

ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

RACECOURSE AREAS

Entry is split into Enclosures that have varying facilities, dress codes and levels of viewing. Top of the range is the Premier Enclosure, sometimes called Members or County Stand. The Grandstand & Paddock, traditionally known as Tattersalls, is at the heart of the action, while the least expensive and least formal area is the Course Enclosure.

PRICE

Prices vary depending on the day you wish to attend and the enclosure you would like to enter. Prices range from £5 to around £50. Remember accompanied Under 16s are admitted free at most meetings.

GENEROUS DISCOUNTS FOR GROUPS

The racecourses offer generous savings if you pre-book as a group (depending on group size).

START TIMES

The first and last race times vary depending on the time of year and whether it's a day or evening fixture. A typical summer afternoon would start around 2.00 pm. Remember, the fun starts well before the scheduled first race so arrive early so you can have a spot of lunch, settle in and enjoy the day.

PARKING*

There's ample parking on site at all the racecourses and on most days it's free. (Charges apply at a few York and Doncaster fixtures).

WHAT ABOUT THE FAMILY?

All the Yorkshire racecourses offer free admission for children under 16 (under 18 at Beverley) and look forward to welcoming the future generation of racegoers, so bring them with you.

WHAT TO DO NEXT

For further information about your chosen days and to book your tickets for any Yorkshire race meeting simply go to...

www.goracing.co.uk
or contact your chosen course

THE TRACKS

BEVERLEY (flat racing) – Beverley is one of the most vibrant racecourses in Britain. Blessed with an outstanding location overlooking the historic Minster town, superb facilities are complemented by an exceptionally warm welcome.

Tel. 01482 867488 www.beverley-racecourse.co.uk

CATTERICK (flat & jump racing) – A course that prides itself on its character, Catterick is one of the busiest racecourses in Yorkshire with a meeting each month and one of the most pleasurable to visit.

Tel. 01748 811478 www.catterickbridge.co.uk

DONCASTER (flat & jump racing) – A racecourse with an impeccable racing heritage. Set on Town Moor home of the St. Leger since 1776 and boasting a recent £35m redevelopment.

Tel. 01302 304200 www.doncaster-racecourse.co.uk

PONTEFRACT (flat racing) – The popular West Yorkshire track is superbly located for road access and is one of the best appointed courses of its kind in the country.

Tel. 01977 781307 www.pontefract-races.co.uk

REDCAR (flat racing) – Situated in the town centre itself, this popular seaside course has extensive facilities, is one of the fairest tracks in the UK and, not surprisingly, provides very competitive racing.

Tel. 01642 484068 www.redcarracing.co.uk

RIPON (flat racing) – Set in beautiful parkland and with magnificent floral displays, Ripon's reputation for being Yorkshire's 'Garden Racecourse' is well founded.

Tel. 01765 602156 [www.ripin-races.co.uk](http://www.ripon-races.co.uk)

THIRSK (flat racing) – 'Country Racing at its Best'. Situated in the Hambleton area of North Yorkshire between the Moors and the Dales, Thirsk is one of Britain's most picturesque tracks. It also enjoys easy access.

Tel. 01845 522276 www.thirskracecourse.net

WETHERBY (jump racing) – This West Yorkshire track is arguably the finest jumping course in the north, with a quality of racing renowned throughout the sport and a superb location next to the A1.

Tel. 01937 582035 www.wetherbyracing.co.uk

YORK (flat racing) – York Racecourse is located within one mile of the city centre and is one of the best racecourses in the world. With award winning facilities, top class racing and a beautiful setting it's a flagship for racing in Yorkshire.

Tel. 01904 620911 www.yorkracecourse.co.uk

BOOK NOW. CONTACT YOUR CHOSEN RACECOURSE (see above)
OR VISIT:

www.goracing.co.uk

GO RACING IN YORKSHIRE

2009



SUMMER FESTIVAL 18th - 26th July 2009
CHILDREN AND PARKING* FREE ALL YEAR

THE FULL 2009 YORKSHIRE FIXTURE LIST

JANUARY

Thurs 1 BH... Catterick
Thurs 8 Catterick
Sat 10 Wetherby
Fri 16 Catterick
Fri 23 Doncaster
Sat 24 Doncaster
Fri 30 Catterick
Sat 31 Doncaster
Sat 31 Wetherby

FEBRUARY

Mon 9 Wetherby
Wed 18 Doncaster
Tue 24 Catterick
Fri 27 Doncaster
Sat 28 Doncaster

MARCH

Wed 4 Catterick
Sat 14 Wetherby
Sat 28 Doncaster
Sun 29 Doncaster
Tue 31 Wetherby

APRIL

Wed 1 Catterick
Tue 7 Pontefract
Mon 13 BH... Redcar
Wed 15 Beverley
Thurs 16 Ripon
Fri 17 Thirsk
Sat 18 Thirsk
Sat 18 (e)..... Doncaster
Mon 20 Pontefract
Wed 22 Catterick
Thurs 23 Beverley
Sat 25 Ripon
Sun 26 Wetherby
Wed 29 Pontefract
Thurs 30 Redcar

MAY

Sat 2 Thirsk
Sat 2 (e)..... Doncaster
Mon 4 BH..... Beverley
Tue 5 (e) Catterick
Thurs 7 (e).... Wetherby
Fri 8 (e) Ripon
Sat 9 (e)..... Thirsk
Mon 11 Redcar
Tue 12 Beverley
Wed 13 York
Thurs 14 York
Fri 15 York
Sat 16 Thirsk
Sat 16 (e)..... Doncaster
Sun 17 Ripon
Thurs 21 Wetherby
Fri 22 (e) Pontefract
Sat 23 Beverley
Sat 23 Catterick
Mon 25 BH... Redcar
Tue 26 Redcar
Wed 27 (e).... Beverley
Thurs 28 (e).. Wetherby
Sat 30 Doncaster
Sat 30 York

JUNE

Mon 1 (e)..... Thirsk
Tue 2 Ripon
Wed 3 (e)..... Ripon
Thurs 4 (e).... Wetherby
Fri 5 Catterick
Fri 5 (e) Doncaster
Sat 6 Doncaster
Mon 8 (e)..... Pontefract
Tue 9 Redcar
Wed 10 Beverley
Fri 12 York
Sat 13 York
Sun 14 Doncaster
Tue 16 Thirsk
Wed 17 (e).... Ripon
Thurs 18 Ripon
Fri 19 Redcar
Sat 20 Redcar
Sun 21 Pontefract
Tue 23 Beverley
Fri 26 Doncaster
Sat 27 (e).... Doncaster
Mon 29 Pontefract
Tue 30 (e).... Thirsk

JULY

Wed 1 Catterick
Thurs 2 (e).... Redcar
Fri 3 Doncaster
Fri 3 (e) Beverley
Sat 4 Beverley
Mon 6 (e)..... Ripon
Tue 7 Pontefract
Wed 8 Catterick
Thurs 9 (e).... Doncaster
Fri 10 York
Sat 11 York
Tue 14 Beverley
Wed 15 Catterick
Thurs 16 (e).. Doncaster
Fri 17 (e) Pontefract

SUMMER FESTIVAL

Sat 18 RIPON
Sun 19 REDCAR
Mon 20 (e).... BEVERLEY
Wed 22 CATTERICK
Thurs 23 (e).. DONCASTER
Fri 24 THIRSK
Fri 24 (e) YORK
Sat 25 YORK
Sun 26 PONTEFRACT

Tue 28 Beverley
Wed 29 Redcar
Fri 31 Thirsk

AUGUST

Sat 1 Doncaster
Sat 1 Thirsk
Mon 3 Ripon
Tue 4 Catterick
Wed 5 Pontefract
Sat 8 Redcar
Sun 9 Redcar
Mon 10 (e).... Thirsk
Wed 12 Beverley
Thurs 13 Beverley
Fri 14 (e) Catterick
Sat 15 Ripon
Sun 16 Pontefract
Tue 18 York
Wed 19 York
Thurs 20 York
Fri 21 York
Sat 22 Ripon
Wed 26 Catterick
Fri 28 Thirsk
Sat 29 Beverley
Sat 29 (e).... Redcar
Sun 30 Beverley
Mon 31 BH... Ripon

SEPTEMBER

Tue 1 Ripon
Thurs 3 Redcar
Fri 4 Catterick
Sat 5 Thirsk
Sun 6 York
Wed 9 Doncaster
Thurs 10 Doncaster
Fri 11 Doncaster
Sat 12 Doncaster
Mon 14 Redcar
Wed 16 Beverley
Thurs 17 Pontefract
Sat 19 Catterick
Tue 22 Beverley
Wed 23 Redcar
Thurs 24 Pontefract

OCTOBER

Sat 3 Redcar
Mon 5 Pontefract
Tue 6 Catterick
Fri 9 York
Sat 10 York
Wed 14 Wetherby
Fri 16 Redcar
Sat 17 Catterick
Mon 19 Pontefract
Fri 23 Doncaster
Sat 24 Doncaster
Tue 27 Catterick
Fri 30 Wetherby
Sat 31 Wetherby

NOVEMBER

Tue 3 Catterick
Sat 7 Doncaster
Sat 14 Wetherby
Wed 25 Wetherby

DECEMBER

Wed 2 Catterick
Sat 5 Wetherby
Fri 11 Doncaster
Sat 12 Doncaster
Tue 15 Catterick
Sat 26 Wetherby
Sun 27 Wetherby
Mon 28 BH... Catterick

Blue text
is a flat meeting
Red text
is a jump meeting
BH is a Bank Holiday
(e) is an evening
meeting

BOOK
YOUR TICKETS
TODAY, CONTACT
YOUR CHOSEN
RACECOURSE

THERE'S AN EXPERIENCE AT THE RACES JUST FOR YOU!

'GO RACING IN YORKSHIRE' SUMMER FESTIVAL 2009

Between 18th - 26th July

To celebrate all that's good about racing in the county, 'Go Racing In Yorkshire' is organising a special Summer Festival in 2009 held in association with SKY BET, highlighting the meetings between 18th and 26th July. There will be special promotions and competitions for racegoers visiting the race meetings during the Festival. Look on the website (www.goracing.co.uk) for details of these and how to book tickets.

Make a note of the meetings! They are:-

Sat 18 July RIPON
 Sun 19 July REDCAR
 Mon (e) 20 July BEVERLEY
 Wed 22 July CATTERICK
 Thur (e) 23 July DONCASTER
 Fri 24 July THIRSK
 Fri (e) 24 July YORK
 Sat 25 July YORK
 Sun 26 July PONTEFRACT

LADIES' DAYS

AN OCCASION WHERE YOU DRESS TO IMPRESS

Racing and high fashions combine to create highlights of the social calendar. Ladies' Days are a place to be seen at. They are the perfect excuse to buy a new outfit, put on the glad rags and rub shoulders with the fashion set. If you are looking for a super occasion where ladies are the centre of attention, the dates below are especially for you.

Thu 21 May Wetherby
 Tue 16 June Thirsk
 Thu 18 June Ripon
 Sat 20 June Redcar
 Wed 5 August Pontefract
 Wed 12 August Beverley
 Fri (e) 14 August Catterick
 Thu 20 August York
 Thu 10 September Doncaster

FAMILY DAYS

FUN AND ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Family Days are designed to provide everything the whole family needs to have an enjoyable time. Out in the fresh air, following the action, the family can spend time together.

The children can also take advantage of the special attractions such as bouncy castles, clowns and entertainers, while the rest of the family relaxes and has a bite to eat. Remember the children get in free so it really is a great value day out.

THE ALL IMPORTANT DATES

Sun 29 March Doncaster
 BH Mon 13 Apr ... Redcar
 Sun 26 April Wetherby
 BH Mon 4 May ... Beverley
 Sun 17 May Ripon
 BH Mon 25 May .. Redcar
 Sun 14 June Doncaster
 Sun 21 June Pontefract
 Sun 19 July Redcar
 Sun 26 July Pontefract
 Tue 28 July Beverley
 Mon 3 August Ripon
 Tue 4 August Catterick
 Sun 9 August Redcar
 Sun 16 August Pontefract
 Wed 26 Aug Catterick
 Fri 28 Aug Thirsk
 Sun 30 Aug Beverley
 BH Mon 31 Aug ... Ripon
 Sun 6 Sept York



SATURDAYS

IT'S PARTY-TIME AND A CHANCE FOR A FLUTTER ON THE BIG RACE

Saturdays are always very popular; the large crowd, great atmosphere and competitive racing create one big party. If you want a day full of excitement with your friends, then a Saturday is the choice for you.

THE ALL IMPORTANT DATES

Sat 10 Jan Wetherby
 Sat 24 Jan Doncaster
 Sat 31 Jan Doncaster
 Sat 31 Jan Wetherby
 Sat 28 Feb Doncaster
 Sat 14 Mar Wetherby
 Sat 28 Mar Doncaster
 Sat 18 April Thirsk
 Sat 25 April Ripon
 Sat 2 May Thirsk
 Sat (e)2 May Doncaster
 Sat (e)9 May Thirsk
 Sat 16 May Thirsk
 Sat (e)16 May Doncaster
 Sat 23 May Beverley
 Sat 23 May Catterick
 Sat 30 May Doncaster
 Sat 30 May York
 Sat 6 June Doncaster
 Sat 13 June York
 Sat 20 June Redcar
 Sat (e)27 June Doncaster
 Sat 4 July Beverley
 Sat 11 July York
 Sat 18 July Ripon
 Sat 25 July York
 Sat 1 Aug Doncaster
 Sat 1 Aug Thirsk
 Sat 8 Aug Redcar
 Sat 15 Aug Ripon
 Sat 22 Aug Ripon
 Sat 29 Aug Beverley
 Sat (e)29 Aug Redcar
 Sat 5 Sept Thirsk
 Sat 12 Sept Doncaster
 Sat 19 Sept Catterick
 Sat 3 Oct Redcar
 Sat 10 Oct York
 Sat 17 Oct Catterick
 Sat 24 Oct Doncaster
 Sat 31 Oct Wetherby
 Sat 7 Nov Doncaster
 Sat 14 Nov Wetherby
 Sat 5 Dec Wetherby
 Sat 12 Dec Doncaster
 Sat 26 Dec Wetherby

CHAMPIONSHIP DAYS

SEE THE HEROES OF RACING

Championship Days are your chance to see the crème de la crème of racing talent – equine superstars are made and seen at these days. All the race meetings feature at least one 'Pattern' or top race on their racing programme. If you want to see the 'Best of the Best', these are the days for you.

THE ALL IMPORTANT DATES

Sat 24 Jan Doncaster
 Sat 31 Jan Doncaster
 Sat 31 Jan Wetherby
 Sat 28 Feb Doncaster
 Sat 28 Mar Doncaster
 Wed 13 May York
 Thu 14 May York
 Fri 15 May York
 BH Mon 25 May .. Redcar
 Wed (e) 27 May . Beverley
 Sat 30 May York
 Mon (e) 8 June ... Pontefract
 Sat 13 June York
 Sun 21 June Pontefract
 Fri 10 July York
 Sat 11 July York
 Fri 24 (e) July York
 Sat 25 July York
 Sun 26 July Pontefract
 Sat 15 Aug Ripon
 Sun 16 Aug Pontefract
 Tue 18 Aug York
 Wed 19 Aug York
 Thu 20 Aug York
 Fri 21 Aug York
 Sat 29 Aug Beverley
 BH Mon 31 Aug ... Ripon
 Wed 9 Sept Doncaster
 Thur 10 Sept Doncaster
 Fri 11 Sept Doncaster
 Sat 12 Sept Doncaster
 Sat 3 Oct Redcar
 Sat 10 Oct York
 Mon 19 Oct Pontefract
 Sat 24 Oct Doncaster
 Sat 31 Oct Wetherby
 Sat 7 Nov Doncaster
 Sat 26 Dec Wetherby

MIDWEEK EVENINGS

SOAK UP THE EVENING SUN AT ONE OF OUR RELAXED SETTINGS

Feeling stressed after a day at work, wanting to chill out with friends, family or colleagues, or simply wondering what you can do tonight – a midweek night at the races is just the ticket.

THE ALL IMPORTANT DATES

Tue 5 May Catterick
 Thu 7 May Wetherby
 Wed 27 May Beverley
 Thu 28 May Wetherby
 Mon 1 June Thirsk
 Thu 4 June Wetherby
 Mon 8 June Pontefract
 Wed 17 June Ripon
 Tue 30 June Thirsk
 Thu 2 July Redcar
 Mon 6 July Ripon
 Thu 9 July Doncaster
 Thu 16 July Doncaster
 Mon 20 July Beverley
 Thu 23 July Doncaster
 Mon 10 Aug Thirsk

PLUS... There are also a number of evening meetings at the weekend with a party atmosphere.

Sat 18 April Doncaster
 Sat 2 May Doncaster
 Fri 8 May Ripon
 Sat 9 May Thirsk
 Sat 16 May Doncaster
 Fri 22 May Pontefract
 Fri 5 June Doncaster
 Sat 27 June Doncaster
 Fri 3 July Beverley
 Fri 17 July Pontefract
 Fri 24 July York
 Fri 14 Aug Catterick
 Sat 29 Aug Redcar



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