

# **SOUTH OXFORDSHIRE SPONSORED RIDE**

**SUNDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2009**  
**AT**  
**BRIGHTWELL PARK, NR. WATLINGTON**  
**OXFORDSHIRE**

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## Entry fee and sponsorship

Each rider must pay an entry fee of £18 which includes paramedic cover.

This is non-returnable under any circumstance, even in the unlikely event of cancellation of the ride.

In addition, each rider must pay the minimum sponsorship of £15 before a number allowing him or her to take part in the ride can be issued. Any rider raising £25 or more will receive an exclusive rosette to acknowledge their fund raising efforts.

## What to do before the ride

Send a completed entry form and the necessary entry fees (£18 per rider, cheques payable to South Oxfordshire Sponsored Ride), together with a correctly stamped addressed envelope, to the Secretary:

Annette Sumner, Glory Hill Cottage, Glory Hill Lane, Beaconsfield, Bucks. HP9 1XF

Please make requests to ride together on your entry form (maximum four riders per starting time). On receipt of the entry form and fee(s), riders will be allocated a starting time and will be notified by post.

The closing date for entries is Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September, but the ride is usually heavily over-subscribed so please enter early if you wish to be sure of a place.

## What to do on the day

Please pay all sponsorship money (minimum £15 per rider) at the Secretary's tent, where you will be given a scorecard and number.

No rider will be allowed on the course without a scorecard and number.

Stewards at four checkpoints around the course will assist riders to fill in their scorecards and total them at the end of the ride.

On completion of the ride the scorecard must be returned to the Secretary where you will be given your final score and awarded a rosette.

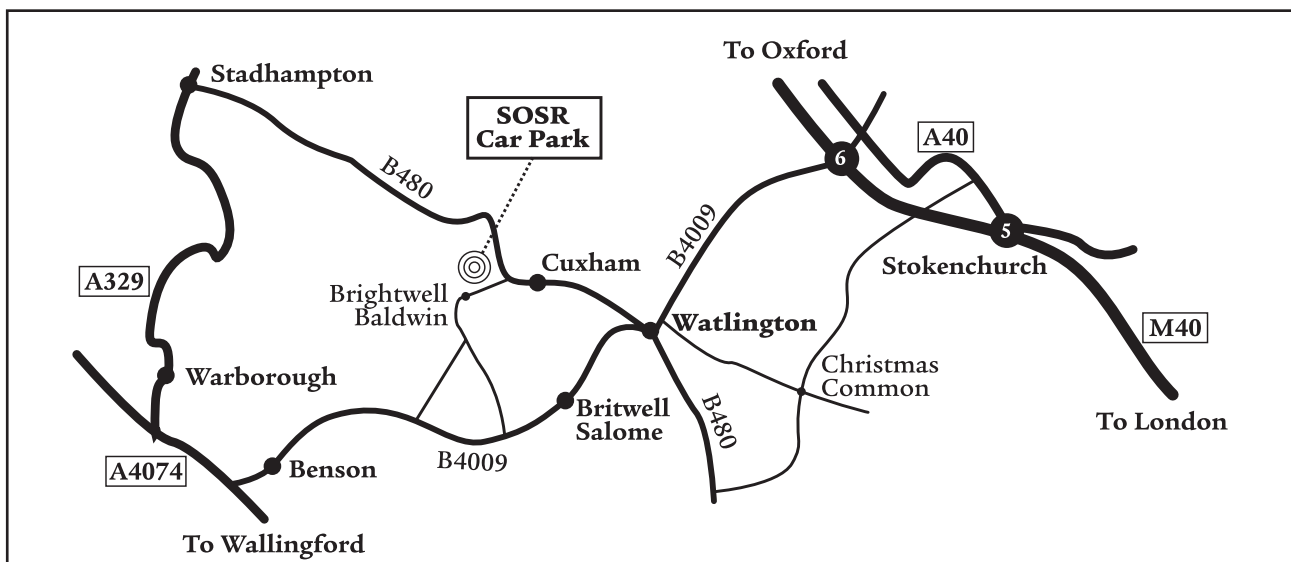
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Further information, directions, extra schedules, entry and sponsorship forms are all available from the ride website:

**[www.sosr.org.uk](http://www.sosr.org.uk)**

or from the Secretary, at the address given above (please send an A5 SAE for extra schedules/forms).

E-mail: [secretary@sosr.org.uk](mailto:secretary@sosr.org.uk) / Tel: 01494 677636



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## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### General

It is a condition of entry that sponsorship money is paid before starting the event.

Please make cheques payable to: South Oxfordshire Sponsored Ride.

- Hard hats and suitable footwear must be worn.
- Back protectors are strongly advised.
- Horses and ponies must be over four years old.
- Only three attempts are allowed at each jump.
- Passing is allowed.
- Riders not finishing the course should note on their scorecard the distance covered or the last fence passed.
- Dogs must be kept on leads at all times.

Please note that the majority of the course is over private land and access is only permitted on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October (from 2pm, for inspection only) and Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October.

### Scoring and Prizes

Rosettes will be awarded as follows:

A **Gold Rosette** to all riders completing the distance of the SOSR jumping all the fences **including** the bonus options.

A **Silver Rosette** to all riders completing the distance of the SOSR and jumping **more than** twenty fences.

A **Bronze Rosette** to all riders completing the distance of the SOSR but jumping **fewer than** twenty fences.

An exclusive rosette will be awarded to any rider raising more than £20 in sponsorship.

Trophies will be awarded to the junior and senior rider raising the most sponsorship money.

### Disclaimer

Horse-riding over man-made and other obstacles is an inherently dangerous activity and each rider must take all reasonable care and precautions to ensure that they and other riders, spectators, horses or property are not injured or damaged.

The Committee confirm that the course and fences have been inspected. Prior to making the course and fences available for inspection the Committee have exercised reasonable care in satisfying themselves that the fences are safe and secure. Except in respect of death or personal injury caused by the Committee's negligence, no responsibility is accepted by the Committee for any damage to persons, horses or property howsoever caused which arise from:

- Defects in the course or fences not notified to the Committee by the rider before participating.
- Defects in the course or fences which manifest themselves after the course and fences are made available for inspection.

During the event it is possible that the fences or course may become less safe and secure. All riders are under a continuing duty to notify the Committee of any damage which they cause to, or notice in, any fence or the course during the event. Any defects are to be notified to the Committee as it is not possible for the Committee to inspect each fence and the course after every rider has completed the course or any part of it.

The Committee accept no liability in respect of any damage caused to persons, horses or property, howsoever caused including any defect in the course or fences arising from any of the following: fair wear and tear, wilful damage, negligence of any rider or others, abnormal weather conditions, failure to follow the Committee's or any official's instructions (oral or written), failure to follow the rules.

The decision of the Committee is final in all cases.

# SOUTH OXFORDSHIRE SPONSORED RIDE ENTRY FORM

Name of rider	Tick if under 15 on 4 <sup>th</sup> October '09	Entry fee (£18 each)
Total enclosed £		

- A maximum of four riders will be started together, at two minute intervals.
- Please list each group of riders who wish to ride together on a separate entry form (maximum four riders per form).  
Photocopies of entry forms will be accepted.
- Groups of more than four riders will be allocated times as close together as possible.
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Address: -----  
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Telephone: -----

E-mail address : -----

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