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### **GBR BIATHLON – EUROPEAN CUP SQUAD SUMMER TRAINING -WARNING ORDER**

1. On behalf of the British Biathlon Union (BBU) I am delighted to inform Commanding Officers that the athletes listed in Para 5 have been provisionally invited to train with the GBR European Cup Squad under the direction of the new European Cup Coach Sgt Marc Walker 1 LSR RLC. **The BBU is immensely grateful to CO 1 LSR RLC for making Sgt Walker available during the summer and autumn of 2007.**
2. A formal admin instruction and list of the World Cup squad will be issued in approx 14 days, once the present World & European Cup season has finished, and selection of both World & European Cup Squads is finally confirmed. Training will commence in RUHPOLDING Germany on Mon 21 May 07.
3. Although it is possible that some financial support will be available later in the summer, athletes and Units should be aware that all training is currently self-financed. The basic charge for self-catering accommodation will be € 150.00 per month; range fees are € 300.00 for a 12 month period. All equipment (rifles / roller skis etc) is to be provided by the athlete or the Unit. A full kit list will be included in the admin instruction.
4. **Required Action. It would be appreciated if Units can ensure that they respond by Email to this letter by no later than 20 Mar 07.** Information required is:
  - a. Confirmation that athlete is available 21 May – 01 Dec 07 or approx dates when not available.
  - b. Civilian Email address of athlete and contact in Unit (e.g. 2iC / Nordic Ski Offr).
  - c. Mobile tel # of athlete.
  - d. Name / decorations etc of Commanding Officer.

Replies should be sent to:

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EC Squad Coach (Sgt Walker): [walks542@hotmail.com](mailto:walks542@hotmail.com)



5. **Provisional Selection:**

Men:

Bdr Shane Clash	12 Regt RA
ATpr Lee Cunningham	5 Regt AAC
Spr Pete Beyer	28 Engr Regt
Spr Mark Schroeder	28 Engr Regt
LCpl Scott Cassidy	1 LSR RLC
LCpl Marcel Laponder	35 Engr Regt
LCpl Gavin Hill	1 LSR RLC
LBdr Steve Hill	3 RHA
Bdr Jamie Shilling	16 Regt RA
Pte Andy McCann	1 LSR RLC
LBdr Rob Chudley	3 RHA

Women:

Cpl Adele Walker	29 Regt RLC
Flt Lt Fay Potton	RAF



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Action:

Commanding Officers of all athletes listed at Para 5  
Athletes listed at Para 5

Information (by Email):

Major General CC Brown – Director Army Nordic / Director Military Liaison BBU  
Major General RAMS Melvin – Chairman AWSA  
Brigadier JH McIntosh – Chairman Army Nordic

BBU – Chairman, Performance Director, Development Director, WC & EC Team Coaches