

# STYLE

2019

THE ROYAL ASCOT STYLE GUIDE

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# A world like nowhere else

oyal Ascot is synonymous with sartorial elegance. This is upheld by our Dress Code, which invites guests to contribute to an occasion heralded as a major fashion event in its own right.

For a second year we have partnered with Cunard to bring you the Royal Ascot Style Guide 2019, to advise and inspire guests with what to wear to the Royal Meeting in June.

The Royal Ascot Dress Code is traditional, woven into the very fabric of our history. It was Beau Brummell, perhaps Britain's first fashion icon, who at the turn of the 19th century dictated the dress for men in the Royal Enclosure. His sense of style is still reflected in Royal Ascot fashions today.

Ascot continues to recognise key trends in the ever-evolving world of fashion and in 2019 monochrome dressing, statement bows and tailoring for women are some of the spring/summer fashion highlights for the coming season. For gentlemen, mixed textures and bold colours come to the forefront of formal wear.

For further information about Royal Ascot, our official Dress Code and the stories that make the Royal Meeting a world like nowhere else, please visit ascot.co.uk.

#RoyalAscot



#### Front

Hat: Philip Treacy philiptreacy.co.uk £1.350

Dress: Suzannah suzannah.com £2,850

Shoes: Malone Souliers malonesouliers.com £475

# ROYAL ENCLOSURE

## DRESS CODE

#### **LADIES**

Ladies are kindly reminded that formal daywear is a requirement in the Royal Enclosure, defined as follows:

- Dresses and skirts should be of modest length defined as falling just above the knee or longer.
- Dresses and tops should have straps of one inch or greater. Strapless, off the shoulder, halter neck and spaghetti straps are not permitted.
- Jackets and pashminas may be worn.
  Tops and dresses underneath should
  still comply with the Royal Enclosure
  Dress Code.
  Midriffs must be covered
- Trouser suits are welcome.
   They should be of full-length to the ankle and of matching material and colour.
- Jumpsuits are welcome.
   They should fall below the knee, with regulations matching that for dresses.
- Hats should be worn; however, a headpiece which has a solid base of 4 inches (10cm) or more in diameter is acceptable as an alternative to a hat.
   Fascinators are not permitted.

#### **GIRLS**

Girls (aged 10-17) should dress in accordance with the ladies' Dress Code. However, they may wear a headpiece or fascinator as an alternative to a hat, without any size restriction.

#### GENTLEMEN

Gentlemen are kindly reminded that it is a requirement to wear either black or grey morning dress which must include:

- A waistcoat and tie (no cravats or bow ties)
- A black or grey top hat
- Black shoes worn with socks

A gentleman may remove his top hat within a restaurant, a Private Box, a private club or a facility's terrace, balcony or garden. Hats may also be removed within any enclosed external seating area within the Royal Enclosure Gardens.

The customisation of top hats (with, for example, coloured ribbons or bands) is not permitted in the Royal Enclosure.

Novelty waistcoats and ties, unless of a patriotic nature (for example your national flag) are not permitted.

Top hats by Oliver Brown are available at 75 Lower Sloane Street, oliverbrown.org.uk.

#### BOYS

Boys (aged 10-17) should either dress in accordance with the gentlemen's Dress Code; or alternatively may wear a dark-coloured lounge suit with a shirt and tie.

PLEASE NOTE: In addition to the specific guidance of the Dress Code, fancy dress, novelty and branded or promotional clothing is not permitted on site.

















PRUE WHITE - Stylist

66 If you're feeling bold, start with your hat.

Find something you love and that
flatters your face – both colouring and shape – and
build your outfit from there.



MARCO ANTONIO - MUA and Hair Stylist

66 My favourite SS19 make-up trend would be pastel eyes vs a stronger lip. And gorgeous, glowing skin will always be on-trend! 99



LUIS MONTEIRO - Photographer

Take your **perfect Royal Ascot outfit** shot at sunset – it's the best light of the day. **99** 



# QUEEN ANNE ENCLOSURE

## DRESS CODE

#### LADIES

Ladies within the Queen Anne Enclosure are required to dress in a manner as befits a formal occasion and are kindly asked to take note of the following:

- A hat, headpiece or fascinator should be worn at all times.
- Strapless dresses and tops are not permitted. Please note our definition of strapless necklines include off-the-shoulder, Bardot and one shoulder.
- Trouser suits must be full-length, and jumpsuits should fall below the knee.
   Both must adhere to the neckline regulations above.
- · Midriffs must be covered.
- · Shorts are not permitted.

#### **GIRLS**

Girls aged 17 and under should be dressed for a formal occasion.

Smart summer dresses are suggested.

Hats, headpieces and fascinators may be worn but are not compulsory.

#### GENTLEMEN

Gentlemen are required to wear a full-length suit with a collared shirt and tie, and kindly asked to take note of the following:

- Jackets and trousers should be of matching colour and pattern.
- A tie should be worn at all times.
   Bow ties and cravats are not permitted.
- Socks must be worn and should cover the ankle
- · Jeans, chinos and trainers are not permitted.

#### BOYS

Boys aged 10-17 should wear a suit or jacket with a shirt and tie. Younger boys nine and under should be dressed smartly but are not required to wear a jacket or tie.

PLEASE NOTE: In addition to the specific guidance of the Dress Code, fancy dress, novelty and branded or promotional clothing is not permitted on site.











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# VILLAGE ENCLOSURE

## DRESS CODE

#### LADIES

Ladies within the Village Enclosure are required to dress in a manner as befits a formal occasion and are kindly asked to take note of the following:

- A hat, headpiece or fascinator should be worn at all times.
- Strapless dresses and tops are not permitted. Please note our definition of strapless necklines include off-theshoulder, Bardot and one shoulder.
- Trouser suits must be full-length, and jumpsuits should fall below the knee.
   Both must adhere to the neckline regulations above.
- · Midriffs must be covered.
- · Shorts are not permitted.

#### GIRLS

Girls aged 17 and under should be dressed for a formal occasion.

Smart summer dresses are suggested.

Hats, headpieces and fascinators may be worn but are not compulsory.

Please note, the Village Enclosure is a grassed area and ladies should consider their hat size and shoes accordingly. Smaller hats or fascinators and wedges or block heels are recommended in place of large headwear or stilettos.

#### **GENTLEMEN**

Gentlemen are required to wear a full-length suit with a collared shirt and tie, and kindly asked to take note of the following:

- A tie should be worn at all times.
   Bow ties or cravats may also be worn in the Village Enclosure.
- Socks must be worn and should cover the ankle
- · Jeans and trainers are not permitted.

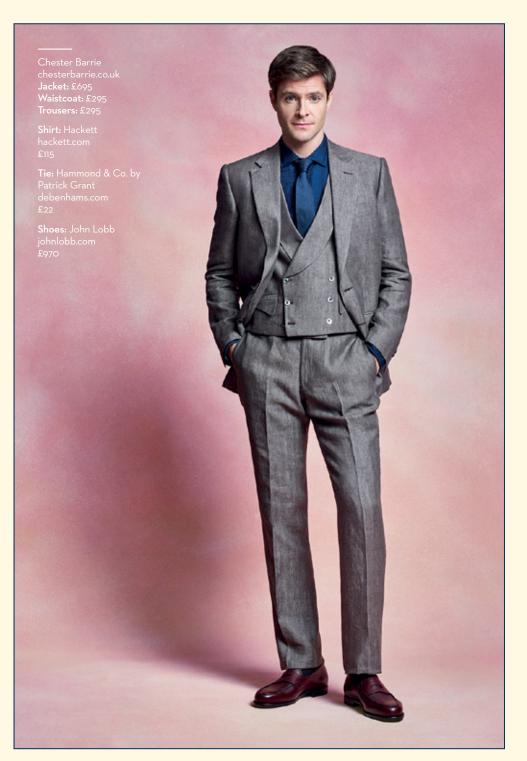
#### BOYS

Boys aged 10-17 should wear a suit or jacket with a shirt and tie. Younger boys nine and under should be dressed smartly but are not required to wear a jacket or tie.

PLEASE NOTE: In addition to the specific guidance of the Dress Code, fancy dress, novelty and branded or promotional clothing is not permitted on site.















What you know. If you never wear heels in day-to-day life, don't start at Ascot.

SS19's hottest shoes all have a midi-heel so are ideal for a full day on your feet. And if you're more comfortable in trousers than a dress, try a jumpsuit or a trouser suit.



MARCO ANTONIO - MUA and Hair Stylist

66 Remember that this is a day-time event, so consider using more summery shades and let your outfit and hat do most of the talking. 99



LUIS MONTEIRO - Photographer

66 Ask your friend with the best Instagram photos to capture your look for the Royal Meeting. 99





# WINDSOR ENCLOSURE

## DRESS CODE

Whilst there is no official Dress Code for the Windsor Enclosure, ladies and gentlemen are encouraged to dress in smart daywear.

It is recommended that ladies wear smart attire with a hat or fascinator and gentlemen wear a jacket, collared shirt and full-length trousers.

PLEASE NOTE: In addition to the specific guidance of the Dress Code, fancy dress, novelty and branded or promotional clothing is not permitted on site.

















# ALL ENCLOSURES

## DRESS CODE

#### OVERSEAS VISITORS

Overseas visitors are welcome to wear the formal National Dress of their country or Service Dress.

#### SERVING MILITARY PERSONNEL

Serving military personnel are welcome to wear Service Dress or equivalent.

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