



BOODLES MAY FESTIVAL

WEDNESDAY 6, THURSDAY 7 & FRIDAY 8 MAY 2026

The iconic Boodles May Festival, where fashion meets the finishing line, is a prestigious three-day event which attracts some of the best in racing and features the running of the historic Chester Cup. Timeless and elegant, the festival is the jewel in Chester's crown, featuring extensive media coverage and broadcast live on ITV and Sky Sports Racing. It appeals to racing enthusiasts and businesses seeking in-demand corporate hospitality, client entertaining opportunities and brand exposure.



ROMAN DAY

SATURDAY 30 MAY 2026

Celebrating the city's roots, Chester's ever popular Roman Day fixture is a race through history, where families with young children can immerse themselves in educational and fun activities alongside the day's thrilling racing. Community is at the heart of this event, with the racecourse offering resident-based incentive offers and working with partners and charities to provide special and engaging opportunities for children to participate in.



THE SUMMER SOCIAL WEEKEND

FRIDAY 12 & SATURDAY 13 JUNE 2026

The Summer Social Weekend combines two of our most glorious summer fixtures. The Friday is perfect for corporates looking to entertain clients or reward teams, in a unique and fun environment. Whilst the Saturday attracts a large crowd of experience seekers from across the region, determined to dress up, have fun and enjoy everything that a day at the races has to offer.



SUMMER SATURDAY

SATURDAY 27 JUNE 2026

The Summer Saturday is the perfect example of a quintessential day out at Chester Racecourse. Think a warm summers day, with racegoers sipping a glass of champagne as they cheer the horses down the home straight. This fixture, along with other summer Saturdays attract a large crowd of experience seeking racegoers, that are ready for a fun day out at Chester Races.



SUMMER MUSIC WEEKEND

FRIDAY 10 & SATURDAY 11 JULY 2026

Our all singing, all dancing music weekend returns for the 2026 season, and its set to be the best one yet! Friday see's the return of Ibiza in Symphony, playing much-loved Ibiza classics. We'll be announcing Saturday's music act very soon, but it's sure to bring the feel-good vibes after racing.



MIDSUMMER MEETING

SATURDAY 25 JULY 2026

The summer season is in full swing and so is the racing at the Midsummer Meeting. Racegoers are treated to a thrilling display of horse racing, to the backdrop of the incredible Chester atmosphere. Appealing to people that are looking for a fantastic day out with friends, this is an event that definitely makes it out of the group chat.



FAMILY FUN DAY

SUNDAY 2 AUGUST 2026

Racing and smiles run side by side at Family Fun Day, Chester's second family focused fixture of 2026. The Open Course is transformed into a hive of activity for children, with fun games and inflatables adding to the excitement and education of a day at the races. Many partners utilise the opportunity to get involved by running activities and initiatives that engage with a family audience.



POWELLS JEWELLERY LADIES DAY

SATURDAY 22 AUGUST 2026

On Saturday 22nd August, the racecourse will transform into a hive of thrilling racing, fabulous fashions and live music for our infamous Ladies Day. This year JLS legend, and top-class DJ, Marvin Humes will be taking to the stage. He's sure to get the party started, as the sun sets on an incredible day of racing.



THE VIRGIN BET AUTUMN FESTIVAL

FRIDAY 11 & SATURDAY 12 SEPTEMBER 2026

The Autumn Festival features some of the best racing on the Roodee post-May. On the Saturday we have races that showcases some of the best in British racing and attracts an engaged racing audience. The Friday fixture is perfect for corporates wanting to network, entertain clients or reward their teams, and our fantastic hospitality offering makes the perfect setting to do this.



SEASON FINALE

SATURDAY 19 SEPTEMBER 2026

The last fixture of the 2026 season is set to go out with a bang, as we celebrate all that the year had to offer. Raise a toast to the end of the season, enjoy the thrill of the horses galloping down the final furlong for one last time, and then end the day on a high with a huge crowd sing-along with 'Massaoke'. You won't want to leave!