

Committee of the Dee present the Aberdeen Fours and Small Boats of the River

22nd & 23rd November 2025

High tides: Saturday 14:14 Sunday 14:46



RULES

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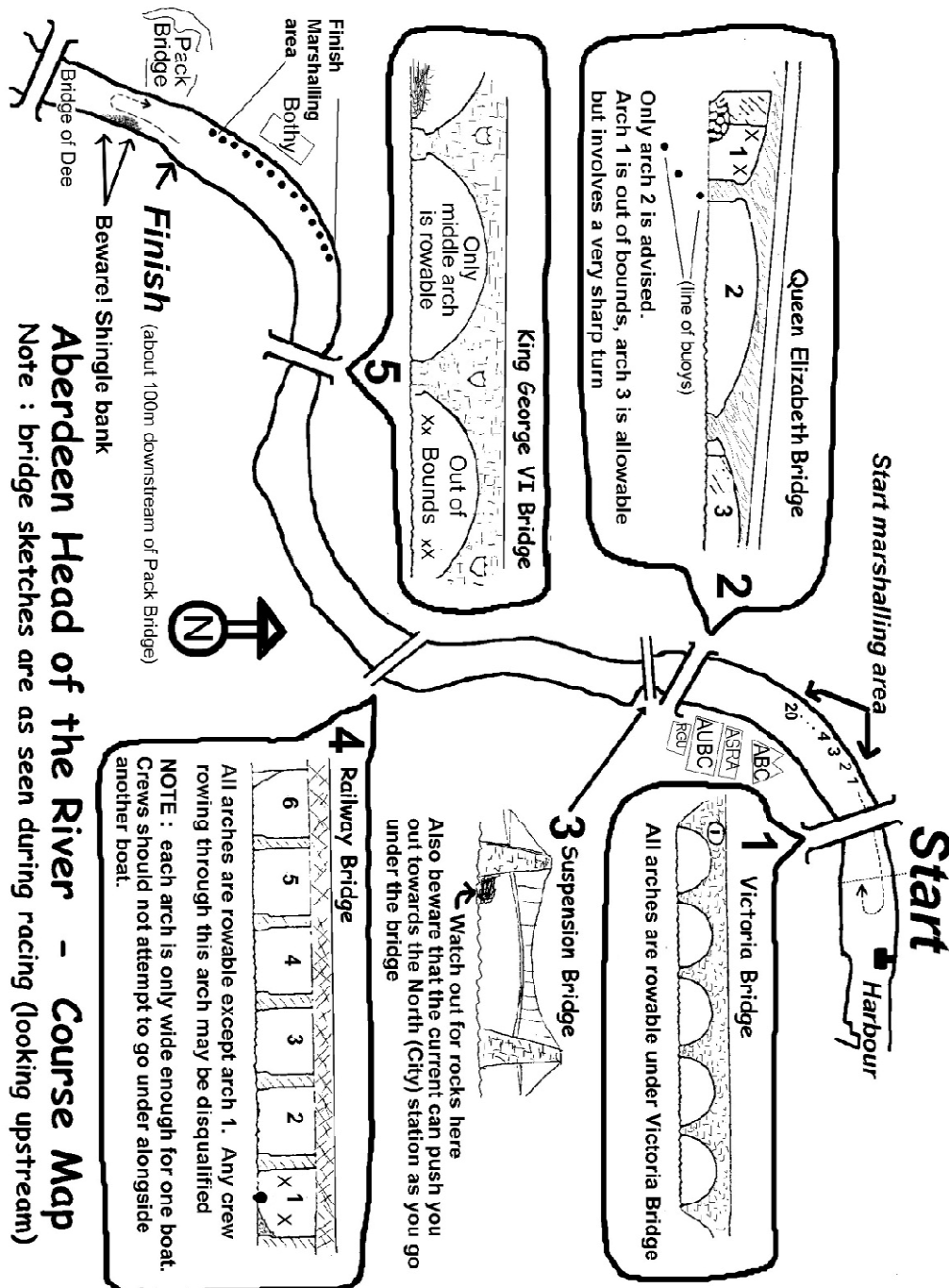
(1) Time Penalties

- Crews must be clear of the jetty at least 15 minutes before the start of their division.
- Crews must be downstream of the QE Bridge at least 10 minutes before the start of their division.

Any crew breaching either of these rules will be awarded a 15 second time penalty at the end of the race. If both rules are broken, a 30 second time penalty will apply.

The launching area will be busy, and it is your responsibility to allow for this.

- All clubs must collect their pack of bow slot numbers and disposable paper numbers (to be visible on back of bow when racing) from race control at the ABC Boathouse before racing. Clubs will be charged £5 (each) for any bow-slot number not returned. Any scratchings or crew-changes must be notified in writing to race control.
- Crews will gather in order on the City Bank above the Victoria Bridge with **the lowest numbers downstream, nearest the bridge**. Boats should normally marshal with bows pointing downstream.
- On the order from the marshal, all crews will strip off and then move down through the Victoria Bridge. Be ready to race as soon as you start moving.
- On command, crews will turn round the moored starting launch by pulling harder on stroke side and holding on bow side. **Make a tight turn rather than spinning.**
- The southernmost (Boathouse) arch of the QE Bridge is out of bounds. The northernmost (City) arch of the Railway Bridge is out of bounds. The northernmost (City) arch of the King George VI Bridge is out of bounds**
- Crews being overtaken must give way to faster crews and move to the outside of bends.**
- At the end of the race, all crews must finish near the South (Boathouse) side of the river. They must then move to the marshalling area on the North (City) side of the river. For safety reasons, **crews will only be allowed downstream of the King George VI Bridge (KG6) when instructed by the marshals. Any crew breaking this rule may be liable for disqualification.** All competitors must wait until the last crew and safety launch has passed upstream of the KG6 Bridge before being allowed downstream so take warm clothes with you in the boat.
- Masters events will be handicapped according to standard tables. Any crew which is disqualified will not be informed of their time.
- The race will be held under the rules of *Scottish Rowing*.
- This year, due to tidal restrictions, the race will finish about 100m downstream of the Pack Bridge (slightly shorter course). This is due to a **developing shingle bank** at the traditional finish on boathouse side. **Do not hug the inside of the bend at this point.**



Aberdeen Head of the River - Sunday 23rd November 2025 (v2)

Division 1 1:30pm

Crew No	Event	Club	Stroke Surname	Mas Status
1	Open 1x	ABC	(Zbikowski)	
2	Open 1x	ABC	(Forbes)	
3	Open 1x	GRC	(Graham)	
4	Open 1x	ABC	(Wheeler)	
5	Open 1x	GRC	(Foster)	
6	Open 1x	ABC	(McRoberts)	
7	Open 1x	GRC	(Rooney)	
8	Open 1x	HRC	(Dean)	
9	Open 1x	GRC	(Quinn)	
10	Open 1x	ACRC	(Atkin)	
11	Open 1x	GRC	(Gomes)	
12	Open 1x	ABC	(Newton)	
13	R2 Pairs	ASRA	(Morrison)	
14	R2 Pairs	AUBC	(Guerin)	
15	R2 Pairs	ASRA	(Bain)	
16	R2 Pairs	DUBC	(Walker)	
17	R2 Pairs	ABC	(Evans)	
18	R2 Pairs	AUBC	(Aspinall)	
19	Open J-18 1x	ASRA	(Lefort)	
20	Open J-18 1x	ASRA	(Trythall)	
21	Open J-18 1x	ASRA	(Andersen)	
22	Open J-18 1x	ASRA	(Parke)	
23	Open J-18 1x	ASRA	(Johnson)	
24	Novice 1x	ABC	(Le Maitre)	
25	Novice 1x	ABC	(Stephens)	
26	Novice 1x	DUBC	(McLaughlin)	
27	Novice 1x	ABC	(McKenzie)	
28	Open J-15 2x	ASRA	(Johnston)	
29	Open J-15 2x	ASRA	(Slater)	
30	Open Mas 2x (A-C)	Tay RC	(Scott)	A
31	Open Mas 2x (A-C)	GRC	(Warnock)	B
32	Open Mas 2x (A-C)	ABC	(May)	C
33	Open Mas 2x (D-G)	ABC	(Aitken)	D
34	Open Mas 2x (D-G)	ABC/ASRA	(Trythall)	F
35	Open Mas 2x (D-G)	ABC	(Bain)	G
36	Wom Open 2x	AUBC	(Johnston)	
37	Wom Open 2x	ABC	(Bain)	
38	Wom J-18 Pairs	ASRA	(Parke)	
39	Wom J-18 Pairs	ASRA	(Ellis)	
40	Wom J-18 Pairs	ASRA	(Freeman)	
41	Wom Mas Pairs	Tay RC	(Robertshaw)	B
42	Wom Mas Pairs	ABC	(Law)	D
43	Wom Mas Pairs	ABC	(Smoor)	D
44	Wom R2 1x	DUBC	(Noake)	
45	Wom R2 1x	AUBC	(Matheson-Smith)	
46	Wom R2 1x	ABC	(Lawrie)	
47	Wom R2 1x	AUBC	(Royce)	
48	Wom R2 1x	AUBC	(Gildert)	
49	Wom Mas 1x (A-D)	ABC	(McCormick)	A
51	Wom Mas 1x (A-D)	ABC	(Bain)	D
52	Wom Mas 1x (A-D)	ABC	(McCulloch)	D
53	Wom Mas 1x (F)	ABC	(Finch)	F
54	Wom Mas 1x (F)	ABC	(Pirie)	F
55	Wom Novice 2x	AUBC	(Smart)	
56	Wom Novice 2x	ASRA	(Bird)	
57	Wom Novice 2x	DUBC	(Gillman)	
58	Wom Novice 2x	ASRA	(Broadley)	
59	Wom Novice 2x	DUBC	(Bray)	
60	Open J-15 8x+	ASRA	(Martin)	
61	Open J-15 8x+	ASRA	(Slater)	

Division 2 3:00pm

Crew No	Event	Club	Stroke Surname	Mas Status
101	Open 2x	ABC	(Zbikowski)	
102	Open 2x	GRC	(Foster)	
103	Open 2x	GRC	(Quinn)	
104	Open Pairs	ABC	(Macdonald)	
105	Open Pairs	AUBC/ABC	(Guerin)	
106	Open Pairs	AUBC	(Morris)	
107	Open J-18 Pairs	ASRA	(McMorris)	
108	Open J-18 Pairs	ASRA	(Cormack)	
109	R2 1x	Tay RC	(Semple)	
110	R2 1x	GRC	(Rooney)	
111	Wom R2 Pairs	ASRA	(De Kock)	
112	Wom R2 Pairs	ABC	(McCormick)	
113	Wom R2 Pairs	ASRA	(Topp)	
114	Wom Open 1x	AUBC	(Aspinall)	
115	Wom Open 1x	AUBC	(Aspinall)	
116	Wom Open 1x	AUBC	(Cassell)	
117	Wom Open 1x	DUBC	(Crabb)	
118	Open Mas Pairs	ABC	(Wallace)	H
119	Open Mas Pairs	ABC	(Brooks)	G
120	Novice 2x	ASRA	(Johnston)	
121	Novice 2x	DUBC	(Lloynd)	
122	Novice 2x	Tay RC	(Scott)	
123	Novice 2x	AUBC	(Lorimer)	
124	Novice 2x	AUBC	(Royce)	
125	Wom Mas 2x	ABC	(Bain)	C
126	Wom Mas 2x	ABC	(Tintpulver)	A
127	Open J-14 2x	ASRA	(Zeng)	
128	Open J-14 2x	ASRA	(Aitken)	
129	Wom J-15 2x	ASRA	(De Kock)	
130	Wom J-15 2x	ASRA	(Calderwood)	
131	Open Mas 1x (A-E)	ABC	(Stephens)	A
132	Open Mas 1x (A-E)	ABC	(Aitken)	D
133	Wom Novice 1x	AUBC	(Smart)	
134	Wom Novice 1x	ABC	(Dzalbe)	
135	Wom Novice 1x	DUBC	(Morrison)	
136	Wom Novice 1x	ABC	(Lowe)	
137	Wom Novice 1x	DUBC	(Amos)	
138	Wom Novice 1x	ABC	(Tomalin)	
50	Wom Novice 1x	ABC	(Smoor)	
139	Open J-15 8x+	ASRA	(Stewart)	
140	Open J-15 8x+	ASRA	(Auld)	
141	Open Mas 1x (F-I)	ACRC	(Atkin)	G
142	Open Mas 1x (F-I)	ABC	(Worsman)	G
143	Open Mas 1x (F-I)	ABC	(Newton)	I

(v2 changes) Sculler 50 entered in D1 in error, To start as 138.5
Age categories of Wom Mas 1x in D1 regrouped as a result.

ABC = Aberdeen Boat Club

ACRC = Avon County Rowing Club

ASRA = Aberdeen Schools Rowing Association

AUBC = Aberdeen University Boat Club

DUBC = Dundee University Boat Club

GRC = Glasgow Rowing Club

HRC = Henley Rowing Club

Tay RC = Tay Rowing Club