



Bennachie Pony Club

AGM 2025

Leys Hotel, Blackburn 18th January 2025

Your Core Committee

(and start year of their 3yr stewardship)

- District Commissioner
Liz Craigie (2023)
- Branch Secretary
Kirsten Douglas (2023)
- Branch Treasurer
Alison Adam (2024)
- Health and Safety Officer
Zosia Patterson (2020) R
- Branch Safeguarding Officer
Eleanor Stewart (2023)
- Media and Online Presence
Vanessa Ryan (2023)
- Minutes Secretary
Sue-Ann Grant (2023)

Branch Volunteers – the wider Committee

First Aid

Julie Bremner (r)

Field Co-ordinator

Laura McGhie Kirsten Douglas (t)

Camp Lead

Kirsten Douglas

Spring Show

Denise Dalgarno

Stable Management

Mini's: Claire Moore Junior's: Gemma Ellis

Areas Co-Ordinator

Sophie Whiteford

Rally Co-Ordinator

Liz Craigie

Evening Lessons

Liz Craigie

Games ?

Tetrathalon

Lisa Dougall

Dressage ?

Show Jumping

Jackie Inch

Newsletter

Vanessa Ryan

Trophies

Louise Burgess

Socials

Louise Burgess

Fundraising

Louise Burgess

Rosettes/T shirts

Tracey Crossland

Pony Club Results

Jim Macfarlane

Arena Events 2024

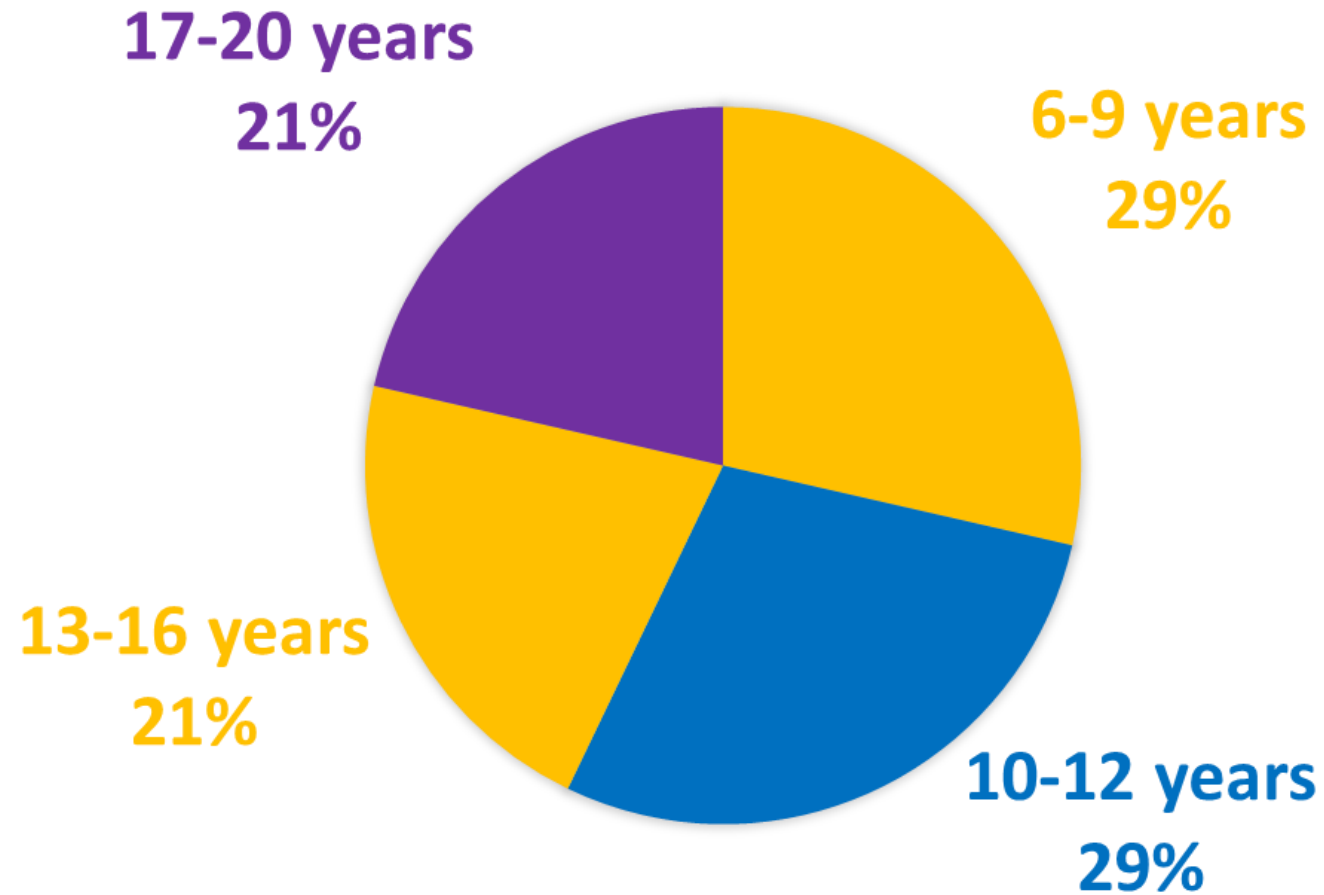
Liz Craigie (*)

What We did in 2024

- 6 Summer Rallies : Up to 24 Members
- 5 Summer Evening Lessons : Up to 11 members
- 9 Flatwork with Caskieben Dressage : Up to 8 members
- 4 Winter Jump Training : Up to 14 members
- 12+ Stable Management : routinely 16 members
- 3 Games Practices : Peaked at 8 members post camp
- 3 XC Training : Up to 5 members
- 2 Arena Events : up to 44 entries
- C Test Training : 8 members incl 1 guest
- September Test Date : 17 members
- Spring Show : 139 entries
- Summer Camp : 43 members
- Christmas Beach Party : 23
- Racing Day : 11
- Polocrosse : 5
- Area Quiz : 11 members
- Horse and Pony Care : 13 members
- Area Qualifiers : 10 members
- Regionals (70-80) : 2 members
- Spring Festival
- Burgie Bash : 1 member
- Blair The Final Fling : 9 members
- Core Strength and Conditioning: 48 weeks 6-8 members
- 10 Local Venues
- Membership around 52 throughout the year
- New Website

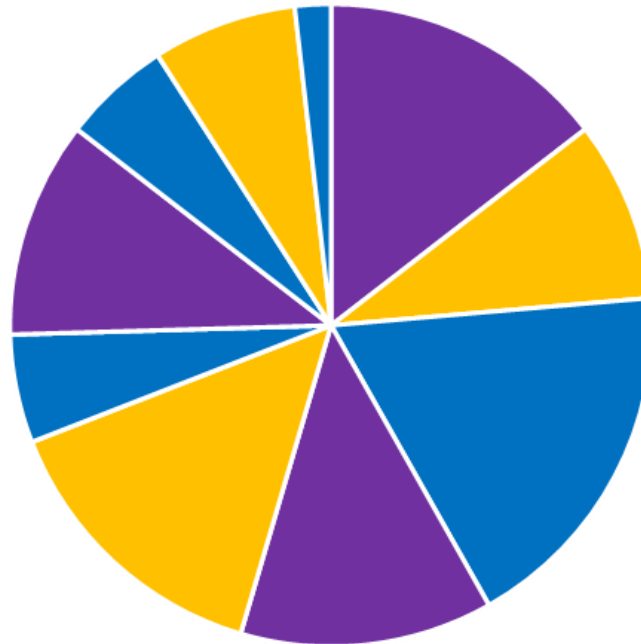
Who are our Members?

AGE GROUP



How long have our Current Members been PC Members?

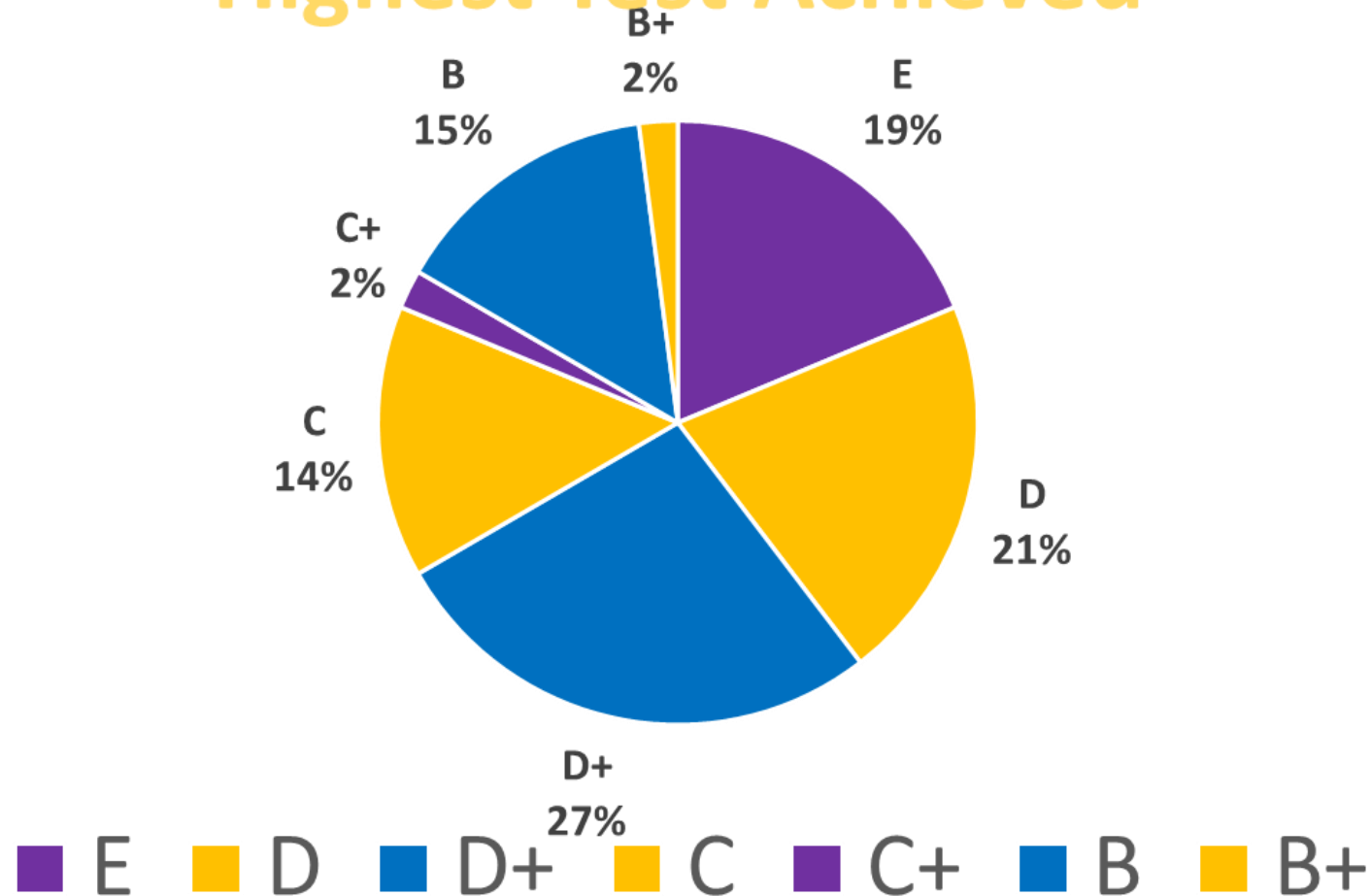
Years In Pony Club



- 1 Year
- 2 Years
- 3 Years
- 4 Years
- 5-6 Years
- 7 Years
- 8 Years
- 9 Years
- 11 Years
- 14 Years

Stepping Stones to Horsemanship – Branch Member Achievements

Highest Test Achieved



Treasurer's Report 2024

Alison Adam

Treasurer's Report Income

Income	
Subscriptions and HO subs net of capitation	£2,674.00
Training activities for members	£22,953.85
Entry fees & other income for Competitions and Shows organised by your branch	£2,625.95
Proceeds from sales of Fixed Assets	£0.00
Fundraising	£650.43
Income from supply of branch kit	£35.00
Donations and Legacies	£0.00
Investment Income	£0.00
Other Income	£1435.88
Entry fees received from members which you pass on to another Branch, Area or 3rd party	£374.50
	£30,749.61

Treasurer's Report Expenditure

Expenditure	
Capitation	£0.00
Training activities for members	£20,098.76
Competitions and Shows [organised by your branch]	£560.00
Fixed assets (over £250)	£544.91
Fund Raising Activities	£119.01
Branch kit purchased for sale to members	£0.00
General Admin	£61.80
Other expenses	£5046.76
Payments made to other branches	£144.00
Payments made to HO	£0.00
Payments made to Area	£186.00
	£26761.24

Health and Safety 2024

Zosia Patterson (retiring)

Key Health and Safety for all Events

- Keep tidy and safe
- Gates must be closed
- Make contact with the event organiser if you are unable to attend: contact details in the booking confirmation e mail
- Dogs must be in cars if the person in charge of them is in charge of a child/pony not tied to cars/trailers/chairs
- Strictly no extendable leads
- No Vaping/smoking near lessons

Member and Pony Health and Safety

- All parents are responsible for their child until they are handed over to their instructor and must remain with them.
- Tagged hats must be worn by all members and safety hats by siblings if there are horses out of boxes/trailers
- Ponies must be in boxes when not being handled

First Aid

Julie Bremner (retiring)

Our First Aid Cover end Jan 2025



- Parent cover for each lesson
- Shared across the field at camp
- Allows coaches to focus on teaching
- 1 day training course
- Training renewed every 3 years
- EFAW from another organisation can be used
- All current need renewing by the end of the year

Camp 2024

Kirsten Douglas

And a sneak preview of the 2025 plan please get involved

How can you HELP in 2025?

- **We need a new Health and Safety Officer!!** Zosia is here to help for the year
- **We need a new Games Co-ordinator!** We've put Amanda in place to support
- We need a team for the Spring show and the Arena Events
- We need a team for Camp
- We need helpers for Field Maintenance
- **We need a new First Aid Co-Ordinator** We need First Aiders (First Aid and PVG through the club or First Aid through your work)
- We need information to make the Website friendly and welcoming
- Read the Risks Assessments for the events and follow the guidelines
- Members sign up for YELA and help out
- Get the dates on the calendar and book in early – it really helps!

Any Questions/Queries/Input?

**The BPC 2025 Calendar in
following presentation**

**Huge thank you to all members, coaches, venues,
volunteers, parents and supporters for making 2024
an awesome year let's do the same and more in 2025**