

# WBU Senior Trial 2012

## Application form

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1. We (player 1) and (player 2) apply to play in the WBU seniors trial (See Note 1) for the 2012 Senior Camrose (See Note 2).

2. We enclose a non-returnable cheque for £40.

3. Our eligibility to represent Wales and proof of age is as follows (See Note 3):

(i) Born in Wales, birth certificate attached (See Note 4) Player 1

Player 2

(ii) Parent born in Wales, birth certificate for self and relevant parent attached (See Note 4)

Player 1

Player 2

(iii) Resident in Wales, proof of residency and birth certificate attached (See Note 5)

Player 1

Player 2

(iv) Already represented Wales and not since sought to represent any other country

Player 1 Last event played for Wales

Player 2 Last event played for Wales

4. We have read, understood and agree to abide by the document 'Players Responsibilities' (See Note 6).

5. Contact details are as follows:

email Player 1 email Player 1

telephone number Player 1 telephone number Player 2

address Player 1

address Player 2

6. We confirm that we are available for (Note 7) Senior Camrose 2012

European Championship 2012

7. We attach details of significant successes for the partnership over the last 2 years.

1. The trial will take place in Crossgates, Mid Wales on Saturday 17 and Sunday 18 March 2012. Start time will be 12.00 on the Saturday and 10.00 on the Sunday. The winning pair will play in the Wales team in the Senior Camrose. The selection committee will determine the other pairs for the Senior Camrose taking into account their results in the trial and over the previous two years.
2. The Senior Camrose will take place in Ayr, Scotland on Friday 18- Sunday 20 May 2012. The European Championship will take place from 12-23 June 2012 in Dublin, Ireland. For the Senior Camrose the WBU pays £100 per player towards expenses. For the European Championship the WBU pays the team entry fee and usually provides a contribution towards players' expenses – players will need to meet the balance of their expenses.
3. Exact details of the eligibility criteria in the Home International series are available at <http://www.bridgegreatbritain.org/homeinternationals/2011/2011hiregs.pdf> A copy is also available on request from the WBU Chief Executive. Players need to prove eligibility for only one of the four criteria. Please tick the relevant eligibility.
4. For this year only, players will need to provide proof of eligibility based on birthplace, which will also serve as proof of age. Only pairs born in 1952 or earlier are eligible this year. Thereafter only players new to the trials will need to provide such evidence. Please send photocopies rather than originals. Players who played in the 2011 pre-trial, Open trial or Lady Milne trial do not need to provide proof of eligibility.
5. For this year only, players will need to provide proof of eligibility based on residence as well as proof of age, as per note 4. Thereafter only players who have changed address or who are new to the trials will need to provide such evidence. Players should provide a document dated 1 July 2009 or earlier that shows your name and address. Acceptable documents are council tax bill, utilities bill, bank statement, UK driving licence, TV licence. If you have changed address since 1 July 2009, please provide one document in respect of your then address and another for your current address. Please send photocopies rather than originals.
6. The document is at <http://www.wbu.org.uk/Int/2011/PlayersResps20110422A4.pdf> A copy is also available on request from the WBU Chief Executive.
7. Please tick to indicate the events for which you expect to be available. Please note that the selection committee has already chosen the team for the European Championship – only the position of reserve pair remains at stake. Note also that if one of the three pairs already chosen becomes unavailable, the committee may decide not to send a team.
8. Closing date for applications is Monday 27 February 2012. Please submit postal applications to: Meadow View, Llanddewi, Llandrindod Wells, Powys, LD1 6SE
9. Any queries not covered above, please address to the WBU Chief Executive.