



USPC Leaders Camp March 20-22, 2009

What is it?

Leaders Camp is a USPC-sponsored workshop conducted on a 3-year cycle for a group of regions to discuss issues relevant to the Pony Club Leadership in those regions. These Leaders Camps are held on a rotational basis all around the country at various times throughout the year. 2009 is the final year for the current cycle of these Camps.

Who is invited and where will it be?

The March 2009 Leaders Camp will include DCs and RSs from the Big Sky, Inland Empire, Maryland, Midsouth, South, Southwest and Tri-State Regions. The Camp will be held in Phoenix, AZ.

What happens at these workshops?

Workshop participants attend a series of lectures and round-table discussions on a variety of issues including:

- ways to make the RS/DC job easier (... *less paperwork!!*);
- changes in pony club rules/regs;
- intra- and inter-club problem solving;
- member and volunteer recruiting;
- leadership retention;
- sharing of ideas with other clubs/regions on ways to 'deliver the pony club program'; and,
- program consistency region to region and club to club.

What does it cost?

USPC will pay the airfare, Fri/Sat (double occupancy) lodging (w/breakfast included), and Saturday evening's dinner for 1 leader (preferably the DC) for each club in our Region, plus the RS and 1 VRS. All other expenses will be the responsibility of the attendees. *[If any one else wants to attend, they are more than welcome, on a space available basis. They will be responsible for their own airfare plus \$190 for the seminar.]*

When do we find out more information?

Further details/sign-up information will be forthcoming after the USPC National Meeting in Greenville, SC in January 2009.