



RACING JOURNEYS

In 1994 Goodwood led the way in offering their members the opportunity to combine a passion for racing with travel. Naturally we are spoilt in being based at arguably the most beautiful racecourse in the world, but there are plenty of lovely racecourses to explore overseas.

In the early 90's, the 10th Duke of Richmond insisted that a party from Goodwood should travel to California for the Goodwood Handicap run at Santa Anita. So memorable was the experience, that it led to us planning racing tours on an annual basis. Our members have experienced racing as far afield as Argentina, Hong Kong, Chile and Dubai. Closer to home we have enjoyed racing at Merano, Copenhagen, San Sebastián and Baden-Baden, to name but a few. This summer we enjoyed visiting Rathbarry Stud and racing from Cork in Ireland.

Our racing tours are offered in conjunction with the Sussex based travel agency, Travel Options, who ensure the smooth running of our journeys. Regularly our members consider the racing holidays as one of their favourite aspects of membership.



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GOODWOOD RACEHORSE
OWNERS' GROUP

33rd Scheme

WELCOME

With syndicate and partnership schemes amongst the most popular level of racehorse ownership, the choice and type of involvement can appear overwhelming. If you are considering ownership for the first time, it makes sense to go with a familiar name that has longevity.

The Goodwood Racehorse Owners’ Group was launched in 1994; since then there have been 19 individual winners, with an enviable strike rate of over 60% winners to horses purchased.

The Goodwood Racehorse Owners’ Group was the brainchild of the 10th Duke of Richmond, who wanted anyone with an interest in racing, to have the opportunity to become a racehorse owner. Goodwood is proud to continue his wish, with his grandson Lord William Gordon-Lennox having succeeded his grandfather as our patron. With this comes the feeling that you are in ‘safe and knowledgeable hands’; such is the Goodwood brand, which offers a sense of belonging. The sporting estate is well known for offering something that is truly special and distinctive.

This year, our familiar red and yellow embroidered silks, that are now well known across British racecourses, will be worn by the talented three-year-old Goodwood Galaxy, in training with local trainer David Menuisier. Our new two-year-old, Goodwood Meteor, is in training with Marcus Tregoning at Whitsbury. With Goodwood Galaxy already a winner, we expect him to add to our tally of winners again this year. Our two-year-old is pleasing his trainer at home, and is likely to make his racecourse debut in the month of June.

This year we launch our 33rd Scheme and we are pleased to invite you to participate in a two-year scheme with a one-off, all inclusive, payment of £1800. Membership includes a full calendar of social events and regularly provides a return on your investment. Additionally, our members will have use of the Owners and Trainers Pavilion at Goodwood at all non-Qatar Goodwood Festival meetings, as well as a full diary of some 35 reciprocal events to choose from.

Join us on a thrilling journey from sale ring through to racecourse to be shared and enjoyed by all.

Gail Brown
Racing Manager



“I have always loved racing and being gifted a membership of GROG has been the most fun and enjoyable experience. Being part of Goodwood Galaxy’s journey, the ups and downs, is something I shall always treasure.”

Justine Johnson

APPLICATION FORM FOR INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP IN 2026

I would like to subscribe to the Goodwood Racehorse Owners’ Group (33rd scheme) at an all-inclusive cost of £1800 payable in full on or before 30th September 2026.

CONTACT DETAILS

Title _____ Forename _____ Surname _____

Address _____

_____ Postcode _____

Telephone Number _____ Mobile Number _____

Email Address _____

How did you hear about GROG Membership? _____

PAYMENT DETAILS

Signature _____ Date of Application _____

I wish to reserve a share today ☐

I wish to pay by BACS ☐

I agree to making a payment of £1800 by 30 September 2026 to:

Goodwood Racehorse Owners’ Group Ltd
Weatherbys Bank
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To make a payment via credit/debit card, please call the membership office on 01243 755029.

Please note that subject to availability it may be possible to purchase membership after this date.

I understand that you will make any payment due to me at the end of the scheme into the following bank account (please provide your bank details here). Please note that you are responsible for advising us of any amendments to these details. Thank you.

Account held in the name of _____ Bank _____

Sort code _____ Account number _____

We will hold your bank details securely in line with GDPR

DATA PROTECTION

From time to time, we permit other companies within The Goodwood Estate Company Limited Group to write to you about their products and services. If you would like to hear from us, please tick here ☐

RETURN ADDRESS

Thank you for your application. Please post your completed form to:
GROG Membership, Goodwood Racecourse, Goodwood, Chichester, West Sussex PO18 0PS.

SUCCESS STORIES

The Goodwood Racehorse Owners' Group has enjoyed considerable success including:

Horse	Purchase Price	Won and Placed	Prize Money	Sale Price	Returns to Member
Goodwood Blizzard	12,000 Guineas	6 Times	£33,498	58,000 Guineas	£451
Goodwood Prince	13,000 Guineas	4 Times	£10,509	18,000 Guineas	£266
Goodwood Spirit	28,000 Guineas	11 Times	£20,182	23,000 Guineas	£226
Goodwood Starlight	32,000 Guineas	6 Times	£18,121	33,000 Guineas	£326
Goodwood Treasure	10,000 Guineas	5 Times	£6,496	16,000 Guineas	£215
Goodwood Atlantis	32,000 Guineas	4 Times	£13,663	30,000 Guineas	£282
Goodwood Mirage	27,000 Guineas	7 Times	£29,153	380,000 Guineas	£2,409
Goodwood Storm	28,000 Guineas	5 Times	£4,504	24,000 Guineas	£307
Goodwood Zodiac	42,000 Guineas	6 Times	£31,024	70,000 Guineas	£610
Goodwood Crusader	44,000 Guineas	8 Times	£20,954	30,000 Guineas	£285
Goodwood Showman	32,000 Guineas	9 Times	£4,657	13,000 Guineas	£265
Goodwood Odyssey	50,000 Guineas	5 Times	£44,746	105,000 Guineas	£1,006
Goodwood Galaxy	45,000 Guineas	3 Times	£17,000	Remains in Training	

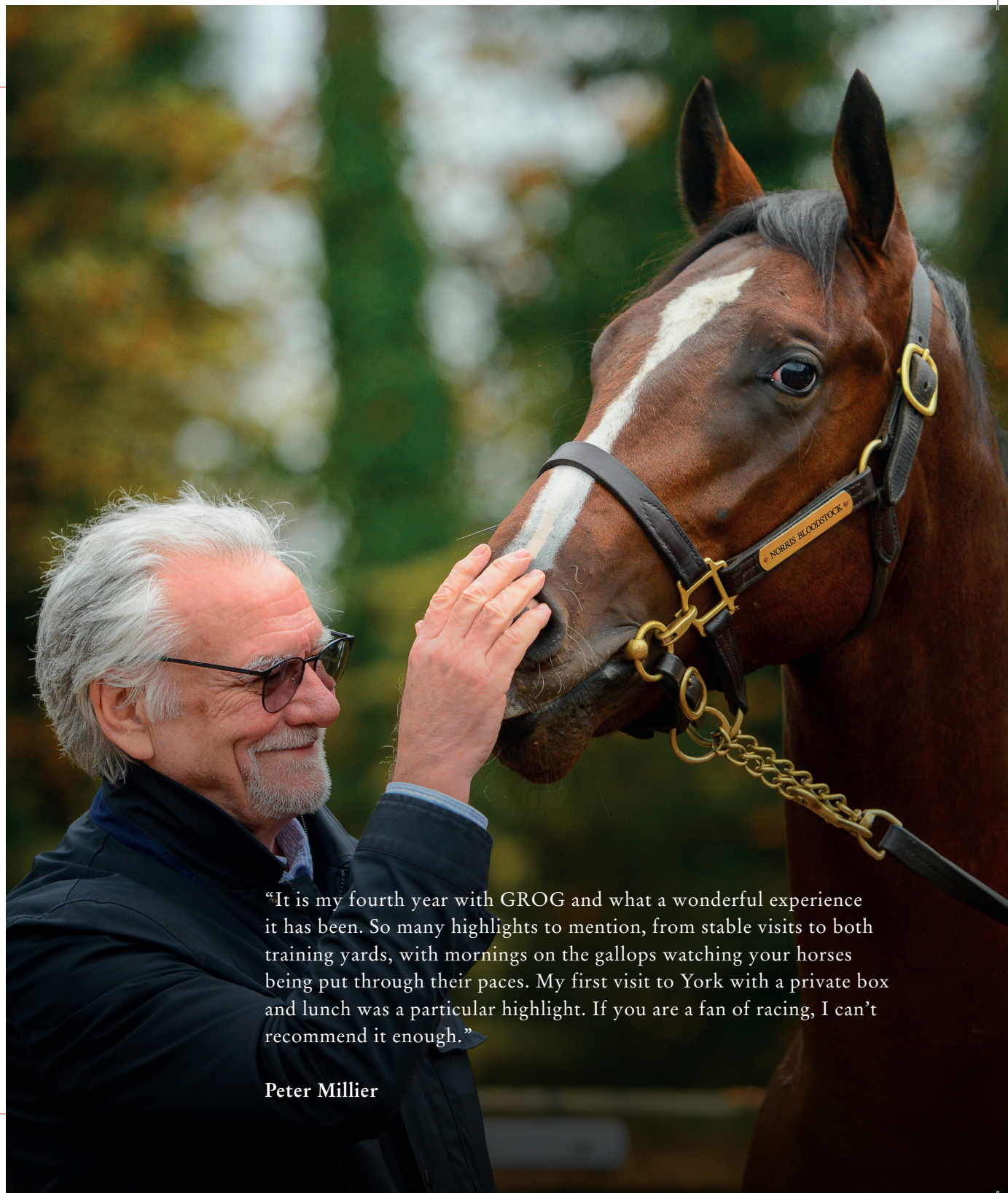


MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Members of the Goodwood Racehorse Owners' Group receive many exclusive benefits and privileges with their racehorse ownership.

- Your membership is priced at £1800 for two years, to cover the 2027 | 2028 racing seasons.
- Membership includes a number of complimentary social events, the purchase of the yearling, training fees and all running costs comprising transport, veterinary expenses, jockey fees and insurance.
- Access to the Owners & Trainers Pavilion at Goodwood Racecourse at all meetings other than the Qatar Goodwood Festival.
- At the end of the scheme all profits from winnings and resale money, together with unused training fees, are shared amongst members. The schemes regularly pay a return on investment at the end of the membership.
- All membership details, including a certificate and metal badge, are presented in our bespoke livery.
- You will enjoy a minimum of **seven** UK based complimentary social events during your membership and will have access to a full calendar of other organised social events. This will include two visits to both the gallops and yard of your trainer in the first year, and one visit in the second year. This will also include two events at Goodwood House.
- You will receive a monthly email newsletter and regular updates on the social media platform Facebook.
- Membership of The Racing Manager, will provide members with instant notification of entries, declarations, Timeform analysis and race replays.
- A complimentary Richmond Enclosure Badge whenever your horse runs at Goodwood Racecourse. Access to a diary of circa 35 reciprocal events shared with members of Goodwood's Horseracing Club.

Under the terms and conditions of the group, we hold the right, at our absolute discretion and without prior notice, to refuse participation, expel or ban any member who in our opinion behaves or is likely to behave in an unacceptable or unruly manner.



"It is my fourth year with GROG and what a wonderful experience it has been. So many highlights to mention, from stable visits to both training yards, with mornings on the gallops watching your horses being put through their paces. My first visit to York with a private box and lunch was a particular highlight. If you are a fan of racing, I can't recommend it enough."

Peter Millier

SOCIAL EVENTS

Enjoy access to a full calendar of social events

SUNDAY 29 NOVEMBER 2026

Goodwood House, Drinks Reception and optional lunch. Parade of horses and the first social event for members of the 33rd Scheme.*

FEBRUARY 2027

Racing Forum at the Goodwood Hotel. Guest speakers to cover a racing topic followed by a discussion.**

APRIL | MAY 2027

Private visit to trainer's yard and gallops, to include informal breakfast | brunch.*

MAY 2027

Members' overseas tour to Rome or Milan for one of the Italian Classic races. Full itinerary of excursions. Call 01903 700800 to make a reservation via Travel Options from November. Limited availability.**

JUNE 2027

Stud visit and pub lunch. The opportunity to view stallions, mares and foals in their natural surroundings followed by a pub lunch.**

QATAR GOODWOOD FESTIVAL 2027

Two Summer Receptions to be held in an exclusive area within the grounds of the racecourse. A lovely opportunity for members to meet and bring guests.**

SEPTEMBER 2027

Members' visit to Prague, Czech Republic, for racing from Prage-Velká Chuchle Racecourse. A new destination for GROG. Call 01903 700800 to make a reservation via Travel Options from February. Limited availability.**

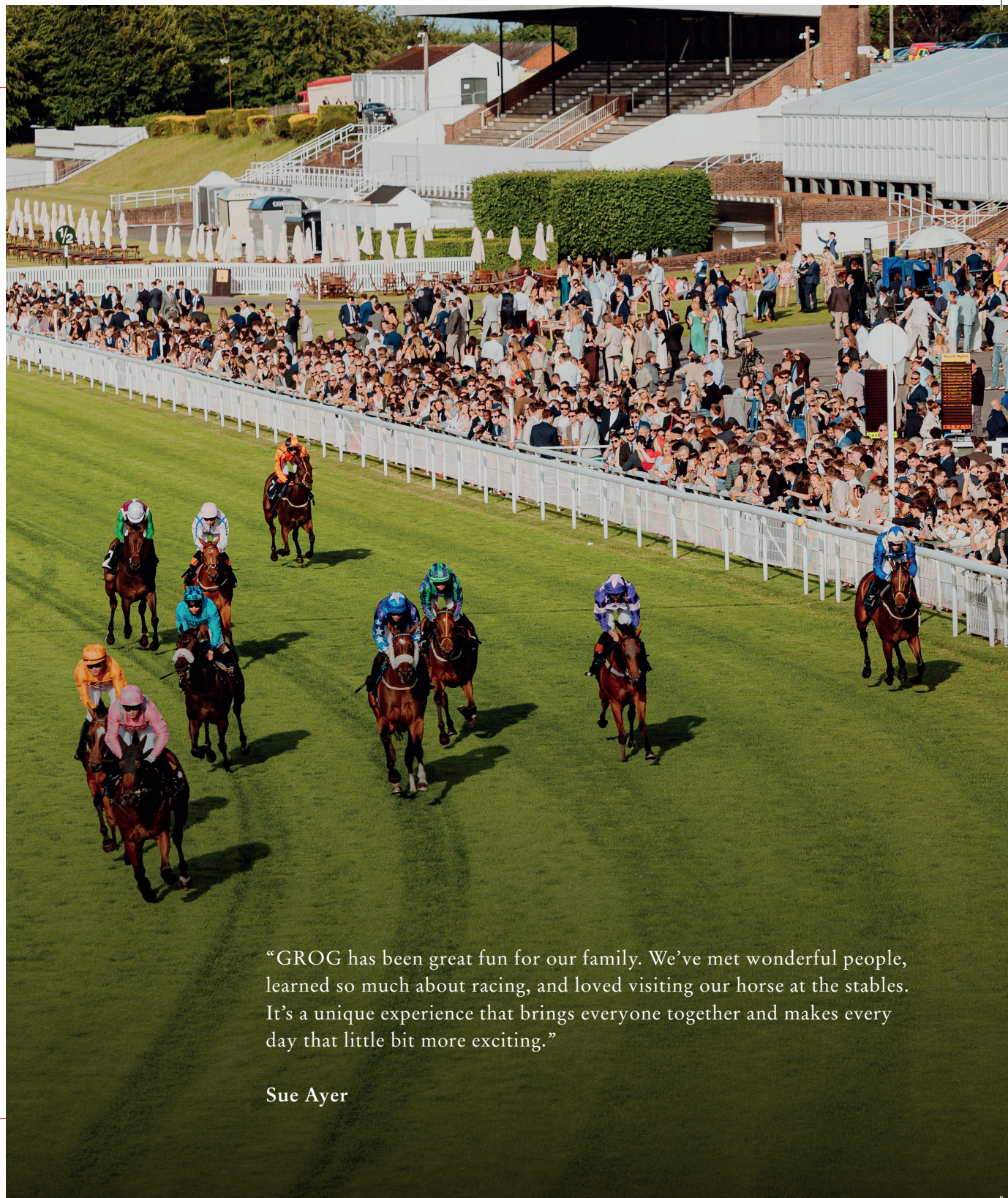
SEPTEMBER 2026

The second private visit to your trainer's yard and gallops, to include refreshments.*

All dates and details to be confirmed.

** Events included in membership*

*** Optional extra events*



“GROG has been great fun for our family. We’ve met wonderful people, learned so much about racing, and loved visiting our horse at the stables. It’s a unique experience that brings everyone together and makes every day that little bit more exciting.”

Sue Ayer

THE JOURNEY TO THE RACECOURSE

A first run at the racecourse is rarely without its anxious moments. By now you will have quite an affinity for your horse, and will probably want to watch quietly from the grandstand. It is often described as the 'first day at school'...

Your membership begins in the autumn to coincide with the bloodstock yearling sales. Thoroughbred breeders will offer their stock in America, France, Ireland and here in the UK which is where we prefer to buy. Once the purchase has been made, you will receive pedigree details, the catalogue page, and a photograph of your horse. We also go a step further in seeking a bloodstock pedigree expert to write about the horse in more depth, giving you an insight into several generations.

At this point our new horse will have a short break before joining a pre-trainer. Prior to the sale a yearling will have been prepared for approximately 8 weeks, requiring the horse to lead, walk, trot and lunge. The young horse will also undergo daily bathing and grooming, all culminating in that crucial two-minute slot in the sale ring. Post sale, the yearling will be tired and subjected to new surroundings; yet another stress. It is only fair to allow them some 'downtime' before the breaking process begins. Such is the high level of the pre-sale handling of these young horses, that they are almost ready for riding when they are offered for sale. A skilled pre-trainer could have the yearling under saddle in less than a fortnight if they chose to.

Given that the yearling sales take place before the Horses in Training Sales, and when the flat turf season is still in full swing, most trainers prefer their new purchases to remain with pre-trainers for a month or two before joining their string. The sales' complex is a haven for infectious diseases, which is no surprise given that the stock comes from across Europe, before meeting in one small complex. Most yearlings soon develop a bug or virus of some description shortly after arrival with their pre-trainer, and for this reason you can understand a trainer not wanting them in the yard straight away. It is no different from an infant starting school.

Whilst the breaking process is under way, you will be invited to offer a suggested name for the new horse, before meeting the yearling at Goodwood House in late November. This is always a special occasion and is offered as part of your membership.



"Owning a share in a GROG horse has given me a sense of belonging to Goodwood, it's great fun and it's unique. You follow the horse's development and I love it!"

Ruth Arnold, member

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

At the request of members, our horses are trained in the south of England, which best suits the demographics of the membership. This also allows us to visit these yards more easily from our base at Goodwood Racecourse.

The Goodwood Racehorse Owners' Group has enjoyed considerable success with trainers John Dunlop, William Knight, Richard Hughes, Ralph Beckett and more recently David Menuisier. Marcus Tregoning has also been added to our training roster.

Owning a racehorse is an interesting journey which takes you from the sale ring to the racecourse. Following the progress of your horse is part of the joy as you learn about the training process and the development of a young horse. You will be kept fully informed with regular video clips and photography via the Racing Manager platform. Our social event calendar also enables you to visit the stable yard where your horse is trained.

FEES AND MEMBERSHIP

Your membership lasts for two years to cover the 2027 | 2028 racing seasons.
The all-inclusive price is £1800.

Membership includes a number of complimentary social events, the purchase price of the yearling, training fees and all running costs comprising transport, veterinary expenses, jockey fees and insurance. There are no hidden costs.

At the end of the scheme all profits from winnings and resale money, together with unused training fees, are shared amongst members. A full set of management accounts are also distributed.

The Goodwood Racehorse Owners Group appoints a Board of Management consisting of three Directors and three Board Members who are also members of the scheme. The Board reserves the right to take decisions on behalf of and in the best interests of the syndicate. The fee payable by members is subject to the terms and conditions of the group. Under these terms there is no entitlement to a refund.

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