



PRESS ACCREDITATION
HENLEY ROYAL REGATTA
Tuesday, 27 June — Sunday, 2 July 2023

Application for Accreditation

Requests for Press Accreditation shall be made through the online form by 9 June, 2023. As demand always exceeds supply, it is much regretted that accreditation cannot be guaranteed and applicants are therefore urged to submit their requests as early as possible to avoid disappointment.

Please note, the Regatta reserves the right to request a letter of confirmation from an editor before any accreditation is granted.

Henley Royal Regatta reserves the right to expect all Media Colleagues attending the event to adhere to a Regatta COVID Code of Conduct, should this be necessary.

The following facilities are provided:

a) ***Regatta Enclosure Accreditation***

Journalists receiving ***standard press accreditation*** will normally be issued with a Regatta Enclosure Accreditation pass admitting the wearer to the Press Office, the Boat Tent Area and the Regatta Enclosure. ***Please note, no category of press accreditation allows access to the Stewards' Enclosure.***

b) ***Press Accreditation***

Specialist rowing writers will be allowed access to the Press Box which is positioned on the river at the Finish of the Course. Generalist press will only be permitted access to this area on a case-by-case basis for limited periods each day. ***Press Accreditation will also admit the wearer to all areas mentioned in (a).***

c) ***Photographers' Accreditation***

Two photography boxes are provided for the use of specialist rowing photographers and film crews. Access to both boxes is by a ferry provided by the Regatta. ***Photographers' Accreditation will also admit the wearer to all areas mentioned in (a).***

i) The High-Level Box is positioned on the river at the Finish, on the opposite side from the Press Box.

ii) The Low-Level Box is positioned on the river 100 yards short of the Finish, opposite the Enclosure.

d) ***Press Office***

This facility is positioned within the Boat Tent Area, immediately to the right of the entrance gate. The Press Office provides writing facilities, press information, racing schedules and internet access, and can be used by all accredited journalists and photographers. Accredited journalists and photographers will be able to access a secure wireless network. The Press Team will provide you with a wi-fi password when you arrive on site.

e) ***Press Facilities for following Races***

A very limited number of launch tickets is made available to the press for following specific races in the Umpire's launch. ***Ticket requests should be made to a member of the Press Team, and are allocated each evening once the Racing Programme for the following day has been circulated.*** Journalists are warned that possession of a ticket for following a race in the Umpire's launch does not guarantee a seat being available.

Please note the following:

a) ***Freelance Journalists and Photographers***

Freelance journalists will only be considered for accreditation if their application is accompanied by a letter of support from an established journal or agency. The Regatta reserves the right, even in this circumstance, to restrict accreditation.

b) ***Film and Television Coverage***

Accreditation for film or television crews for news access will no longer necessarily be granted without payment of a fee. Organisations producing feature or magazine-type programmes and/or requiring more extensive coverage will, if admitted, be charged an additional facility fee which will be subject to separate negotiation. Such applications must be finalised before 16 June 2023.

c) ***Direct Telephone Lines***

Direct telephone lines to the Press Office are installed from Monday, 26 June to Sunday, 2 July:

(01491) 637775 and (01491) 637981

Alternatively, please call either Sabina Mollart Rogerson +44 7922 140 148 or Anna Wemyss on +44 7852 100 464.

d) ***Live Stream***

Follow from home and online - Henley Royal Regatta will be streamed live on the Henley Royal Regatta YouTube channel from Tuesday – Sunday, covering all the racing action.

e) ***Website***

The official website for Henley Royal Regatta is <https://www.hrr.co.uk/> and will be updated on a regular basis with the latest News, Photos, Results of Racing and the Racing Timetable during the Regatta.

f) ***Social Media Channels***

Please follow our social media channels for all the latest updates :

Twitter: [@HenleyRegatta](#), [@HenleyResults](#)

Facebook: [@henleyroyalregatta](#)

Instagram: [@henleyroyalregatta](#)

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/user/HenleyRoyalRegatta>

g) ***Dress Code***

In those areas of the Regatta where accredited journalists have unrestricted access there is no dress code - however, many members of the media like to dress more formally and thus enter more fully into the spirit of the occasion.

h) ***Restrictions applying to the Stewards' Enclosure***

The Stewards' Enclosure is a private enclosure for Members and their Guests. Access is therefore not available to those seeking Press Accreditation. Any member of the press endeavouring to gain access to the Stewards' Enclosure for journalistic purposes will have their accreditation withdrawn.

ACCREDITATION PASSES AND CAR PARK HANGERS WILL NOT BE SENT BY POST. THOSE WHO ARE SUCCESSFUL IN APPLYING FOR ACCREDITATION WILL BE ISSUED WITH A ONE-TIME PASS ALLOWING THEM TO PARK THEIR CARS IN THE REGATTA CAR PARKS TO ENABLE THEM TO COLLECT THEIR ACCREDITATION PASS IN PERSON FROM THE PRESS OFFICE FROM 09:30 ON MONDAY, 26 JUNE ONWARDS.