Deep Run Hunt Pony Club

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Letter from the DC

Hello and Welcome to the Deep Run Hunt Pony Club for 2019. I am excited to see so many returning members and can't wait to meet all of our new members. The Executive Team and various committees are planning, planning, and planning all sorts of fun and educational activities for the year. First up is Quiz Rally and our unmounted clinics to prepare. Not sure what is going or what anything is about, just ask. Some of us "old timers" forget what it was like to be the new person and that not everyone may be familiar with everything. We have multiple to be reached but start with the club email deeprunhuntpc@gmail.com which is manned by the Executive team. The next way to follow everything is Facebook. We have two accounts. One is a Page that is open to EVERYBODY – even non club members. This is more of an advertising page. Then there is a closed group. This page should be for information for club members only. This is a great place to ask questions. Getting ready for rally and not sure if you need a piece of equipment? Want some clarification on a rule. This is a great sharing place. So start thinking of warmer or at least drier weather so we can get to riding!!!!

Tammi Breski, District Commissioner

Calendar

2/3 Unmounted Clinic –Location & time TBD

2/17 Unmounted Clinic - Location & time TBD

2/23 Quiz Rally - Frying Pan Park –Entries due Feb. 14

3/2 Mounted Clinic-Location TBD

3/10 Games Practice –Virginia region event

3/16 or 3/17 Mounted Clinic-Location TBD

3/23 Level Green Calais - not pony club event

3/30 Mounted Clinic– Location TBD

3/30 Deep Run Hunt Workday at the Clubhouse-if a pony clubber is interested in helping contact Ursel Huber - uwhuber@comcast.net

4/7 Combined Test at Oakdale– not pony club event

4/13 or 4/14 Dressage Rally

4/20 Deep Run Pony Club Horse Trials

5/3-5/5 Eventing Rally @ Deep Run Hunt Club

5/18 Mounted Clinic –Location TBD

5/19 Oakdale Horse Trials– not pony club

6/2 Mounted Clinic– Location TBD

6/14-6/16 Show Jumping Rally

6/17-6/21 Deep Run Hunt Hound Camp

7/7-7/12 Deep Run Hunt Camp

7/24-7/28 USPC Championships @ Tryon Equestrian Center

9/22 –D Rally—Location TBD

Do you know the Pony Club Pledge? It could be a Quiz Rally question!

"As a member of the United States Pony Clubs, Inc., I stand for the best in sportsmanship as well as in horsemanship. I shall compete for the enjoyment of the game well played and take winning or losing in stride, remembering that without good manners and good temper, sport loses its cause for being. I shall endeavor to maintain the best tradition of the ancient and noble skill of horsemanship, always treating my horse with consideration due a partner."

— The Pony Club Pledge

Happenings

On Dec.23 pony clubbers joined DRH for a foxhunt on foot. Jack, Calder, Annie, Catharine, Caitlin, Matthew, Mason, Jordan, Gabriella, along with friends Marshall, Ellis, & Ben enjoyed a beautiful winter day following the hounds.

Interested in fox hunting? Contact Ursel Huber at uwhuber@comcast.net.

Hound Camp 2017

Save the Date!

All pony clubbers are invited to learn about foxhunting at the Deep Run Hunt Hound Camp June 17-21. Campers will swim, bike, craft, and spend lots of time with the hounds. More info: Beth Brown at

elizabeth@ekbrownlaw.com

Horse in Literature Trivia

It's that time of year when sometimes the weather doesn't cooperate with riding and you have to curl up in front of the fire with a good book. These questions are about horses that have made an appearance in books. Figure out these answers and you'll impress your English teacher. First pony clubber to send correct answers to deeprunhuntpc@gmail.com wins a prize. First pc parent to send in correct answers gets a shout out in the next newsletter!

1. Who said "A horse, a horse, my Kingdom for a horse"?
2. Who were the riders of the following horses- (a) Pegasus, (b) Al Borak, (c) Shadowfax?
3. Which Roman Emperor made his horse a consul and what was the horse called?
4. What was the name of the favourite for the Wessex Cup tracked down by Sherlock Holmes?
5. What was the name of the horse Vronsky rode in the Great Steeplechase?

Match the Pony Clubber to their Pony!

Send your answer to deeprunhuntpc.gmail with the subject "Newsletter contest". First correct entry wins a prize!

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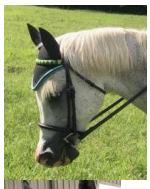

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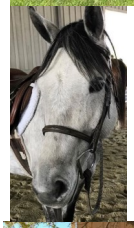

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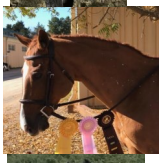

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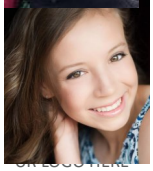

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