

Great British Sporting Events!

The most famous sporting events in the UK are

-  **the Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race**
-  **the London Marathon**
-  **Royal Ascot**
-  **Wimbledon**

Which event have you ever heard anything?



The Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race – rowing race

- each spring
- the River Thames
- two teams of 9 students
- win the prize and glory not money
- long traditions



Royal Ascot – horse racing

- 5 days
- in Berkshire, England
- attended by members of Royal Family
- fashion show of smart hats



The London Marathon

- running competition



- 42 km
- in April
- more than 40,000 people
- big prize money
- raise money for charity
- for fun





Wimbledon – tennis competition

- 2 weeks every June
- the world's oldest
- in Wimbledon stadium, in London
- traditional snack
- white costumes of sportsmen



Russian sporting events ...



The Cup of the
Kremlin



✓ Goodwill Games

✓ The Cup of Yashin

