

**NORTH SHROPSHIRE HUNT PONY CLUB**

**2025 SENIOR CAMP APPLICATION FORM**

**Monday 21st July – Friday 25th July 2025**

**BERRIEWOOD**

Places at camp will be limited so it is important that you apply early. The cost of camp will be £395 which includes tuition, food for campers, hay, straw and evening entertainment. Places and stables/paddocks will be allocated on a ‘first come, first served’ basis. There are a few small, individually fenced paddocks that can be requested if your horse/pony would prefer turnout to a stable but they are limited. There is the option for the ponies of siblings to share a paddock. The cost for turnout will be the same as for a stable.

The deposit of £200 will be non-refundable unless camp is full or we can fill your child’s place. This deposit is split into 2 payments of £100. The first one needs to be paid, as soon as possible, via Entrymaster to secure your child’s place at camp and this form must be completed in full at the same time and **posted** to **Rachel Montgomery, Three Farthings, Stanwardine, Shrewsbury, SY4 2EX.** You must then pay the 2nd deposit of £100 by 31 March and the final payment of £195 by 1st July all via Entrymaster. You can pay the full amount of £395 now to both secure your child’s place and save paying the additional Entrymaster charges incurred by making multiple payments. Alternatively, if you would like to spread the cost of camp, it is possible to do so after paying the first deposit by paying £59/child/month in Feb, March, April, May & June into the North Shropshire Camp account a/c no 55811558 sort code 555005 marked with the child’s name and Snr Camp (please do NOT use this account for any other payments). If payment could be made on 28th of the month that would be helpful (no reminders will be sent so please help us out by remembering!). Whichever payment method you choose, it is important that you **post** these forms to Rachel now. There is a table attached to this form for you to indicate which payment option you will be using. A waiting list for camp will be operated if necessary.

We are requesting all information at this time but appreciate things can change between now and July, so if you change ponies, develop a new medical condition etc after submitting the form, please email Rachel ([rfmontgomery@btinternet.com](mailto:rfmontgomery@btinternet.com)) with the changes.

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| Name of Member: |  |
| Age: |  |
| Name of Parent/Guardian: |  |
| Home Telephone: |  |
| Mobile Telephone: |  |
| Email Address: |  |
| Name of Horse/Pony: |  |
| Height of Horse/Pony: |  |

**Please tick only one box:**

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|  | **Yes** | **Any comments** |
| **My Horse/Pony must have a stable** i.e. if no stable available I will not be able to attend camp |  |  |
| **My Horse/Pony must have turnout (individual paddock) rather than a stable** i.e. if no paddock available I will not be able to attend camp |  |  |
| **My preference would be for my Horse/Pony to have a stable but if all have been allocated, I will accept turnout** |  |  |
| **My preference would be for turnout but if all paddocks have been allocated, I will accept a stable** |  |  |
| **If you have expressed a preference for turnout above and you have a sibling attending camp, would your ponies be able to share a paddock?** | Yes  OR  No |  |

Once all stables/turnout paddocks have been allocated, there will be a waiting list should any subsequently become available.

**Stables/paddocks will be reserved in the order that Rachel receives your form (by post) AND you pay the initial deposit installment. The deposit of £200 will only be refundable should camp be full or your child’s place filled.**

**Please now complete the remainder of the form, including accessing and printing off the pony club medical form via this link**

<https://resources.pcuk.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/medical-consent-form.pdf>

**Senior Camp Information**

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| 1. | All families are required to volunteer for at least one mealtime help sessions and help will also be needed for setting up/clearing away – further details to follow. If volunteer time is not completed a **£20 fee will be charged** | Yes |
| 2. | It is also **compulsory** for each member to leave their stable clean (all dirty straw and droppings removed) before they leave Berriewood on the final day. This also applies to those turned out in paddocks. If the stable/paddock is not left properly cleaned out a **£10 fee will be charged** | Yes |
| 3. | I consent to my child having his/her photograph taken during camp activities. | Yes / No |
| 4. | There will be several separate bell tents for sleeping. One specifically for the boys and the rest of the girls. Please state your preference below (girls only) – bear in mind the early starts needed to look after the ponies & horses: we will try to arrange this to suit everyone, whilst bearing in mind the members age and the space available.  I prefer a quiet dorm with lights-out around 10.30pm.  I prefer a middle dorm with lights out around 11pm.  I prefer a senior dorm with lights-out around 11.30pm  You can indicate one friend you would like to be in a tent with. There is no guarantee we will be able to put you together but we will try to do so. | |
| 5. | If your child is 14+ years of age, please indicate if they would like to be considered for a role as a Line Leader and/or Deputy Line Leader.  If they are a Line Leader/Deputy Line Leader, are you happy that they do the evening stables of other ponies on their line (hay/water check and top up) | Yes / No  Yes/No |
| **HORSE/PONY** | **MATTERS** |  |
| 6. | Is your pony fed on haylage?  Note: If yes you must bring your haylage to camp. | Yes / No |
| 7. | Does your pony have a shavings bed?  Note: If yes you must bring your own shavings to camp. | Yes / No |
| 8. | I will bring the passport on Monday morning for each horse/pony staying at Berriewood and it will be held safely whilst the horse/pony is on site. I will collect the passport on Friday at the end of camp when my stable has been checked. | Yes |
| 9. | I confirm that my horse/pony is up to date with their flu and tetanus vaccinations before they come into camp. I will check my horse/pony thoroughly to ensure that they are not showing any signs of ill health before bringing him/her into camp on Monday morning | Yes |
| 10. | In the case of an emergency with my horse/pony I understand that Fyrnwy Equine Clinic will be called out on my behalf unless clearly stated otherwise and shown on the horse/pony stable door. You will be charged. | Yes / No |
| 11. | In the case of my horse/pony losing a shoe, I understand that Uppington Smithy will be called out on my behalf unless clearly stated otherwise and shown on the horse/pony stable door. You will be charged. | Yes / No |

**Member/Applicant - Dietary Requirements:**

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| 12. | Is your child a vegetarian/vegan?  Does your child have any other dietary requirements? | Yes / No  Yes / No |

**Miscellaneous:**

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| 13. | Please state which disciplines you would like your child to wear their body protector for:  Cross-country/working hunter jumping - **compulsory**  Show jumping (Grass & or Surface?)  Dressage/flatwork (Grass & or Surface?)  Note: Instructors will have this information and will implement this at all times whilst riding. Body protectors must be BETA 2018 (blue and black label).  **NB: Because all members will be jumping solid XC fences, no hats with fixed peaks are to be worn**. | Yes  Yes / No  Yes / No |
| 14 | I understand that in the course of normal instruction ANOTHER child may be asked to ride my horse/pony and I am happy for this to happen. | Yes / No |
| 15. | I understand that in the course of normal instruction my child may be asked to ride a different horse/pony of a suitable standard and I am happy for this to happen. | Yes / No |
| 16. | I have read all the relevant camp information and agree that my son/daughter undertakes to abide by camp rules and guidance. | Yes / No |



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**GUIDELINES & RULES**

**For members who are attending 2025 Senior Camp**

We have laid out some guidelines and rules for members to be aware of. Some of these guidelines are necessary due to health and safety in camp; others are straightforward, reasonable RULES THAT MUST BE ADHERED TO in order to make life pleasant and enjoyable for all during the week.

**Guidelines:**

* GOOD MANNERS are essential during camp week.
* MOBILE PHONES are not to be used during lights out and must be handed in overnight. It is advised that these remain handed in during the day to avoid them being lost/damaged on the stable yard.
* LINES: You must be supervised by an adult if you visit the stables at any time.
* Respect other member’s kit and possessions. Found property to be handed in to an adult.
* Any Member who goes home, for any reason, during camp week must take their pony/horse with them unless permission is given for them to stay.
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**Rules:**

* SMOKING, VAPING, DRINKING of ALCOHOL, USE of DRUGS – ZERO TOLERANCE, WITH NO EXCEPTIONS! If found with/using these substances you will be sent home immediately.
* Mobile phones – cameras must not be used inside the bell tents at any time and no photos of other children are to be shared on social media except on the North Shropshire Pony Club Facebook page.
* For safety reasons absolutely NO WATER FIGHTS AROUND THE STABLES. Water is not to be thrown around the horses or anywhere on the lines during the week.
* Members are expected to be polite and courteous at all times – rudeness and disobedience will NOT be tolerated.

**Any member who breaks the above rules whilst in camp, their parents/guardians will be informed and sanctions will be imposed including the possibility of being sent home.**

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**I agree my child/I will abide by the above rules:**

**Parent signature………………………………………………………………………………………..**

**Member signature……………………………………………………………………………………..**

**The Data Protection Act 2018 does not allow us to keep paper copies of personal information without your signed consent. To enable us to have easy/quick access to telephone numbers and other personal information, please give your consent to us keeping a paper copy of the information which you are providing on this form in a safe place in the Camp Office.**

**Signed Parent/Guardian ……………………………………………………………………………………………**

**Dated: ……………………………………………………………….**

**Horse Information Sheet**

Please complete this form if there are any specific behavioural or health issues we need to be aware of for your horse.

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| Member’s Name: |
| Horses Name and Size: |
| Any Regular Medication required: |
| Horse Behavioural Issues (e.g doesn’t tie up, needs to be led in a bridle not halter etc): |
| Horse Health Issues (e.g has sweet itch so must be kept rugged): |

**Medical Information**

It is really important that you complete the Medical Form which can be accessed via the link below. Please print it off, complete, sign and return it along with the other paperwork. For safety reasons, your child(ren) will not be permitted to ride until we have a completed form. The allergies box must be completed if your child has or doesn’t have an allergy or we can’t even give them paracetamol. It they don’t have any known allergies, please put “None” in the box.

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**Paperwork Checklist**

Before posting, please ensure that you have enclosed:

* This form, fully completed for each camper.
* Medical Consent Form (see link above), ensuring that the box regarding allergies to medicine is completed stating “None” if there are no allergies.
* Guidelines & Rules section signed by both parent and member.
* Horse information sheet