



The Mounted Games Association
(Great Britain) Limited



INTER COUNTY COMMUNICATION

To: All County Representatives Date: 5 March 2008
From: Mary Worth, Executive Officer Please reply to: BUXTON

SPRING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2008
THREE COUNTIES SHOWGROUND, MALVERN
Saturday and Sunday 12th and 13th April 2008

You are invited to enter your team(s) for the 2008 Spring Championships.

There will be three sections:

MINIS: For teams of riders who are under 12 years of age on 1st January 2008

JUNIORS: For teams of riders who are under 17 years of age on 1st January 2008

OPEN: Any age

All teams will ride in three sessions of heats – two on Saturday and one on Sunday. Finals for all will be held on Sunday.

The Junior and Open competitions will be held in the MGA Ring. The Minis will have their own separate Ring.

RULES:

All riders **MUST** be fully paid up members of MGA (GB) Ltd. All rules are as per the IMGA Rulebook.

Only **1** guest or borrowed rider is allowed per team.

ENTRY FEE AND STABLING:

The entry fee for this competition is £180 per team. This does **NOT include** stabling. Stables are available at a cost of £30 per stable for the weekend. This will include 1 bale of straw per stable. You will be expected to completely clear stables after use.

Please note that MGA charge stables out at the same price as we are charged by the showground.

LEAGUE TROPHIES:

This is the first show for which points will accrue for the 2008 League Trophies. (For all teams the other shows used for the League are Southern Championships, Welsh Championships, Cock of the North and Inter-Counties.) For the leagues- The points which count are the points accumulated in the heats of each Championship. For all League Trophy Shows any team containing a guest or borrowed rider may not count points from that show towards the League Trophy.

BLUE CHIP CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS SERIES

Unfortunately, Blue Chip have decided not to renew their sponsorship of MGA which means that the Blue Chip prizes and saddlecloths will no longer be available and the Blue Chip series will not be run this year .

ENTRIES AND BOOKING FORM:

Please complete and return the enclosed/attached booking form and send it to me at **BUXTON** to arrive by **FRIDAY 21ST MARCH AT THE LATEST** to enable rosettes, trophies etc. to be ordered in good time.

Full details will be sent to all competing teams nearer to the date of the competition.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

Mary Worth
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