



## BEN MAHER

**Born:** 30 January 1983  
**Lives:** Saffron Walden, Essex  
**Ranked:** 6 on Team GBR list 350 – July 1<sup>st</sup> 2010 – June 30 2011

TABLE 1

MAJOR CHAMPIONSHIPS	YEAR	TEAM MEDALS	INDIVIDUAL MEDALS	TOTAL OF MEDALS PER CATEGORY
PONY EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS	1997	GOLD MEDAL		1
	1998			1
JUNIOR EUROPEAN CHAMPS	2001			
YOUNG RIDER EUROPEAN CHAMPS	2003	GOLD		1
	2004			
			TOTAL MEDALS	3

TABLE 2

MAJOR CHAMPIONSHIPS	YEAR	TEAM MEDALS	INDIVIDUAL MEDALS	TOTAL OF MEDALS
OLYMPIC GAMES	2008			
WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS				
EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS	2009			
			TOTAL MEDALS	

TABLE 3

NATIONS CUP – ex Table 1	YEAR	TIMES REPRESENTED	NUMBER OF WINS
BRITISH TEAM MEMBER	2006 - 2011	23	1

### Major Achievements:

#### 2011

Vichy (Fra); 2<sup>nd</sup> Seven year old 1.35m (Aristo Z)

East of England: 2nd Accumulator (Rowen)

St Gallen (Sui) CSIO5\*: 1<sup>st</sup> 1.45m Table C (Oscar IX)

**Member Nations Cup Team; Linz (Aut) (Tripple X III)**

Linz (Aut) CSIO 4\*: 1<sup>st</sup> 1.60m Grand Prix (Tripple X III) 1<sup>st</sup> 1.35m (Aristo Z) 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.45m 2 phase 3<sup>rd</sup> 1.45m table A (Milena 8)

Lummen CSIO 4\*; 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.60m Grand Prix (Tripple X III)

**Member Nations Cup Team; 3<sup>rd</sup> Wellington Florida (Tripple X III)**

CSI 2\* Wellington Fl(USA); WEF week 6; 1<sup>st</sup> 1.45m (Quanton Quirifino Z) 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.50m Jumping Derby (Oscar IX)

CSI 2\* Wellington Florida; 1<sup>st</sup> 1.50m Jumper classic (Oscar) 3<sup>rd</sup> 1.45m (Triple X III) 4<sup>th</sup> 1.40m Speed Challenge (Quanton Quirifino Z)

CSI 5\* Zurich (Sui): 2nd FEI World Cup qualifier (Robin Hood W) 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.35m Knock Out (Valdemar)

CSI 5\* Basel (Sui): 4<sup>th</sup> Speed Class (Oscar IX)

- 2010** CSI5\* W London Olympia (GBR): 3<sup>rd</sup> 1.40m Welcom Stakes (Toklund) 1<sup>st</sup> 1.50m Christmas Speed Stakes, 3<sup>rd</sup> 1.50m Accumulator (Oscar IX) 1<sup>st</sup> Puissance (Noctambule Courcelle) Hartbury Showjumping Spectacular: 1<sup>st</sup> Equimat Bronze Tour Final (Lets Fly) CSI5\* Zurich: 1<sup>st</sup> 1.55m Against Clock (Wonderboy II)  
**Member Nations Cup Team: 1<sup>st</sup> Abu Dhabi (Robin Hood W); 7<sup>th</sup> Lummen (Wonderboy II)**  
**Member Meydan Nations Cup Team: Rome 2<sup>nd</sup>; St Gallen 3<sup>rd</sup> (Robin Hood W)**  
 CSI3\* Zuidlaren (Ned): 1<sup>st</sup> 1m45 Against the Clock (Lets Fly 6)  
**Wonderboy III voted January's Performance Award**  
 CWSI5\* s'Hertogenbosch: 1<sup>st</sup> Rabobank Grand Prix (Wonderboy II)  
**British Showjumping Riders Rider of the Year 2009 & International Horse/Rider Combination of the Year 2009 awards**  
 CSI3\* Lummen(BEL): 1<sup>st</sup> 1.35m A with Jump Off (Iolanthe)  
 CSI5\* Hamburg (GER): 1<sup>st</sup> 1.40m Against Clock( Seventh Sense)  
 CSIO5\* Rome: 1<sup>st</sup> 1.45m Table A(Seventh Sense)  
 CSI5\* Madrid: 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.50m Against the Clock (Oscar IX)
- 2009** **Member Nations Cup Team: 2<sup>nd</sup> Wellington, Florida; Calgary (Robin Hood W)**  
 Las Vegas: 7<sup>th</sup> World Cup (Robin Hood W)  
 CSI3\* Hamburg: 3<sup>rd</sup> Speed Derby(Akosie du Wonderland)  
 Cannes CSI5\* Global Champs Tour: 3<sup>rd</sup> Grand Prix (Robin Hood W)

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New Delight Show: 2<sup>nd</sup> Area Trial (Quinton Quirifino Z)

**Member Meydans Nations Cup Team: ;=3<sup>rd</sup> Rome; St Gallen; Hickstead, =2<sup>nd</sup> Dublin; (Robin Hood W)**

**European Championship Team, Windsor (Robin Hood W)**

CSI5\* Spruce Meadows: 3<sup>rd</sup> Grand Prix (Robin Hood W)

Horse of the Year Show: 2<sup>nd</sup> Leading Show Jumper of the Year(Wonderboy III)

CSI3\* Assen: 1<sup>st</sup> 1.50m Table A (Wonderboy III) 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.40m Speed (Lets Fly 6)

CSI5\*-W Lyon FRA: 3<sup>rd</sup> World Cup qualifier, 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.55m Against Clock (Wonderboy III)

CSIO Calgary: 1<sup>st</sup> A4 (Akosie du Wonderland)

CSI5\* Paris, FRA: 3<sup>rd</sup> 1.40m Two Phase (Let's Fly VI)

CSI5\*-W Olympia: 1<sup>st</sup> Christmas Masters (Wonderboy) , 4<sup>th</sup> World Cup qual(Robin Hood W)

**2008** **Beijing Olympic Games Team Member (Rolette)**

CSI3\* Nantes FRA, 1<sup>st</sup> A4 (Rolette)

CSIO 5\* La Baule: 7<sup>th</sup> Grand Prix (Rolette)

CSIO5\* Rotterdam: 4<sup>th</sup> Grand Prix (Rolette)

**Member Super League Nations Cup Team: St Gallen: Rotterdam(Rolette)**

**Member Champion Nations Cup Team: Calgary (Robin Hood W)**

Bolesworth Castle: 2<sup>nd</sup> Small Grand Prix, 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.40m Open (Akosie du Wonderland), 2<sup>nd</sup> Six Bar (Alfredo), 3<sup>rd</sup> 1.30m Open (Robin Hood W)

Royal Show: 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Speed Stakes (Pablo & Akosie du Wonderland)

East of England: 2<sup>nd</sup> Grand Prix, 1<sup>st</sup> 1.40m Open, 1<sup>st</sup> Accumulator (Robin Hood W)

British Masters Invitational: 1<sup>st</sup> British Masters(Robin Hood W)

Horse of the Year Show: 3<sup>rd</sup> Leading Show Jumper of the Year; 4<sup>th</sup> Vinopolis Trophy(Robin Hood W), =3<sup>rd</sup> Puissance (Eperlaan de Fouquet)

CSI5\* Calgary: 1<sup>st</sup> Small Grand Prix( Robin Hood W)

CSI-W Olympia: 2<sup>nd</sup> Olympia Grand Prix, 3<sup>rd</sup> Christmas Cracker, 4<sup>th</sup> Rolex FEI World Cup (Robin Hood W) 3<sup>rd</sup> Puissance (Eperlan de Fouquet) 3<sup>rd</sup> Speed Stakes (Ornike); 4<sup>th</sup> H & M Stakes (Wonderboy III) **Winner Leading Rider Award**

**2007** Toscana Tour: 1<sup>st</sup> 2 Phase (Bob's Diamond), 1<sup>st</sup> 2 Phase (Akosie du Wonderland), 3<sup>rd</sup> A4 (Onasis)

**British Open:** 1<sup>st</sup> Puissance (Eperlan du Fouquet), 4<sup>th</sup> Speed Stakes (Onasis)

CSI3\* Modena: 1<sup>st</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 7 Year Old (Akosie du Wonderland & Quinton Quirifino Z)

Newark & Notts: 4<sup>th</sup> Grade A class (Cavallo Z), 1<sup>st</sup> HOYS Grade C (Time Out M)

**South of England: 1<sup>st</sup> Area Trial (Alfredo)**

East of England: 3<sup>rd</sup> Area Trial (Alfredo)

Great Yorkshire Show: 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Competition (Rolette)

Welsh Masters: 3<sup>rd</sup> Gents Championship (Rolette)

CSI4\* Chantilly: 1<sup>st</sup> A7 (Gem of India), 2<sup>nd</sup> A4 (Rolette), 3<sup>rd</sup> 7 Year Old Final (Quinton Quirifino Z)

**Horse of the Year Show: 1<sup>st</sup> Ann Martin Memorial Cup (Gem of India)**

BSJA Stallion & Mare Show: 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.40m Open (Quinton Quirifino Z)

CSI-W Mechelen: 1<sup>st</sup> Grand Prix (Rolette)

**2006 Awarded the Best Up & Coming Rider at the British Show Jumping Ball**

CSI-B Nantes: 2<sup>nd</sup> A7 (Onasis)

Patchetts: 1<sup>st</sup> 1.40m (Onasis)

**Patchetts Premier Show: 1<sup>st</sup> A&B Grand Prix (Niko IV)**

CSI-W s'Hertogenbosch: 4<sup>th</sup> World Cup qualifier (Niko IV)

CSI-W Goteborg: 7<sup>th</sup> World Cup qualification class (Niko IV), 1<sup>st</sup> Speed Class (Give Me Remus)

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CSIO La Baule: 1<sup>st</sup> Accumulator (Give Me Remus)

**Member of Nations Cup Team: Lucerne 8<sup>th</sup> (Niko IV)**

CSIO Lucerne: 2<sup>nd</sup> Hunting Competition (Give Me Remus)

Berkshire Area Show: 1<sup>st</sup> Area Trial (Vento)

**Hickstead Derby: 1<sup>st</sup> Speed Derby (Mercurius), 4<sup>th</sup> DFS Derby (Give Me Remus & Alfredo)**

Royal Lancashire: 1<sup>st</sup> Six Bar (Alfredo II)

Shrewsbury Flower Show: 1<sup>st</sup> Frank Tanner Memorial Cup, 4<sup>th</sup> npower Grand Prix (Roxy)

Arena UK: 2<sup>nd</sup> Grand Prix (Gama Alondra)

**HOYS: 4<sup>th</sup> Easibed Stakes (Gama Alondra), 3<sup>rd</sup> Thomas Bates & Son Classic (Onasis), 5<sup>th</sup> Vinopolis Stakes (Roxsy), =1<sup>st</sup> Puissance (Eperlan du Fouquet)**

Belfast International Show: 2<sup>nd</sup> Puissance (Eperlan du Fouquet), 5<sup>th</sup> Speed Grand Prix (Gama Alondra), 5<sup>th</sup> Accumuator (Onasis II)

CSI4\*Maastricht: 3<sup>rd</sup> Grand Prix (Bob's Diamond)

CSI-W Olympia : 1st Accenture Stakes (Onasis II)

**2005 Selected for World Class Start & Potential Programme**

South View E.C: 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.40m Open (Alfredo II)

Rowallan Premier: 1<sup>st</sup> 1.30m Open, 2<sup>nd</sup> Small Grand Prix (Mercurius)

Towerlands Premier: 3<sup>rd</sup> Winter A & B Grand Prix (Alfredo II)

CSI\*\*\*\*Sheffield: 1<sup>st</sup> Puissance (Eperlaan de Fouquet)

CSI\*\*\*\*Napoli: 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.50m Speed class (Alfredo), 8<sup>th</sup> 1.45m Accumulator (Utah van het Erpekom)

**Member of Nations Cup Team Lisbon 2<sup>nd</sup> (Alfredo II)**

CSIO\*\*\*\*\*Lummen: 4<sup>th</sup> Derby (Alfredo II)

British Open Sheffield: Knockout =3<sup>rd</sup> (Mercurius)

City of Chester: 1<sup>st</sup> Service Stakes (Mercurius)

RIHS: 4<sup>th</sup> 1.40m Speed Stakes (Mercurius)

**Hickstead Derby: Winner of the Hickstead Derby (Alfredo II), 1<sup>st</sup> Speed Derby (Mercurius)**

**BSJA Show Jumper of the Month (August)**

Unex Towerlands: 1<sup>st</sup> 1.30m (Mercurius)

CSI\*\*\*Zuidlaren: 1<sup>st</sup> Grand Prix (Niko IV)

The Unex Masters: 4<sup>th</sup> Anglezarke Salver (Onasis II), 1<sup>st</sup> 5/6 Year Old Handicap (Safarie), 2<sup>nd</sup>

Under 23 Chainbridge Cup (Mercurius), 2<sup>nd</sup> The Derby Bowl (Utah van Eperkom)

- 2004** **CSI-W Olympia:** 5<sup>th</sup> World Cup qualifier (Niko IV), =1<sup>st</sup> Puissance (Eperlan du Fouquet), 3<sup>rd</sup> Accenture Stakes (Utah Van Erpekom), **1<sup>st</sup> Ride & Drive (Utah Van Erpekom)**  
**Selected for the Accenture Young Rider International Squad**  
**Member Gold Medal winning Accenture European Young Rider Team (Alfredo)**  
 Solihull R.C. Premier Show: 2<sup>nd</sup> Winter A & B Grand Prix (Alfredo II) 1<sup>st</sup> 1.35m Open (Mercurius)  
 South View Premier Show: 2<sup>nd</sup> Winter A & B Grand Prix (Alfredo II)  
 College E. C. Premier Show: 1<sup>st</sup> Winter A & B Grand Prix (Alfredo II)  
 Patchetts Premier Show: 1<sup>st</sup> Winter A & B Grand Prix Vento)  
 Newark & Notts: 3<sup>rd</sup> Mattie Brown Stakes (Alfredo II)  
 Addington Manor: 3<sup>rd</sup> Int Trial (Alfredo II)  
 Hickstead Derby Mtg: 3<sup>rd</sup> DFS Derby (Alfredo)  
 Berkshire Area Show: 3<sup>rd</sup> Int Trial (Medrano)  
 RIHS: 1<sup>st</sup> British Speed Classic(Equineige des Aus)  
 Addington Manor: 3<sup>rd</sup> Int Trial (Alfredo II)  
 Scope Festival: 2<sup>nd</sup> Gents Championship( Alfredo II)  
**Member Nations Cup Team: 3<sup>rd</sup> Podebrady (Eperlan du Fouquet)**  
 Horse of the Year Show: 1<sup>st</sup> Aon Puissance (Eperlaan De Fouquet), 4<sup>th</sup> The Speed Horse of the Year (Equi Neige Des Aus)  
 CSI-C Cavan: 3<sup>rd</sup> A7 (Alfredo II)

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- 2003** **Selected for the Accenture Young Rider International Squad.**  
**Young Rider European Championships, Le Touquet (FRA) (Clouds Away) 4<sup>th</sup>, Individual Championship, Young Rider European Championships, Le Touquet (FRA) (Clouds Away)**  
**Young Riders Nations Cup Team** at CSIOJY Reims (Alfredo) Team finished in 7<sup>th</sup> Place  
 CSIOJY Diest, 1<sup>st</sup>, Two Phase (Mercurius)  
 HOYS – 4<sup>th</sup> UNEX Corp Young Riders of GB Champs (Alfredo)  
 Patchetts E.C: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wavecrest Final (Mercurius)  
 Winner of the Accenture Bursary – awarded at Olympia
- 2002** **Elected for the Accenture Young Rider International Squad.**  
 CSIOJY Wales & West: 3<sup>rd</sup> Young Riders 1.35m (Ocior)  
 CSI-C Essex: 1<sup>st</sup> Golden Jubilee Consolation (Mercurius)  
 Scope Festival: 1<sup>st</sup> Young Riders B&C Championship (Mercurius)
- 2001** **Selected for the Accenture Junior / Young Rider International Squad**  
**Selected for the Junior European Championships in Gijon, Spain (Ocior)**  
 2<sup>nd</sup>, CSIJY Wierden, Grand Prix (Ocior)  
 1<sup>st</sup>, CSIJY Hagen, Grand Prix (Ocior)  
 3<sup>rd</sup>, CSIJY Hagen, Nations Cup (Ocior)
- 2000** Cheltenham Show: 1<sup>st</sup> Cotswold Derby (Ishan)  
 Royal Welsh: 5<sup>th</sup> Int Trial (Ishan)  
 Festival of Showjumping: 2<sup>nd</sup> 1.20m Members Cup (Jacquart)
- 1997** **European Pony Championships. Hartpury College. 1<sup>st</sup> Team Gold (Dusty Boy)**  
**Royal International Horse Show.** 1st The August Silk British Junior Championship (Dusty Boy), All England 138cms Championship (Tom Cobbley)
- 1998** **European Pony Championships. Le Touquet. 1<sup>st</sup> Team Gold (Dusty Boy)**  
 Royal Show. 1<sup>st</sup> Paul Fabrications Winter JA (Dusty Boy)

