

## **TURFCALL APPENDIX A TRAINING REFORM BRIEF SUGGESTIONS 14.2.2001**

### **Turfcall suggestions**

All Basic Learners / students the minimum wage to apply AFTER the first 18 months of the 5 year student period. To include all students with aspirations as apprentices. (Which will be monitored and addressed when applicable, by tutors at the proposed nationwide web of universities of learning)

#### **Extras:-**

Government student grants to apply for the first 18 months to include pocket money.

Clothing and gear allowance.

Travelling expences.

Accident and health benefits and insurance.

### **Turfcall's suggestion of a new compulsory training shedule ...**

- a) To commence with the 9 week course at the British Racing School.
- b) When placed with the Team of a Licenced Trainer for work experience, full back up support will follow to include compulsory training every week at the new area learning facilities. ( to be put in place)
- c) During the first 5 years training initiative, compulsory refresher review courses every 6 month at The British Racing School or new suggested Universities of learning, the suggestion to be run by local college's of further education combined with local raceourses to provide the right learning environment. The present system offers no back up support once placed with a trainers team for work experience or further weekly tuition function's which it is hoped can be sorted out. The two present Racing Schools it is felt are only touching the tip of the iceberg, unable to provide any back up support once the pupils have moved on for work experience with the trainers teams.

### **Further suggestions of support initiatives as follow's :-**

Achievement recognition and awards for accomplishing NVQ's reward throughout the first 5 years, sponsored perhaps by companies with the Wow factor ... all suggestions needed.

- a) A £5.000.00 money prize.
- b) A months work experience abroad, with all expences paid.
- c) A car or car lease scheme.
- d) A new T.V +.Video recorder plus full sky racing facility package for one year.
- e) A £2.000.00 money prize.
- f) A £1,000.00 money prize.
- g) A £ 500.00 money prize.
- h) A new set of tack to include a saddle of your choice.
- i) A new set of grooming equipment of your choice.
- j) New Jodphurs + waterproofs, of your choice + a pair of chaps for bad weather conditions.
- k) Inspirational books on horseracing.
- l) Computer and printer.

**A passing out presentation ceremony at the end of each batch of students lasting the 5 year trip. Plus Full Back Up Support over the next 5 year when joining the ranks of Grade C.**

**Bill Adams M.B.E. The Secretary General of The Stable Lads Association, to have a considerable team of personnel qualified to assist him run the following:-**

- a) New suggested youth support initiative, and help line.
- b) New investigation team to monitor and record all accidents and injuries to both staff and animals.
- c) New help with full convalescent facilities for both as above.
- d) All welfare matters and needs to be addressed and care taken to help sort out thoroughly.