



## **Saturday 18th May 2024: Instructions to Spectators**

### **Location**

Blenheim Palace, Woodstock, OX20 1PP.

- Access to the site will be from the gate into Blenheim Palace off the A44 Oxford- Woodstock Road.
- Coming SOUTH from Oxford this will be on the left shortly after passing the speed camera and before you enter Woodstock.
- Coming NORTH from Stratford, pass right through Woodstock on the A44. The entrance will be clearly signed on the right.
- Upon entering the Palace, cars should follow the instructions of the Car Park Marshalls to get to the Regatta car park.

### **Gates open / close**

Blenheim Palace opens for competitors and spectators of the Regatta at 7:30am.

### **Entry to the Palace**

Each competitor will receive a wristband to guarantee them free entry to the Palace Park and Gardens for the Regatta. These will be sent to clubs. Two free passes will be issued for each towing vehicle and trailer, plus one extra pass for every ten athletes the club has entered. Wristbands must be worn at all times.

Spectators attending the Regatta can enter the Blenheim Park and Gardens free-of-charge by registering through [this link](#). Spectators are encouraged to register as soon as possible, as there will be a limit on numbers. Any Regatta attendant not in possession of a wristband or free-of-charge event ticket will be required to pay for entry on arrival.

### **Parking**

Parking is available inside the grounds of the Palace approximately an 800m walk away from the race course. Please follow the instructions of the car parking marshals on site, who will direct you to a parking space.

### **Cycling & Dogs**

Cycling is not permitted in the Palace grounds.

Dogs are permitted in the Palace grounds but must be kept on a lead at all times.

### **Clothing stalls**

There is official BPJR kit for sale at the FineDesigns tent in the Spectator's Area.

### **Food & Drink**

Food and drink will be available for purchase in the spectator area, and the Blenheim Palace Café is nearby. BBQs are not permitted, but we encourage spectators to bring a picnic! Please use the bins provided and ensure that the area is left clear of litter when you leave the Regatta site.

### **Pontoons**

Spectators are reminded that they should not stand on the pontoons unless actively assisting competitors.