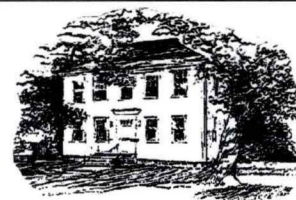


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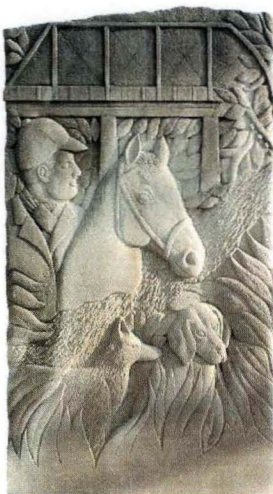
## Terms and Traditions of the Camargo Hunt

### PEOPLE AND PLACES

**Master, MFH, Master of Fox Hounds:** Hunt Leader  
**Field Master:** Chosen by the MFH to lead the field  
**Field Secretary:** Assists field master in the field  
**Huntsman:** Controls, trains, is in charge of the hounds  
**Whip, Whipper-in:** Helps with the hounds during a hunt  
**Field:** Group of hunters riding to the hounds  
**Hilltoppers:** Slower hunters who prefer not to jump  
**Staff:** The Huntsman and the Whips  
**Kennel master:** Takes care of the hounds at the kennel  
**Groom:** Aide who cleans and tacks a horse for its owner  
**Fixture:** Time and place of the Hunt assembly  
**Meet:** Where the Hunt collects before hunting

### THE FOX

**Cub:** Baby fox  
**Vixen:** Female fox  
**Brush:** Tail of the fox  
**Gone to Ground:** The fox has gone into a hole or drain  
**Gone Away:** The fox has broken out of cover and is running  
**Earth:** The fox's underground home  
**Scent:** Distinctive musky odor left by the fox on the ground, grass, foliage, or air



### SEASONAL AND SOCIAL TRADITIONS

**Labor Day:** The beginning of cub hunting season  
**Opening Day:** Official start of formal hunting season  
**Blessing of the Hounds:** Occurs Opening Day with clergy presiding  
**Hunt Ball:** Annual formal gala  
**Hunter Trials:** Features tailgating and many contests  
**Point to Point:** Two mile race with jumps  
**Fourth of July Parade:** Annual ride in Indian Hill  
**Stirrup Cup:** Refreshments served prior to the Hunt  
**Hunt Tea:** Social gathering at the end of the season  
**Bring to Share:** Potluck picnic after the Hunt  
**Puppy Auction:** Fundraiser with opportunity to purchase naming rights for a young hound

### CANINES

**Hound:** Proper term for Hunt dogs  
**Couple:** Hounds are counted in pairs  
**Bitch:** A female hound  
**Dog:** A male hound  
**Strike hound:** Hound that discovers the scent first  
**Make music, Speak, Give tongue, Full cry:** Describes hounds baying in varying intensity

### LANGUAGE OF THE HUNT

**Tally Ho:** Call given when a fox is sighted  
**Low Bridge:** Be careful of impediments above  
**Ware Hole:** Beware of a hole in the trail  
**Ware Wire:** Beware of wire on the trail  
**Ware Hound:** Beware of a hound on the trail  
**Ware Riot:** Beware of many hounds running and speaking

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