



**OLD BERKSHIRE  
HUNT RACES**



**SUNDAY 5 MARCH 2023**

At

Manor Farm, Little Coxwell, Faringdon, Oxfordshire, SN7 7LW  
(sign posted off A420)

By kind permission of Berners Allsopp Estate

**OPEN RACE - 11.00 - Leg 9 GB Hunt Ride League. RoR Division**

Minimum age 16  
Safety Limit 25 Horses

**NON-THOROUGHBRED RACE - 11.45 - Leg 9 GB Hunt Ride League. Non TB Division**

Minimum age 16  
Safety Limit 25 Horses

**OLD BERKS MEMBERS, MILITARY & CIRENCESTER UNIVERSITY RACE – 12.30**

For Old Berks Members, Past & Present Military & Past and Present RAC/RAU Students  
Minimum age 16  
Safety Limit 25 Horses

**ALL Horses competing in any of the Old Berks Hunt Races must have an up to date  
Annual Flu Vaccination.**

**PRIZE GIVING – ALL RACES – 1.15**

The course which has been slightly altered to previous years is just over 2 miles long and consists of approx 32/33 fences over prime Old Berks Hunting Country. All grass.

**EXCELLENT VIEWING.**

**ENTRY IS £10 PER CAR**

**Dogs must be kept on leads at all times.**

**All entry forms and race conditions available on OBH website: [www.oldberkshunt.co.uk](http://www.oldberkshunt.co.uk) and the Entry Secretary.**

**Entry Secretary:**

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**RACE 1 - OPEN RACE - 11.00**

**Prizes**

1<sup>st</sup> Lady  
1<sup>st</sup> Gentleman  
1<sup>st</sup> Under 21  
1<sup>st</sup> Over 50  
1<sup>st</sup> OBH Member  
1<sup>st</sup> ROR (Leg 9 GBHRL)  
Rosettes to 10<sup>th</sup> place

***Entries Close: Monday 27 February 2023 - Entry Fee £80***

***Minimum age 16 years***

***Declarations must be made 45 minutes before the start  
Horses must be in the paddock 15 minutes before the start.***

**Race 2 – NON-THOROUGHBRED HUNT RACE - 11.45**

**Copy of passport required for proof of non TB**

**Prizes**

1<sup>st</sup> Lady  
1<sup>st</sup> Gentleman  
1<sup>st</sup> Under 21  
1<sup>st</sup> Over 50  
1<sup>st</sup> OBH Member  
1<sup>st</sup> Non TB (Leg 9 GBHRL)  
Rosettes to 10<sup>th</sup> place

***Entries Close: Monday 27 February 2023 - Entry Fee £75***

***Minimum Age 16 years***

***Declarations must be made 45 minutes before the start  
Horses must be in the paddock 15 minutes before the start.***

**RACE 3 – OLD BERKS MEMBERS, MILITARY & CIRENCESTER UNIVERSITY RACE - 12.30**

**Prizes**

1<sup>st</sup> Lady  
1<sup>st</sup> Gentleman  
1<sup>st</sup> Under 21  
1<sup>st</sup> Over 50  
1<sup>st</sup> OBH Member  
Rosettes to 6<sup>th</sup> place

Military: 1<sup>st</sup> Serving Officer, 1<sup>st</sup> Captain/Subaltern, 1<sup>st</sup> Past Officer. 1<sup>st</sup> Family Member or  
Officer Cadet

***Entries Close: Monday 27 FEBRUARY 2023 - Entry Fee £70 (OBH Members £60)***

***Minimum Age 16 years***

***Declarations must be made 45 minutes before the start  
Horses must be in the paddock 15 minutes before the start***

**IN THE EVENT OF POSSIBLE CANCELLATION PLEASE CHECK OLD BERKS WEBSITE - [www.oldberkshunt.co.uk](http://www.oldberkshunt.co.uk)  
OR CALL TILDA GITTENS-WOODD: 07515 941 633 or LUCY LEWIS 07887 915 175**

**Entry Form**

**Entries** – By 6pm Monday 27 February 2023. Numbers will be limited to 25 per race. No entry fees will be refunded except in the event of cancellation when 50% will be refunded.

**RACE No:** .....

**Name:**.....

**Horse:**.....

**Under 21 - Yes/No. Over 50 – Yes /No. ROR – Yes/No OBH – Yes/No (Please circle)**

**Address:**.....

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**Telephone Number:**.....

**e-mail:**.....

**Please complete in as much details as possible to assist commentators:**

**Colour of Silk:**.....

**Colour of Horse:**.....

**Past History of Horse and Rider:**

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**Cheques to be made payable to The Old Berkshire Hunt Ltd or by BACS:** Please use “**Hunt Race**” as the reference.

Account Name            Old Berkshire Hunt Ltd  
Sort Code                30-93-18  
Account number        00582909

**NB: No entry will be accepted without payment.**

**Entries Secretary**

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**I confirm that I have read and accepted the Old Berkshire Hunt Race Rules and General Conditions of Entry.**

**SIGNED**.....

## Rules and Conditions of Entry

### ACCEPTANCE OF RULES

All riders shall accept and be bound by the following Rules:

1. **RIDERS RESPONSIBILITY.** In the case of any Rule affecting riders or their horses, the rider shall be held responsible. In particular riders will be held responsible for adhering to Rules 2 (Protection), 4 (Age), 6 (Horse Welfare) and 9 (Personal Accident Insurance).
2. **SAFETY AND PROTECTION.** It is compulsory for all riders to wear crash helmets to current recognised Safety Standards at all times when mounted. Such hats will be identified by a BTC, BE, BRC, or Pony Club Approved Hat Tag. i.e. Hats must meet one of the following standards: British All PAS015, BSEN1384 or European EN1384 provided they are BSI kitemarked or SEI. American All SEI ASTM 95, ASTM F1163:2004, SNELL E2001. Australian and New Zealand All AS/NZS 3838 2003  
Riders are strongly recommended to check their hats regularly and to replace them if damaged or following a fall.  
All riders must also wear a British Equestrian Trade Association (BETA) approved and appropriately labelled Level 3 body protector manufactured in the year 2002 or after. A body protector of this nature is also required when riders are wearing air jackets of any make.
3. **TACK.** Tack will be inspected by a Paddock Steward before the ride. No blinkers or visors to be worn.
4. **AGE OF RIDERS AND HORSES.** Riders for the races must be 16 years or over. Horses must be 14.2hh or over and must be 5 years or over and may only compete in one race.
5. **VETERINARY MATTERS AND PAYMENT FOR SERVICES.** There will be a vet on the course. All horses will be liable to inspection prior to the challenge by the course vet and may be refused a starting position if deemed unfit or unsound. The decision of the course Vet to put a horse down on humane grounds must be accepted by all riders. Riders will be expected to pay for any services received from the veterinary surgeon, farrier, horse ambulance, doctor or any other medical services. At any stage within each race the course VET appointed by the organisers has the authority to stop any rider continuing should they deem it necessary for the welfare of the horse.
6. **HORSE WELFARE**
  - When a horse falls the rider is immediately eliminated and must retire. This does not prevent horses which stumble or refuse, thus unseating the rider, from being remounted to continue.
  - The number of refusals shall not exceed three at any one fence.
  - As per rule 5 at any stage the course VET appointed by the organisers has the AUTHORITY to stop any competitor continuing should they deem necessary for the welfare of the horse. The competitor does not have any right to ignore the Vet or Course Official.
  - The whip should only be used for good reason, not excessively, in the right place and at the appropriate time. Spurs must not be used to reprimand a horse and a bit should never be used to abuse or reprimand a horse.
  - Any act or series of actions, which in the opinion of the Stewards constitutes abuse of a horse shall be considered to be a breach of these Rules and will incur elimination.
7. **COURSE.** The Course can be inspected from 1pm on Thursday 2 March and all day Friday 3 March. All obstacles must be jumped and all course markers observed.
8. **NUMBERS AND NUMBER CLOTHS.** A £10 deposit will be taken.

- 9. PERSONAL ACCIDENT INSURANCE:** It is a requirement that all participants carry Third Party insurance for not less than £1m. It is also strongly recommended that all participants have Personal Accident Insurance. It is recommended that participants take advantage of the [Countryside Alliance Membership Cover](#).
- 10. ORGANISER'S RIGHTS.** The Organiser reserves the right to cancel the event, to refuse any entry, to alter advertised times, to withhold all or any prizes, and to eliminate or prevent any competitor from competing who is adjudged not to be adhering to the Rules.
- 11. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY.** Save for death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the event Organisers for which they are legally responsible, neither the Organisers of any event to which these Rules apply, nor any representative of these bodies or The Old Berkshire Hunt and the landowners accepts any liability for any accident, loss damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land, vehicles, contents or accessories or any other person whatever, whether caused by their negligence or in any other way.