

Message from Jenny Corish

I have been playing hockey for PWs on and off for the past 6 years, and am currently playing for the ladies 2s. When I'm not playing hockey its often because I'm down the shooting range!

I have been shooting rifle for 10 years and have represented Great Britain and Wales at numerous International competitions, including World and European Championships, the World Student Games, and the Commonwealth Games. My most recent competition successes involved winning gold in the 3 position individual competition at the Commonwealth Shooting Championships (European Division) held in the Isle of Man in September.



Along with my twin sister I have just been selected to compete for Wales in two events (air rifle and 3 position rifle) at the Commonwealth Shooting Federation (CSF) Championships to be held in New Delhi in February 2010. This competition is the test event for the 2010 Commonwealth Games in October where we are hoping to represent Wales in our second Commonwealth Games.

We have a website at www.shootingforthetop.co.uk where you can keep up to date with competition results in the lead up to and during the Championships.

Following the UK sport funding cuts earlier this year funding for shooting has been substantially reduced with the GB squad being cut from around forty-five to five athletes. This has left me with very little funding and at the forthcoming Commonwealth Championships we are asked to self fund our accommodation, a bill that could top £1000. With equipment also in need of upgrading and the ongoing costs of ammunition and petrol taking part in sport at this level is very expensive. If any individual or organisation is able to offer us support I would love to hear from them.

Many thanks
Jenny Corish

