



THE
ROOF

2026

AN EXCLUSIVE RACEDAY
MEMBERS CLUB

AT CHESTER RACECOURSE



1539

Named after the year racing first began in Chester, 1539 is Chester Racecourse's statement on-course eatery, offering quality food and service on all race days and for private functions throughout the year. The unique positioning of 1539 offers a sought-after panoramic view of the world's oldest racecourse.



2026 FIXTURES

MAY

Wednesday 6 th	Boodles May Festival Trials Day
Thursday 7 th	Boodles May Festival Ladies Day
Friday 8 th	Boodles May Festival
	Ladbrokes Chester Cup Day
Saturday 30 th	Roman Day

JUNE

Friday 12 th	The Friday Social
Saturday 13 th	The Saturday Social
Saturday 27 th	Summer Saturday

JULY

Friday 10 th	Ibiza Classics Evening
Saturday 11 th	Music Weekend Saturday
Saturday 25 th	Midsummer Meeting

AUGUST

Sunday 2 nd	Family Fun Day
Saturday 22 nd	Powells Jewellery Ladies Day

SEPTEMBER

Friday 11 th	The Virgin Bet Autumn Festival Friday
Saturday 12 th	The Virgin Bet Autumn Festival Saturday
Saturday 19 th	The Season Finale



MEMBERS,

Welcome to the ultimate racing membership experience this 2026 race season at Chester Racecourse.

Unrivalled panoramic views of the Roodee are here awaiting you, along with an extensive wine Champagne and cocktail list plus a rotation of award-winning food; All delivered to you personally at your exclusive table. Not forgetting private betting facilities and concierge service to match; this membership is envied by many.

BENEFITS:

- Access to the private roof areas of 1539 on all race days throughout the 2026 racing season.
- Designated viewing galleries to enjoy unrivalled panoramic views of the race fixtures and Racecourse facilities.
- An exclusive menu of nibbles, sharing boards and desserts available to order throughout the raceday.
- Complimentary racecards and copies of the racing post.
- Highly experienced cocktail bartenders, sommelier and waiting staff at your service.
- A private ledger for your convenience, to be paid for prior to leaving the roof on each fixture.
- Access to the Pavilion Lawn, Paddock and County Champagne Bars.
- Exclusive post racing roof terrace party including live entertainment.
- Admittance to all 2026 Bangor-on-Dee Racecourse fixtures, including discounted rates on race day hospitality packages.
- Use of the 1539 roof terrace for away racing screenings at discounted rates *subject to demand.
- Members only events and discounts throughout the year.
- Preferential rates for members looking to hold a large event at 1539 or The Walls on non-race days.

YOUR GUESTS

MEMBERSHIP ALSO ENTITLES YOU TO:

- Members with two or more badges can enjoy four complimentary adult guest passes per season (excluding Boodles May Festival) and one for each evening fixture.
- Opportunity to purchase additional guest passes at a cost of £145 per adult.
- Access to a limited guest list facility to register additional guests for roof access for the last race of the day and post racing party.
- Two complimentary junior badges per membership at Family Day and the option to purchase additional badges at £60 per child.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL PLACES ARE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY AT TIME OF REQUEST. FOR FURTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS, SEE PAGE 6.

MEMBERSHIP PACKAGES

FRONT ROW

£4,708*

Exclusive tables adjacent to an unrivalled panoramic view of the track, with retractable roof facility.



TERRACE

£4,130*

Terrace tables in botanical surroundings with views of the course. Enjoy designated race day viewing galleries and a retractable roof facility for all weather viewing.



LOUNGE

£3,558*

Lounge tables within the luxurious lounge bar, opening onto the terraces with access to race day viewing galleries.



*ALL PRICES EXCLUDE VAT



TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- Guest places are limited to your table size, but where possible, we will endeavour to accommodate a larger guest number given enough notice.
- The same day guest may only visit The 1539 Roof up to six times per season. Seven plus visits will require a membership.
- Guest passes must be requested and paid for in advance and are limited per race meeting. Requests for guests must be made a minimum 14 days prior to a fixture and will be confirmed by 7 days prior to the fixture, at which time payable places must be settled by card to secure the place.
- Guest passes requested on the day of the races cannot be processed and **will not be granted**.
- Places are non-refundable and no equivalent cash value will be offered in lieu of any unused places whether complementary or paid for.
- Access is available to adults aged 18 and over only, with the exclusion of the Family Day fixture.
- Family Day badges are for children aged 17 and under, individuals aged 18 and over will require an adult guest place.
- Private ledgers facility - pre-authorisation required on arrival and all items ordered are to be settled after the last race. We are unable to invoice post-event for food & beverage consumed on a race day.
- Post racing roof terrace party. Unless pre-approved by a member of the concierge team, individuals will be denied access to the roof terrace. The concierge team reserve the right to limit the number of evening guests each member can invite to the roof on busier fixtures.
- Management reserve the right to refuse requests/admittance, should capacity reach maximum occupancy on race day. We also reserve the right to invite guests of Chester Race Company to The Roof and manage our own guest list post racing.
- The venue will close at 10.30pm, however we reserve the right to close earlier should guest numbers be low.
- All services are subject to availability on the race day and we reserve the right to remove or change any service or facility without prior notice.
- Gentlemen are required to wear well-tailored suit/blazer, collared shirt and smart trousers. A tie must be worn. Ladies are required to wear a dress, skirt, or smart trouser suit. No excessively revealing clothing is permitted, and jeans, trainers, shorts, fancy dress or sportswear will not be accepted on the 1539 Roof.
- A £5 charge will be issued to replace any lost membership swing badges or swipe cards.
- A Code of Conduct is in place and Chester Race Company reserves the right to ask members or guests to leave or revoke membership should this not be adhered to.
- Chester Race Company general terms & conditions also apply to all members and their guests, full details are available at: www.chester-races.com/terms-and-conditions

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