



Tyne Regatta

*and a Ceilidh in the evening to follow **

6th May 2017

Racing over 1200/800 m in 4 lanes

With low tide of 1.72 m at 07:50 and high tide of 4.43 m at 13:45 (BST, at Newburn)

Division 1 - 9.00	Division 2 - 11.30 approx	Division 3 - 13:30 approx
Open 8+ Eli, IM1, IM2, IM3, Nov, J16, J18, Mas	Women 8+ Eli, IM1, IM2, IM3, Nov, J16, J18, Mas	Mxd (50/50) Club 8+ At least 2 Snr Women, 2 Mas, 2 Jrs (on BROE as Mxd.Eli)
Women 4+ & 4x+ * Eli, IM1, IM2, IM3, Nov, J14, J15, J16, J18, Mas	Open 4+ & 4x+ * Eli, IM1, IM2, IM3, Nov, J14, J15, J16, J18, Mas	Women's & Open 2x Eli, IM1, IM2, IM3, Nov, J14, J15, J16, J18, Mas
Women 4- & 4x- ELI, IM1, IM2, IM3, J16, J18, Mas	Open 4- & 4x-: Eli, IM1, IM2, IM3, J16, J18, Mas	Women's & Open 1x Eli, IM1, IM2, IM3, Nov, J14, J15, J16, J18, Mas

* [J15 & J14 4x+ only]

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HIGHEST SENIOR STATUS EVENTS IN 1x, 4+ AND 8+ WILL RACE FOR THE TITLE

'CHAMPION OF THE TYNE'

Divisions 1 & 2 are to be rowed upstream and Division 3 may be rowed downstream depending on conditions. Senior events for eights, fours and quads in Divisions 1 & 2 will be raced over 1200m if conditions allow and all other races will be over 800m. The courses will not be buoyed and there will be a free start in all races. Masters handicaps to be applied at the finish.

To be run under British Rowing Rules, the Rules of Racing and RowSafe: A Guide to Good Practice in Rowing. For more information see www.britishrowing.org.

Entry fees £8 senior, £6 junior per seat, coxes free. Entries on BROE only; payment to be made once entry accepted formally. Entries will close at 8.00pm on Sat 29th April 2017. Information and documents will be posted at www.tynerowingclub.org.

* The Ceilidh will be from 7.00-11.00pm in the clubhouse. All welcome. Suggested voluntary contribution of £5 on the door. Dancing to Dave Shaw and the Flying Toad Band.

Tyne Regatta *incorporating Tyne at Home*

Saturday 6th May 2017

Terms and Conditions

1. Entries will be by BROE only and will close at 8.00pm on Saturday 29 April 2017. The draw will be made at 8.00pm on Monday 1 May 2017 at Tyne ARC and will be made available at www.tynerowingclub.org as soon as possible thereafter. Juniors will race in one category (i.e. no A or B sub divisions).
2. Minimum of 3 entries per event to run. We will get in touch after close of entries to try and ensure you get a race if there are not 3 crews in your category. Please say if you are not willing to 'race up' on entry. No doubling up within divisions unless agreed.
3. Crews who change status on Sat 29 or Sun 30 April at Chester-le-Street Regatta or otherwise should inform the Regatta Secretary as below by 8.00pm on 30 April. They shall be transferred to the next highest status event being run.
4. Event fees are not refundable once the draw is published except that in the event of the regatta being cancelled, either in part or in whole, the Organising Committee will refund all entry fees subject to unavoidable expenses.
5. Boating for visiting clubs will take place from Tyne ARC and possibly Tyne United RC. Clubs will be advised of their boating location when the draw is published.
6. Race Control will be located at Tyne ARC and numbers will be available there.
7. All crews must compete as per their entry on BROE. However, subject to being allowable under the Rules of Racing, substitutions can be made on BROE up to the morning of the event or notified to Race Control on the day, but this latter must be done *before* the crew goes afloat.

Those notifying changes should provide the submitting club name, crew involved, and names of those being subbed in *and* out. Crews racing not as per BROE or as notified before racing will be disqualified.

6. Coxes will be weighed at race control before each division; those requiring them must bring their own, clearly identifiable, weights. All boats must be fitted with plastic slots for bow numbers. Boats may be inspected to ensure compliance with safety standards set out in the Rules of Racing and may be turned back from the boating steps if not compliant.
7. Competitors should boat with their opposition if at all possible, but in any case should be in the start marshalling area 10 minutes before the time of their race. The Starter will start all races without reference to absentees.
8. Masters Handicaps will be applied at the finish in accordance with the guidance in the Rules of Racing.
9. A ceilidh will be held in the evening as part of the event, open to all competitors. Tickets on the door with a voluntary contribution of £5. Open to all.

**Enquiries may be made to the Regatta Secretary, Colin Percy
by email at colinwpercy@gmail.com or if urgent on mobile 07985 003304**

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