



Pony Club Polo Training Grant

Application Form 2021

The form below needs to be completed in full to claim a grant. The grant is automatic subject to conditions being met and funds still being available (first come first served). The payment will be made to the Branch/Centre.

Details of Taster/Rally

Branch/Centre			
Date of Taster/Rally			
Venue			
Number of members attending			
Lower & upper ages of attendees	Lower:		Upper:
Name of HPA Club instructor/coach			

Estimates of Cost

Cost of venue	
Cost of instructor/coach	
Total amount applied for*	£

*New to polo = 100% / Already offer polo = 50%

Useful Information (if known)

Number of members never played polo before	
Number of members played polo before	

Contact Details

Name of organiser	
Email	

Would you like to be included in PC Polo communications? Y/N

Further Information

The following conditions should be met:

- Pony Club Branches/Centres who currently do not take part in Polo may apply for 100% of the cost of the taster/rally
- Pony Club Branches/Centres who currently do take part in Polo may apply for 50% of the cost of a training rally
- HPA accredited coaches must be used (please note that the coach will also need a DBS check to be in sole charge of a Pony Club group – this can be done through either the HPA or the Pony Club). Alternatively, the coach can be accompanied by a Pony Club instructor. The Pony Club Polo committee will assist in sending a coach if none is nearby and the coach and/or committee can help with choosing a suitable venue
- The training may be open to all ages, but the grant only applies to under 14s
- The organiser must submit a report for the grant payment to be made – this will include an outline of the day, the name of the coach used and a list of those under 14 who took part, and quotes from the members and photographs if possible, to be used in the report to the sponsors.

Find a club – search for an HPA affiliated polo club at: www.hpa-polo.co.uk/clubs/find-a-club/

Find an instructor/coach – search for an HPA accredited Club Instructor/Coach at:

www.hpa-polo.co.uk/coaching-2/find-a-coach/

Contact Chris Eaton if you want a mobile coach to visit your rally or camp (details below).

Instructor/coach requirements if in sole charge of a Pony Club group:

- HPA/PC CPD course attendance (every two years)
- Safeguarding course attendance (every three years)
- DBS check
- First aid certification

Useful Websites

HPA website - <http://www.hpa-polo.co.uk/>

Pony Club website - <http://www.pcuk.org/>

Pony Club Polo Facebook page - <https://www.facebook.com/PonyClubPolo/>

For any advice or guidance please contact Chris Eaton:

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