



## **Executive Summary**

### **BD Youth Technical Committee Meeting**

**08 September 2022**

1. British Dressage Apprenticeships launched earlier in August, with various pathways for those in equestrian employment to complete work-based qualifications.
2. 2022 Foundation Academies begin in October, with 54 athletes selected across three Academies to be held at Quob Stables, Kelsall Hill and Newbold Verdon.
3. Following the conclusion of the 2021-22 programme, eight applicants have been accepted onto the 2022-23 Young Professionals Programme with the first workshop to begin in October.
4. Assessor standardisation has begun, to prepare assessors for the commencement of practical Horse Care assessments.
5. Rider Skills Tests will be reviewed and updated for 2023 to ensure that they remain appropriate for riders in all squads.
6. **Date of next meeting – 26 January 2023**