

Opportunities for USPC Members

Put together by the 2016 National Youth Board

Riding/Quiz Opportunities

(amended by Great Alaskan Pony Club to include estimated costs December 17, 2017)

	Age	Certification	Learn More from the USPC Website:
Rallies	Any!	Any!	Go to “Members”, then “Competitions”, then “Rallies” Quiz Rally (unmounted) \$100-150 (+ travel if not local) April. Mounted Rallies \$200-400 (+ travel if not local) June-September.
Clinics/Camps/ Mounted Lessons	Any!	Any!	GAPC Mounted Meetings (monthly lessons) Incl. in \$100 dues Clinics/Camps (multi-day) \$200 Memorial Day Weekend (3 days), July1-2, Labor Day Weekend (3 days)
Championships	10 and up, depending on discipline	D-2 and up, depending on discipline	Go to “Members”, then “Competitions”, then “Championships” Entry fees vary + travel outside Alaska + shared hotel. Late July
International Exchanges	14 and up, depending on discipline	C-2 and up, depending on discipline	Go to “Members”, then “International Exchanges”

Teaching Opportunities

	Age	Certification	Learn More from the USPC Website:
Teaching	Mature and responsible	Members are required to teach at C-2 and up	Lesson plans: Go to “Instructors” then “Lesson Plans” Instruction Resources: Go to “Instruction”, then “Instruction Resources” NOTE: You must be signed in, in order access the actual lesson plans and instruction resources.
Visiting Instruction Program	18 and up	H-B, C-3, and up	Go to “Members”, then “Visiting Instruction” then “Learn more about becoming a Visiting Instructor”

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Leadership Opportunities

	Age	Certification	Learn More from the USPC Website:
Certifications (as an examiner)	Mature and responsible	C-2's and up could assist with local testings	Go to "Instructors", then "Certifications", then " Local Certifications " then, click on the Local Level Testing Resources link found on the side bar. <i>Note: You must be signed in to access the links on left sidebar of this page</i>
Regional Youth Boards	Mature and responsible	Depends on regional rules	Go to "Members", then " Youth Boards "
National Youth Congress	18-21	H-B, C-3 and up	Go to "Members", then " National Youth Congress "
National Youth Board	18 and up	Any!	Go to "Members", then " National Youth Board "
Service Projects	Any!	Any!	Go to "Parents/Volunteers", then " Volunteering with Pony Club "

Certification Opportunities

	Age	Certification	Learn More from the USPC Website:
Certifications (local level)	Any!	D-1 - C-2	Go to "Members", then "Certifications", then " D-1 - C-2 Certifications " Testing usually occurs during clinics and is included in clinic fee. <i>Note: You must be signed in to access the links on left sidebar of this page</i>
Certifications (national level)	Minimum ages: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● H-B - 13 ● H-HM/H/H-A - 16 ● C-3 - 13 ● B - 14 ● A - 16 	H-B, C-3, H-A, B, A in Eventing, Dressage, and Show Jumping	Go to "Members", then "Certifications", then " National Certifications " 2017: National Test fee \$125 Regional Test Fee \$125 <i>Note: You must be signed in to access the links on left sidebar of this page</i>

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Other Opportunities

	Age	Certification	Learn More from the USPC Website:
Scholarships/ College Resources	Depending on scholarship	Depending on scholarship	Go to "Members", then " College Scholarships "
Grants and Activities - Including ICP, USDF, Flash Teamwork, etc.	Depending on activity	Depending on activity	Go to "Members", then " Activities, Contests, and Grants "
Contests Brookfield Conservation Award, Research Fair	Depending on activity	Depending on activity	Go to "Members", then " Activities, Contests, and Grants "

USPC Equine
Symposium and
Convention

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Go to website, then "[Events, Equine Symposium & Convention](#)" Late January. Weekend of leadership
Registration Fee: \$150 Adult, \$120 Youth
Banquet: \$60
Shared Hotel: \$25-50/night per person
Travel