

# A DAY FOR THE GENTLEMEN AT SANDOWN PARK

**B**e the first out of the stalls and get ready for the start of the winter season of racing at Sandown Park Racecourse! The launch of this year's jumping season will take place in association with the Spinal Research raceday on Saturday 10th November 2007, themed Gentlemen's Day.

Due to the outstanding success of the country's very first gentlemen's day last year, Sandown Park is very proud to announce this annual event featuring a whole host of entertainment for both the men and the boys! There will be gadgets and gizmos, boys toys, games and fun bits for your home kindly provided by [www.iwantoneofthose.com](http://www.iwantoneofthose.com) - go online now to see how this unique website can transform your lifestyle with stuff you don't need but you really, really want! Enjoy a host of other entertainment on the day including a casino where Black Jack and Roulette are there to play, plus live music from Class of '87' will be played after racing. There is also the opportunity of taking the highly contested Best Dressed Man competition by storm; this is the ideal day out for those planning stag parties or simply a fun day out for all the boys! In preparation of the competition, pop into the Grooming Stable, where complimentary treatments including traditional wet shaves and massages will be available, compliments of Austin Reed and Aveda.

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This will be the very first year that the first jumps race meeting of the season will be in association with the Spinal Research Raceday. Spinal Research focuses on finding ways to repair damaged spinal cords. More than 40,000 people in the UK are paralysed through damage to the spinal cord, and hundreds more join them each year. Spinal Research has forged close fundraising links to the equestrian world through its Saddle-Up campaign, which is supported by the British Equestrian Foundation. The charity has also funded important work with the help of generous donations from the Injured Jockeys' Fund.

Gates will open at 11am with the first race at 12.55pm - there are 7 races on the card. The racecourse is offering racegoers an advanced package where tickets are only £17 for Grandstand and £25 for Premier\*. Racing is a really social occasion and all group bookings of 6 or more receive a 20% discount. Accompanied children 16 and under are admitted free of charge. To book tickets please call Sandown Park on 01372 470047 or visit [www.sandown.co.uk](http://www.sandown.co.uk).

\*Tickets need to be booked 5 days in advance of the race meeting.



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