



# APPLEBY SPRING RACES

91<sup>st</sup> Year

## Approximately £30,000 Prize Money



SUNDAY 30<sup>th</sup> AND MONDAY 31<sup>st</sup> May 1.30 pm start

The race field gates will open at 11am.

**ONLINE ENTRIES CLOSE Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2021 @ midnight**

All vehicles: cars & wagons to enter the race field by the Grammar school entrance. The bridge entrance is for pedestrians only. Horseboxes will be checked, stowaways found will result in all occupants removed from track & horses will not be allowed to run.

**The BHRC Coronavirus protocol will be adhered to at this race meeting.**

Events 1, 2 & 3 will be held on **both Sunday & Monday.**

**EVENT 1: Qualifiers 1Mile.** Horses need full vaccinations.  
All qualifier events to take place after the final.

**Entry Fee £20**

**EVENT 2: Condition race for horses with no lifetime wins (Maiden) 1M 50 YDS B.F.P.** They will be no splitting of horses for owner/trainer/driver.  
Prize Money £300 £120 £80

**Entry Fee £40**

**EVENT 3: Condition race for horses with one, but no more than one lifetime win. (Novice) 1M 50 YDS B.F.P.** They will be no splitting of horses for owner/trainer/driver.  
Prize Money £300 £120 £80

**Entry Fee £40**

**EVENT 4: Appleby Spring Races Pacing Handicap for horses rated 32-120. 1M 500 YDS.**

10 YDS trail for every 10 rating points, from highest rated horse down. The top 50% of handicap rated horses entered for the Appleby Spring Races Pacing Handicap will run in the Monday handicap. The remaining horses will run in the Sunday handicap. No Owner/Trainer/Driver splits. Races drawn using the horse's handicap ratings. All horses with the same handicap ratings will be balloted for their starting position and if need be, to attain the cut off point for the top 50% rated horses for the Monday handicap.

**Entry Fee £55**

### Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May

**Appleby Spring Races Pacing Handicap.** For the lowest 50% of handicap rated horses entered for the weekend. (See above) **1M 500 YDS.**

**Entry Fee £55**

<b>Sunday Heat Prize Money</b>	<b>£500</b>	<b>£150</b>	<b>£100</b>
<b>Sunday Final Prize Money plus Heat Winnings:</b>	<b>£1500</b>	<b>£700</b>	<b>£300</b>

**EVENT 5: Conditional Race for horses rated below 31, but who have had two lifetime wins. (Min 8 horse) 1M 50YDS.**  
They will be no splitting of horses for owner/trainer/driver. All horses with the same handicap ratings will be balloted for their starting position.  
Prize Money £400 £150 £80 **Entry Fee £40**

## **Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May**

**Appleby Spring Races Pacing Handicap.** The top 50% of handicap rated horses entered for the weekend.  
(See above) **1M 500 YDS.** **Entry Fee £55**

<b>Heat Prize Money</b>	<b>£600</b>	<b>£200</b>	<b>£100</b>
<b>Final Prize Money plus Heat Winnings:</b>	<b>£4000</b>	<b>£1500</b>	<b>£700</b>

**EVENT 6: Le Trot Races.** Appleby Spring Races committee have agreed to stage two Le Trot races. Please see Trot Britain Facebook page for details.

All entries via the BHRC online system. Any queries contact Secretary Claire Bousfield. 07980729160 or [clairebousfield@hotmail.com](mailto:clairebousfield@hotmail.com)

**Horses will be framed under the National Ratings Based Handicap System.**

***No jogging between races, jogging only permitted if condition of track allows. Horse's starting position on gate or line determined by handicap rating; horse with lowest rating placed inside horse with higher rating. Horses with same handicap rating B.F.P. The Appleby Spring Race committee reserve the right to alter the above conditions if circumstances dictate.***

***Please check the Northern Harness Racing Facebook page for updates to this event.***

### **Appleby Races Track Rules**

1. Both the Veterinary Surgeon and the Integrity Officer and/or Chief Track Steward for Appleby will wear body cameras to record the process of integrity testing at our events
2. Both final winners at Appleby Spring Races will be subject to sampling for Integrity Testing. Any other horses selected in accordance with sections F16 & Y of the BHRC Rules and Regulations will also be subject to sampling for Integrity Testing.
3. In accordance with Appendix V of the BHRC Rules and Regulations, there will be an appointed area for testing. All horses chosen for sampling will be escorted to this area and may be stripped of harness and washed down once present at the appointed area (water and equipment to be provided by the trainer). In accordance with section Y of the BHRC Rules, the trainer or their representative may be present to witness the collection of the sample. Should a trainer choose not to witness this process (or nominate a representative), they must sign a declaration before the sample is taken in which they agree that the integrity of the sampling procedure will not be questioned later. No additional personnel may accompany the horse due to Health & Safety.