

## **ENGLAND U23s DEVELOPMENT SQUAD - FELTON**

It was very pleasing to see all our squad members in attendance at Felton this week. Our young men are a real credit to the clubs they represent and it is a pleasure to see them developing into fine pullers.

With such a packed program at Felton we are indebted to our hosts, officials and clubs for allowing us a slot to test our line up for the forthcoming UK Championships with a few ends against Sandhurst and we would like to thank Sam and his team for their help.

We welcome three new pullers in our England "C" squad for the UKs - George Goodwin, Owen Morgan and George Witt and we wish them well in their first competition for our England under 23s squad.

It is always a proud moment for our under 23s to make it into senior squads and on this occasion we are pleased to announce that Ben Foote and Dan Kenny are to be included in Sandhurst's team for the UK Championships. Ben was part of our bronze world medal winning squad in Minehead and Dan has just come into our squad from the under eighteens. Sam has kindly given his permission that if Ben is available from his team and we need him on the day at the UKs, he can be used in our squad, which we greatly appreciate. Well done to Ben all your hard work is getting the results you deserve.

The Friday night weigh in for the UK Championships is at the Metropole Hotel, Temple Street, Llandrindod Wells, Powys, LD1 5DY our team is to meet at the scales for 6.00pm prompt.

Once again we would like to thank everyone in our Association for the support given to our young pullers and our clubs Bosley, Felton, Holland, Oxney Vines Cross, Sandhurst and Two Dales for allowing them to compete for the England U23s.

Let's have great Championships.

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