

## Fredericton Pony Club – Christmas Membership



This is a special offer available to new members for 2019!

### What does membership include?

- A Pony Club Manual (this extremely helpful book is a \$25.00 value)
- Year-round horse-related activities (social and educational)
- Time with horses (usually 3 days per month, sometimes more)
- Access to Pony Club Camp (these extremely popular camps are only available to members)
- Access to Pony Club competitions (horse-owning members can ride, non-horse-owning members can compete in Groom competitions)
- Amazing badge program!
- Internationally recognized testing program (optional)
- The opportunity to make loads of horse friends (we currently have 52 active members) who attend schools throughout Fredericton/Oromocto areas
- Horse care/safety lessons, many hands-on activities to learn how to care for and handle horses
- Want to see what we do? Visit our Fredericton Pony Club Facebook page – lots of pictures!

Christmas Gift Memberships will be gift-wrapped, and will include a letter telling your child they are a member of Fredericton Pony Club, and will include a few horse-related items, human candy, and a Fredericton Pony Club hat. Gifts can be picked up or dropped off to your home in time for Christmas.

### Do they get riding lessons with their membership?

A Pony Club membership does not include riding lessons – but riding lessons are available (this is a separate fee and time) – please visit [www.shadowlanefarm.com](http://www.shadowlanefarm.com) for information, or let us help you find a reputable stable/instructor that works for you!



## What does it cost?

The first thing you need to do is purchase a New Brunswick Equestrian Association membership – **this provides you with liability insurance**. A Junior membership (for children up to 18) is \$43.00/year. This can be done at [www.nbea.ca](http://www.nbea.ca).

**Your Pony Club membership for the full year (Jan 1 – Dec 31) is \$350.00**. Most people purchase the full year, however you may also purchase a 6-month membership for \$230, then pay the remaining \$120.00 by July 1 if you prefer. We accept email transfers, cash and cheques.

## What equipment do they need?

In order to be a Pony Club member, they simply need to have safe footwear (in the winter, snow boots are fine) and warm clothes. Our members spend lots of time outside, with the horses and exploring the farm. They don't need a helmet unless they plan to take riding lessons or attend Pony Club Camp.

## How old does my child have to be?

A child can start Pony Club when they turn 6 years old. Canadian Pony Club (our national organization) doesn't allow children younger than 6 to join.

## What paperwork do I need to fill out?

You'll need to visit [www.frederictonponyclub.net](http://www.frederictonponyclub.net) and check out the Membership>Forms page, to print off and submit the following:

- Canadian Pony Club 2019 Membership Form
- Fredericton Pony Club 2019 Membership Application

You'll also need to submit a printed copy of your NBEA membership.

Membership forms can be dropped off, and you can pick up your "gift" at the same time if you'd like!

## Can we come visit?

All families are welcome to come meet Shadow Lane Farm's horses and ponies, and meet Heather, our instructor. Shadow Lane Farm is a small, quiet family farm that has been hosting Pony Club for 5 years ☺

**Please email or call to make an appointment to visit – this is our family home and drop-ins do not work well for us!**

Heather is a middle school teacher and a certified riding instructor with 45 years' experience owning, training and showing horses, as well as 25 years' experience teaching riding lessons to children.