

Hellhake Competes

The championships competition of the United States Pony Clubs (USPC) was held July 23 through 27 in Lexington, Ky., as a part of Festival 2007. Kylee Hellhake, a Pony Club member from Pickering Hunt Pony Club in Chester Springs, was a competitor. She competed in mounted games as a member of a regional team. The team took eighth place nationally.

Hellhake is the daughter of Anne and Paul Hellhake. She is a C-2-rated Pony Club member.

All riders competing in USPC Championships have previously qualified by attaining top scores at regional rallies throughout the country. The riders vie for



Kylee Hellhake and her horse, Chincoteague Minnow (above) were members of the eighth-place team of the United States Pony Clubs (USPC) Festival Championships held in July.

national honors in the disciplines of dressage, eventing, (dressage, cross-country, and stadium jumping), mounted games, polocrosse (a combination of polo and lacrosse), show jumping, tetrathlon

(riding, running, swimming, and marksmanship), and quiz (an unmounted equine quiz-bowl competition).

Readers may view photographs from the event at www.greenhorsestudios.com.