# ***Neptune Regatta - Saturday 1st April 2023***

# ***RULES OF THE REGATTA***

1. All races will be run under the rules of Rowing Ireland.
2. All entry fees must be paid in advance of your club’s first race. Crews or scullers may not be permitted to race until their club’s entry fees are paid in full.
3. Entries must be made through the Rowing Ireland online tracker entry system.
4. To facilitate the scheduling of races and to ensure competitors have appropriate resting time between races, the following restrictions will apply to ALL entries:

* **Entries are restricted to ONE Event PER PERSON** for the Regatta
* **Jnr 14 4X+ events will be run as straight finals as per the Tracker Draw**
  + *In the case of an uneven number of crews entered in the J14 event, the last crew on the draw will race against a club (drawn at random) having lost in one of the previous straight Finals*
* ***Events with large entries may be subject to the following method of elimination: -*** 
  + *All crews will race in their initial heats as drawn in Tracker.*
  + *The top 4 Crews from the heats based on the fastest race times, will qualify for the next round (thus the winning crews from the slower heat races will be eliminated).*
  + *The 4 Qualifying crews will race as normal in Semi-finals and Finals*

1. There are 40 events on offer. All events, (dependent upon the number of crews entered) will be allocated appropriate time slots in the Race Programme which will run throughout the day. Please refer to the Regatta Event Listing for the events being offered (including entry fees) at this year’s regatta.
2. The Regatta Committee reserves the right to make any alteration to the programme it deems necessary and its decision in all cases will be final.
3. In line with Rowing Ireland rules entries close on **Wednesday 22nd March at 7.00pm**.

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