

Senior International Tetrathlon 2021 at
Aylesford Lodge Farm, Shoby, Melton Mowbray, LE14 3PF.
Team Managers Information – please share with all competitors and parents

You are advised to enter **LE14 3PF** into the sat nav to arrive at Aylesford Lodge. Please be aware that there are electric gates that operate with a sensor. Upon entry drive down the track ahead of you to the stables and checking in area.

FRIDAY - No horses before 2pm or after 10pm.

SATURDAY – No horses before 3pm or after 10pm.

All other times STRICTLY by prior approval only.

COVID Measures

Phase/ Element	Measures
Camping/ onsite	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members will be camping in regions. • No showers will be available on-site due to COVID Measures. • Hand sanitising stations will be provided in the official's area. • We recommend masks are to be worn indoors.
Stabling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hand sanitising stations will be provided in the official's area .
Swimming	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members are to arrive ready to take part in the swim. • Numbers entering the venue must be kept to a minimum. • An official will be at the Bus Park to collect Swim competitors for their warm up. • Members are to arrive 15 minutes before their swim warm-up and are to return to the Bus Park immediately after their swim. Members who have already completed their shoot leave the site directly after the competition. • Only one parent is allowed to attend the site with the member, this parent is not permitted to enter the swimming pool. The team manager can enter to support the members during the swim phase. • Hand Sanitising station will be provided for those entering and leaving the building. • Indoor spaces masks are to be worn, except on the Poolside. • Equipment is not to be shared. • Spectators are not able to attend. • There will be access to have a brief shower after the swim. • Members will be able to dress in a cubical, one member per cubical. • Please ensure footwear is worn when leaving the changing rooms.
Shooting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Numbers entering the venue must be kept to a minimum. • An official will be at the Bus Park to collect Shoot competitors for their detail. • Only one parent may accompany the member to the shoot to put up targets / load etc. • Members are to arrive 15 minutes before their shoot detail and are to return to the Bus Park immediately after their shoot. • Members who have already completed their swim leave the site directly after the competition. • Hand sanitising stations will be provided in the official's area

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Masks are to be worn indoors; these may be removed when on the range. • Members are to only enter the range when they are called in by the Range Master. • Equipment is not to be shared unless previously arranged on booking. • Social distancing is to be maintained. • Spectators are not able to attend inside the Bingham Leisure Centre.
Running	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hand sanitising stations will be provided in the official area. • Runners will be set off at 1 minute intervals. • Please remember to bring riding number bib and number for the run. • Social distancing is to be maintained where possible. • Equipment is not to be shared.
Riding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hand sanitising stations will be provided in the official area. • Equipment is not to be shared. • Social distancing is to be maintained. • Please remember to bring your own number bib and printed number. • Spectators are permitted. • Warm-up will be run under the Pony Club COVID measures: Guidance • A course walk will be available Saturday.

Team Managers Meeting.

Will be onsite on Friday evening at 7pm near the event office. Please come with confirmation of horse shares within your team.

Competitors need to print their own number (this will be needed for both the ride and run phases) and **stable information**. Templates for both are included with the briefing notes.

Vaccination and EVH-1 Inforamtion.

All equines attending the event MUST comply with the Pony Club [Vaccination](#) requirements as per the Vaccination Rule.

Passports must travel with the horse/pony and be ready for inspection on arrival.

Equine Herpes Virus (EHV-1) and control of spreading the disease is of concern to the Pony Club and the Tetrathlon Committee. Please ensure that those attending adhere to the [Pony Club Equine Biosecurity Policy](#).

Further information on EHV can be found [here](#), if your horse or pony is showing any signs of EHV please do not travel.

Please complete the online EHV-1 Self Declaration here: [EHV-1 SELF DECLARATION FORM](#)
The self Declaration MUST be completed 48 hours before arrival.

Camp Site

Please make sure you lock your vehicles when unattended.

Please ensure Dogs are on a lead at all times. Please remember you MUST clean up after your dog! Please place all rubbish in the skip provided on the campsite or take it home. Please do not just leave rubbish bags in the middle of the field. *Any broken glass must be cleared carefully.*

Stable Area: Stable Manager Jayne Bowman Tel: 07791 704216 and Robin Graham Brown

Unless necessary please do not go to the stable area between 11.00 pm and 6.00 am.

Stables:

No bedding has been provided for the temporary stables. Bedding that has been pre-ordered will be put into your stables for you. Extra bedding may be purchased from the stable manager at £6.00 per bale – please arrange through Jayne Bowman.

Bedding may only be ordered between 10 am – 4 pm. We are unable to supply any hay.

Please can the Team Manager or a nominated parent from each Region be responsible for regularly checking the horses in their Region, particularly making sure horses have plenty of water. Regions have been allocated stabling together.

If the stable manager or her team has any concerns regarding a horse, they will contact the Team Manager or competitor. **Please ensure all stable signs have an emergency contact number written on them.**

The temporary stables need to be completely **mucked out** into a pile at the end of the stables when leaving. This must be done neatly as we are responsible for clearing all shavings and muck away ourselves. Please make sure the area around your stable is also left clean and tidy. Regretfully, there will be a **£20 penalty** for those who don't comply with this request.

Horses arriving on Sunday will be directed to the day parking by the steward.

Exercising

The horse exercise area, grazing and areas designated as out-of-bounds will be signed. If in any doubt, please check with your Team leader before venturing out on your horse!

Personal Exercise can take place and there are footpaths across the site that may be walked or ran as appropriate, please take care to ensure you adhere to the countryside code whilst moving through the agricultural land.

Vet and Farrier Services:

Oakham Veterinary Hospital (<https://www.oakhamvethospital.co.uk/equine>) [01572 722 647](tel:01572722647) will be on call from Friday to Sunday inclusive. Sarah Freeman will be on site vet on Sunday 8th August during the riding phase. If Veterinary Assistance is required any treatment must be paid for at the time.

There will be a farrier on call over the weekend. Please make payment direct to the farrier.

Vet and farrier to be contacted through the Stable Managers only.

If you require the Farrier please contact the event organisers, the farrier will be booked to attend in a block booking. A Farrier will be on site for the day of the ride.

The competition phases:

Shooting - Saturday 0915 Bingham Leisure Centre, NG13 8BL – USE the TITHBY ROAD entrance (see map).

Targets will be handed out at the shoot when you present your gun for checking. There is no need for competitors to wear their numbers at the shoot. Please remind competitors of the dress code and ensure they are aware of rule 36 a, b, c, d on page 48, and **especially '36 e' relating to the mandatory wearing of prescription or protective glasses whilst shooting**. Only Team Managers will be able to check and sign for targets.

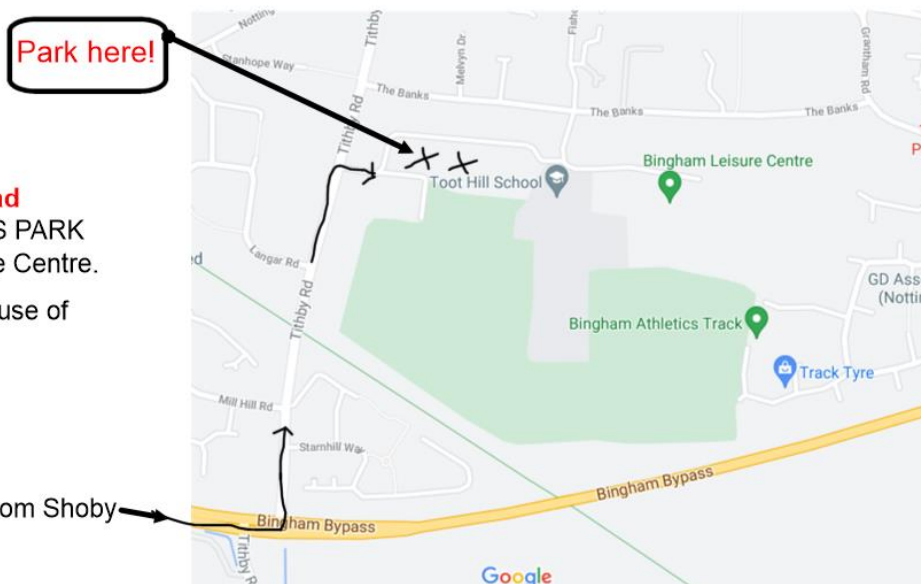
Swimming - Saturday 08:00 Bingham Leisure Centre, NG13 8BL – USE the TITHBY ROAD entrance (see map).

The swim and shoot will take place at Bingham Leisure Centre. All vehicles to park in the Bus Park which is accessed from Tithby Road, Bingham. Please check the map carefully below so that you go to the correct entrance.

In line with the pool's COVID measures, competitors MUST arrive dressed to take part in the competition. Competitors will go straight to the pool, there will be NO opportunity to change into swimwear before the swim.

Please make sure someone from each region remains on the campsite during the swim phase.

Swim and Shoot information: Bingham Leisure Centre NG13 8BL



Use the **Tithby Road** entrance to the BUS PARK for Bingham Leisure Centre. We have exclusive use of this carpark.



Bingham Leisure Centre

Website Directions Save Call

3.4 ★★★★★ 147 Google reviews

Leisure centre in Bingham, England

Address: The Banks, Bingham, Nottingham NG13 8BL

Hours: Open · Closes 9:30PM ▾

Phone: 01949 838628

Fence Judge briefing - on Sunday.

The briefing will be at 8:00am prompt, with an expectation to be on course and in place by 8:30am. Refreshments will be available for fence judges prior to this.

Riding - Sunday 0900 - Course walk will be available on Saturday.

Estimated timings:

Class 1b – first rider on course at 9:00 am

Class 1a – first rider on course at 10:22 am

Class 2b – first rider on course at 12:40 pm

Class 2a – first rider on course at 1:02 pm

Class 3b – first rider on course at 1:30 pm

Class 3a – first rider on course at 2:24 pm

(Please note these are very rough provisional timings only and are subject to change.)

Competitors are required to print their own bibs numbers, the template is included with the briefing pack. Please REMEMBER to bring your own number bib to hold your number. You will also need to reuse your bib and number for the run.

Competitors will ride in the order stated unless they are sharing horses. Open Boys ride starting at 0900. Times are based on 2min intervals but if the course is running well, we will go quicker **and will expect competitors/team managers to keep track of progress and be ready to start in the correct order. The ride starts early, so please ensure that all competitors are ready on time.**

Shared horses must be checked by the vet before they start their second round. **Please ensure the vet is made aware of the need to check your shared horses in good time.** Once the vet thinks that the horse is sufficiently recovered to compete again, it will be slotted in as soon as possible. **Any horse sharing or change of horse must be notified by Saturday morning before the start of the competition.**

Please make your competitors aware that there may be compulsory flags on the course to ensure that they keep off the tracks. Should they pass the wrong side of these flags, they will be eliminated.

Running- Sunday.

Estimated timings:

Classes 2b and 4b – first runner starts at 9:30 am

Classes 2a and 4a – first runner starts at 9:52am

Classes 3b and 5b – first runner starts at 10:15am

Classes 3a and 5a – first runner starts at 10:36pm

Class 1b – first runner starts at 1:00 pm

Class 1a – first runner starts at 1:41

(Please note these are provisional timings only and are subject to change.)

Prize Giving will take place in the Marquee at the end of the event. As is the tradition, all competitors are expected to be present and correctly attired.

Senior Regional shirts 2021

Senior Regional shirts are available to pre-order and will be available to buy at the competition for £35.

If you would like to pre-order please

- ebanking reference is the competitor number, surname and SHIRT eg 181 Bowman SHIRT
- Pay Sort code: NatWest 60-02-41 Account number 69209219 Account name UK Regional Tetrathlon champs
- You MUST email a screenshot of payment for your Senior Regional shirt so that I can link you with your payment!

Please be aware that we have a limited number of shirts available this year.

Food

Country Kitchen will be at Bingham on Saturday and at Aylesford on Sunday.

There is a BBQ for Party night, and vegan options will be available.

Photography Photography in the swimming pool area is not allowed. There will be an official photography on site for the competition.

Photographic rights

Competitors and their guardians give permission for any photographic and/or film or TV footage of persons or horses/ponies taking part in Pony Club events to be used and published in any media whatsoever for editorial purposes, press information or advertising by or on behalf of The Pony Club and/or official sponsors of The Pony Club.

All queries must be made through the Team Managers.

Thank you, and we hope you, your competitors, and parents have a great weekend.

Thank you!

And most importantly, we thank you the competitors and parents for entering our competition and driving all of those miles to join us for this wonderful event.

We thank all of our volunteers (there are a huge number of these tremendous people, and without every single one of these kind people, this competition could not go ahead) and our very kind and amazingly generous sponsors. We thank you all!

DISCLAIMER

1. Save for the death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the organisers, or anyone for whom they are in law responsible, neither the organisers of this event or The Pony Club nor any agent, employee or representative of these bodies, nor the landlord or his tenant, accepts any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders, spectators, land, cars, their contents and accessories, or any other personal property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or in any other way whatsoever. Entries are only accepted on this basis.

2. The organisers of this event have taken all reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present at this event. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents. They must obey the instructions of the organisers and all officials and stewards.

3. All non-Pony Club competitors are not covered by The Pony Club insurance and must have their own third party cover. The Pony Club and the organisers of this event are not legally responsible for non-Members and their insurance will not cover you.

4. Failure to comply with safety rules will result in elimination.

Stable information – please print on A4

Competitor Name	
Horse name	
Pony Club Branch	
Region	
Parent	
Emergency contact number	
Class	

Useful information:

Nearest Shops and Takeaways

Asfordby	1.5 miles
Melton Mowbray	4.5 miles
Loughborough	10.5 miles

Nearest Fuel

A46 (S) Six Hills	4 miles *
Melton Mowbray	4.5 miles
*via A6006 and A46 south	

Nearest Medical Facilities

Urgent Care	Loughborough Hospital (24 hours) Hospital Way, Loughborough, LE11 5JY	11 miles
A & E	Leicester Royal Infirmary (24 hours) Infirmary Square, Leicester, LE1 5WW	16 miles
	Queens Medical Centre (24 hours) Derby Road, Nottingham, NG7 2UH	17 miles