National Quiz 2020
Answers - Round 1 – The Pony Club
1. In which year was The Pony Club granted Charitable Status? **1997**

2. Who is the current Chairman of The Pony Club? **Christopher Bromfield**

3. Where was the first overseas Branch of The Pony Club? **Gibraltar (The Royal Calpe Hunt Branch)**

4. What new policy was introduced for the first time in 2020? **The Biosecurity Policy**

5. Which Pony Club sport features the following sections? **Jorrocks, Handley Cross, Surtees, Loriner, Langford, Gannon**

   **Pony Club Polo**
6. How many Mini Achievement badges are there? 22

7. To the nearest 100, how many members take part in the Pony Club Championships? 2,000 (any number between 1,900 and 2,100 allowed)

8. Which Branch manages the Pony Club Shop? Harry Hall

9. What is the name of the award given to adult long term volunteers in The Pony Club? The Cubitt Award

10. Which is one of the three objectives of The Pony Club? To give instruction in riding and horsemastership and to educate members to look after and to take proper care of their animal
Answers - Round 2 – The Respiratory System
1. What is the normal respiratory rate for a resting horse?
8 – 15 breaths per minute

2. Which vessel carries deoxygenated blood from the heart to the lungs? **Pulmonary Artery**

3. What is the name for the sheet of muscle that separates the heart and lungs from the stomach and intestines? **Diaphragm**

4. What otherwise rare problem can you get if a horse is grazed with donkeys? **Lungworm**

5. What would a vet be trying to correct by performing a Hobday Operation? **Roaring or whistling**
6. What serious equine disease is caused by the bacteria *Steptococcus Equi*? **Strangles**

7. What is another term for the voice box? **Larynx**

8. True or False, the lungs of a galloping horse will expand to four times their resting size? **True**

9. In which part of the lungs does the exchange of gases between the blood and lungs take place? **Alveoli**

10. What type of cell carries oxygen? **Red blood cell**
Answers - Round 3 – Grooming and Clipping
1. Which brush should you not use on a field kept horse? **Body brush**

2. What does set fair mean? **Light brush, change/straighten rugs, remove droppings**

3. What is the term used for a groom to remove stable stains and quickly tidy a horse up? **Quartering**

4. What would you use to mark clipping lines? **Chalk**

5. When clipping, how often do you need to remove the clipper blades, clean and oil them and allow them to cool? **At least every 30 minutes**
6. What is the first step of a full groom after bringing a horse/pony in from the field? **Pick out feet**

7. Which type of clip leaves just the legs and saddle patch on? **Hunter**

8. What kind of horse would you use a cactus cloth on? **A stable kept horse**

9. What grooming method improves muscle tone and increases circulation? **Strapping**

10. Which of the clips is a blanket clip? **Option 2**
Answers - Round 4 - Competition Rules - Mounted Games and Show Jumping
1. What is the maximum age (on 1st Jan) to participate in Mounted Games? **14**

2. What is the maximum whip length in Mounted Games? **Trick – no whips are allowed**

3. What special item must the last rider in a Mounted Games team wear? **A white hat band**

4. What would happen if two Mounted Games team members performed a flying changeover? **The team get eliminated**

5. Which of these items is NOT used in the PG Sports Equipment Jumble? **Bottle**
6. In Pony Club Show Jumping, how many penalties would you get for two knock downs and one refusal? **12**

7. What is the maximum number of horses or ponies a member may ride in any one Show Jumping class? **Three**

8. Where should you wear your Pony Club Membership Badge when competing in Show Jumping competitions? **Left lapel of your jacket**

9. Which of the following would NOT cause you to be eliminated in a Pony Club Show Jumping competition? **Horses foot in the water**

10. What is the maximum permitted weight for horse boots in Show Jumping? **500g**
Answers - Round 5 – Equine First Aid
1. What would you suspect if a horse/pony was looking stressed, pawing at the ground, looking around at his sides or rolling? **Colic**

2. What would you suspect if there is a leakage of clear yellow fluid from a wound? **Damage to joint or tendon sheath**

3. What do sycamore trees put grazing horses at risk of? **Atypical myopathy**

4. What might an overweight pony get if they have too much grass? **Laminitis**

5. Which of these items should NOT be in your first aid kit? **Rasp**
6. What is a painful swelling, hair loss or open sore in the girth area called? **Girth gall**

7. Which of these conditions does NOT require the vet to be called immediately? **Thrush**

8. When tubbing a foot, what should you put in the water to help draw out infection? **Epsom salts**

9. How long should a hot poultice be left on for? **12 hours**

10. Which of these symptoms require you to call the vet immediately? **Reluctance to move**
Answers – Round 6 – Rare and Native Breeds
Question One - Exmoor
Question Two - Shire
Question Three

Mawari
Question Four – Norwegian Fjord
Question Five - **Akhal Teke**
Question Six

Hackney
Question Seven – Bashkir Curly Coat
Question Eight - Lipizzana
Question Nine – Highland Pony
Question Ten – Przewalski’s Horse