

Prestwold Hall Estate Ride

Sunday 21st July 2024

Venue: Prestwold Hall, Prestwold Lane, Prestwold, nr Loughborough, Leics LE12 5SQ

Venue: The venue is by kind permission of Edward Packe-Drury-Lowe, Prestwold Hall Estate with field parking. <u>There note that there are NO are toilets, water or Catering van.</u>

Riders can arrive from 9.00am. Once you have parked up and unloaded your horses please make your way to the self check-in at the secretaries' tent, where you will be collect your rider bib and wrist bands.

Ride times are first horse away 9.30am Last horse 11am. Longer distance riders by 10.30am please. Lead Rein 11.00.

Pleasure Miles: 7, 10, 15 & 20

The route will be marked by painted arrows on the floor, tape in trees and arrows. All Marshalls and helpers have given up there day to ensure you have a pleasurable ride, please thank them when passing through.

THE VENUE IS A COMPULSORY WALK ZONE.

DOGS MUST BE KEPT ON A LEAD AT <u>ALL TIMES</u> AT THE DIRECT REQUEST OF THE ESTATE

Information on the area of the ride:

The venue and route is by kind permission of Edward Packe-Drury-Lowe, Prestwold Hall Estate. The route is across the private estate, on the permissive bridle routes surrounding Prestwold, Hoton and Cotes. Terrain is mostly gently rolling to flat, wide grassy field edges with very little road work. Any gates should be open.

Directions:

From the North and South – M1 to Junction 24 – then take the A6 Derby Road (signposted Kegworth / Loughborough). Just before Loughborough turn left on to the A6004 Nottingham Road.

Drive through Loughborough, then left on to the A60 (signposted Nottingham)

Continue on the A60 – through the village of Cotes. Just before reaching Hoton turn right on to Prestwold Lane. The venue is on the left and will be signposted. Do not go in where the sign reads Prestwold Hall Driving Centre' – it is the second entrance, just before the bend. There will be a venue sign.

First Aider

This event does not have an official first aider but there are plenty helpers who are qualified in first aid, a first aid kit will be at the secretary tent.

NB. ALL LATE BOOKINGS NOT ON THE BIB NUMBERS LIST MUST BRING A PRINTED COPY OF THEIR BOOKING CONFIRMATION TO GIVE TO THE SECRETARY

No SPURS or Whips longer than 30" as per our rules.

Standing Martingale are also not permitted without written approval prior to the ride

Hats must be secured by chin strap and meet current standard

Head Cameras may be used but are not recommended as may alter the safety of the hat (they are safer on arm, leg or body)

All riders should take time to read through our rules – these can be found on our website.

Never pass another horse without asking permission first, always pass at a pace no more than trot. Remember that not everyone may be a confident rider or they may have a novice horse; please see below tail ribbons for guidance.

TAIL RIBBONS

Please wear the follow ribbons in your horse's tail if needed.

RED RIBBON - My horse may kick

GREEN RIBBON – I or my horse are nervous /novice, approach with caution and pass with care

BLUE RIBBON - My horse is a stallion

Please take litter home with you and do not muck trailers / boxes out at venue

We hope you have an enjoyable ride

Ride Organiser: Ruth OConnell

Any queries please email Simon James Simsal@hotmail.co.uk