

Press Release



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THE PONY CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS 2008, DRAYCOTT HOUSE, DERBYSHIRE

The Pony Club Championships took place August 17th-21st at their new venue of Draycott House, Derbyshire. The Championships host the annual finals for Intermediate and Open level Pony Club Members across five of the major disciplines, including Dressage and Dressage to Music, Showjumping, Eventing, Mounted Games and Polocrosse. Other competitions held included the final of the Horse and Pony Care Competition, Centre Equitation Competition and the Associates Combined Training Arena Event.

The Thetford Chase Branch of The Pony Club enjoyed an excellent Championship, winning the hotly contested Open Team Show Jumping finals, sponsored by Horse and Pony Magazine:

1st – Open Team Show Jumping Competition, the Thetford Chase Pony Club Branch team – Eloise Cocks, Jenny Mitchell and Georgina Wood.

The team also took the Horsemanship Award (The Romeo Alpha Challenge Trophy) judged by Mrs. Dawn Wofford from The Pony Club Training Committee. Winning the Horsemastership Award has also secured a £500 training bursary for the team.

Eloise Cocks, a Member of the winning Thetford team also took third place in the Individual Horsemanship Awards.

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Notes to Editors:

Competitors qualify for The Championships during the summer at qualifying competitions held in their Pony Club Areas.

The Romeo Alpha Challenge trophy is kindly donated by Jan Boulting, and takes it's name from Jan's horse.

A full set of results is available from www.pcuk.org

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