporation and ridden by Brandie Holloway. As Holloway piloted Dublin through the 1.20m Jumper Derby at the Colorado Horse Park, the show committee noticed the horse’s superb fitness and chose him as winner of the TheraPlate Peak Performance Award, presented by the Official Therapy Plate of the United States Equestrian Federation (USEF).

Winning the award was an especially big deal for Dublin, as this was his first time back in the ring in quite a while. “Dublin had about six months off after having a chip removed from his ankle, so this was his first week back,” Holloway explained. “I was very thrilled with how he performed. His mother and father were both my Grand Prix horses, so it’s special to bring him along from being a baby to making him into a top-level jumper. I see so much of his mother and father in him, so it’s like I already know how to train certain things and handle

certain things because he has many similarities to them. He has a big, big heart.”

While training, Holloway utilizes a TheraPlate to help keep the horses that she and her daughter ride sound. Holloway has the unique experience of sharing the same passion for riding with her daughter Hunter, who is successful in the hunter show ring. “Our horses are obviously happy with the TheraPlate – they all step right onto it. They enjoy it the entire time they are on it, so I can tell it is helping them,” said Holloway. Holloway was thrilled that Dublin was awarded the TheraPlate Peak Performance Award. “This is a great award to win, especially because it was sponsored by a company I really believe in,” she said.

The most recent winner of the TheraPlate Peak Performance Award at the Colorado Horse Park this July was Fabled, a Warmblood piloted by Rachel Lindsey and owned by Amberlea Tribble. Lindsey has had the ride on Fabled for one year. This summer at the Colorado Horse Park, the pair has won two champion titles and one reserve champion in the 3’6” Performance Hunter class. “Fabled is my prince charming,” Lindsey smiled. “He’s awesome. The longer we’ve been together, the more we’ve been able to develop this trust with each other. I’ve been following this horse’s career for a while, and one day he just showed up at my barn a year ago. It was kind of cool!” Lindsey was excited to accept the TheraPlate Peak Performance Award. “I’ve heard lots of great things about TheraPlate. Fabled had a really great week at the Colorado Horse Park, so he deserved that award— he was awesome.”

This summer, horses and riders at the Colorado Horse Park can try out the TheraPlate themselves for free at the on-site TheraPlate Therapy Zones. There is one TheraPlate open for horses to use, and two TheraPlates (in the Colorado Horse Park Feed & Supply Store and in the VIP tent) for people to try out. TheraPlate’s benefits include increased bone strength, muscle mass, hoof growth, and circulation; reduced inflammation, injuries, pain, healing time, and stress; and improved balance, joint health, and function. For more information on TheraPlate’s revolutionary therapy platforms, visit www.theraplate.com or call (800) 920-3685.

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Photo 1: Dublin, owned by Hays Investment Corporation and ridden by Brandie Holloway, wins the TheraPlate Peak Performance Award at the Colorado Horse Park Summer in the Rockies show series (Photo courtesy of the Colorado Horse Park)

Photo 2: Fabled, owned by Amberlea Tribble and ridden by Rachel Lindsey, wins the TheraPlate Peak Performance Award at the Colorado Horse Park Summer in the Rockies show series (Photo courtesy of the Colorado Horse Park)