



# Ticknall Ride

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> August 2022

**VENUE: Ingleby Lane, Ticknall. Derby DE73 7JQ**

## VENUE:

The venue is a field and there is no hard standing.

## DIRECTIONS:

The venue is situated off the A514 which is the main road into Ticknall towards Calke Abbey. **Note if traveling over Swarkestone bridge this now has a weight limit of 7.5T and is monitored via a ANPR.** You will get a ticket!!!! The other option is to come in from either Castle Donnington or Melbourne.

## Venue Arrival:

Competitors can arrive at the venue from 7.30am, Pleasure riders can arrive from 10.00am. This is a very busy ride so please park where instructed to. Once you have parked up and unloaded your horses please come to the self check-in at the secretary's tent, where you can collect your bib & emergency wrist bands.

Competitors Briefing – This will take place at the secretary's tent.

Competitors – Your vet times have been allocated on a separate document. Please note you risk elimination if you are late for the vetting. Please make sure you notify the vet writer upon arrival at the vetting.

The vetting will take approximately 3 minutes as your horses heart rate will be taken for a full minute.

Check the board upon arrival for last minute route changes and confirmed distances as times & points will be worked out from the official mileages displayed on the day.

**THE VENUE IS A COMPULSORY WALK ZONE.**

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

## **Pleasure Riders.**

Please be aware that no pleasure riders will be allowed out on course until 10.30am this is to allow the competitors to get underway. Pleasure ride times are first horse away 9.30am Last horse 12.30pm – could riders doing the longer routes start before 11.30 please.

### **Route**

**4m** – Lead rein route only

**8m** route – This route takes you in the direction of Melbourne and over to Stanton Bridge before bringing you back through the National forest.

There are several road crossings (which hopefully will be manned) and a small amount of road work on country lanes.

**15m** – This loop takes in nearly the full course with sections missed out, so get to see both sides of the route, over towards Melbourne plus Foremark around the reservoir, the route also includes a road that can be busy at times, some tracks are stony so barefoot horses may require boots

**18 Mile** – This is the full course see notes above with an extra 3 mile canter loops

The route will be mark by painted arrows on the floor, all Marshalls and helpers have given up there day to ensure you have a pleasurable ride, please thank them when passing through. This route has taken out the bridle path which goes through the field of cows in to Robin Wood

**First Aider:** This event does not have an official first aider, however there is a first aid kit located at the secretary.

**Notes:** Please clear droppings away and leave it tidy. Do NOT Muck out your box on the venue.

**One Site:** There will be a Catering Van for you to purchase drinks, hot and cold food. There are also two toilets but no water, so please ensure you bring water with you for the horses.

**Photographer:** [www.indiepics.co.uk](http://www.indiepics.co.uk)

**NB. ALL LATE BOOKINGS NOT ON THE BIB NUMBERS LIST MUST BRING A PRINTED COPY OF THEIR BOOKING CONFIRMATION or SHOW ON SMART PHONE AT THE SECRETARY TENT**

**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 properly secured by a chin strap**

**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.**

Vet in Attendance will be wearing a red tabard saying VET

Ride organiser & Technical stewards will wear green tabards

All other officials will wear yellow tabards

Information...

**Red Bibs = Competitor Rider**

**Orange Bibs = Next Step Class**

**Yellow Bibs = Pleasure Rider**

**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 print off your map, Vet sheets if required.**

Regards

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