



## REGIONAL TEAM OPPORTUNITES

### BYRDS INTER REGIONAL COMPETITION

The College Equestrian Centre, Keysoe, Bedfordshire, MK44 2JP

13<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> May 2017

#### Eligibility:

- Open to riders over the age of 18 years, as of the 1st January 2017, who are **FULL** members of British Dressage.
- Each team will comprise of four riders from Prelim up to Medium level.
- This is a grassroots competition and is ideal for those who have recently joined British Dressage, those who have not yet been on a regional team, and those who have participated in Area Festivals and Regional Championships. This is very much a restricted competition.
- Open to both able bodied and Para Dressage riders.
- Riders and Horses who have competed at Area Festivals, Area Festival Championships and Regional Championships **ARE** eligible to participate.
- Riders and Horses who have competed in the National Championships or Winter Championships (including Music classes) in the previous 12 months are **NOT** eligible to participate.
- Riders who intend to compete in the BYRDS Inter Regionals and / or BYRDS Home International in the same calendar year, may **NOT** also take part in this competition.

#### Requirements:

- Riders will be asked to submit their highest four scores at affiliated dressage competitions in the 12 months preceding selection. **AT LEAST TWO OF WHICH** are to be within 6 months of the deadline for submission of scores and at least two scores must be from qualifier tests. These can include sheets from the Home International / Inter Regionals in previous 12 months.
- Attendance at three regional training events in the 12 month period preceding the final selection date.
- Teams will be selected in accordance with the Regional Selection Policy and BD Rules 2017.
- Eligibility as per the table below:

Level	Eligibility New Structure
Prelim	Bronze or Silver combinations
Novice	Bronze or Silver combinations
Elementary	Bronze or Silver combinations
Medium	Bronze or Silver combinations

- Applications need to be submitted by 13<sup>th</sup> April 2017 on the Inter Regional Application Form