

## **TEAMS FOR AREA QUALIFIERS**

Riders 2000 teams have been very successful both in Area Qualifiers and at Championship level. We are keen to continue this tradition and so are always looking for members to put themselves forward to take part in this aspect of the riding club. While we always endeavor to do well at the competitions we also try and have fun especially when staying away at different championships.

It is important that you are an active member of the club as it is essential that we know the capabilities of both you and your horse/pony. This means we can put you in the appropriate class with the right team.

### ***A few things to remember if you want to be in a team;***

1. Your passport must be checked and your vaccines up to date. This is essential as they are checked at every qualifier and at the championships and you are not allowed to compete if your vaccines are not correct.
2. Team members are responsible for their own entry fees for the qualifiers but if your team is successful the club will pay your championship entries. Many of the championships are some distance away and may involve an overnight stay, stabling costs and fuel remain your responsibility. This is in line with other clubs in the area.
3. Preliminary entries have to be at Stoneleigh at least 21 days before the completion so we need to know that you are interested a while before that date.
4. Before making yourself available for a qualifier please check that you will also be available for the championships.
5. At some of the qualifiers and all the championships it is a requirement that the teams supply a certain number of helpers on the day. You must therefore have someone that can attend with you to help.

For the details of the various competitions and rules look on line at British Riding Clubs, every thing you need to know is there.

If you are interested or want any more information contact Nick Coles or Ceri Gambold (numbers on website )

**DON'T BE SHY COME AND GIVE IT A GO!!**

### **DATES**

#### **Qualifiers**

|                                 |                 |                                      |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|
| Indoor novice show jumping      | Pencoed college | <b>26<sup>th</sup> February 2012</b> |
| Winter dressage                 | Usk College     | <b>5<sup>th</sup> February 2012</b>  |
| Festival of the Horse challenge | Alps Park       | <b>29<sup>th</sup> April 2012</b>    |
| Horse Trials                    | Sapey           | <b>27<sup>th</sup> May 2012</b>      |

*Outdoor show jumping and summer dressage venue and dates to be confirmed*

#### **Championships**

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| Winter dressage and Indoor novice S.Jumping | Hartpury college | <b>7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> April 2012</b> |
| Festival of the Horse                       | Aston Le Walls   | <b>2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2012</b>  |
| Horse trials                                | Aston Le Walls   | <b>3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> August 2012</b> |

National Championships ( showjumping and dressage) Lincoln showground  
**15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> September**