

Please make sure you read all the instructions carefully. It is the riders responsibility to read and pass on this information as necessary

Please download all the information and route maps you need from www.ponies.me.uk/haywoodoaks Any missing documents, vet sheets and crew cards can be picked up from the office on arrival. There will be a minimum amount of maps available.

The Haywood Oaks Ride 2018

30th, 31st March and 1st April 2018

GR for venue is OS Explorer 270 574540 (Blidworth Dale) Post Code NG15 9AL

DO NOT ACCESS UP THE MAIN HOUSE DRIVE BUT CONTINUE ALONG LONGDALE LANE UNTIL SIGNS.

- The venue is a working farm and there may be heavy vehicles around at any time. They are going about their daily work – please treat with respect
- Blidworth Dale is a private house, we are very fortunate to have this facility available to us. Please do not go into the main yard or stables for any reason at all unless directed by an official. If you require assistance find a member of the OC or the office staff in the ride office.
- The main house is out of bounds at ALL times including the driveway
- Please keep to our allocated tracks around the farm, both with horses and vehicles. No vehicles allowed on the horse route at any time.
- There is a walk section immediately after the road crossing in Blidworth at the White Lion public house until you have left the housing area. It will be signed
- There are free range pigs on several parts of the route
- The main gates off Longdale Lane will be locked from 9.00pm until 4.45am

Friday

Venue opens at noon though facilities are limited. If you wish to arrive earlier please contact the Ride Organiser. Light refreshments will be available from noon.

160kms 3* and National vetting will be between 4.00pm and 5pm only. Weigh out for 3* will be at 5.00pm followed by the briefing. Both in canteen.

Saturday

160kms 3*	Start 0600
160kms elevator	Start 0615
120kms 2*	Vetting from 0600 – 0630. Start 0730
120kms elevator	Vetting from 06.30 – 06.45 Start 0745
80kms 1*	Vetting from 0730 until 0800. Start 0900
80kms CER	Vetting from 0830 Start 0930
80kms GER	Vetting before 0915 Start between 0935 and 0945 Phases as on FEI Schedule and on route map.

Sunday

There are no individual vet times for this ride. See map information for phases.

All Vet times as follows:

80kms horses	8.15
64kms horses	8.30
40kms horses	9.00 – 9.30
30kms horses	9.30 – 10.00
All PR horses	10.00 – 11.00

Pulse rates for all FEI/CER/GER

At each vet gate a pulse check will be taken, 64 or below in 20 minutes

At final vetting a pulse check will be taken, 64 or below in 30 minutes

All 80kms GER classes will have two Vet Gates

The 64kms class will have 1 vet gate into hold of 30 minutes

All reasonable precautions have been taken by the ride organisation to ensure the health and safety of competitors and horses. A copy of the risk assessment is available at the venue.