



# **BHDTA NATIONAL CARRIAGE DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Queen Victoria's Review Ground, Windsor Great Park,  
Berkshire SL4 2BQ

## **SCHEDULE FOR PRIVATE DRIVING and LIGHT TRADE CLASSES**

to be held on

**SATURDAY 10<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2011**

including:

Exercise Vehicles  
Pleasure Driving  
Open Private Driving  
Light Trade Turnout Class  
Concours d'Elegance

*Affiliated to the BDS*

*Qualifier for 2012 Osborne Refrigerators BDS National Championships*

**JUDGES:**

Class 1 - 5: Mrs Nicola Salter  
Championship: Mrs Nicola Salter  
Class 6: Mrs Jan Martin

***ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 19<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2011***  
***(Late entries accepted at double entry fee until 26th August 2011)***

Entries to:

Mrs Beth Foster, The Farm, 139 Low St., Collingham, Newark, Notts. NG23 7NL  
Tel: 01636 892203 Mob. 07736 419719 Email: b8bef.aol.com

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*Queen Victoria's Review Ground is just outside Windsor  
on the Ascot Road (A332) – Sat Nav Coordinates: 51°27'38"N 0°36'54"W*

# PROGRAMME

## Timetable

Class 1	10.00	Exercise Vehicle Class
Class 2	10.45	Pleasure Driving Class
Class 3	11.30	Open Private Driving Class - Ponies 13.2 hands and under
Class 4	12.15	Open Private Driving Class - Horses and ponies over 13.2 hands
Class 5	1.00	Light Trade Turnout Class for the Wootton Oaks Trophy
Class 6	1.00	Assembly of Concours d'elegance in the Collecting Ring for the Park Drive
Class 6	2.00	Return and final judging of the Concours d'elegance for the Smith Trophy Private Driving Championship for the Edgar August Challenge trophy

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**All horses and ponies must be 4 years old and over**

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## **CLASS 1 - Exercise Vehicle Class – 2 or 4 Wheeled Vehicles**

*Generously sponsored by Wendy Wybrew*

Open to horses and ponies. A single, pair or tandem driven to a carriage of non-traditional type design and includes those with pneumatic tyres specifically designed for carriages (i.e. not car tyres). Lamps need not be carried. Judging will include general cleanliness, safety of turn-out, correct fitting of harness and vehicle suitability.

Entry Fee: £10

**Prizes: £20, £15, £10, £5** *Rosettes to all participants*

## **CLASS 2 - Pleasure Driving**

*Generously sponsored by Wendy Wybrew*

Pleasure Driving classes are for newcomers to showing and not intended for those who show in Private Driving classes.

To be judged:

- 15% vehicle suitability, fit and cleanliness, carrying appropriate spares.
- 15% harness suitability (leather or man-made) fit and cleanliness
- 70% driver and groom appropriately dressed, condition, soundness and fitness of animal/s, way of going and overall suitability of a pleasure animal.

Competitors may be given specific movements to execute in their show. Open to horses, ponies, donkeys and mules. A single, pair or tandem driven to a vehicle capable of seating 2 or more persons, traditional or non-traditional vehicles are permitted.

Pneumatic tyres are allowed. Lamps need not be carried.

Entry Fee: £10

**Prizes: £20, £15, £10, £5** *Rosettes to all participants*

## **CLASSES 3 and 4 - Open Private Driving**

*Generously sponsored by Fenix Carriages*

Open to Singles, Pairs and Tandems driven to a suitable vehicle (commercial vehicles and hackney show wagons not permitted).

Class 3 - For ponies 13.2 hands and under

Class 4 - For horses/ponies over 13.2 hands

Entry Fee: £10

**Prizes in each class: £20, £15, £10, £5**

Memento to the winner of each class kindly presented by Mr and Mrs Bruce Blundell

Special rosette presented by the BDS for the best junior whip

The first and second prize-winners will compete for the Edgar August trophy

*Classes 3/4 are qualifiers for the 2012 Osborne Refrigerators BDS National Championships. The highest placed turnout owned and driven by a member of the British Driving Society and eligible for the following Type-Section disregarding those already qualified down to 6<sup>th</sup> place in the class will qualify for the 2012 Semi-Finals. Championship will immediately follow the Semi-Finals.*

***Type-Section a. Single hackney-type***

## **CLASS 5 - Light Trade Turnout Class**

*Generously sponsored by Dicky Jim*

Open to horses and ponies, singles and pairs to a traditional or traditional type trade vehicle. No goods to be carried or displayed.

Entry fee: £10

**Prizes: £20, £15, £10, £5**

The winner will receive the Wootton Oaks Challenge trophy kindly presented by late Mrs M F James

*Class 5 is a qualifier for the 2012 Osborne Refrigerators BDS National Championships. The highest placed turnout owned and driven by a member of the British Driving Society and eligible for the following Type-Sections disregarding those already qualified down to 6<sup>th</sup> place in the class will qualify for the 2012 Semi-Finals. Championship will immediately follow the Semi-Finals.*

***Type-Sections:           j. Two-wheel light trade                           k. Four-wheel light trade.***

## **CLASS 6 - Concours d'Elegance including Park Drive**

*Generously sponsored by Bruce and Rita Blundell*

The winner will be the turnout which, in the opinion of the Judge, presents the most pleasing picture, and normal judging criteria do not apply. Fancy dress or period costume is definitely barred. The class is judged from a distance and vehicles will NOT be closely inspected as in an ordinary show class. Competitors in this class must complete the park drive.

Entry fee: £10

**Prizes: £20, £15, £10, £5**

The winner will also receive the perpetual trophy kindly presented by the Smith Family in memory of the late Mr and Mrs Eddie Smith.

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Bruce and Rita Blundell

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Fenix Carriages

Wendy Wybrew

**BHDTA National Carriage Driving Championships**  
**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2011**  
**ENTRY FORM**

Name:

Tel:

Mobile:

Address:

Email:

Owner BDS Membership No:

Driver BDS Membership No:

Class No	Owner	Driver (age if 17 or under)	Horse Name, height, breed	Vehicle	Entry fee
				<b>Total:</b>	

Cheques payable to BHDTA National Championship

Please return completed entry form to:

**Mrs B Foster, The Farm, 139 Low Street, Collingham, Newark, Notts NG23 7NL**

Email: [b8bef@aol.com](mailto:b8bef@aol.com)

Entry fee £10.00 per class Entries close 19<sup>th</sup> August 2011