

**Arrangements for Bookmakers**  
**The Betfred Derby Festival 31 May & 1 June 2024**

Epsom Downs Racecourse looks forward to welcoming you to the 2024 Betfred Derby Festival.

**TATTERSALLS / RAILS / LONSDALE / UPPER TATTENHAM**

Gates open to the public at 11.00 Ladies Day & 11.00 Derby Day. Tattersalls & Rails bookmakers can gain access from 9.00 via the bookmakers gate (to the side of the main entrance, where the badge box was).

Bookmakers in Upper Tattenham can have vehicular access into the enclosure to drop off kit before 9.00.

- ◆ **Parking** – Bookmakers in Tattersalls, Rails and Upper Tattenham can park free of charge in Car Park 10 (was Car Park 20) on production of RBC Bookmaker photo ID. On arrival please let it be known to car-park teams that you are bookmakers. Lonsdale Bookmakers may park free of charge in the usual car park they use on The Hill (4a) upon production of RBC photo ID.
- ◆ **Online Ticket Purchases** – All 2024 Betfred Derby Festival Bookmaker Daily Betting Badges must be purchased in advance on line available now and up until 10am on Racedays via the linki on the RBC website n.b. you must click the '**Need AMF**' box to enable purchase of DBB and admission tickets. The DBB for Oaks Day is 6x the public admission price (but online charged at 5x) and for Derby Day is 8x (charged online at 7x). **The online DBB does not provide entry to the racecourse.** Bookmakers & staff may use an appropriate annual members badge to gain entry, otherwise a public admission ticket for bookmaker and each staff member is required.
- ◆ **Annual Marketing Fee** – charged at 2x the public admission price for Oaks Day for that enclosure.
- ◆ **RBC Daily Fee** - £30 Tatts / Rails, £10 Upper Tattenham & Lonsdale.
- ◆ **Pitching in** - Rails & Tatts 10.30 Oaks Day, 10.00 Derby Day. Upper Tattenham & Lonsdale 10.00 Oaks Day & 9.00 Derby Day. Black rubbish sacks will be provided by the BRM.
- ◆ **Tattersalls layout.** As in previous years, betting positions 24 - 32 inclusive will be unavailable for use.

**General Arrangements**

- ◆ **Searching** – The Derby Festival is a major international event, and this mass gathering has a worldwide audience, we therefore all need to be conscious of the security of the event. In order that we can provide a safe and secure venue, we do ask that you comply with the requests of our searching staff, supported by the Police and we are grateful for your cooperation. Please allow extra time for any checks.
- ◆ **Rails Bookmakers** are requested to fold down the electronic boards to a horizontal position during each race.
- ◆ **Dress Code:** Please note that jeans, shorts, t-shirts and sports attire (including football and rugby shirts, sweatshirts and trainers) are not permitted for Rails or Tatts.
- ◆ All kit to be labelled with contact names. Suspicious activity or unidentified objects in the Betting Ring will be reported and removed.

- ◆ Please keep kit safely stowed away within the 1.5m pitch boundary.
- ◆ **Third party advertising** is not permitted
- ◆ **Bookmaker nameplates** must remain in place until 10 minutes after the completion of the last race
- ◆ **Umbrellas** may not have third party advertising or be taped over, must be lowered BEFORE the off, and remain down during races.

### **Joints**

- ◆ **All Bookmakers** – Joints throughout the racecourse must be anchored. The use of equipment on joints in excess of the RBC Ltd recommended maximums is not permitted.

For any specific betting enquiries, please contact Andrew Boardley on 07887 534828.

### **THE HILL BOOKMAKERS – SPECIFIC DETAILS**

As in previous years bookmakers will be able to gain vehicular access on to The Hill upon production of an RBC Bookmaker photo ID.

Pitching in times -	Oaks Day	Derby Day
Walton	11.45	09.30
Hill Betting Square	11.00	09.30
Upper Hillside	11.45	09.45
Rubbing House	12.30	11.00
Car Park 28 (now CP 22)	N/A	10.30
Market/BBQ	12.30	10.00
Tattenham Corner	N/A	10.30
Hill Coach Park	N/A	11.00
Derby Family enclosure	11.00	09.15

Joints must be securely anchored down via 'corkscrew' type fixing/s.

We look forward to seeing you and hope you have a terrific Betfred Derby Festival.

**Tom Sammes General Manager**  
**Epsom Downs Racecourse**