

New York/Upper Connecticut Region
USPC Regional Quiz 2006
Sunday, April 2, 2006

This year's Quiz will be held at Fields Memorial School, Bozrah, CT

There is no snow date so let's hope for good weather!

OPENING DATE: February 13, 2006

CLOSING DATE: March 20, 2006

Note: Entries must be **received** by the Closing Date. Incomplete entries will be returned and must be resubmitted. Incomplete entries will be billed at \$10 per missing item.

REQUIRED FORMS: The following forms are required in order to have a complete entry package:

NYUC 2006 Regional Quiz Entry Form (one per team or partial team)

NYUC 2006 Quiz Volunteer Form

USPC 2006 Medical Release Form (one per competitor)

USPC Activity & Rally Release Form (one per competitor)

USPC Uniform Chaperone Rules/Duties Form

ORGANIZERS:

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ENTRY FEE: \$15 per competitor payable by Club check or money order to NY/UC Region. **No personal checks.** Refunds are \$5 with medical excuse. Entries are limited and will be filled with on a first come first serve basis in order of date received. Priority will be given to Pony Clubbers with National Intent in Quiz.

RULES: The Quiz will be conducted in accordance with the USPC Handbook and Rules for Quiz Competition 2004. The Quiz may consist of classroom, barn, stations, Mega-Room and a written test. Paddock boots and helmets will not be required.

DIVISIONS: Pony Clubbers will compete in divisions according to age (as of January 1, 2006) and rating in teams of three or four.

Competitors are required to be at least 10 years old as of January 1, 2006.

Junior D/Unrated - 12 years of age or less

Senior D/Unrated - 13 years of age and up

Junior C - 14 years of age or less

Senior C - 15 years of age and up

No D may compete on a C team and no C may compete on a D team. Each team must designate one member as a Captain. The organizer will select a Captain for any scramble teams.

STARTING TIME: The school opens and registration starts at 7:00 AM. Volunteer briefing is at 7:30 AM. Competitor briefing is at 8:00 AM. Please arrive and register promptly. No study materials will be allowed into the competition areas. Please leave study material in your car.

FOOD: Please bring a bag lunch, snacks will be available. Fast food and delis are located nearby.

CHAPERONES: A chaperone is needed for every team or for every four scramble competitors from a club. Chaperones must be 21 years of age or older and have read, signed and submitted a Uniform Chaperone Rules/Duties Form. The chaperone must be available if needed for their team and therefore cannot be counted towards the clubs volunteer obligation; however, some jobs such as room steward may be performed by chaperones.

VOLUNTEERS: We cannot run this event without the help of volunteers. We need a **MINIMUM** of one volunteer per team or four scramble competitors. Extra volunteers are welcome. Room size is limited; volunteers get a great view of the proceedings! Include Volunteer Form with entry.

AWARDS: Ribbons for teams to 8th place in each division. There is a perpetual trophy for the overall team high score.

CHAMPIONSHIPS: National competitors must be 10 years old or older as of January 1, 2006 and be rated D2 or above by March 20, 2006 (the closing date of the regional qualifying rally). Any D2 or D3 Pony Clubber wishing to try out for Championships in Lexington, Virginia from July 25-29, 2006 must send in the National Intent Form and attachments signed by the applicant, parent/guardian and the DC as described on the NY/UC Regional Webpage at <http://nyuc.ponyclub.org/Downloads.html> to RS Debbie Welles, 146-3 Boston Post Rd, Old Lyme, CT 06371, home phone: (860)434-3921, email: dwr03@aol.com These forms must be received by March 20, 2006 (the closing date of the regional qualifying rally). Please also make note of your national intent on your entry form. Parent or legal guardian must be present at the National Candidates Team Meeting to organize the team(s) and chaperone(s) going to Championships and to plan for practices, pay entry fees, and fill out paperwork. The date is TBD.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Contact Ev Brown

DIRECTIONS: to Fields Memorial School
8 Bozrah Street Extension, Bozrah, Ct 06334

Heading EAST on ROUTE 2 - take exit 23. At the end of the ramp, turn left (Bozrah St. Ext.). The school will be about a mile down on the right. Careful - bridge construction & a sharp corner.

Heading WEST on ROUTE 2 - Take exit 24. At the end of the ramp go right. Go about a mile and you'll pass the post office on the right and a gas station on the left. The road forks just past that - bear left in front of a church - you'll see the school on your left.

If you miss exit 24, take exit 23, turn left off the ramp to the stop sign. Go forward onto Bozrah St. Extension

From 91N take 3N (exit 25 Glastonbury) Merge onto 2E, follow 2E above.

From 84E take exit 55 onto Rt 2E (follow 2E above). OR take the 691E(exit 27) shortcut over to 91N

From 95N take exit 76 to 395N. Take exit 81W onto route 2W. Follow 2W above.

CT Valley folks - some of you might find it shorter to take 156 to 82 to 163. Follow 163 to the end in Bozrah, (DON'T get on the highway ramp!) bear right past the pond. Go through the bridge work light. The school is just up the road on the right.

School number - **DAY OF RALLY ONLY** - 860-887-2561