# **Dubai International Arabian Races**

# Sunday July 28, gates open at 12noon

# **Activites and Entertaiment**

#### FREE ENTRY!

For everyone.

Pre-register at newbury-racecourse.co.uk to be entered into a competition to win a trip to Dubai.







## **Racing to School**

Teachers, pupils and their families taking part in the Arabian Rainbow competition are invited to join Racing To School, racing's education programme for school children. This will offer all pupils participating in the competition the chance to take part in a free event before racing.

For those which to enjoy this activity, we ask for pupils and families to be at the Weighing Room steps for 12:10. Guide to the activity:

- Children will have access to areas normally restricted on a raceday (before racing starts).
- **Weighing Room** Children will be given an insight into how racing works, and take part in some challenges linked to the Jockeys weights.
- **On Track** Children will be taken onto the racecourse and discover more about distances used in racing, the photo finish
- **Final Furlong** We will organise a race with a couple of different categories (age prob best) over the final furlong (dressed up in colours, good photo opportunity)

#### **Arabian Rainbow Competition**

The beautiful painted horses will be arranged outside around the parade ring (weather permitting). His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Deputy Ruler of Dubai will judge the Arabian Rainbow competition. Our aim is for the judging to take place between 3 and 3:30pm, but we are totally dependent on His Highness' schedule and racing activity on the day.

#### **Children's Entertainment**

On arrival, racegoers will be given a scratchcard which can be exchanged for a free goodie bag suitable for the younger racing fan.

All entertainment is free and includes:

- Derby Horse Hoppers
- Face painting, Henna tattoos
- Art workshop with Liz Armstrong a member of the Society of Equine Artists
- Test your riding skills on the Equizier. Bryony
  Frost, rising jump jockey star, will be offering help
  and advise
- Falcon exhibit

### **Competitions**

- Best Children's Hat An ipad for both a girl and boy judged to have created the best hat for the day
- Win a brand-new Kia Picanto 2 supplied by Kia Snows of Newbury
- Best Dressed Lady on the day will win a five-night luxurious trip to Dubai courtesy of Emirates Airline and Roda
- Prize Draws. There are two additional holidays to Dubai up for grabs. Enter one by pre-registering at newbury-racecourse.co.uk and the other you will need to fill out the entry form in the racecard on the day.
- Tweet a selfie to @DIA-Races using the hashtag #DIARday2018 on the day, for a chance to win an iPad.