

**SCOTTISH ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2005**  
**AND**  
**SCOTTISH SCHOOLS ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2005**

## **Categories of Events**

### **Championship Events**

These are offered within the following categories and are open to all competitors who meet both the Regatta and event-specific qualification criteria:

<i>Open</i>		2000m	
<i>Junior</i>	J (U18)	2000m	
	JU16	2000m	
	JU15	1000m	
	JU14	1000m	
	JU12	1000m	
<i>Novice</i>		1000m	Open to crews who were novice at 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2005.
<i>Veteran</i>	Age categories	1000m	Veteran events will be run under the SARA handicapping system, with the handicap applied at the <b>Start</b> of the race whenever possible. The Organising Committee's objective is to allow as many veterans as possible to race. If sufficient entries are received, then a single-category race with no handicapping may be held for that group, provided that this does not leave other crews without a race.

### **Intermediate Events**

These events are offered in the following categories:

<i>Senior</i>	2000m
Open to crews whose status is no higher than Restricted 2 at the start of the Regatta.	

### **Schoolboy and Schoolgirl Events**

See separate note.

## **Award of Medals**

Championship or Regatta medals (according to whether it was a 'championship' or 'non-championship' event) will be awarded to all event winners immediately following their final. **Racing Licences must be presented for updating on the winners' pontoon.**

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**CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

1. The following conditions of entry apply to all events.
2. The regatta will be run under the SARA Rules of Racing and SSRC Rules.
3. All events will be rowed over a straight multi-lane course and where possible from a stake-boat start.
4. Crews for Novice Championship Events must have been Novice on 1 January 2005
5. Crews for Intermediate events must not exceed an average of 3 points per competitor (Restricted 2 status) at the start of the Regatta, and competitors may not enter any non-Intermediate events on the same day.
6. Competitors entering Junior or schools events may not enter Novice Championship events on the same day.
7. Multiple entries **MUST** be clearly marked on the entry form. Double entries will be accepted/timetabled if clearly marked on the entry form. More complicated multiple entries are not encouraged, and are at the competitors' risk. Due to Intermediate Events now taking place over 2000m, the Committee may find that they are unable to provide the previous flexibility about accepting triple and more complicated multiple entries.
8. All competitors must provide sufficient equipment to allow them to take part in their races on time.
9. All competitors **MUST** check in at least one hour before the official timetabled race time of the first race in their event. Any crew or sculler failing to do so will be deemed to have scratched, **AND WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO RACE.**
10. All entrants **MUST** hold a current Racing Licence issued by their home nation's governing body of rowing, and must be either
  - (a) a bona fide member of a SARA Affiliated rowing club or
  - (b) eligible to represent Scotland under Home International Regatta rulesAny competitor who does not have a Racing Licence, issued by their home nation's governing body at close of entries (5pm Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> May) must purchase a SARA Day Ticket (£10 for seniors, £5 for juniors). This can be done by applying to Sandy Walker (Convenor, Race Control Committee) – e-mail [walkes@sculler.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:walkes@sculler.fsnet.co.uk), tel 01389 841782. Please note that juniors who are under 13, who are from outwith Scotland and not covered by their National Association's insurance will be required to purchase a Day Ticket unless they can produce proof of insurance for competing at regattas
11. Entry Fees are as follows –

	Senior	Junior
8	£58.50	£40.50
4+/4x+	£32.50	£22.50
4-/4x	£26.00	£18.00
2-/2x	£13.00	£9.00
1x	£6.50	£4.50

12. Cheques should be made payable to "Scottish Amateur Rowing Association".
13. **ENTRY FORMS SENT WITHOUT THE CORRECT TOTAL ENTRY FEES WILL BE CONSIDERED INCOMPLETE AND UNACCEPTABLE.**
14. **All completed entry forms and summary sheets, together with the entry fees, must be in the hands of the Entries Secretary by 5.00pm Tuesday 31st May 2005.** The address for entries is:
15. Katy Cameron (Entries Secretary), Scottish Amateur Rowing Association, National Rowing Academy, Strathclyde Country Park, Motherwell ML1 3ED
16. The draw will take place on Saturday 4th June 2005 at 10.00am, at the National Rowing Academy.