

SPRING REGATTA - NOTES FOR COMPETITORS

SATURDAY 20TH MAY 2023

PARKING

Car and trailer parking is available in the centre of Worcester Racecourse which is accessed via Pitch Croft Car Park off Severn Terrace, Worcester, WR2 2WD. There is a height barrier which will be manned between 7:00am and 9:00am to allow crews to arrive before division 1 and again after division 2 to allow crews to leave. If you need access at other times please contact me on 07891 665367

REGISTRATION

Registration will be open from 7am. You can collect race numbers and weigh coxes here.

Please bring your BR racing licence with you, including photo. Random checks may be made to ensure that the crew members entered are those who actually get in the boat.

Once you have successfully completed your final, Registration will verify the win & issue the winning crew with an award slip. Prizes can be collected upstairs in the Main Club House. Presentation of pots will be available between 12pm to 1pm and then again from 4pm.

You should arrange with your opposition to pair up in the boatyard 20 minutes before your race time. Any changes to published race times must be arranged with Race Control and your opposition.

The **lowest numbered crew** in each race will take the **Hylton Road Side Station** (far side).

Vinyl Bow Numbers

We provide vinyl bow numbers for competitors - please could you ensure that they are returned to registration at the end of the day. **If numbers are not returned, clubs will be charged a cost of £5 for the replacement of the number.**

Payment

Please could you ensure that all race entries are paid for in full before Friday.

Other river traffic

The river remains open to other river traffic, mostly canal longboats. This inevitably causes breaks in our racing but please keep boating on to time so that we can catch up when racing resumes.

ACCIDENT & EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

Members of the Severn Area Rescue Association (SARA) are on duty in the boat yard for the duration of racing, and will provide first aid and accident emergency cover.

In an emergency, 999 calls only can be made from the telephone in the Boathouse, next to which can be found local services information.