

DURHAM



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183rd Durham Regatta – Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th June 2016

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed the prospectus for Durham Regatta 2016. As usual we are offering a wide range of events over 700 and 1800 metres on the River Wear in Durham.

Entries close at 10pm on Thursday 2th June. Please enter early to avoid disappointment.

Key items to note for 2016 include:

- The regatta is organised as two Divisions per day. No doubling-up *within* a division.
- Based on your feedback we have re-organised the regatta to increase the time available for each race.
- Sunday racing is focussed on the Championship events along with fours and eights racing.
- Long course races are now only offered on Sunday.
- Sunday – J18, IM2, & Elite crews will race in Championship format.
Each division will begin with a time-trial for these crews.
The results of this will be used to seed a series of four boat knockout events within each boat class.
This is part of the British Rowing “Pathfinder Events” programme.
- The regatta is not offering specific Masters events due to the clash with the National Masters Regatta.
- Rowability (Adaptive) racing is offered on Sunday. Please contact in advance to discuss requirements.
- Please note that a British Rowing racing licence only covers a competitor for public liability insurance if they are resident in the UK for at least 6 months of the year. Any competitor not covered by this scheme must provide evidence of alternate public liability insurance cover.

We expect a large volume of entries. Please enter early.

In addition to the racing events, we continue to provide a wide variety of land based activities, entertainment, displays and trade stands. These include the Classic Car Rally, a variety of school/community bands, children’s entertainment, craft stalls and refreshments.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me. We look forward to welcoming you in June.

Yours faithfully,

Richard Mortimer

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Entries Secretary, Durham Regatta