

British Dressage Northern Region
Senior Home International Competition
October 9th & 10th 2010

The College EC, Keysoe, Bedford

Please contact Sarah for a schedule and more information on
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Attached – Last year's Home International report Oct 2009 and a write up by Sarah Bostock about the Senior Inter Regional Competition May 2010

This competition is open to rider groups 2 - 8 inclusive on registered and eligible horses at the level selected

Classes run from Prelim through to PSG

The restrictions on the classes are as follows:

Prelim - rider groups 7 & 8 only

Novice, Elementary & Medium - riders groups 2,3,4,5,6,7 & 8

Ad Medium - rider groups 2,3,4

PSG - rider groups 2 & 3

Each region can send up to 4 teams of 4 riders. Not only do riders have the opportunity to represent their region but also their country and have the privilege of wearing the St Georges Flag for the duration of the competition.

The competition's profile is growing stronger each year, however it still retains it's original purpose, being that it is a massive achievement and fantastic experience to compete at this competition. It prides itself on bringing together a wide range of riders and horses from all different backgrounds and parts of the region!

Horse and rider combinations that have aimed for Regional Championships are welcome to be put forward for selection, along with those who are lucky enough to compete at the Nationals (if you qualify for the Nationals you then must ride at the level above at the Home International Competition – please provide this information so selectors are aware at all times.) There is no restriction on Area Festival riders putting themselves forward for selection.

To be eligible for selection riders must have attended 3 regional training days with in the past 12 months. (See the selection policy on the BD Northern page of the BD website.) Training days are still available to those who have not attended. Please see the BD website. If several riders come forward having only done 2 selection days so far then we will try to organize a 3rd date to help you qualify for selection very soon (but we need to know.)

The Northern Region Team Development Programme (currently free) helps to keep potential team members informed and if you are not already a member then please send your details to chrisshavis@britishdressage.co.uk.

Please feel free to contact sarahhuntridge2@hotmail.com for further information regarding the Senior Home International Competition.

A long list of potential Team riders will be announced on **14th August** with a final selection day being held for all long listed riders at Willerby Hill, East Yorks on **22nd August**.

Team selectors will be Sarah Huntridge, Andrea Smith and Gwyneth Lewis

Your Region Needs YOU – contact Sarah now!