



# Letter from the RS

#### Hi Everyone,

Happy Fall! We have made it through the first Threequarters of 2021, and I believe we are starting to understand our new normal. I am personally excited about the potential that is available to Pony Club in 2022!!! Your Regional Advisory Board has already begun making plans for our 2022 activities. I included in our discussions some great ideas to bring the excitement back to MidCal's Pony Club's members. My goal is to touch base with every one of you before the end of October. I would like to see that your ideas incorporated into the regional planning. It would be awesome if you could drop me an email note to facilitate the scheduling of our chat. middlecalrs@gmail.com

Best Wishes,

Kathie Schulz

Regional Supervisor,

Middle California Region, USPC

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Virtual D Level Standards and Certification Clinic Sunday November 7 2:00 to 4:00 PM

Zoom: link will be sent out the week of the clinic Our wonderful RICs, Charlotte Arrouye and Rebecca Taylor are hosting another virtual standards and certification for the D Level!

This is a great opportunity for DC/CAs, parents, instructors and Pony Club members to take a close look at the Pony Club certification system, and how it works. Remember, to be a Pony Club examiner you MUST attend a S&C Clinic at least once every two years. If you are a member looking to become an examiner you must be at least 2 levels above the level that you are leading the certification for (e.g. A C-1 member having attended a S&C Clinic is eligible to be an examiner for a D-2 candidate).

Please see the website for registration details!

## Important Info:

DC/CAs: Please check in with Kathie concerning your annual meeting and any change in officers. If you need help with year end paperwork don't hesitate to reach out to Deb Kirsch, regional treasurer, with questionsshe is happy to help!

## CALENDAR

October 16 C Certification, Woodside (Register by 9/6) October 17 D Certification, Woodside October 16-17 Sierra Pacific SJ Rally, MEC October 27 - 31 National Certifications, Fresno November 7 D Standards and Certification on Zoom November 14 MidCal Annual Meeting on Zoom

#### **Regional Annual Meeting:**

MidCal's regional annual meeting is scheduled for Sunday November 14, 10 am, via zoom.

Each club should have an officer attend- the board would love to hear your input. We have some great plans for 2022!!

Zoom link will open at 9:30 and will be sent out the week of the meeting.

#### **2022 Rallies and Events**

It takes a Pony Club village to make events happen! Your regional board is putting together a busy calendar for next year, but we can't do it without your help!

If your club is interested in hosting a rally or another event in 2022 please contact Nicole Fisher: nm84@aol.com

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