

2010 USEF National Pony Jumper Championships

Eligibility

Riders must be United States citizens. The zone of each pony/rider combination is determined by the rider's point state, see JP 100.4. All riders must be junior members (see GR 126.1) in good standing with the Federation. All ponies must be recorded with the Federation pursuant to GR 1102.2 and must be shown under the correct owner of record. Riders participating at the National Pony Jumper Championships must sign the USEF Code of Conduct form prior to competing in the Championships.

Qualifying

Qualifying points can be accrued at any Federation Licensed regular (not local) competition. Classes that meet the specifications outlined in the Zone criteria below will be used to calculate the top four pony/rider combinations in each Zone. A Zone team is comprised of at least three pony/rider combinations but no more than four pony/rider combinations. Zones may combine to make up a team if they lack sufficient members to constitute a team from their own Zone. In the case of no team sent forth from a Zone, that Zone may send up to two individual pony/rider combinations, based on the same qualifying criteria, to participate in the Individual Championship. These individual pony/rider combinations are not eligible for the Team Championship unless they have combined with pony/rider combinations from another zone as noted above. In the event a qualified pony/rider combination cannot compete or in case of illness and/or injury to a rider or pony of a pony/rider combination, no substitute for either party can be made. The next qualified pony/rider combination will move into the slot vacated.

Standings

Each Zone's pony/rider standings can be located on the USEF web site at www.usef.org. Points are tallied from the point tabulation chart listed in GR 1132.2. Pony/rider combinations can accrue Pony *and Children's* Jumper points outside of their Zone. Children's Jumper points may be accrued *if the class follows the current Zone Specifications for the zone in which the competition is held*. If a rider has two ponies in the top four positions of the standings once the standings are complete, that rider may choose which pony he or she will take and the next highest placed pony/rider combination will be placed on the team. In the event of a tie in the standings, the tie will be broken by the number of first place ribbons unless otherwise stated below.

Combining Zones to Form Teams

If a zone is unable to field a team of at least three pony/rider combinations, the zone may then apply to the Federation to combine with another zone that is also unable to field a team. USEF will make the final decision to combine horse/rider combinations.

Current USEF rules can be found on the USEF web site at www.usef.org

Disputes

The Jumper Committee has the authority to resolve any dispute or question pertaining to this championship and its qualifying procedures.

Questions?

Contact Jennifer Haydon, USEF Director of Show Jumping, National Programs at jhaydon@usef.org or (859) 225-6911

National Pony Jumper Championship Criteria

While the USEF Jumper Committee will oversee the criteria process, the committee is subject at all times to oversight and supervision by USEF, as the National Governing Body.

Zone 1:

Criteria: Pony Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: David Distler, 188 Flax Hill Rd. #C9, Norwalk, CT 06854-2846
Email: DavidDistler@msn.com; Ph (203) 855-8180

Zone 2:

Criteria: Pony Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Mark Leone, 105 Yawpo Ave., Oakland, NJ 07436
Email: mjleone198@aol.com; Ph (201) 337-0431

Zone 3:

Criteria: Pony Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Rachel Kennedy, 3510 Elton Farm Road, Brookeville, MD 20833
Email: espfarm@verizon.net; Ph (443) 878-8146

Zone 4:

Criteria: Pony, Low Children's and Children's Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Trina Blankenship, 772 Old Lathetown, GA 30115
Email: trinablankenship@aol.com; Ph: (678) 360-3601

Zone 5:

Criteria: Pony and Children's Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Mindy Darst, 1834 Oregonia Rd., Lebanon, OH 45036
Email: mindy@lochmoorstables.com; Ph (513) 932-7332

Zone 6:

Criteria: Pony and Children's Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher-at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Patrice Urban, 22105 Quail Place, Elkhorn, NE 68022
Email: Purbs1@aol.com; Ph (402) 289-3251

Zone 7:

Criteria: Pony and Children's Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between December 1st 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Kim Brunson, 1012 Riverside, Grapevine, TX. 76051;
Email: kim@texasrosehorsepark.com; Ph (817) 683-8284

Zone 8:

Criteria: Pony and Children's Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Page Tredennick, 1 Countryside Lane, Littleton, CO 80121-2014
Email: ptredennick@woodrunfarm.com; Ph: (303) 808-8413

Zone 9:

Criteria: Pony Jumper classes held at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Shelly Campf, 22665 S. Central Point Rd., Canby OR 97013

Email: ozinc@yahoo.com; Ph: (503) 651-3418

Zone 10:

Criteria: Pony Jumper classes held at heights of 0.95m (3'1") or above but less than 1.00m (3'3") will count at one-half point value; Pony Jumper or Low Children's Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or above but less than 1.10m (3'7") will count at full point value; and Pony Jumper or Children's Jumper classes held at 1.10m (3'7") or above will count at one and one-half point value. Points may only be earned at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinators: Sally Hudson, 1 Ivy St., Monterey CA 93940, Ph (831) 594-1719 and Charlotte Skinner, 5107 Auckland Ave., N. Hollywood, CA 91601, Ph (818) 563-3250

Email: Sally - sallyh1@aol.com, Charlotte – ceskinner@earthlink.net

Zone 11:

Criteria: Pony Jumper classes held at 1.00m (3'3") or higher at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010.

Coordinator: Sally White, 46-405 Hololio St. Kaneohe, HI 96744;

Email: swhite@aloha.com

Zone 12:

Criteria: Pony Jumper classes held at USEF Licensed regular competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010. GR 1113.2 will be waived for Pony Jumper classes held in Zone 12 for the National Pony Jumper Championship standings. Pony/Rider combinations must complete at least two 1.0m (3'3") and one 3'6" or 1.05m class at a USEF Licensed competition during the qualifying period. The 3'6" or 1.05m class requirement will be waived if no 3'6" or 1.05m class is held on or between January 1, 2010 and June 1, 2010 in Zone 12.

Coordinator: Rebecca Weiant, PO Box 4190, Palmer, AK 99645

Email: rweiant@gmail.com; Ph (907) 745-4595

USPC:

Criteria: Pony and Children's Jumper classes held at USEF Licensed regular (not local) competitions starting on or between June 2nd 2009 and June 1st 2010. Classes held at less than 1.00m (3'3") will count as ½ of their point value. Ties will be broken by the greatest number of points earned above 1.00m (3'3"). Riders must be current members in good standing of USPC with a minimum D3 rating and declare their intent to compete for USPC by March 15, 2010. Riders must be members of USEF and ponies must be recorded with USEF at the time of declaring their intent to compete for USPC. USPC declared riders will no longer be eligible to compete for their home Zone for the 2010 National Pony Jumper Championship qualifying period.

Coordinator: Wayne Quarles, USPC, 4041 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511

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