

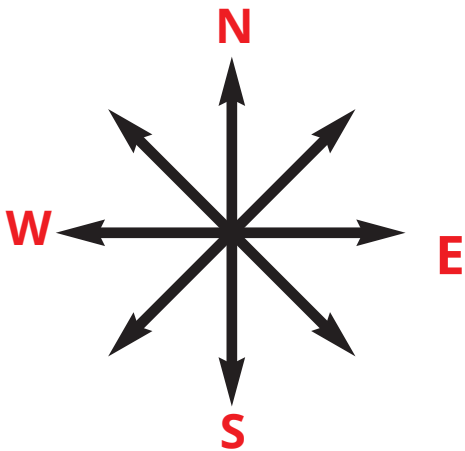
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TUESDAY 06 – WEDNESDAY 07 MAY 2025

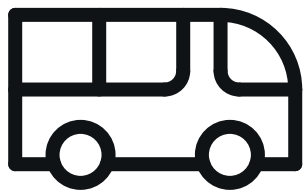


The conference will be held at:

York Racecourse
Knavesmire Road
York
YO23 1EX



Taxis are readily available from York Station, a 10-minute drive away. Direct trains to York are available from London Kings Cross St Pancras, Birmingham, Edinburgh, Liverpool and Manchester.



Buses will be available between the below times:

May 06, 2025

10:00 – 11:00

Memorial Gardens (4 minute walk from York train station) to York Racecourse
Delta Hotels York to York Racecourse

16:45 – 17:45

York Racecourse to Memorial Gardens
York Racecourse to Delta Hotels York

18:30 – 19:30

Memorial Gardens to York Racecourse
Delta Hotels York to York Racecourse

22:00 – 23:59

York Racecourse to Memorial Gardens
York Racecourse to Delta Hotels York

May 07, 2025

08:45 – 09:30

Memorial Gardens to York Racecourse
Delta Hotels York to York Racecourse

16:15 – 17:15

York Racecourse to Memorial Gardens
York Racecourse to Delta Hotels York



Free car parking is available on site.
Cars are left at your own risk.



Accommodation is not included. We anticipate most guests will stay at The Grand, York, or Delta Hotels York (the Marriott). **Bus** service details can be found above.



Registration will open at 10:30am on Tuesday May 06. On arrival, please make your way to the BSA registration desk, located in the foyer of Knavesmire Stand. Name badges will be provided.



There will be a **coat rail** and unattended cloakroom. Items are left at your own risk. There is a chargeable luggage storage service at York Station between 08:00-20:00.

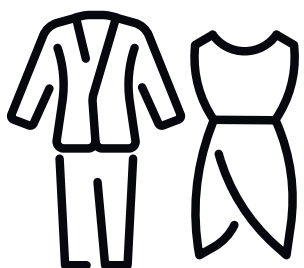
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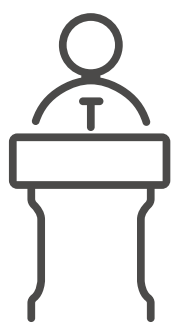


Please provide any **dietary** or access requirements to **bsa@boarding.org.uk**



The conference **dress code** is comfortable.

For the **Awards dinner** on Tuesday May 06, the dress code is “informally fabulous (ties knot required)”. If you’d like to wear a suit, or dress, you’re very welcome. We want everyone to feel comfortable and enjoy themselves (and we’ll be taking photographs).



The conference exhibition will be held on the **ground floor of the Knavesmire Stand**.

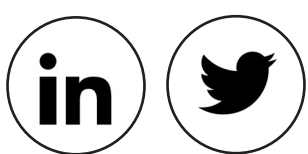
BSA is very grateful for the support of the exhibitors at this conference, and we strongly encourage all members to visit and meet all our exhibitors over the two days. A list of exhibitors will be available to view in the conference programme and app.



Complimentary **Wi-Fi** is available. The network name is Knavesmire and there is no password but you will need to provide an email address to log on.



You will be able to access key information before and during the event via our conference app: **boarding.org.uk/app**

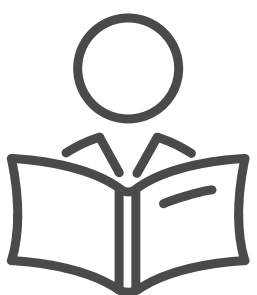


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ANNUAL AWARDS DINNER - TUESDAY MAY 06

There will be a **drinks’ reception for all at 19:00** on the ground floor with our **annual awards dinner at 19:30** on the first floor.



OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES

On **Tuesday May 06**, delegates may wish to attend **Evensong at York Minster**, which is between 17:30-18:15.

On **Wednesday May 07**, there will be a **5-mile BSA run** taking in the sights and schools of York, departing from Delta Hotels York at 07:00 and The Grand, York, at 07:15.



We look forward to welcoming you along to this year’s conference and wish you a safe journey to and from the venue.

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