



# SUTTON PARK - SUNDAY 30 APRIL 2017

# VENUE:

# Sutton Park, Streetly Gate Entrance, Thornhill Road, Sutton Coldfield, B74 3EW

There will be parking marshalls to instruct you on where to park, it's an awkward venue for parking so please be patient and follow the marshalls instructions.

## **VENUE ARRIVAL:**

# Start times are between 10.00 am & 11.30 am (£2 Park Admission after 11.00 am)

Please ensure you print of a map and know your bib number. At the end of the ride members can record their official mileage on the list provided at the secretary.

## **ROUTE:**

The route is a 10m loop which can be ridden twice and will be marked with spray chalk. The terrain can sometimes be deceptively slippy on the short cropped grass so please be careful. You may encounter the wild Exmoor ponies or free roaming cattle during your ride, act calmly around them. This is an extremely busy park with children, dogs, cyclists, kites, model aeroplanes etc so it's very important to be courteous and mindful that not everyone is used to being around horses. More importantly, enjoy the day and remember all marshalls etc are voluntary so smile and thank them please.

# **STRICTLY NO GALLOPING IN THE PARK!**

# FACILITIES:

Catering and toilet at the Town Gate café. No water.

## FIRST AIDER:

This event doesn't have an official first aider, however there is a first aid kit located at the secretary.

## NOTES:

Please leave venue in clean and tidy condition and clear droppings away.

# **PHOTOGRAPHER:**

Ruth www.indiepics.co.uk

## **RIDE ORGANISER:**

Terry Hobin & Julie Griffiths hobinterry@googlemail.com

No SPURS or whips longer than 30" as per our rules. All riders should take time to read through our rules – these can be found on our website

Never pass another horse without asking permission first, always pass at a pace no more than trot. Remember that not everyone may be a confident rider or they may have a novice horse, please see below tail ribbons for guidance.

# TAIL RIBBONS

Please wear the follow ribbons in your horse's tail if needed.

**RED RIBBON – My horse may kick** 

**GREEN RIBBON – I or my horse are nervous /novice, approach with caution and pass with care** 

**BLUE RIBBON – My horse is a stallion** 

# NB. ALL LATE BOOKINGS NOT ON THE BIB NUMBERS LIST MUST BRING A PRINTED COPY OF THEIR BOOKING CONFIRMATION TO GIVE TO THE SECRETARY