

24th August 2017

Dear Volunteers and Officials

Thank you all for the enormous energy, effort and time you have given to making the 2017 Berkeley Group Pony Club Championships such a great success. Despite the rain and mud the event had a friendly and relaxed atmosphere. There were also plenty of happy faces having a fantastic few days of competition on the national stage.

During the week we entertained many of our sponsors and representatives from other BEF member bodies. They all commented on what a fantastic event and that to see so many sports carried out at the same time was something very special that only The Pony Club manages to do.

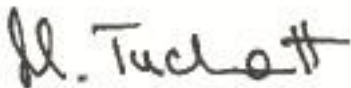
None of this would be possible without the enormous generosity of you, our volunteers. The fact that so many of you come for multiple days and stand at the end of a rope or tack check or arena steward or commentate or fence judge or drive buggies or carry out any of the other multitude of roles we ask you to perform make the Pony Club Championships such a unique and special event.

I hope you all managed to get home safely for a well-earned rest. We have a Championship wash up meeting on Tuesday 5th September and would be delighted to receive any feedback. If you could send this to Kirsty events@pcuk.org or myself chairman@pcuk.org we will ensure it forms part of the discussion.

As you will be also aware we have been undertaking a tender process for the 2018 and beyond Championships. Representatives from these venues attended Cholmondeley this year and now we await their formal proposals for decision. We will let you know the 2018 venue as soon as it is possible.

We look forward to welcoming you back for the Pony Club Championships 2018.

Kind regards

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Mary Tuckett
Chairman