

British Carriagedriving Safety Officer training programme.

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SAFETY OFFICER TRAINING

Preamble.

All Safety Officers appointed to act at National and Regional Driving Trials must be approved by the British Carriagedriving Council. Before appointing them Council will want to see that they have sufficient experience to complete the job satisfactorily. The following training programme has been put in place to ensure that this is possible.

1. Experience of Driving Trials.

Prospective Safety Officers should have attended at least one National Driving Trial as a competitor, steward or other official and be familiar with the basic rules of such events.

2. Training Programme.

They will then be provided with a record card and required to act as an assistant Safety Officer under the guidance of an approved Safety Officer at two National Events. The approved Safety Officer should sign the record card on each occasion and indicate that the trainee has performed satisfactorily.

3. Approval.

The completed record card should be submitted to the Chairman of the Health and Safety Committee who will consult with the other members of the committee and if appropriate then recommend to the Council that the trainee should become an approved Safety Officer. His/her name will then be added to the list of approved Safety Officers on the BC website.