



**THE BRITISH HORSE SOCIETY BEDFORDSHIRE  
WOOTTON PLEASURE RIDE - RIDE ENTRY FORM**

*Ride starting from Hall End, Wootton, MK43 9HP  
By kind permission of Mr Gary Moore  
**Sunday August 31st 2014***

**Bridleway rides with routes of 7, 11 and 17 miles**

On marked routes of public bridle paths with some roadwork on quiet lanes, with limited stewarding of road crossings. Maps will be provided in advance and the routes marked with spray paint on the ground.

There are 2 routes of 7 and 11 miles – a distance of 17 miles can be ridden by including part of the 11 mile route twice.

**Start between 9.30am and 11am. Those starting after 10.30am may do the 7 or 11 mile routes only. Start times will not be allocated.**

**Please supply an email address.** Directions to the venue, ride briefing and electronic map of the routes will be emailed to you about a week before the ride. We will also email you if need to contact you, for example in the case of cancellation.

**MAIN RULES:**

- The ride is on public rights of way – all riders must show consideration to other participants and to other users of the public rights of way. Please ask for permission before overtaking another rider or other user.
- Be prepared for the normal hazards that may be expected when hacking on public rights of way such as traffic, farm machinery, dogs, bicycles etc.
- Riders must wear Hard Hats with fastened chinstraps that comply with BSEN 1384, PAS 015 or ASTM 6473 and proper footwear at all times when mounted. It is also recommended that a body protector be worn.
- Riders under 14 years of age on the day of the ride must be accompanied by an adult of 18 years or over, with a maximum ratio of two children to each adult.
- Groups should be of no more than 5 horses/riders.
- At least one member of each group must carry a fully charged mobile phone whose number has been advised to the ride organiser.
- All riders should be capable of riding in canter off the lead rein in an open space under control. Lead rein riders may be accepted for the 7 mile route – please email [bhs.beds@gmail.com](mailto:bhs.beds@gmail.com)
- Riders must obey the instructions of stewards and officials, including retiring their horse if the official asks them to do so.
- By entering the ride you accept the rules of the ride.

**LIABILITY:**

Neither the Organisers nor the venue owners, nor any person acting on their behalf, accept any liability for any loss, damage, accident, injury or illness to horses, competitors, spectators, or any person or property whatsoever. All entrants are strongly advised to have adequate public liability insurance (such as that provided to BHS Gold members).

Entrants are responsible for any veterinary, medical or other costs incurred, whether requested directly or via event stewards or organisers.

Participants are advised to take precautions to wear comfortable lightweight clothing, carry water with them on the ride and bring buckets to water their horses after the ride, in order to avoid the risk of over-heating or dehydration.

**ENTRIES:**

- **£10** per entry in advance (if received by Friday 22nd August) or **£15** on the day.
- Cheques payable to The British Horse Society.



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PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY!

Rider Name	Entry fee enclosed: £10 in advance (by 22nd August) or £15 on day
Address	Cheques to <b>The British Horse Society</b>
Postcode	Age if under 18
Telephone number	Emergency contact number (in case you are injured)
Mobile number to be taken on the ride	Parental consent to entry if under 18  Signature
Email address (see below)	How did you hear about this ride?
Distance	I agree to abide by the rules of the ride  Signature

**PLEASE POST YOUR PLEASURE RIDE ENTRY TO:**

Ride Secretary:

Janet Baker  
8 Byron Close  
Biggleswade  
SG18 8QF

**Don't forget the cheque made payable to The British Horse Society**

If you do **not** wish your email address to be added to the Bedfordshire BHS mailing list for information about future events and other BHS related material please tick box. Your address will not be used for other purposes or given to third parties.