

INTER COUNTY TRAINING AND TEAMS

2019



Our Inter County Challenge is a team event that is held annually in July in the Eastern Region. As the name suggests, it is a competition where all the counties that make up the region compete against each other for glory! (Herts, Essex, Norfolk, Suffolk, Beds, Cambs, London). Each county has an enthusiastic County Coordinator who sets up training days, social events, test riding and more within their county. Everyone is

welcome to go along to the initial training days, which are held with trainers who can chat to you about your aims with your horse, and tell you more about the event. The trainers and coordinators hold test riding days for long listed riders, and from there, pick 12 riders at Prelim, Novice and Elementary level to go forwards to the Inter County Challenge to represent their county.

The event itself is a fun day and a half at Keysoe, with two tests to be ridden by each member. The night before the event we hold our Freestyle Festival – a brilliant night of teams in fancy dress, riding to music and displaying some brilliant interpretations of the theme for that year (2019 is Cartoons and Comic Strips if you are interested!) The Freestyle allows each county to send one team up to Elementary level and one open team who can do whatever they like.

If you are interested in getting involved, these are your county coordinators, so do get in touch, or check out dates for viewing days at www.bookwhen.com/bdeast :

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