

ELKRIDGE HARFORD HUNT PONY CLUB
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Dear Prospective Members,

We hope you will enjoy taking part in The United States Pony Club (USPC). As you progress from one rating level to the next, you will learn many things about horse care and riding. There are many activities in which to participate, mounted and un-mounted. USPC is a unique organization.

In order to comply with USPC, it has been necessary to differentiate between **Sponsors** and **Patrons**.

- A Sponsor can be a parent or significant adult in the child's life who is willing to become involved in Pony Club and who will be responsible for assisting the child in his/her Pony Club needs. It is only the Sponsor who can vote. **Each child must join with one Sponsor.**
- A Patron is any person or business who wishes to support our Club. Some of our Patrons are graduates of EHHPC, some are instructors, some are parents and grandparents of current and former Pony Club Members. It is our Patrons who aid us in making such things as education and instruction opportunities available to our children. We encourage each family to bring a new Patron into the Club this fall. Patrons are welcome at any Pony Club event. They receive the monthly newsletter and are invited to special events. We welcome help, offers and ideas from the Patrons for they are a treasure to us.

Below is a list of forms that need to be filled out. **All forms must have original signatures in ink.**

- 2025 Participating Member Application (includes two pages)– **please sign two copies in ink.**
- Membership and Questionnaire Form
- Parent Volunteer Responsibility Commitment Form
- New Member Welcome, Social Media Release and Pony Club Pledge Form
- Patron Form (optional)

Please return all completed forms listed above with a check made payable to Elkridge Harford Hunt Pony Club.

If you have any questions or concerns about your membership forms, do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Shannon Donet

Membership Chair
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ELKRIDGE HARFORD HUNT PONY CLUB
2025 MEMBERSHIP DUES
NEW MEMBERS & NEW PRORATED MEMBERS



One Child (includes the child and his/her Sponsor vote)

New Member	\$305.00
Prorated New Member (join between September and December).....	\$350.00

Additional Children in the Family

New Member	\$275.00
Prorated New Member.....	\$320.00

New Membership Cost Breakout:

- \$155.00 for National USPC Membership and Insurance
- \$ 25.00 Maryland Region Registration
- \$100.00 EHHPC Dues
- \$ 10.00 EHHPC Sponsor Fee
- \$ 5.00 USPC Annual Fund
- \$ 10.00 One-time Initiation Fee

Prorated New Membership Cost Breakout (those joining between 9/1/24 and 12/31/24):

- \$200.00 for National USPC Membership and Insurance
- \$ 25.00 Maryland Region Registration
- \$100.00 EHHPC Dues
- \$ 10.00 EHHPC Sponsor Fee
- \$ 5.00 USPC Annual Fund
- \$ 10.00 One-time Initiation Fee

Prorated new members joining between 9/1/24 and 12/31/24
are for the remainder of 2024 and all of 2025.

Each family must have (1) adult sponsor, as described in the letter, thus enabling voting privilege.

Please make one check payable to EHHPC and mail to:

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 2025 NEW MEMBERSHIP FORM AND QUESTIONNAIRE



PONY CLUB MEMBER NAME:	
DATE OF BIRTH:	CURRENT RATING:
SPONSOR NAME:	EMAIL ADDRESS:
THIS IS THE PERSON WHO WILL BE VOTING ON BEHALF OF THE PONY CLUB MEMBER.	
PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME(S):	
ADDRESS:	
HOME PHONE:	
CELL PHONE (PARENT):	CELL PHONE (MEMBER):
EMAIL ADDRESS (PARENT):	
EMAIL ADDRESS (MEMBER):	

EACH YEAR WE TRY TO ORGANIZE ACTIVITIES AND CLINICS TO PROVIDE EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES TO MEMBERS. WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE IN 2025? PLEASE SHARE YOUR IDEAS AND SUGGESTIONS.

PARENT VOLUNTEER RESPONSIBILITY COMMITMENT FORM



Parents play a crucial role in the Elkridge Harford Hunt Pony Club, taking on responsibilities such as planning, transporting children and horses, grooming, and providing encouragement. You are the officers, coordinators, and the backbone of all the events and efforts that make the Pony Club year a success. Your willingness to lend a hand is essential and needed regularly throughout the year. We need your support for rallies, camp, fundraising, the horse show, pancake dinner, and hunter trials. Your involvement is vital to our success.

Before you and your children commit to membership, please consider if you can dedicate 12 hours to volunteer for the Elkridge Harford Hunt Pony Club. These twelve hours are in addition to the mandatory volunteer work required at our horse show, pancake dinner, and hunter trials. Please sign and date your commitment and indicate the areas where you are most willing to serve. Do not worry, we will provide training, encouragement, and support for your participation!

Thank you in advance for your enthusiasm and support!

Parent Signature

Date

Check all that you are willing to help with:

- Rallies Social Functions Teaching Camp Help
 Auction Horse Show Hunter Trials Ratings
 Pancake Dinner Building and Grounds Maintenance

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Dear Elkridge Harford Hunt Pony Club Patron,

We hope you will become a new patron or renew your patronage to EHHPC. We welcome your offers, ideas, and help, for you are our secret weapon and a treasure to us all!!

Our patrons consist of people or businesses wishing to support our Pony Club. They include former DC's, Hunt Club Members and Staff, Graduates of EHHPC, Instructors, Parents and Grandparents of current and former Pony Club Members and cherished friends. It is the Patron who aids in making such things as education and instruction available to our children.

You are welcome to attend all Pony Club events! Your patronage entitles you to the monthly newsletter, invitations to all events, and celebrations.

The following categories have been whimsically created for your generous donations. Thank you in advance for your kind support of our Pony Club.

Sincerely,

*The Children of
Elkridge Harford Hunt Pony Club*

_____ WALK \$25.00

_____ WALK, TROT, CANTER \$50.00

_____ WALK, TROT, CANTER, JUMP \$100.00 and beyond!

Patron Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

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MEMBERSHIP PACKET CHECKLIST



- Two** copies of the 2025 Participating Member Application
 - Each with original signatures signed in ink (not photocopied or faxed)
 - Signatures are needed on both pages of the application

- Check made out to EHHPC for the full amount due:
 - New Member: \$305
 - Prorated New Member: \$350

- Membership and Questionnaire form

- Parent Volunteer Responsibility Commitment Form

- Patron Form(s) optional

- New Member Welcome, Social Media Release and Pony Club Pledge Form

- Copies of pony/horse Coggins

Questions? Please don't hesitate to call, text or email!

**ELKRIDGE HARFORD HUNT PONY CLUB
 NEW MEMBER WELCOME INFO, SOCIAL MEDIA
 RELEASE AND PONY CLUB PLEDGE**



Please complete the blanks and email to Heidi Boan at emailheidiboan@gmail.com with a photo of your clubber and their pony. This will be shared in our members only email update. If you sign the release for social media, it will also be shared on our Elkridge Harford Hunt Pony Club Facebook and elkridgeharfordponyclub Instagram with only the clubber's name and pony's name shared.

Please welcome new member _____ an _____ year old who attends
 _____ *(name)* _____ *(age)*
 _____ school. She/he lives in _____ with her/his
 _____ *(name of school)* _____ *(city)*
 _____ She/he rides at _____
 _____ *(parents or family members names – optional)* _____ *(current barn or name of own farm)*
 with her/his pony _____. Her/his favorite thing to do with _____ is
 _____ *(pony name)* _____ *(pony name)*
 _____. She/he also likes to _____
 _____ *(favorite riding activity)* _____ *(any other fun fact/sport/or hobby, if applicable)*

I _____, guardian of _____ herby permit that Elkridge Harford Hunt Pony Club (EHHPC) and its representatives including officers and other members may share photos of my child in EHHPC and other equestrian related activities on their social media pages for the purposes of celebrating their success and promoting the Club.

 Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

I _____ have read the Pony Club Pledge (attached) and attest that I will act accordingly in all EHHPC activities and any involvement I have in EHHPC social media shall exhibit good sportsmanship, honor, and respect for my fellow clubbers.

 Clubber Signature _____ Date _____