



HARTPURY
UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE



FEI

EUROPEAN
CHAMPIONSHIPS
HARTPURY 2022
DRESSAGE
AND EVENTING

YOUNG RIDERS & JUNIORS

VOLUNTEER

... supporting champions of the future

FEI Dressage & Eventing European Championships for Young Riders and Juniors 2022

"We're extremely excited about welcoming the best young riders in Europe to Hartpury in 2022 and providing the environment in which they're able to produce their very best." (Phillip Cheetham, Equine Director)

Spectators will have the opportunity to watch potential World and Olympic champions of the future in action within the setting of our multi-million-pound equine facilities in the heart of Gloucestershire.

VOLUNTEER OVERVIEW

Welcome to Hartpury, home of the 2022 FEI Dressage and Eventing European Championships for Young Riders and Juniors, 25 - 31 July.

With over 250 riders across the two disciplines, joining us from more than 25 European nations, competitors between the ages of 14 – 21 will be showcasing their dressage & eventing talents as champions of the future.

To successfully deliver this event, we are dependent on volunteers to work alongside the dedicated team at Hartpury to provide enthusiastic support and assistance throughout the competition.

We strive to maintain a brilliant competition atmosphere here at Hartpury, where everyone feels welcomed and relaxed, at the same time ensuring that we uphold standards and provide a safe environment. It is therefore important that we are committed to our volunteers; showing consideration to effective role allocation, provision of a designated volunteer coordinator as well as defined points of contact on event days, and ensuring all staff and volunteers feel valued and equipped with all relevant information.

In return we ask that our volunteers are reliable, committed and represent Hartpury positively... and most importantly, **have fun!**

Website: www.hartpuryequineevents.co.uk/europeans

Email: europeans2022@hartpury.ac.uk

WE ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR EVENT VOLUNTEERS FOR...

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Get involved...

don't worry, there are roles suitable for all – horsey or not!



In the action but no direct horse contact



No horses, possible independent work



Horses, horses and more horses



Specific knowledge required



Minimal to no horse experience / knowledge required...



Arena Party



Roaming Catering



Lorry/Car Parking



Crossing Point Stewards



General Assistant



Visitor Services Assistant



Hospitality Hosts



Minibus Driver



Flag Hoister



Road Crossing Steward

Experience & horse knowledge / confidence required...



Collecting/Holding Arena Assistant



Competition Gate Attendant



Score Inputter / Writers



Event Office Support



Yard Assistants



Passports & Horse Inspections



Horse Box Driver



Master of Ceremonies



Arena Maintenance/Cleaner



XC Finish Assistants

Volunteer Guide – for new or inexperienced volunteers we will produce a specific & detailed document containing event information, role descriptions, event maps, FAQs & T&Cs.

Volunteer Coordinator – a dedicated member of staff acting as direct point of contact for all volunteers ahead of, and during, the event. ...any queries, please contact: [europeans2022@hartpury.ac.uk](mailto: europeans2022@hartpury.ac.uk)

Volunteer Benefits – all volunteers will receive an event t-shirt to wear during their shift/s and an event souvenir.

General Info:

- 🔒 A designated base for volunteers will be available to use before, during and after shifts.
- 🔒 Shift durations vary according to role but will generally be a minimum of 4-6 hours.
- 🔒 Free meal allowances will be based on 1 meal per 5 hours, with refreshments available throughout.
- 🔒 Accommodation can be provided where required - subject to the relevant criteria being met (i.e., according to timetabled shift/s).
- 🔒 Accreditation/event passes will need to be worn whilst volunteering at the European Championships.
- 🔒 The competition will be taking place outdoors, so volunteer roles are predominantly going to be based outside. Please bear this in mind and dress appropriately for the weather.
- 🔒 Competition schedule cannot be confirmed until entries have closed, once complete, a more precise timetable will be developed for volunteers and updated information will be sent via email.

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