

## Deborah Daniel - Driver Representative

Deborah Daniel is a retired police officer and has been a paraplegic for 26 years.

Deborah started carriage driving she was a paraplegic and wheelchair dependent some 19 years ago.

She started with the RDA and attended with her RDA group (Perry RDA, now renamed the Cavalier Centre) to the CDSG training clinics. She did lots of fun things with the RDA but decided she wanted to do outdoor Carriage Driving Trials.

Deborah has represented GB 5 times as part of the Para Team at the World Para Championships and hoping to make 2023 her 6<sup>th</sup> year.

She has also been the Para National Champion a number of times and also competes in able bodied competitions and Nationally at Advanced Single Pony level.

Deborah is available to any member of the CDSG to help with any aspect of driving, whether that be advice through her experiences, adaptations to carriages, seats, or a lesson. Passionate about carriage driving and supporting drivers with disabilities she aims to help make people feel comfortable, relaxed, secure and happy so that they can enjoy their driving just as much as she does, whatever limitations or ambitions they may have. It's all about loving our horses and ponies, enjoying ourselves and having fun.

