

Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club



THE HEAD OF THE RIVER RACE FOR SCULLERS

ON SATURDAY 6TH OCTOBER 2007 AT 2.00 PM

(under S.A.R.A. rules and in it's Forty-First Year)

Information for Competitors

1. Each competitor or a club representative must report to Regatta Control at the Clydesdale boathouse between 12.00 noon and 12.45 pm to –
 - (a) advise any scratchings
 - (b) pay outstanding fees
 - (c) check regatta time
 - (d) collect identification numbersN.B. All boats must have a bow slot to hold the bow number. In addition a cloth number should be pinned to the back of your racing singlet. Failure to display the numbers will result in no time being taken. If bow numbers and/or cloth numbers are not returned after the race or are returned damaged then the deposit of £5.00 will be forfeited.

2. The COURSE will be from the STRAIGHT upstream of DALMARNOCK BRIDGE to level with the NELSON MONUMENT in GLASGOW GREEN, approx. 4,000 metres.

- 3(a) Boats must be in position in the ASSEMBLY AREA as shown in the diagram attached, punctually by **1.55 pm**
As a guide to less experienced competitors, it may take 20 minutes or more to race over the course, so allow more than this to get to the start.
Any very late sculler may be prevented by the umpires from going upstream round the bend at the sewage works.

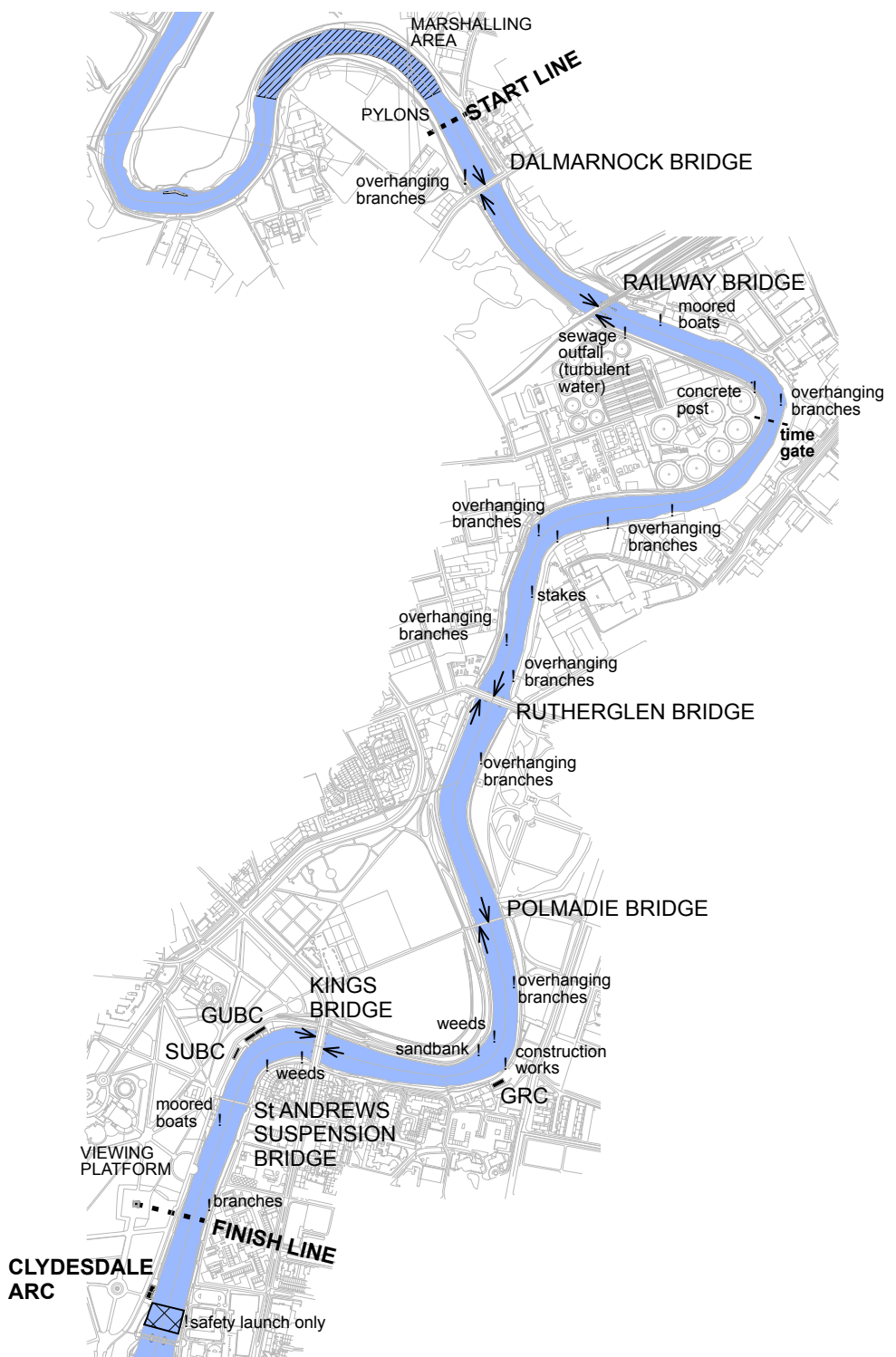
To avoid congestion in the START AREA, competitors arriving early and not wishing to take up their position should NOT go through Dalmarnock Bridge until they are prepared to come under the marshal's instructions. N.B. Normal rules of the river apply before the race, i.e. go upstream on the North Bank and downstream on the South Bank.

- 3(b) Boats will be assembled above the Starting Line and will face upstream with ODD numbers on the NORTH bank and EVEN numbers on the SOUTH bank, each boat half a length apart. The centre of the river should be left clear to allow other competitors free passage to their position.
- 3(c) Competitors not above Dalmarnock Bridge by 1.55 pm will be stopped and held downstream of the Timing Line until all others have started. At the starter's discretion the late comers may be allowed to race but will have a TIME PENALTY of 5 seconds for every minute or part of a minute late.

4. The order for boats to turn and move forward will be given by the Marshals. Proceed downstream to the Start Line in number sequence where your number and "GO" will be called to give a flying start over the Timing Line. The first competitor will start at 2.00 pm and the others will follow at approximately 10 second intervals. Any time gap before new starts will be notified at Regatta Control.
5. Competitors may take any arch they wish at the various bridges on the course. Any restrictions will be notified at Regatta Control.
6. The following instructions have been issued to Umpires who will patrol the course during the race:-
"Boats being overtaken must give way to those overtaking, so that the overtaking boats have a clear course."
Any delay in obeying the Umpire's instructions on the part of a competitor may lead to a disqualification if the overtaking boat is forced out of its course whether or not a clash occurs.
7. Competitors should proceed downstream of the Finish Line before stopping. Competitors returning upstream should proceed in single file up the north (boathouse) side only and should not come back on to the course until the last boat has finished. THOSE RETURNING TO GLASGOW RC BOATHOUSE SHOULD TAKE CARE ABOVE KINGS BRIDGE NOT TO IMPEDE RACING SCULLERS WHO MAY BE APPROACHING THAT BRIDGE.
8. Anyone disregarding the above instructions may not be timed.
9. Results will be announced at 4.00 pm in the Clydesdale clubhouse. Refreshments will be available.
10. SAFETY
 - (a) A safety launch will follow the last competitor downstream.
 - (b) Competitors should take careful note of any HAZARDS shown on the map of the course displayed at Regatta Control.
 - (c) All boats must be fitted with a white bow ball.
 - (d) Effective heel restraints must be attached to flexible shoes.
 - (e) KEEP WELL CLEAR OF THE WEIR.

IN THE EVENT OF ADVERSE CONDITIONS, THE RACE MAY BE SHORTENED OR CANCELLED OR HELD AT AN ALTERNATIVE VENUE.

As river conditions can change quickly at this time of year, the river is checked constantly and a decision taken as early as possible whether to run the Head or cancel if the river is in spate. A club representative will be contacted provided that a contact number has been provided.



CLYDESDALE AMATEUR ROWING CLUB

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6 October 2007 at 2.00pm (under SARA rules)

Course – Dalmarnock to Monument (approx. 4km)

Start No.	Club	Category	Name	Notes
1	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	Open	Logan	J.
2	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Open	McConnell	A.
3	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Restricted 2	Phillips	C.
4	Glasgow University Boat Club	Restricted 2	Stevenson	G.
5	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	Restricted 2	Quinn	F.
6	Stirling Rowing Club	Veteran 'E'	Brown	W.
7	Castle Semple Rowing Club	Restricted 2	Shankland	D.
8	Castle Semple Rowing Club	Veteran 'C'	Holmes	M.
9	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	Restricted 2	Barton	J.
10	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	J18	Barton	A.
11	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	Restricted 2	Darroch	N.
12	George Watson's College	J16	Holmes	A.
13	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	J18	Cassidy	S.
14	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	W Open	Gorton-Phillips	C.
15	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	Restricted 2	More	E.
16	Glasgow Rowing Club	Veteran 'F'	Trenchard	P.
17	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	J16	McCann	C.
18	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	Veteran 'B'	Summers	A. * (no award)
19	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	W Open	Logan	L. * (W Res 2)
20	Loch Ard Rowing Club	W Restricted 1	Limond	K.
21	Aberdeen Boat Club	Veteran 'F'	Mathieson	R.
22	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	W J16	McCahill	E.
23	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	W J18	Santoni	C.
24	Glasgow Rowing Club	Novice	Vallet	R.
25	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	W J18	Gaddis	H.
26	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Veteran 'F'	Eadie	J.
27	Castle Semple Rowing Club	W J16	Dalrymple	H.
28	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	W J18	Arnold	S.
29	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	Veteran 'E'	Harkins	D.
30	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	Novice	Claxton	M.
31	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	Novice	Young	R.
32	Castle Semple Rowing Club	J15	Robertson	C.
33	Berwick Rowing Club	Veteran 'F'	Parsonage	G.
34	Castle Semple Rowing Club	W J16	Hiddleston	C.
35	Stirling Rowing Club	J15	Hall	G.
TIME GAP – NEW STARTS				
36	Glasgow University Boat Club	Open	Logan	C.
37	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	Open	Murphy	J. * (Res 1)
38	Royal Navy	Open	Harford-Cross	P. * (Res 1)
39	Heriot Watt University Boat Club	Restricted 2	McLaughlin	B.
40	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	Restricted 2	Gaddis	M.
41	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Restricted 2	Elliot	D.
42	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Novice	O'Brien	T.
43	Glasgow University Boat Club	Novice	Docherty	K.
44	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Novice	Rae	C.
45	Glasgow University Boat Club	Novice	Graham	D.
46	Glasgow University Boat Club	Novice	Thoms	D.
47	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	Novice	Flannagan	B.
48	Glasgow Rowing Club	Novice	Green	B.
49	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Novice	Wright	C.

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50	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Novice	Tomkinson	S.
51	Glasgow University Boat Club	Novice	Russell	P.
52	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Novice	Rea	A.
53	Inverness Rowing Club	J18	Sinclair	C.
54	George Watson's College	J18	Dixon	S.
55	George Watson's College	J18	Sarahs	A.
56	George Watson's College	J18	Rankin	J.
57	George Watson's College	J16	Mabon	C.
58	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	J16	Colquhoun	C.
59	George Watson's College	J16	McBrierty	C.
60	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	J16	McMaster	J.
61	George Watson's College	J16	Walker	M.
62	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	J16	Hunt	A.
63	George Watson's College	J16	Gilmore	A.
64	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	J16	Irvine	R.
65	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	J16	Murty	G.
66	George Watson's College	J16	Freeland	J.
67	George Watson's College	J15	Rankin	M.
68	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	J15	Gourlay	G.
69	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	J15	Brown	K.
70	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	J15	Grant	R.
71	George Watson's College	J15	Johnston	A.
72	George Watson's College	J15	Murray	P.
73	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	J14	Claxton	T.
74	George Watson's College	J14	Marshall	E.
75	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	J14	Byrne	P.
76	George Watson's College	J14	MacKenzie	G.
77	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	J14	Ord	G.
78	George Watson's College	J14	Walker	I.
79	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	Veteran 'B'	McGregor	A. * (no award)
80	Stirling Rowing Club	Veteran 'C'	Henderson	G.
81	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	Veteran 'C'	MacFarlane	D.
82	St Andrew Boat Club	Veteran 'C'	Morrice	M. * (Vet D)
83	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	Veteran 'E'	Hewitt	T.
84	St Andrew Boat Club	Veteran 'F'	Lowe	B.
85	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	W Open	Dorman	E.
86	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	W Open	Ord	A. * (W Vet C)
87	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	W Restricted I	Jowitt	M. * (W Vet A)
88	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	W Restricted I	Larcombe	A.
89	Clyde Amateur Rowing Club	W Restricted I	Walsh	I.
90	Dundee University Boat Club	W Novice	Mackie	M.
91	Glasgow Rowing Club	W Novice	Fulton	J.
92	Glasgow Rowing Club	W Novice	Dargie	S.
93	Glasgow Rowing Club	W Novice	Murray	P.
94	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	W J18	McKinnon	C.
95	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	W J18	Bailey	C.
96	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	W J18	Young	R.
97	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	W J18	Campbell	J.
98	Clydesdale Amateur Rowing Club	W J18	Stirling	A.
99	Castle Semple Rowing Club	W J16	MacDonald	E. * (W J14)
100	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	W J16	McNee	S.
101	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	W J16	McCusker	L.
102	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	W J16	Irvine	N.
103	Castle Semple Rowing Club	W J16	Horsburgh	C. * (W J14)
104	Strathclyde Park Rowing Club	W J16	O'Prey	F.
105	Glasgow Schools Rowing Club	W J16	Melville	A.
106	Loch Lomond Rowing Club	W J16	Arnold	R.

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Entries Information

Prizes will be awarded in the following events **ONLY**:

Open
Restricted 2
Novice
Open Junior 18
Open Junior 16
Open Junior 15
Open Junior 14
Veteran C
Veteran E
Veteran F
Women's Open
Women's Restricted 1
Women's Novice
Women's Junior 18
Women's Junior 16

Due to insufficient entries, prizes will **NOT** be awarded in the following events:

Restricted 1
Veteran B
Veteran D
Women's Restricted 2
Women's Junior 14
Women's Veteran B
Women's Veteran C
Women's Veteran D

This will affect the following competitors who entered as below:

Clyde	James Murphy	Entered R1 – moved to Open
Royal Navy	Peter Harford-Cross	Entered R1 – moved to Open
Loch Ard	Kelly Limond	Entered W R2 – moved to W R1
Castle Semple	E. MacDonald	Entered W J14 – moved to W J16
Castle Semple	C. Horsburgh	Entered W J14 – moved to W J16
St Andrew	Mike Morrice	Entered Vet D – in with Vet C
St Andrew	Bruce Lowe	Entered Vet G (not advertised) – in with Vet F
SPRC	Ailie Ord	Entered W Vet C – moved to W Open
Loch Lomond	Alan McGregor	Entered Vet B – No award
Loch Lomond	Andy Summers	Entered Vet B – No award
Clydesdale	Michele Jowitt	Entered W Vet A – moved to W Res 1

Please contact Andrew McConnell to discuss, if move unacceptable.