

SEPTEMBER 19

TROT UP



COURSE AND SITE... READY!
ATHLETES... READY!
VOLUNTEERS... BORN READY!

You should have received your **Volunteer e-ticket** now and for those volunteering for two days or more, a further season e-ticket was sent separately.

If you haven't received your e-ticket(s), please advise your Head of Department immediately.



ON ARRIVAL

Please make sure you leave enough time before your briefing to visit the Volunteer Check-In to swap your e-ticket for a wristlet and car park hanger. Check-In is opposite fence 2 on the cross-country course and is marked with a huge ★ on the map that's been sent to you.

Fence 2 is also our Volunteers' fence and is called "A Little Help from My Friends", so congratulations to Victoria Randles from the Welcome Desk team who sent in that suggestion!

There may be slight changes to your briefing time & location so please keep an eye out for an email from your Head of Department or from zoe@blenheimhorse.co.uk

OPENING TIMES FOR CHECK-IN

Thursday/Friday/Saturday 0630 – 1500
Sunday 0700 - 1200

Look out for our "Pseudo Podium" next to Volunteer check-in!! Take a selfie on the winner's rostrum, complete with cup and rosette! Definitely one to post!



BLENHEIM VOLUNTEERS

In recognition of the support and enthusiasm shown by our wonderful volunteers, you will each receive a **SYBPHT baseball cap** and **pin badge** when you check in. All the more reason to visit Volunteer check-in early!

With the weather so erratic, who knows what we'll get in September? The long-range forecast is good at the moment, but our advice is to pack spare appropriate clothes for all weather – shine or shower! Don't forget to bring sunscreen, as well as water bottles and reusable coffee cups if you have them, to help us reduce waste and look after the environment.

SATURDAY NIGHT

Don't forget our Saturday night get-together in the Athletes' Lounge where you can grab a special **volunteer burger** and a glass of something nice courtesy of the event.

[You'll need a voucher so please CLICK HERE to register your free voucher:](#)

Partners and friends are welcome at a cost of £7 per person which can be booked through the same link. For those youngsters (and young at heart!) there will be a disco later in the evening. Please book your ticket by Friday 13th September.

SOCIAL MEDIA

We love you to post about Blenheim and to give your followers a taste of what it's like to be a volunteer at a major international event. These are just a few guidelines we'd like to you think about before you hit send:

- Please make sure posts are positive; it's not just your followers who see them, there's a wider audience following the event and things you post may end up in places you never intended;
- Take and post photographs only whilst not on volunteer duty;
- Please don't criticise competitors, officials or organisers. You may not know the full story;
- And please don't use inappropriate language or swear words in anything you post about the event;
- "When it's out there, it's out there", posts cannot be deleted or recalled;
- Remember to use the hashtags **#SYBlenheim #TeamBlenheim** and tag **@BlenheimHorse**.



WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU SOON