

WSI

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Cartani (HOLS)
Casall (HOLS)
Cefalo (HOLS)
Christian (HOLS)
Classe VDL (HOLS)
Clinton I (HOLS)
Condios (HOLS)
Cornet Obolensky (BWP)
Desir du Chateau (SF)
Dondoctro Ryal K (KWPN)
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Warmblood Studbook of Ireland

International Showjumpers with an Irish Accent



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WSI Approved Stallion Goodluck VDL, Cavan International 4-Year-old Showjumping Champion.

GOODLUCK VDL WINS CAVAN CHAMPIONSHIP

In early November the WSI approved stallion **GOODLUCK VDL** won the Cavan International 4-Year-Old Showjumping Championship with his rider Nicholas Butler. This bay stallion was sired by Baltic VDL and is out of the mare Bevita (Cassini I x Lord x Thuswin xx). Among the scores

Goodluck VDL received in the WSI stallion inspection earlier this year were 8 for type, canter, and elasticity; and 9 for athleticism, jumping technique, jumping scope, and jumping reflexes. The stallion is owned by his breeder, VDL Stud, and Ivor Broderick of Kylemore Stud.

STATEMENT REGARDING HSI'S SUSPENSION OF STALLION INSPECTIONS FOR ISH AND ID STUDBOOKS

Recently Horse Sport Ireland announced the suspension of 2016 stallion inspections for the Irish Sport Horse (ISH) and Irish Draught (ID) Studbooks. The directors of WSI would like to reassure our members and supporters in Ireland and throughout the world that this news has no impact on the Warmblood Studbook of Ireland as we are not affiliates of HSI and our operations are completely independent.

Since 2009, when the Minister of Agriculture granted a license to the Warmblood Studbook of Ireland, WSI approved stallions and approved mares have won many young horse showjumping championships and reserve championships at the Dublin, Cavan, National, and Millstreet shows. Most recently Goodluck VDL was crowned the Cavan 4-Year-Old Showjumping Champion. (See the news story above.) These successes clearly

illustrate the competence and integrity of WSI's stallion and mare inspection system.

None of these stallions that won championships and reserve championships is approved by any Irish studbook other than the Warmblood Studbook of Ireland. (One stallion was granted the status of "preliminary approved" by the ISH Studbook after his approval by WSI.) All of the champions and reserve champions were approved by WSI BEFORE they won a championship or reserve championship in Ireland. WSI continues to inspect and approve stallions and mares, and we invite colleagues to join and breed their horses within the only WBFSH-member studbook in Ireland that continues to operate a successful stallion and mare inspection system that identifies, approves, and promotes champion showjumpers early in their careers.

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