



SCHOOLS & UNIVERSITIES POLO ASSOCIATION

Senior & Ladies Schools Arena Championships
Sunday, 2nd March 2025
Rugby Polo Club, Onley Grounds Farm, Willoughby,
Rugby CV23 8AJ

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If you are running late, please call
Caroline Grayson on 07889 141344 or
Gill Glimmerveen on 07887 950414

We are really looking forward to seeing everyone on Sunday. A huge thank you to Rugby Polo Club of hosting us, please abide by their rules.

Important Information

Please make sure that you read all the information in this letter and pass it on to everyone attending (including parents, horse hirers, coaches etc).

All horses that come to Rugby Polo Club must have their passports with up-to-date vaccinations with them, we will be carrying out random checks.





Start Time and Length/No. of Chukka's per division

Both arenas will start at 9.30 am promptly.

Beginners will play 4 x 4.5 mins chukkas.

Novice Red, Novice Blue, Lower Inters, Upper Inters Yellow and Upper Inters Green will play 3 x 6 mins chukkas.

Open will play 4 x 6 min chukkas.

All teams are expected to be mounted and in the warmup arena a **minimum** of 1 chukka before their match. If any team/player holds up play due to not keeping an eye on the App they will find that their team has a goal awarded against them.

We are paper free, and all times and scores will be live on the PlayPolo App. Please ensure that you have downloaded the app before your arrival at Rugby Polo Club. The 'Play Polo' app is available in the App Store for both Android and Apple or you can follow the link here: <https://unitedpolo.page.link/muj>

This is also a brilliant way for anyone unable to attend the event to be able to see how their team is doing!

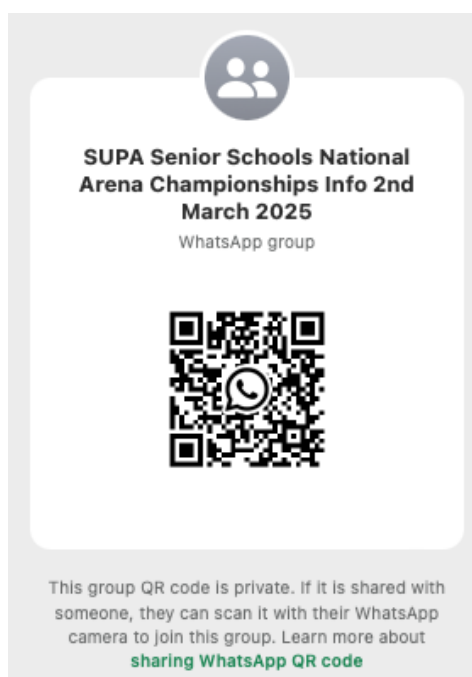
We have attached chukka lists with numbers & times, please note the times are purely a guide, it is your responsibility to keep an eye on the app. If a score has been entered it means the next chukka has commenced.





WhatsApp Group

Please all sign up to the WhatsApp Group for Sunday – we will use this to keep you up to date with any changes that might occur from now onwards and on the day.



Hats

All hats must meet HPA requirements and be tagged with the SUPA hat tag (pink) please visit SATs (in the warm up arena) or Willoughby Park Polo Gear (on the first floor) to get this done before getting on any ponies. You will not be allowed to play if your hat is not tagged with the pink SUPA tag.

<https://hpapolo.co.uk/download/2024Helmet-Rules.pdf>





Rules

Please ensure that you have read the rules on our website <https://www.supa.org.uk/>

Coaches

If you have a coach in attendance, they must appear on the HPA approved coaches list. No one may coach at any SUPA tournament without this qualification.

Dress code

Whites, numbered shirts (no hoodies when riding) knee pads, and long boots or chaps. Please remember hats must comply with HPA rules.

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Prestige & Village – Dubai Trip

All students who have applied to the Prestige & Village Trip, please come and see Caroline at the Control Tower on arrival at Rugby Polo Club, to collect a pink arm band that needs to be worn all day.

We will be announcing the selected players at prize giving.

Prizes Giving

There are prizes for everyone who has competed. Prize Giving will commence approximately 10 minutes after the final chukka in the area overlooking the indoor arena. **All teams are expected to attend in their shirts, whites and boots.**





Catering

There are lots of food options at Rugby Polo Club please see attached document.

Merchandise

SATs will be in attendance in the warmup arena if you require any kit <https://www.satsfaction.com/shop/> and Willoughby Park Polo Gear is located on the first floor <https://www.wppologear.co.uk/>.

Photographers

KB Photography will be in the Chukka Bar





We are delighted to welcome **HMA Tax** as our new sponsor for this year's **Senior Schools Arena Championships**.

HMA Tax takes great pride in supporting polo at every level, from grassroots to High Goal. As a long-standing title sponsor at **Beaufort Polo Club**, they have demonstrated their commitment to the sport over many years. Now, they are thrilled to extend their support to **SUPA**, championing the development of aspiring players and the future of polo.

HMA Tax are a market leading, award winning team of Accountants, Tax Advisors and Surveyors who help commercial property owners identify previously unclaimed Capital Allowances in the pursuit of tax relief.

If you are a commercial property owner and would like to estimate the potential Capital Allowances available within your property, please follow the link: <https://www.hmatax.co.uk/calculator?ref=ACRB>

[Chestertons Polo in the Park](#)

[6th, 7th & 8th June 2025, Hurlingham Park, London](#)

We are thrilled that Chestertons Polo in the park are offering SUPA members a discount to their event in June. Please visit the SUPA website to receive the unique SUPA discount code to this event.

