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# WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU

Located in Esher, less than half an hour by train from London Waterloo. Sandown Park Racecourse offers stunning views against a backdrop of exhilarating sport. This is the ideal place to socialise with 24 fixtures a year. Many of the fixtures also include live entertainment off the course, and summer welcomes our popular music with racing evenings where you can dance as the sun goes down.



# BEFORE YOU ARRIVE | GETTING HERE

#### SANDOWN PARK RACECOURSE, PORTSMOUTH ROAD, ESHER, SURREY, KT10 9AJ



- An easy drive from London, take the A3 and follow the brown signs to Sandown Park.
- Free parking is available in the centre of the course (accessed via More Lane). Parking in the main carpark (accessed via Portsmouth Road) is charged at £5.



- Esher train station is just a 30 minute train journey from London Waterloo and then a 10 minute walk to the racecourse. On racedays you can also cross directly through the centre of the course (subject to weather conditions, please check online before you leave).
- A complimentary minibus service is available between Esher station and the racecourse.



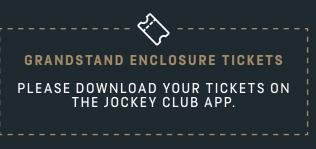
 A helipad is available for use on racedays, however arrivals must be confirmed in advance by calling 01372 464 348.



 Sandown Park is easily accessed from London airports, with Heathrow 12 miles and Gatwick 25 miles away by road.



CALL: 0344 579 3012







# WHEN YOU ARRIVE

#### WE WELCOME ALL RACEGOERS!

Whether you're coming with family, friends or colleagues, or wondering whether the racecourse is accessible and safe for you, look no further. We provide a range of facilities and amenities to enable you to get the most out of your day.

### VENUE ACCESSIBILITY

Whatever your needs or ability we work hard to make sure the racecourse is accessible to everyone:

- 1. Free parking for Blue Badge holders located near the Main Entrance
- 2. Entrances are accessible for wheelchair users
- **3.** Complimentary carer and assistant tickets please call 01372 464 348 to arrange these in advance
- 4. Disabled toilet facilities
- 5. Disabled viewing platforms on racedays along the front of the Grandstand and music nights (tickets for this area on music nights must be applied for in advance)
- 6. Lifts accessible for wheelchair users
- 7. Refreshment areas accessible for wheelchair users
- 8. All guide dogs, hearing dogs and assistance dogs are welcome
- 9. First Aid facilities available

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#### KIDS ARE WELCOME

We want everyone to enjoy their day at the races! Two kids go FREE per fully paying adult.

To make the most of your day with the family keep an eye our fixtures with children's entertainment.



### ENJOY A RACEDAY PICNIC

A traditional day at a British racecourse involves getting in your favourite raceday outfit, enjoying classic racing and great food!

Sandown Park Racecourse welcomes picnics with 1/2 a bottle of wine or four cans of beer per person, alongside a substantial amount of food in the picnic area in the Grandstand Enclosure.

We also have plenty of food options on the day from hospitality options, such as our Equus Restaurant or food and drink stands around the racecourse.



## WHERE TO GO AND WHAT TO WEAR

# HOSPITALITY & PREMIER ENCLOSURE

There are plenty of hospitality options from our pre-booked boxes to our Equus Restaurant. The Premier Enclosure offers an exclusive walk-in restaurant, The Brasserie, and you will have access to bar facilities, including the popular Moet & Chandon Champagne bar. You will have prime viewing from the Winning Post.

#### RACEDAY STYLE

- Collared shirts, polo shirts or a polo necked jumper are required
- Jackets and ties are welcome but not compulsory
   Smart jeans are accepted
  - Dresses or smart attire, including tweed jackets and blazers are welcome
- · Hats or fascinators are welcome but not essential

**Please note:** shorts, trainers, sportswear and flip flops are not permitted within this Enclosure.

## GRANDSTAND ENCLOSURE

The Grandstand Enclosure provides an excellent atmosphere; it's a relaxed and fun environment with access to the Parade Ring, bookmakers and a great view of the racetrack in the heart of the racecourse. Food and drinks stands are located around the Grandstand and provide a range of delicious options.

#### RACEDAY STYLE

- Smart shorts, smart denim jeans and trainers are acceptable
- Smart casual dresses and skirts are welcome but not required

Please note: football shirts and vests are not permitted within the Grandstand Enclosure. Majority of fancy dress is accepted in this Enclosure but please contact us first to discuss and avoid disappointment.



# THE BASICS OF BETTING AT THE RACES

You can have a fantastic day whether you place a bet or not. We encourage you to gamble responsibly, whether you put a bet down outside in the betting ring or at one of the on-site betting shops or Tote.

- 1. Take a look at a racecard either by using The Jockey Club app, or by purchasing one on arrival at the racecourse.
- 2. Visit the horses in the Parade Ring before the race starts you are looking for alert but not unsettled horses.
- 3. Choose if you would like to place a bet at the 'Bookies' (Bookmakers), in front of the Grandstand or at one of the betting shops, located in various places in the grounds.

The Tote betting points are slightly different - you're not betting against a bookie, it is more like a lottery as your stakes go into a pool.

- 4. When you make a bet, state the number of the horse and the stake for example 'No. 4, £5 to win' or 'No. 4, £5 each way', meaning you are spending £10 overall and you will win a percentage if the horse places 2nd or 3rd (not applicable if the race has less than four horses running).
- 5. Make sure you keep your betting slip! If you're on to a winner don't celebrate too soon wait for the 'weighed in' announcement which confirms the jockeys have been weighed with their kit and the result is official.
- 6. You can now go back to the respective bookie, betting shop or Tote and claim your winnings!





# WE HOPE YOU ENJOY YOUR DAY!

Join us again soon, to view fixtures visit us **online** 

