



PLUMPTON
RACECOURSE

PLUMPTON 2022/23



RACING & HOSPITALITY

2022/23

RACEDAY FIXTURES

FAMILY RACEDAY
Sunday 18 September

**BOB CHAMPION
CANCER TRUST
CHARITY RACEDAY**
Monday 17 October

**JUMP SEASON
PREVIEW RACEDAY**
Monday 31 October

**SKY SPORTS RACING
NOVEMBER RACEDAY**
Monday 14 November

**GOODWIN RACING
CHRISTMAS RACEDAY**
Monday 12 December

FESTIVE FUN RACEDAY
Tuesday 20 December

**GOODWIN RACING
SUSSEX NATIONAL
RACEDAY**
Monday 2 January

**JANUARY JUMPS
RACEDAY**
Wednesday 18 January

WINTER RACEDAY
Monday 30 January

**STRONG FLAVOURS
CATERING RACEDAY**
Monday 13 February

**FEBRUARY JUMPS
RACEDAY**
Monday 27 February

**CHELTENHAM
PREVIEW RACEDAY**
Monday 13 March

SPRING RACEDAY
Tuesday 21 March

EASTER FESTIVAL
Sunday 9 April
Monday 10 April

SUSSEX RACEDAY
Sunday 23 April

LADIES DAY
Sunday 14 May

“FANTASTIC DAY
OUT. GREAT
FOOD AND GREAT
RACING IN THE
BEAUTIFUL SUSSEX
COUNTRYSIDE”

MALCOM G



WELCOME

Situated at the foot of the South Downs in East Sussex, Plumpton Racecourse is a hidden gem in the world of horse racing. We have hosted racing at Plumpton since 1884 and through the years we have welcomed countless horse racing legends – both of human and equine form – including arguably the greatest jump jockey of the modern era Sir Anthony (AP) McCoy, who rode his 3,000th career winner here on Restless D’Artaix in 2009. You are likely to be rubbing shoulders with Britain’s top trainers and jockeys at Plumpton, and we are renowned as a nursery ground for the future stars of horse racing, such as Pentland Hills who won a maiden hurdle here in 2019 before landing the Triumph Hurdle at Cheltenham on his next start.

As a National Hunt racecourse, Plumpton hosts 17 racedays a year from September to May. We offer a wide variety of fixtures, from ones featuring top-quality races such as the Sussex National, Sussex Champion Chase and Sussex Champion Hurdle, classic midweek action for the racing aficionado, or entertainment-packed fun days for all the family to enjoy. Easy to get to by road or rail, there is a fixture for everyone at Plumpton and all are welcome here.

We pride ourselves on offering all our guests a warm welcome and a high level of service. Whether you are here for a family celebration, entertaining business clients, rewarding staff for their hard work or simply enjoying a day out with friends, we always ensure we have a smile on our face and offer you the friendly VIP service you deserve.

We look forward to welcoming you to Plumpton and sharing our beautiful racecourse with you.

“PLUMPTON IS A GREAT RACECOURSE TO VISIT, THE COMPLETE DEAL FOR AN ULTIMATE HORSERACING EXPERIENCE.”

Peter M



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HOSPITALITY

Horse racing and hospitality are natural partners. A day's racing is ideal for entertaining, combining the thrills of sporting action with great opportunities to socialise, talk racing and share in all the excitement that a day at the races can offer.

With at least 6 races at each fixture, spaced between 30 and 40 minutes apart, there is time to enjoy each race, and still have ample opportunity to socialise with everyone in your party.

With a wide range of packages and rooms, Plumpton can offer a variety of experiences

dependent on the size of your party and budget. All hospitality packages include the private and exclusive use of one of our hospitality boxes, all of which have a view of the home straight and winning post from a private balcony, where the view is truly magnificent.

From the moment of your enquiry, we will provide you with a personal and bespoke service, so you can relax and enjoy your day. Platinum and Gold packages require a minimum of 8 people, while the 1884 package requires a minimum of 16 people. The Directors Suite requires a minimum of 24 people.

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racing@plumptonracecourse.co.uk

“GREAT DAY OUT. WELL ORGANISED, VERY FRIENDLY FEELING, AND OUR HOSPITALITY BOX WAS SUPERB. CAN'T WAIT TO COME AGAIN, SEE YOU NEXT SEASON.”

Cheryl V

“I CANNOT SPEAK HIGHLY ENOUGH OF PLUMPTON RACECOURSE. VERY WELCOMING WITH EXCELLENT VIEWING FACILITIES AND MULTIPLE HOSPITALITY OFFERINGS. A WONDERFUL VENUE FOR A FAMILY DAY OUT.”

Michael P

EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE DIRECTORS' SUITE
 ARRIVAL GLASS OF ENGLISH SPARKLING WINE
 THREE-COURSE SERVED LUNCH
 COFFEE & PLUMPTON PETIT FOURS
 AFTERNOON TEA
 SUSSEX CHEESE BOARD
 DEDICATED STAFF
 HOSPITALITY
 ADMISSION BADGES
 RESERVED CAR PARKING
 COMPLIMENTARY RACECARD
 TV SHOWING
 RACECOURSE COVERAGE

DIRECTORS' SUITE

Feature Day **£140pp**

Standard Day **£130pp**



PLATINUM

Feature Day **£140pp**

Standard Day **£130pp**

ARRIVAL GLASS OF ENGLISH SPARKLING WINE AND CANAPÉS
 THREE-COURSE SERVED LUNCH
 COFFEE & PLUMPTON PETIT FOURS
 AFTERNOON TEA OR SUSSEX CHEESEBOARD
 DEDICATED STAFF
 HOSPITALITY
 ADMISSION BADGES
 RESERVED CAR PARKING
 COMPLIMENTARY RACECARD
 TV SHOWING
 RACECOURSE COVERAGE

GLASS OF PROSECCO ON ARRIVAL
 THREE-COURSE SERVED LUNCH
 COFFEE & PLUMPTON PETIT FOURS
 DEDICATED STAFF
 HOSPITALITY
 ADMISSION BADGES
 RESERVED CAR PARKING
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RELAXED AND INFORMAL DINING AND SOCIAL SET UP
 BOWL FOOD SERVICE
 DESSERT
 COFFEE & PLUMPTON PETIT FOURS
 HOSPITALITY
 ADMISSION BADGES
 RESERVED CAR PARKING
 COMPLIMENTARY RACECARD
 TV SHOWING
 RACECOURSE COVERAGE

GOLD

Feature Day **£120pp**

Standard Day **£110pp**

1884 PACKAGE

Feature Day **£110pp**

Standard Day **£100pp**

* All prices include VAT

PADDOCK RESTAURANT

The Paddock Restaurant, situated adjacent to the parade ring with a private balcony overlooking the winning post, is our premier restaurant and is a popular choice for racegoers wanting to enjoy their day in style. Offering spectacular panoramic views of the parade ring, racetrack and the South Downs, the Paddock Restaurant caters for around 120 guests each raceday, who are taken through the card by a racing aficionado such as former Cheltenham Festival-winning jockey Dave Crosse.

Our top chefs create special, seasonal menus for racegoers, using the freshest ingredients including locally-sourced meats, fruits and vegetables. We also offer an excellent wine menu with a wide range of both local and national styles and vintages.

Paddock Restaurant guests have a reserved table available for the duration of the race meeting and you are free to explore the racecourse and get up-close-and-personal with the horses throughout the afternoon. Table service and a racecard are included in the package price, and we also offer a Little Person's menu for our younger racegoers.

PADDOCK RESTAURANT PACKAGE

Feature Day	£90pp
Standard Day	£80pp

WELCOME DRINK
THREE-COURSE À LA CARTE MENU
COFFEE & PLUMPTON PETIT FOURS
TABLE FOR THE DAY
COMPLIMENTARY RACECARD
EXCLUSIVE 1ST FLOOR VIEWING BALCONY
ADMISSION TICKET

“THE PERFECT DAY OUT AT THE RACES! WELCOMING STAFF, GREAT FACILITIES AND FOOD, AND A WONDERFUL VIEW OF THE ENTIRE COURSE FROM THE GRANDSTAND.”

Liz C

“GREAT PEOPLE, GREAT TRACK, GREAT TRANSPORT LINKS, GREAT RACING. HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.”

Martin A



“A PLEASANT AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE FROM THE FIRST CALL ENQUIRY TO LEAVING THE RACECOURSE AFTER A THOROUGHLY ENJOYABLE DAY. HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.”

Ian T

“A GREAT DAY FOR OUR TEAM AND OUR CLIENTS, VERY WELL ORGANISED BY THE RACECOURSE. I WOULD (AND HAVE) RECOMMEND THIS WIDELY.”

Peter D

“A GREAT DAY OUT. FOOD IN THE PADDOCK RESTAURANT WAS A GREAT START TO THE DAY, THEN THE RACING WAS ENJOYABLE WITH AN EXCELLENT VIEW OF THE COURSE.”

Val K

“WE TOOK THE WORK TEAM FOR LUNCH IN THE PADDOCK RESTAURANT AND HAD A GREAT MEAL. WE WERE WELL LOOKED AFTER; EVERYONE IS VERY FRIENDLY AND WELCOMING. WE WILL DEFINITELY BE COMING AGAIN AND CAN HIGHLY RECOMMEND FOR A CORPORATE DAY OUT OR WITH FAMILY.”

Sharon O’Shea
Ingenious Design

MARQUEE RESTAURANT

The Marquee Restaurant is situated on the home straight, opposite the final fence, and is the perfect location to see the equine talent on display at close quarters.

Offering plenty of space around tables, the heated Marquee Restaurant is ideal for both small and large parties, and you can either enjoy the races from the comfort of your table or on the private lawn where you can get up-close-and-personal with the horses thundering past. There's a bar and betting facilities within the Marquee and you are situated close to the grandstands and betting ring.

With a capacity of over 300, the Marquee also works as a perfect venue for private parties/hire. We can accommodate tables between 2 and 12, with larger parties placed adjacent to one another.

MARQUEE RESTAURANT PACKAGE

Feature Day	£75pp
Standard Day	£70pp

WELCOME DRINK

THREE-COURSE SET MENU

COFFEE & PLUMPTON PETIT FOURS

TABLE FOR THE DAY

COMPLIMENTARY RACECARD

PRIVATE LAWN OPPOSITE FINAL FENCE

ADMISSION TICKET

“PLUMPTON IS A FANTASTIC RACECOURSE IN A BEAUTIFUL SETTING. THE STAFF WERE SO FRIENDLY TO NEWCOMERS LIKE MYSELF AND MY DAD. PLUMPTON IS SO WORTH THE VISIT, A BIT OF A HIDDEN GEM. WE WILL CERTAINLY RETURN NEXT SEASON!”

Joey H

SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

CHRISTMAS

Monday 12th December
Tuesday 20th December

Celebrate Christmas in style at Plumpton with your colleagues, friends or family. We have live music in the Paddock Bar, plenty of hospitality options and a brilliant festive atmosphere to accompany the top-class racing.



SUSSEX NATIONAL

Monday 2nd January

Kick-start your new year by joining us on Bank Holiday Monday and witness one horse, jockey and trainer etch their name into Plumpton history by landing the valuable and entertaining Sussex National.

EASTER

Sunday 9th April
Monday 10th April

Bring all your family along on Easter Sunday and Monday to enjoy exciting entertainment for children of all ages, while on the track we attract some quality horses to compete in the Sussex Champion Hurdle and Sussex Champion Chase.



SUSSEX RACEDAY

Sunday 23rd April

Come and enjoy all things Sussex has to offer as we celebrate everything great about our county. We have live music, entertainment, demonstrations, a local farmers market, plus we host a special event with the Moore family – Sussex's most-successful horse racing operation.

SPONSORSHIP & ADVERTISING

Sponsorship

Raceday sponsorship is a great way to promote your business with local and national coverage, or to celebrate a special occasion with friends and family.

By choosing to sponsor a race at Plumpton, you will receive exposure far and wide. Crowd attendance at Plumpton is over 35,000 each year, with thousands more watching every race live on TV with Sky Sports Racing, which is watched by a monthly average of 1.7m different people in the UK, plus your race name will feature in several newspapers

Benefits:

- Naming rights to your race (up to 6 words)
- Live TV coverage on Sky Sports Racing

- Full colour page advert in the racecard
- Big-screen advert facing the main grandstand
- On-the-ground promotion and raceday activation
- Experience a trip to the parade ring to pick 'Best Turned Out' horse prior to your race
- Present the trophy to the winning connections of your sponsored race (trophy supplied by Plumpton Racecourse)
- Celebrate with the winners in our 'Winning Connections' room with a glass of sparkling wine
- Complimentary photo of the winner's presentation

PRICE

from **£1,000 (+VAT)**

Advertising

Put your company in the eyes of over 35,000 racegoers each season by choosing to advertise at Plumpton. With several options to suit your business, including a home-straight advertising banner that also showcases your brand to Sky Sports Racing's 1.7m monthly viewers, you can choose to advertise at Plumpton for one raceday, multiple racedays or the whole season.

ADVERTISING BANNER

£1,000*
(excluding production)

HOME STRAIGHT BANNER ADVERTISING IN A PROMINENT POSITION, OPPOSITE THE GRANDSTANDS, FOR A WHOLE YEAR (SEPTEMBER TO AUGUST)

RACECARD & BIG SCREEN PACKAGE

£200*
(excluding production)

FULL PAGE COLOUR ADVERT IN THE RACECARD
BIG SCREEN ADVERT – AT LEAST A 40M SCREEN ON THE HOME STRAIGHT IN FRONT OF THOUSANDS OF SPECTATORS FOR 1 RACEDAY

RACECARD & BIG SCREEN ANNUAL PACKAGE

£2,800*

FULL PAGE COLOUR ADVERT IN THE RACECARD
BIG SCREEN ADVERT – 40M SCREEN ON THE HOME STRAIGHT IN FRONT OF THOUSANDS OF SPECTATORS ALL 17 RACEDAYS

RACECARD PACKAGE

£80* Half page **£120*** Full page

COLOUR ADVERT IN THE RACECARD FOR 1 RACEDAY

BIG SCREEN PACKAGE

£95*

YOUR BUSINESS DETAILS, OR SPECIAL MESSAGE, DISPLAYED ON A 40M SCREEN AND TV NETWORK



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* All prices +VAT

PARTNERS & PRODUCE

At Plumpton Racecourse we recognise the ever-changing needs of today's world and take immense pride to work responsibly and sustainably with all of our partners. This is seen to great effect with Sussex-based Catering Partner, Strong Flavours. They mirror our attitudes and aim to source food and drink from local suppliers for the racecourse wherever possible.

In our hospitality settings you will taste locally-supplied food from many of Sussex's finest producers, including dairy products from High Weald Dairy. Based on the High Weald and using milk from their own farm, they produce all our cheeses, which are then brought to us by local supplier 'the Cheeseman'. Alongside these cheeses you will find local artisan chutneys from Deerview Fine Food, who operate on Hundred Acre Lane which is just a stone's throw from the racecourse. Alongside this our fish is supplied by Brighton & Newhaven Fish Sales, who catch all their seasonal produce sustainably in the local sea area and are able to guarantee provenance of all their fish. Our meat is provided by Dukesmoor and they regionally source their meat from the likes of Forge Farm in Tunbridge Wells, just 45 minutes from the racecourse. They only use 100% Farm Assured produce. To accompany your meals, we have a fantastic drinks offering with a variety of options including Sussex still and sparkling wines from local vineyards such as Bluebell, Bolney and Ridgeview who are all based in the stunning Sussex countryside.

A seasonal list of locally-brewed beers, ales & ciders awaits you at Plumpton, such as the famous Sussex Best Bitter from Lewes-based Harvey's Brewery. Sussex Best is brewed with their heritage yeast which has been recycled in each batch for over 65 years, using their own artisan water spring which comes from 60ft+ below the brewery and produces a superior water due to its filtration through the chalky

South Downs. We also stock Long Man Brewery's Crafty Blonde & Helles Lager, from their sustainable farm/brewery in Litlington. Long Man purchase the majority of their hops from Sussex and Kent, and also grow their own Barley at their solar-powered base (500+ acres).

If you'd like a taste of Plumpton, look no further than our bespoke made 'Plumpton Paddock Gin', which is infused with Sweet Vernal Grass and distilled by Slake Spirits in Shoreham-by-Sea. Slake use ingredients foraged along the Sussex countryside and coast as well as depicting the 'Sussex Knucker' dragon on their label as a nod to the county's wild history.

If you're after something savoury to accompany your drinks, our bars are stocked with pies and sausage rolls from Piglet Pantry – a local pastry supplier who still hand-make every single item with care and use Sussex ingredients where possible such as Harvey's Ale in their pies. For sweet treats, we have cakes, muffins, cookies and flapjacks in our café outlets which are all sourced from Lizzie's Bakery in Burgess Hill, who have been operating for four generations. Our café's also stock fresh and locally-roasted artisan coffee provided by Backyard Coffee Roasters in Ditchling, who source their coffee fresh and direct from around the world but is located just a few miles from us.



HOW TO FIND US

Postcode

BN7 3AL

What3Words

Main Entrance

///flattery.impose.urban

Railway Entrance for hospitality

///viewers.lump.symphonic

By Road

Plumpton Racecourse is situated on Plumpton Lane only 1.5 miles off the B2116, and 8 miles from the A23, leaving at the Pyecombe services junction. Our signposted main entrance on Plumpton Lane is 200 yards beyond the bridge on the left (coming from Ditching) and 0.5 miles past the train station (coming through Plumpton Green), up the hill on the right.

By Rail

Plumpton station is situated at the bottom of the course and is less than a 5-minute walk to the North entrance. Plumpton is served by a regular train service between London Victoria and Eastbourne/Hastings

By Air

By prior arrangement with the CEO and Clerk of the Course, helicopters can land in the centre of the course. The closest airport is Deanland Airfield – light aircraft can land at Deanland but contact must be made directly with them.



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The Chris Gordon-trained Aucunrisque pictured with jockey Harry Cobden after landing the 2022 Sussex Champion Hurdle.