

# SOUTH OXFORDSHIRE SPONSORED RIDE



SUNDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2009

AT

BRIGHTWELL PARK,  
NR. WATLINGTON, OXFORDSHIRE

Schedule sponsored by:

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Proceeds from the ride will go to:

The Vale of Aylesbury with Garth and South Berks Hunt, Macmillan Cancer Relief, The Riding for the Disabled Association, The Air Ambulance and many other local charities.

## **The course**

A marvellous course passing over grass, woodland, arable land and tracks through the Chilterns in an area of outstanding natural beauty. The course is about twelve miles long and includes sixty jumps (maximum height 2'6"). Twenty of the jumps have more challenging options (maximum height 3'6"). The jumps are well constructed and very varied in design, including rails, hedges, ditches, banks, water and several combinations. All jumps are optional and there is a short cut in case your horse gets tired. Full equipment, tractors and other vehicles for lorry and horsebox removal will be available during wet weather.

## **Entry**

Read and complete the entry form on page 9 of the schedule. Entry fee of £18 per rider includes paramedic cover and is non-returnable under any circumstances. It is a condition of entry that all riders abide by the rules and instructions contained within this schedule. The payment of the entry fee will be considered as acceptance of these terms. Entries close Friday 25th September or earlier if full.

## **Sponsorship**

The sponsorship form is on page 8 of the schedule. Each rider must either sponsor themselves or find sponsors to a minimum of £15. Any rider raising £20 or more will receive an exclusive rosette to acknowledge their fund raising efforts. Trophies will be awarded to the junior and senior rider raising the most sponsorship money.

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## 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, see information on page 11.

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AT  
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OXFORDSHIRE

Proceeds to The Vale of Aylesbury with Garth and South Berks Hunt, Macmillan Cancer Relief, The Riding for the Disabled Association, The Air Ambulance and many other local charities.

Name of rider: \_\_\_\_\_ Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of sponsor	Amount

Name of sponsor	Amount
Total received £	

Please continue on additional sheets (or download extra forms from [www.sosr.org.uk](http://www.sosr.org.uk)).  
Cheques payable to South Oxfordshire Sponsored Ride.

# 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.
- **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.**

For more information and extra forms, go to **[www.sosr.org.uk](http://www.sosr.org.uk)**  
or e-mail the Secretary at [secretary@sosr.org.uk](mailto:secretary@sosr.org.uk)

Name: -----

Address: -----

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Tel No: -----

**Please send this entry form, your entry fees (cheques payable to *South Oxfordshire Sponsored Ride*) and a stamped addressed envelope for notification of your start time, to the Secretary:**

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# SOUTH OXFORDSHIRE SPONSORED RIDE 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.

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## **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.

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

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

or from the Secretary (please send an A5 SAE for extra schedules/forms):

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# SOUTH OXFORDSHIRE SPONSORED RIDE 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:

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