

DCDIGEST

The DCDigest is a no-cost electronic discussion group for all club officers of the United States Pony Clubs. The group provides a way for club officers throughout the nation to participate in, or to just listen to, discussion of what's going on at Pony Club at all levels. Club officers share ideas, tell other DCs what works in their club – and what doesn't – and get to know each other. It is also a great way to get questions of general interest answered authoritatively by the USPC's major committees, all of which monitor this list. Finally, it is used for official communications from the National Office to the DC community when time is of the essence.

In an electronic discussion group, you participate via Email. If none of your club officers are on-line, it may be helpful to your club to designate a Sponsor to join. Many important updates are first shared on the DCDigest as well as membership and deadline reminders. New members will gain access to archived messages, so previously asked questions may be referenced as well.

TO GET ONTO THE DIGEST:

1. Log onto www.yahogroups.com
2. New users will need to register with Yahoo by requesting a User ID and password.
3. Search for the digest by typing DCDigest (with no spaces or punctuation).
4. A request for membership must be made. Once a moderator has approved the membership the process is complete.

The list is moderated by the USPC Member Services and Regional Administration Director and is monitored by most National Committee Chairpersons. Your input is important and your Pony Club experiences as a parent, club officer and volunteer are also important. When you have a concern or idea, you should know that resources and channels of communication are already in place. See Appendix D for tips on using the DCDigest.