

**WHITE MOUNTAIN REGION 2024 QUIZ RALLY**  
**Saturday- April 6, 2024**  
**Registration begins at 8:00 AM. Rally begins promptly at 8:30**

**Walpole Elementary School, Walpole NH**

**Send entry forms to:** Cathy Aranosian Email: [cathf28@aol.com](mailto:cathf28@aol.com)  
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**Closing Date:** Monday, **March 13, 2024** Entries must be postmarked or emailed by this date. **To assist in planning, please send an email: [cathf28@aol.com](mailto:cathf28@aol.com) listing your teams.** Entries are not complete until entry form and chaperone form are submitted and payment is received.

**Entry Fee:** \$40.00 per competitor. Entry fee includes lunch. Make Club checks payable to **White Mountain Region**.

**Rules:** Please refer to **USPC Handbook and Rules for Quiz Competition 2024 and 2024 Annual Quiz Newsletter**. Competitors with a cell phone during any phase could be disqualified from competition.

**Divisions:** Check Quiz Rulebook for specifications. Divisions are based on ages as of January 1, 2024 and HM Rating on the day of Quiz Rally. Each team will consist of 3 or 4 members. Short teams will be scrambled by the organizer.

**Jr. D- UNDER 10 DIVISION- Modified (made up of UR and D1's)**

**Modified Divisions**

Modified Novice D	D2 & D3	age 10-11
Modified Novice C	C1 HM & C2 HM	age 10-11
Modified Junior D	D2 & D3 HM	age 12+
Modified Senior D	D2 & D3 HM	age 18+

**Standard Divisions**

Junior D	D3 HM	age 12-17
Senior D	D3 HM	age 18+
Junior C/HB	C1 HM-HB	age 12-17
Senior C/HB	C1 HN-HB	age 18+
HB/HA	HB-HA	age 14+

**\*Unrated members compete as D1**

**\*Standard and Modified members may be placed on a team together**

**\*Each Under 10 team will have a chaperone with them at all times for moral support & help with reading**

**\*If necessary to make a team, a junior can compete on a senior team**

**Please note:** individuals or short teams may be combined with other individuals or short teams from other clubs to form a full team.

**Attire:** The **USPC pin** and the **Quiz name badge** (provided by organizers) are required attire. Dress should be neat and clean - club shirts may be worn. **REMEMBER: MEDICAL ARMBANDS/BRACELETS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.**

**Footwear appropriate for working around horses must be worn for the Barn Phase**-(thick-soled, shoes/boots, short or tall, cover the ankle, in good condition, made of leather or synthetic material, entirely closed, securely fastened, well-fitted to foot, sturdy construction). The Barn Phase is **OUTDOORS**- Please bring a coat.

**Championships:** To be eligible to take part in **USPC Championships in Quiz** competitors must be **10 years of age or above before January 1, 2024** and hold a **D2 or higher rating prior to the date of the qualifying rally**. Refer to **USPC Handbook and Rules for Quiz Competition, 2024**.

**Rules for Spectators:** DC's: please review with all of your parents and others who will be coming to the rally about the rules specific to spectators. They are in the **Quiz Rulebook 2024**.

**Food:** Lunch is provided for all participants and Rally Volunteers. Others may purchase lunch from Ashuelot River Pony Club.

**Bottled water will not be available to purchase as there are water fountains throughout the school. Please bring a reusable water bottle to refill as necessary-LETS BE GREEN!**

**Entry Form**  
**White Mountain Region Quiz Rally**  
**April 6, 2024**

**Division:**

<b>Team/Club name:</b>	Check if wishing to qualify for Champs	age as of 1/1/24	rating as of 4/2/24
<b>Captain:</b>			

**Chaperone:**

**Division:**

<b>Team/Club name:</b>	Check if wishing to qualify for Champs	age as of 1/1/24	rating as of 4/2/24
<b>Captain:</b>			

**Chaperone:**

**Division:**

<b>Team/Club name:</b>	Check if wishing to qualify for Champs	age as of 1/1/24	rating as of 4/2/24
<b>Captain:</b>			

**Chaperone:**

**Team Volunteers (Each Club needs to provide 2 Volunteers to help work the day of the Rally- We are a small Region and need parents to volunteer to help run the Rally)**

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## **Article 13 – Chaperones and Emergency Contacts**

### **1. Chaperones**

- a. Any team or competitor under the age of majority must have an official chaperone listed who is at least 21 years of age, on the entry form. This person will act as the contact person for that team.**
- b. The chaperone is the team's contact in case of an emergency and must be on the rally grounds at all times during the competition.**
- c. Several parents may share one team chaperone's duties, but only one name will be recorded and should be listed in the program to be paged in an emergency. All other persons sharing this duty should be made aware of this name and answer to it.**
- d. The chaperone shall NOT assume coaching duties.**
- e. Any additional contact while on the rally grounds must be authorized by the Chief Horse Management Judge. For complete information, see "Chaperone Form" (which must be signed by official team Chaperones, and all persons acting as Chaperones) in the Uniform Officiation Rules section of the current HM Handbook.**
- f. At Championships each team will have one assigned chaperone. Championships team chaperones are responsible for their team while on the competition grounds. Chaperones play a very important role in the competition. Chaperones are allowed to be volunteers and may be asked to fill volunteer roles in any Phase of the competition. Chaperones shall not bring work from home or unattended younger children with them. Team chaperones may coordinate with the other parents of the team for lunch or drink arrangements.**

### **2. Emergency Contacts**

- a. Any team or competitor above age of majority must submit a completed Emergency Contact Form with their entry. For complete information, see "Emergency Contact Form" in the Uniform Officiation Rules section of the current HM Handbook.**

***To be completed by the Chaperone and turned in with rally entry.***

**Chaperone duties shall include:**

1. The primary function of the "Official Team Chaperone is to ensure that there is a contact person for each team or individual present and on grounds for the duration of the competition. Team chaperones must be available to rally officials and team members at all times.
2. Have copy of and be familiar with the rules for the competition (Discipline Rulebook) and the current edition of the Horse Management Handbook and Rules for rallies. Rule- books can be downloaded from the USPC website at [www.ponyclub.org](http://www.ponyclub.org)
3. Uphold USPC Policy 0500  
Drug/Alcohol/Tobacco. Chaperones must refrain from using alcohol or other substances when they are serving in their "official capacity" as team Chaperone. Refer to USPC website [www.ponyclub.org](http://www.ponyclub.org) for full policy statement.
4. Be present and available to rally officials and all team members for the duration of the competition.
5. Delegate duties of the team Chaperone to another responsible adult if for any reason you should have to leave the competition grounds during the hours of competition making it clear that they are to respond to rally officials and any team members in your absences.
6. Be sure to have a means of contacting parents or designated responsible person for all team members in the event that you should need to contact them during the hours that you are responsible for those team members (hours of competition).
7. Have a means of contacting all team members and the parent or responsible person for those hours after competition and when not on competition grounds (evening/ nights).
8. Administration of medications is the sole responsibility of the parent/guardian.
9. Be familiar with the effects of heat and humidity and the potential risk for heat related illness. Take an active role in helping to keep all team members well hydrated; the importance of hydration cannot be overstated! Take every opportunity to encourage water breaks. Refer to the Uniform Officiation Rules found in the Horse Management Handbook and on the USPC website [www.ponyclub.org](http://www.ponyclub.org)
10. In cases of Scramble Teams, the Competition Organizer will determine the "Official Team Chaperone."
11. Be aware that USPC members are required to wear a current, up-to-date USPC Medical Card/Bracelet on their arm at all USPC activities.

I have read and understand the duties of a Chaperone as listed above.

Name of Chaperone	Signature	Date
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Club/Team Responsible for: \_\_\_\_\_

(_____) _____	_____
Cell Phone Number	If Chaperone for an individual- please list pinny # and Name

## Emergency Contact Form- *for USPC Members Above the Age of Majority*

The age of majority is the threshold of adulthood in law. As USPC Members above the age of majority are adults in the eyes of the law and therefore responsible for themselves, USPC does not require a “Chaperone” for these members at Competitions. USPC does require that members above the age of majority submit emergency contact information for each competition. Age of majority vary per state.

USPC Member \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

State of Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Competition Name: White Mtn. Region Quiz Rally

Competition Date: April 6, 2024

Emergency Contact Name

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Emergency Contact Relationship to Competitor

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Emergency Contact Home Phone Number

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Emergency Contact Cell Phone number

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**An additional Emergency Contact can be included, but is not required.**

Secondary Emergency Contact Name

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Secondary Emergency Contact Relationship to Competitor

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Secondary Emergency Contact Home Phone Number

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Secondary Emergency Contact Cell Phone number

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