

NICKY FLORENCE

Coach Qualifications: *UKCC Level 3*

Lives: *Gloucestershire*

Areas of Coaching: *Up to 50mile radius, day coaching available for discussion.*

Training Facilities: *Access to local indoor and outdoor (grass/surfaces)*

Coaching Approach

I work well with riders and horses that lack confidence. I stress the importance of rider position/balance and horse ride-ability. I do not recommend 'quick fixes' but concentrate on the importance of correct flat work in attaining improved jumping performance and competition success. I am enthusiastic and rider friendly in my coaching. I focus on the identification of attainable goals for my riders and work hard towards their success achievement.

Coaching Experience

I have been coaching for many years, all ages of rider and all standards up to my preferred performance level of 1.20m – 1.40m

Riding Experience

I have evented up to and including intermediate level and jumped up to AIT level. I most enjoy bringing on young horses and have always concentrated on ensuring they have good basic flat work knowledge.

I am keen to keep up with new ideas and techniques for coaching riders and training horses and always attend as many demonstrations and conferences as possible. I believe you never stop learning and certainly never know it all.