

# QUB HEAD OF RIVER 2024

Race Pack



QUEEN'S  
SPORT

options

30th November 2024





## Thank you for your entry.

Crews will not be allowed to launch unless all entry fees for that Club have been paid in full. See payment details on the Race info on Rowing Ireland website.

## General Instructions

### Bow Numbers:

These may be collected from the QUB boathouse upon provision of deposit of £20 per club **per race** cash only. Any numbers not returned will incur a £5 cost per number, any excess of deposit will be invoiced directly to clubs' post event.

### Entry Fees:

These may be paid on the day in cash, by Cheque to Queens University Belfast Boat Club or through the payment link in the race prospectus.

### Steerers/Coxswains Brief:

There will be one compulsory Steerers/Coxswains safety briefing at 0930 at the QUB boathouse. All safety instructions are included in this document, but it is the responsibility of entrants to both read this race pack and attend the safety briefing to ensure a good event for all. Any queries please send to [john.armstrong@qub.ac.uk](mailto:john.armstrong@qub.ac.uk).

### Launching:

It is the responsibility of club captains & entrants to ensure that their boats and equipment conform to the safety regulations – Bow balls securely fastened, Heel restraints, Hatch covers, Steering. Coxes must wear correct lifejackets or buoyancy aids.

Please launch with bows **fac**ing **Downstream**. This avoids any undue congestion caused by turning crews. Also ensure that crews are boating in good time before the start. Last Launching time is 25 Mins prior to start time. This will be enforced by slip marshalls.

### On the way to Start:

Before the race start time, the normal rules of the river Lagan apply – keep to the bowside of the river (coxes right)

**Governors Bridge – Right hand arch only** (*as seen facing*)

**Kings Bridge – Either of the two right-hand arches only** (*as seen facing*)

**Ormeau Bridge – Either of the two right-hand arches only** (*as seen facing*)

**Albert Bridge – Right hand or Middle arch only** (*as seen facing*)

**Lagan Railway Bridge – DO NOT GO THROUGH**

**Crews must be past McConnell's Weir 10 minutes before race start time otherwise, they face disqualification – NO exceptions.**



## Marshalling in the start area

Crews are to marshal in order of number **below** Albert Bridge. Crews number 1-40 on the County Antrim bank with bows pointing upstream. Crews number 41 and above on the Co Down bank Pointing downstream. Under instruction of the Marshal they should proceed towards the railway bridge and turn to join the back of the queue on the County Antrim bank

5 minutes before race start – Horn will sound. This is to ensure crews are ready and any kit removed before racing commences. Crews will be then set off by safety launches below Albert Bridge.

## Start

Start will be at the '0m marker' 100m above Albert Bridge marked by Options Banners. Starting gaps between crews should be 10-20 seconds.

Crews missing bow numbers must shout their number to the timing team as they cross the start.

## Finish

Finish will be at 'Charlie's Marker' (Oar attached to the outside of the QUB boat house) also marked by Options Banners.

Crews missing bow numbers must shout their number to the timing team as they cross the finish.

ALL CREWS ARE TO KEEP MOVING PAST THE FINISH LINE – Stick to the County Down bank bank to allow crews returning to the Slipways.

NO TURNING DOWNSTREAM OF LAGAN SCULLERS – Please proceed past to avoid congestion of the finish line.

CREWS RETURNING TO QUEENS AND MCB, should come down the Co Antrim bank taking care to avoid crews moving upstream on the Co Down bank

## Racing Rules

OVERTAKING CREWS RIGHT OF WAY. Slower crews should move off the racing line to give way

OVERTAKING CREWS MUST DO SO IN A SAFE MANNER – Don't expect crews to disappear just because you're faster. Do not try and overtake approaching a bridge. Slow down or use a different arch

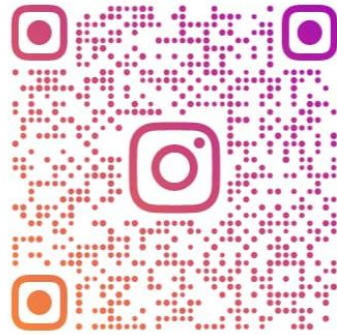
Marshals will be placed along the river and time penalties may be applied to crews not giving way or deliberately blocking faster crew.

## Results and Prize Distribution

Pennants will be awarded to the fastest crews in categories set out in the letter of invitation regardless of number of crews entered. Prize presentation will take place at Queens Boathouse at 3:30pm.



Results will be published on the QUB rowing Instagram (@qubrowing) & by email to all club secretaries and captains of entered clubs.



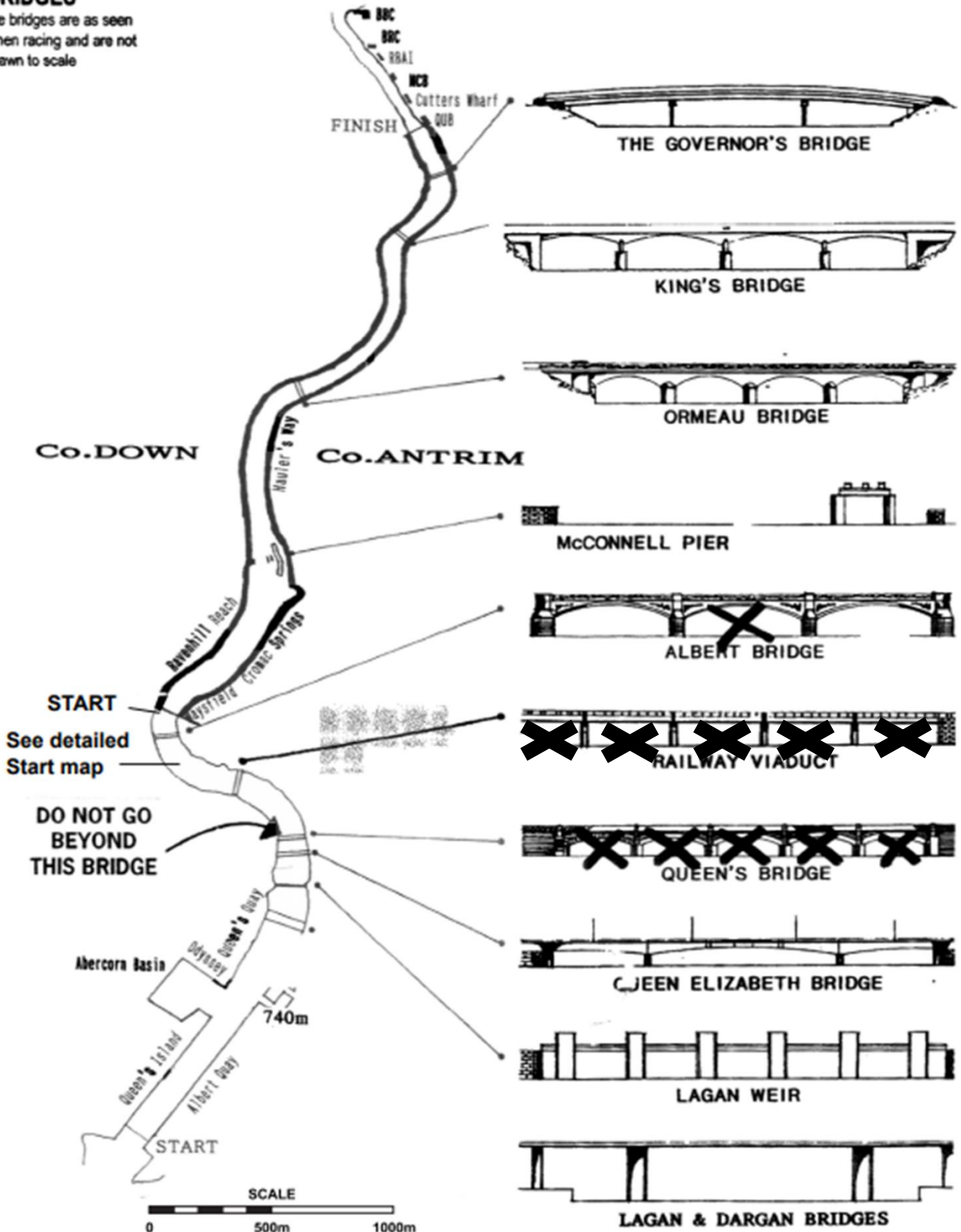
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# Course Map

## BRIDGES

the bridges are as seen when racing and are not drawn to scale



Course map courtesy of Lagan HOR



## Race 1

2800m

11:00

Crews 1-55

**QUB Mini head 30th November 2024.  
Provisional Start order.**

**Entries and  
Start Time 1100**

Race 1	Start Position	Club	Boat Class	Cox/Steerer
	1	QUBBC B	Open Club 1 8+	Taylor
	2	Commercial	Open Club 1 8+	Hamilton
	3	QUBBC A	Open Club 1 8+	Cahoon
	4	QUBBC A	Open Sen 2x	Purdy
	5	QUBBC B	Open Sen 2x	Nolan
	6	RBAI	Open J18 8+	Skillen
	7	QUBBCA	Open Club 1 2x	Netherton
	8	Lagan Scullers	Open Club 1 2x	Darby
	9	QUBBC B	Open Club 1 2x	Lalanza
	10	Commercial	Open Club 1 2x	Gaffney
	11	QUBBC, Moore, H	Open sen 1x	Moore
	12	QUBBC, Bryce, F	Open sen 1x	Bryce
	13	Lagan, Watts, L	Open sen 1x	Watts
	14	QUBBC A	Open Sen2-	Duncan
	15	QUBBC B	Open Sen2-	Khew
	16	BRC	Open Sen 2-	Balcombe
	17	RBAI	Open J16 8+	Jeanerod
	18	Belfast BC (e 465)	M Masters 8+	McLean
	19	Belfast RC (f 498)	M Masters 8+	Maris
	20	Belfast RC / Lagan (d 423)	M Masters 8+	Gunn
	21	LVBC / Bann / Belfast RC (h 579)	M Masters 8+	Warnock
	22	QUBBC	Open J18 2x	McElhinney
	23	Methodist	Open J18 2x	Millar
	24	CGS	Open J18 2x	McCaughy
	25	QUBLBC A	Womens Sen 4+	Harte
	26	QUBLBC B	Womens Sen 4+	Roberts



	27	QUBLBC A	Womens Club 1 4x	Smyth
	28	Belfast RC A	Womens Club 1 4x	Reid
	29	Belfast RC B	Womens Club 1 4x	McCollam
	30	QUBLBC B	Womens Club 1 4x	Lavelle
	31	Lagan, Lowry, D	Open Club 1 1x	Lowry
	32	New Ross, Dempsey, J	Open Club 1 1x	Dempsey
	33	New Ross, Moylan, J	Open Club 1 1x	Moylan
	34	QUBBC, McCann, C	Open Club 1 1x	McCann
	35	QUBBC, McMonagle, J	Open Club 1 1x	McMonagle
	36	BRC	Open Club 1 1x	McEntegart
	37	QUBBC, Murnaghan, F	Open Club 1 1x	Murnaghan
	38	Methodist	Womens J18 4x	Thornton
	39	Belfast BC	Womens J18 4x	Martin
	40	Lagan, Corry, L	Open J18 1x	Corry
	41	Methodist, Johnston, O	Open J18 1x	Johnston
	42	CGS	Open J15 8X+	Morgan
	43	Methodist A	Open J15 8X+	Bourke
	44	Methodist B	Open J15 8X+	Donaghey
	45	Belfast RC	Womens Club 1 4+	McAleer
	46	Methodist	Womens Club 1 4+	Craig
	47	Methodist A	Open J16 2x	Rosetto
	48	Methodist B	Open J16 2x	Gourley
	49	CGS	Open J16 2x	McFaull
	50	Belfast BC (g 135)	M Masters 2x	Lockwood
	51	Belfast RC	Womens J16 4x+	Tinneny
	52	CGS	Womens J15 4X+	Fingland
	53	Methodist A	Womens J15 4X+	Brown
	54	Methodist B	Womens J15 4X+	Jackson
	55	Belfast RC, Griffith, P (h)	M Master 1x	Griffith
	56	Portora	M Master 1x	Murphy
	57	Sligo	M Master 1x	Donohoe



## Race 2

2800m

14:00

Crews 101-145

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**Entries and  
Start Time 1400**

Race 2	Start Position	Club	Boat Class	Cox/Steerer
	101	QUBBC	Open Sen 4x-	Purdy
	102	Commercial	Open Sen 4x-	Brennan
	103	QUBBC A	Open Sen 4+	Harte
	104	QUBBC B	Open Sen 4+	Noble
	105	Methodist	Open Club 1 4x-	Monaghan
	106	QUBBC A	Open Club 1 4x-	Netherton
	107	Commercial	Open Club 1 4x-	Maloney
	108	QUBBC B	Open Club 1 4x-	Henderson
	109	QUBBC C	Open Club 1 4x-	McCann
	110	QUBBC	Open Club 1 4+	Taylor
	111	Commercial	Open Club 1 4+	Moody
	112	Belfast RC A	Open Club 1 4+	Griffith
	113	Belfast RC B	Open Club 1 4+	Reid
	114	Methodist A	Open J18 4+	Ferguson
	115	Methodist B	Open J18 4+	Craig
	116	RBAI	Open J18 4+	Skillen
	117	QUBLBC	Womens Sen 8+	Roberts
	118	Belfast RC / Belfast BC	Womens Sen 8+	McAleer
	119	RBAI	Open J16 4+	Bourke
	120	CGS	Open J15 4x+	Browne
	121	RBAI	Open J15 4x+	Jeannerod
	122	QUBBC	Womens Open 1x	Curry
	123	QUBLBC, McAleer, A	Womens Club 1 1x	McAleer
	124	Methodist, Young, S	Womens Club 1 1x	Young
	125	QUBLBC, Galvin, M	Womens Club 1 1x	Galvin
	126	QUBLBC, Herbert, A	Womens Club 1 1x	Herbert
	127	Belfast RC (d 416)	Womens Masters 8	Tinneney





	<b>128</b>	QUBLBC B	Womens Club 1 2x	Moore
	<b>129</b>	Belfast RC	Womens Club 1 2x	Mullen
	<b>130</b>	QUBLBC A	Womens Club 1 2x	Smyth
	<b>131</b>	Belfast RC	Womens J18 2x	McGouran
	<b>132</b>	CGS	Womens J18 2x	Deal
	<b>133</b>	Methodist	Womens J18 2x	Sempey
	<b>134</b>	QUBLBC	Womens sen 2-	Breen
	<b>135</b>	Methodist	Womens sen 2-	Woods
	<b>136</b>	Lagan (e 229)	Mens masters 4x+	McGivern
	<b>137</b>	CGS	Womens J15 8X+	Archer
	<b>138</b>	Methodist	Womens J15 8X+	Brown
	<b>139</b>	Belfast RC	Womens J16 2x	Corry
	<b>140</b>	CGS	Womens J16 2x	Ramage
	<b>141</b>	Methodist A	Womens J16 2x	Nugent
	<b>142</b>	Methodist B	Womens J16 2x	McIlwaine
	<b>143</b>	Belfast BC (g 138)	Womens masters 2x	Lockwood
	<b>144</b>	C of Derry (c 99)	Womens masters 2x	Brown
	<b>145</b>	Lagan (e 114)	Womens masters 2x	Toland