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Welcome New Branches!

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Membership 101

Among the many benefits of membership with Canadian Pony Club is knowing that you are part of a world-wide organization that encourages youth (and adults through Horsemasters) to have a positive experience with horses through its offering of education opportunities; by learning responsibility, sportsmanship and good citizenship, and through enjoyment and/or competitive success in riding. There are, of course, specific tasks to be completed in order for members to be recognized as registered.



- Step one: The Canadian Pony Club membership form can be completed by parents/ guardians or the adult member and submitted to the branch District Commissioner or branch Membership Secretary together with combined national, regional and branch fees payable to the branch.
- Step two: The member or their parent/guardian provides their DC or branch membership secretary with proof of membership with Ontario Equestrian, by forwarding a screenshot or printout of their online membership card.
- Step three: The DC signs the CPC forms and forwards them together with the OE documents for each member to the regional Membership Secretary along with national and regional branch fees, paid by a branch cheque.
- Step four: The Regional Membership Secretary makes magic happen, and the member becomes registered.

Upon complete registration, the new member will receive their Passport directly from CPC and may be presented with their Pony Club pin by the branch. New members joining in the fall can enjoy membership for the remainder of the year plus the following year.

Each year before December 31st, District Commissioners provide a Branch Report (available for download at the CPC website) to the Regional Membership Secretary and a year-end financial statement to the Regional Treasurer. This ensures the branch remains in good standing. Your regional executive appreciates the continued diligence of branch committees to ensure these membership tasks are completed in a timely fashion so as to recognize and protect all members upon joining.

Please direct any questions about membership to COR's Membership Secretary, Maisie Durward

Western is added as a Pony Club Discipline!

Canadian Pony Club is now including Western as a discipline. Branches are encouraged to promote our education and testing opportunities to local Western riders and establishments. And, existing members may like to formally try something new. Please speak with COR's National Director, Nancy Codlin, for more information on this exciting development.





Central Ontario Region Awards 2017

Much thanks to the Henderson-Blake family who led the planning of the October 28th banquet hosted in Oro-Medonte. Proceeds from the evening's raffle and silent auction will be directed towards the budget of National Dressage 2018. Congratulations to Regional Award recipients and winners of year-end discipline awards, as listed below.

Regional Awards

Karen Meuleman Award: Katie Bradbury, Centaurus PC
Royal China Memorial Award: Jazz, Centaurus PC
Welsh Pony Award: Blacklea Fantom Spook, Victoria PC
Barbara Grimm Volunteer Award: Hellaina Rothenburg, Centaurus PC & COR Committee
Chair Award: Bob Inglis, COR Committee

Show Jumping Year End Awards Pre Entry AI Champion: Ainsley Leach, Victoria Pre Entry AI Reserve: Lacie Firth, Centaurus Pre Entry A2 Champion: Maddie White, Victoria Pre Entry A2 Reserve: Kailey Robinson, Centaurus Pre Entry B Champion: Kloe Barrett, Victoria Pre Entry B Reserve: Zara McGuinness, Centaurus Entry Champion: Iulianna Austin, Victoria Entry Reserve: Emma Mooney, Rising Star Starter Champion: Madison Bernier, Brooklin Starter Reserve: Kaitlyn Romanick, Brooklin Beginner Champion: Elena Saltouridis, Brooklin Beginner Reserve: Katie Bradbury, Centaurus Novice Champion: Patricia Rothenburg, Centaurus Intermediate Champion: Emily Lindsay, Rising Star Intermediate Reserve: Alexandra Saltouridis, Brooklin Dressage Year End Awards
Starter Champion: Ainsley Leach, Victoria
Pre-Training Champion: Julianna Austin, Victoria
Pre-Training Reserve: Kloe Barrett, Victoria
Training Champion: Ryan Simmons, Victoria
First Level Champion: Emily Lindsay, Rising Star
First Level Reserve: Kaitlyn Henderson, Horseshoe
Wes Goff Trophy: Julianna Austin, Victoria

PPG Overall Champion Teams
C Division: Durham/TNY/Temiskaming
B Division: Victoria/Temiskaming
A Division: TNY/Rising Star
Masters Division: Toronto-North York
Open Division: Victoria/Rising Star/Uxbridge-Scugog

Quiz Awards

Top A/B Team: Cassandra Henderson (Horseshoe), Kaitlyn Henderson (Horseshoe), Katie Bradbury (Centaurus) Top C Team: Anna Iliach (Rising Star) & Meaghan Lloyd (Durham) Project Award: Brooklin PC



Introducing your 2018 COR Committee

If you are a DC you, too, are a member of this committee. We look forward to upcoming meetings to plan the 2018 event and competition season. Roles are available: don't hesitate to become involved!

Regional Chair	Nancy Codlin	Communications	Hellaina Rothenburg (CORBits) Asst. Kaitlyn Henderson
Regional Vice-Chair	Daina Bengal		Laurie Blake (corcomms) Megan Rousseau (website)
Regional Assistant Chair	Aimee Heroux-Spencer	Properties	Liz Miller; Asst. Karen Berg
Treasurer	Marg O'Neill; Asst. Jacqueline Schaap-Treen	Dressage	Laurie Blake; Asst. Cassandra Henderson
Secretary	Debbie Baker	Le Trec	Kelly Wright; Asst. Jacqueline Schaap-Treen
National Director	Nancy Codlin	PPGs	Karen Berg; Asst. Jacqueline Schaap-Treen
Ontario Equestrian Rep	Hellaina Rothenburg	Quiz	Laurie Blake; Asst. Hellaina Rothenburg
Membership Secretary	Maisie Durward	Rally	Hellaina Rothenburg; Asst. Kyra Holmes
Education Chair	Sara Runnals; Asst. Debi Robertson	Working Rally	Kelly Wright; Asst. Jacqueline Schaap-Treen
Testing Chair	Nellie Bradbury; Asst. Cynthia Bultje	Show Jumping	Teri Lindsay; Asst. Tiffany DeWitt
Youth Rep (Senior)	Haylee Archambault & Patricia Rothenburg	Tetrathlon	Hellaina Rothenburg; Asst. Jennifer MacMaster
Youth Rep (Junior)	Allie Heroux	Visiting Commissioners	Gwen Barnes, Nancy Codlin, Marie Howran, Marg O'Neill, Sue Robinson





Badge ideas for you this winter...

Do you like to read horse-themed novels? You can complete a book report and present it to your branch to receive the "Bookworm" badge! Here's a link to a book report: http://www.woojr.com/printable-book-report-forms/book-report-form/





Do you have a favourite horse or pony breed? Research the history of the breed, find out some cool facts or a celebrity horse of that breed, and present your project as a powerpoint or posterboard to your branch for the "Breeds" badge.



Make an Origami Horse

- I.Cut the gift wrapper into a square piece, in any size you favour. Coloured side up. Fold the paper in half, crease well and open, and then fold again in the other direction.
- 2. Turn the paper over to the white side. Fold the paper in half, crease well and open, and then fold again in the other direction.
- Using the creases you have made, bring the topcorners of the model down to the bottomcorner. Flatten model.
- 4. Fold upper layer's outside corners toward centre line, then fold the top downward along the crease shown. Unfold.
- 5.Cut only the top layer up to the top crease.
 6.Fold the "legs" upwards along the creases shown
- 7.Fold these sections in half, toward the centre. 8.Turn model over and repeat steps 4-7 on other
- side. The model should now look like this.
- 9. Rotate model and make creases as shown. Unfold.
- 10. Inside Revers Fold the head and the tail. Finished Horse!
- 11. Optional Step 1: Blunt the head of the horse by folding the tips inside reverse.
- 12. Optional Step 2: Give your origami horse some lively and energetic movements by folding the front foot (or feet) upwards along the creases shown.
- 13. Optional Step 3: Fold the ears and make some curved cuts on the horse neck to create the horse mane.

