

FACTS ABOUT

THE AGRIA BLENHEIM PALACE INTERNATIONAL HORSE TRIALS 2026



WHO ARE THE 2026 FAVOURITES?



Tom McEwen
favourite for the
CCI4*-L



Yasmin Ingham
favourite for the
8/9-YO Class

Tom is looking for his first Blenheim Palace win, while Yasmin Ingham could add an 8/9-YO title to her 2021 CCI4*-L victory with Banzai Du Loir.

NINE BLENHEIM WINNERS RETURN



nine previous Blenheim Palace winners return in 2026

Daisy Berkeley, Izzy Taylor, Jonelle Price, Laura Collett, Oliver Townend, Pdraig McCarthy, Samantha Lissington, Tim Price and Yasmin Ingham.

COULD LAURA COLLETT MAKE HISTORY?



Laura Collett & Balancero return to Blenheim looking to secure back-to-back CCI4*-L titles.

Only Pippa Funnell has previously achieved consecutive CCI4*-L victories at Blenheim.

DRESSAGE MATTERS



10/10

All of the last 10 CCI4*-L winners were inside the top 4 after dressage.

9/10

In the 8/9-YO class, 9 of the last 10 winners were inside the top 10 after dressage.

WHICH HORSES TOP THE RATINGS?

Brookfield Quality & Tom McEwen

top the CCI4*-L field on EquiRatings Elo. Brookfield Quality has never finished outside the top five at CCI4*-L or CCI5*-L when completing.

La La Land D'Arville & Lara de Liedekerke-Meier

are the highest-rated combination in the 8/9-YO field, arriving after winning CCI4*-L at Arville.

SCORES TO BEAT

18.3 In 2025, Michael Jung & fischerChipmunk FRH posted the lowest dressage score in the CCI4*-L at Blenheim since 2009 (2025)

22.0 Ros Canter & Izilot DHI hold the lowest finishing score in the CCI4*-L at Blenheim since 2009 (2023)

22.4 Samantha Lissington & Quantas R set a new winning score record in the 8/9-YO class (2025)

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