What is a Youth Representative?

A Youth Representative represents the opinions and ideas of the membership to the parents and/ or organizers of the Branch, Region or National Board of Directors.

Current Levels of the Youth Representative Program

There are currently three levels of the Youth Representative Program:

- 1. Branch Youth Representative
- 2. Regional Youth Representative
- National Active Member Director

Benefits

There are many benefits of being a Youth Representative. Some of these benefits include:

- Building leadership, organization and public speaking skills
- The opportunity to travel the country
- Excellent to have on a resume for future job applications
- · Help shape the future of Pony Club in Canada.

Contact

For information about the Youth Representative Program, you can contact the National Active Member Directors at the following:

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Youth Representative Program

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Branch Youth Representative

For Active Members age 13+



The role of the Branch Youth Representative is to:

- Take ideas from their members and communicate them to the Regional Youth Representative.
- To take any ideas and/or concerns to the Branch committee.
- Should attend all Branch committee meetings and ask to have time on the agenda to give a report.
- Should attend all Regional youth meetings so they can communicate with other youth reps.

They can also organize social events within their clubs to encourage communication with their members and share ideas, which they can then give to the Regional Youth Rep.

Regional Youth Representative

For Active Members age 16+



The role of the Regional Youth Representative is to:

- Represent the views of the Active Members in their Region
- Provide a liaison between the Region and the members.
- Communicate with the National Active Member Directors.
- Should be in communication with the Branch Youth Reps. to ensure that all opinions are heard.
- Should attend all of their Region's meetings as this position carries a vote on the Regional Board. You have to be at least 18 years old to vote but some regions allow you to hold the position before you are 18.

National Active Member Director

For Active Members age 18+



The role of the National Active Member Director is to:

- Represent the members on the National Board of Directors.
- Be responsible for attending the Annual General Meeting, Semi-Annual Meeting, Mini Disciplines Conference and National Quiz.
- Host a youth meeting at National Quiz & discuss ideas which they will later bring forward to the National Board of Directors.

There are three Active Member Directors who sit on the Board, with only two holding voting positions: one who represents the East and one who represents the West. The third Active Member Director is someone in their first year of holding the position.