



INFORMATION BOOKLET

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for entering the 29th Joy Davis Hull International Canoe Polo tournament.

We hope you have an enjoyable and successful time.

The organising committee will be available throughout the tournament and will be happy to assist you with help or information.

Please read this booklet carefully as it explains most of the things you will need to know, there are many changes this year: but if you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask beforehand or when you register for the tournament.

Kind Regards

Neil Ward

Event Organiser

Kingston Kayak Club

HOW TO FIND US

The event will be held at the beautiful Dacre Lakeside, Brandesburton which is found on the outskirts of Beverley, East Yorkshire.

This is the 4th time the Joy Davis Hull International has been held here at Dacre Lakeside and it has proved successful due to its 'all in one location'!

This is a very popular venue with competitors, particularly because of the availability of refreshments from 'Bert's pizzeria' outdoor pizza oven and restaurant along with a club house and Kingston Kayak Club's refreshments tent which is available throughout the day time.

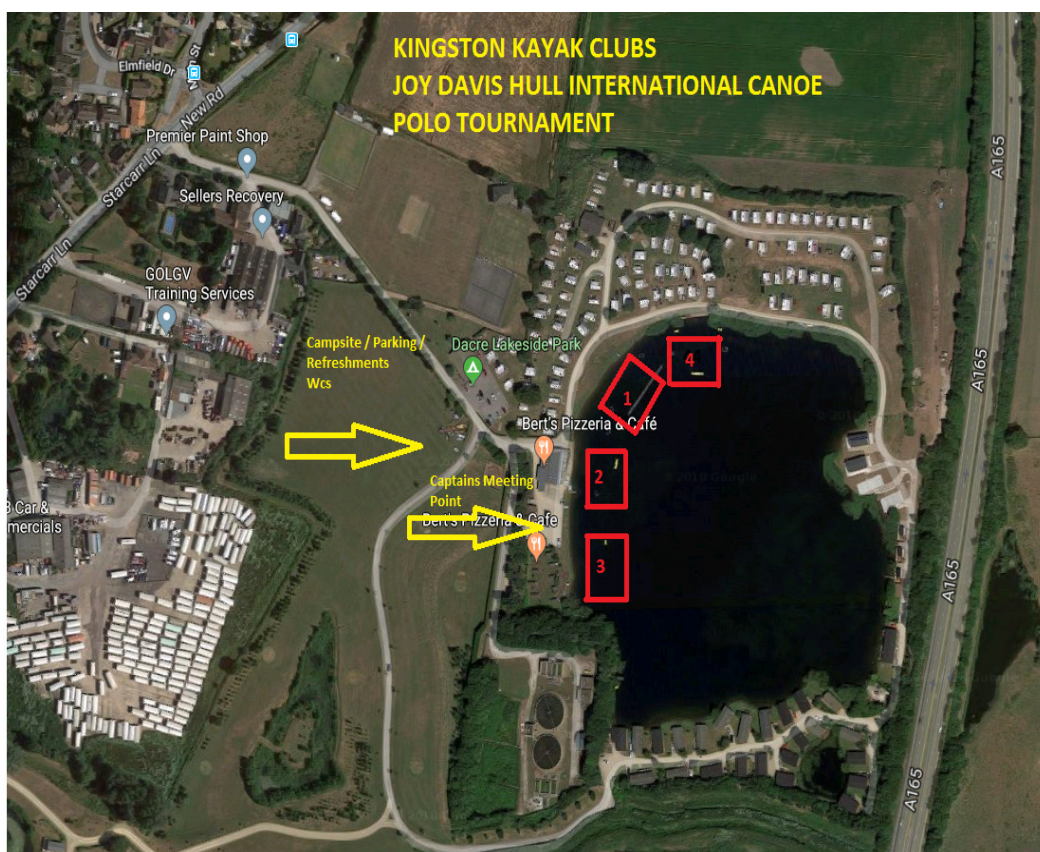
Location / Postcode

Dacre Lakeside Park, New Road, Brandesburton, Driffield, East Yorkshire, YO25 8RT.

Directions to Dacre Lakeside Park:

Just off the A165 road and less than 1 mile from Brandesburton village and the Hainsworth Park Golf club.

ACCOMMODATION / CAMPSITE / TOURNAMENT PITCHES



The location provides adequate camping and caravanning on site and upon arrival you will be shown where to park your caravans / motor homes and vehicles or pitch your tent.

GENERAL INFORMATION

FIRST AID A qualified First aider will be on site with first aid equipment and is available at the information tent. First aid equipment is also available in each of the time keepers' boxes on pitches 1, 2 & 3.

LOST AND FOUND PROPERTY Please report to the information tent

PERSONAL VALUABLES You must look after your personal valuables at all times as Kingston Kayak Club and Dacre Lakeside Park cannot take responsibility for any losses.

PLEASE BE AWARE OF PETTY THEFT - KEEP YOUR VALUABLES SAFE

LITTER Please use rubbish bins provided

TOILETS Unisex portable toilets will be provided and found within the campsite area.

PARKING Once you have arrived and dropped your tents / caravans then please park your vehicles as directed by the camp site marshal's. You must not use the Berts pizzeria car park as this will be for their customers.

REFEREES

The ICF have recently altered the rules for the 2019 season. Please be mindful that these have changed and we will be playing to the new rules.

To ensure a high standard of refereeing, please ensure that your team provides a suitably qualified referee.

RESPECT

DACRE LAKESIDE PARK have been very supportive of Kingston Kayak Club providing their fabulous grounds and we want this to continue!

Please remember that the park is surrounded by residential housing and used by other members of the public who are not here for the competition so we ask that each and every one of you shows respect to our neighbours.

If there are any incidents that occur, we will not hesitate to call the right authorities.

ENTERTAINMENT

Saturday Evening Social & Refreshments at the Campsite:

There is a bar available within the onsite Club house on Friday and Saturday night.

Within walking distance in the village of Brandesburton there are a couple of pubs and a Fish & Chip shop not to mention Bert's Pizzeria restaurant on site which does get busy!

Dacre Lakeside Park have also allowed the use of portable BBQs however we must stress that these should not cause burn marks on the grass!

REFEREES' AND TEAM INFORMATION

This year the first name team will provide the wet side referee for the game immediately after the one they've just played. The second name team will then provide the Dry side referee and a time keeper for the next but one game. We appreciate the changeover is going to be tight we therefore urge all teams to keep celebrations to a minimum and to be on time for their allocated duties. Division 1 teams will need to provide 1 dry side referee and 1 person to operate the shot clock.

To accommodate the number of teams that have entered this year's tournament we have had to make a very tight playing schedule. To ensure that the event keeps to time and that referees are always available at the commencement of each game we require **teams to take note of their refereeing and be available on time.**

Therefore please ensure that you have adequate warm clothing available nearby (clothing can be left with the timekeeper prior to your match.) Whistles and bibs (which **must** be worn) will be available at each ref's position.

If your team has a non-playing referee it would save time if they were available to referee on the side away from the pontoons.

We would ask that you make every effort to get off the water and be at your station as soon as possible. To assist please keep congratulations, commiserations, handshakes, hugs, kisses etc. to the bare minimum.

There is only a 2 minute changeover between each game and if teams are not on the water at the time of their game they will forfeit the points.

Scrutineering checks may occur during the weekend.

Time outs must be kept to a minimum.

It is essential that teams are aware of the running order and arrive on time for games.

If a result is required, then the Golden Goal rule will apply:

Two periods of THREE minutes each way will be played, and between halves change ends. ONE minute half time.

If at the end of extra time there is still no result then a TIEBREAKER SHOOT OUT will apply.

For finals there will NOT be a Tie Breaker Shoot out and teams will continue to play Golden Goal until a winner is found.

YOUR ASSISTANCE IN KEEPING THE COMPETITION ON TIME WILL BE GRATEFULLY APPRECIATED. TEAMS NOT ON TIME WILL FORFEIT POINTS.

MEDICAL DECLARATION

Where a player has a pre-existing medical condition which Kingston Kayak Club and the Joy Davis Hull Canoe Polo tournament committees reasonably believe may impact the players ability to compete, we may at our absolute discretion require the player to provide a 'fitness to compete' declaration from a medical practitioner.

Where a player has a pre-existing condition, medical or otherwise, which requires reasonable adjustments to be made in accordance with the Equality Act 2010, the player is required to submit their requirement(s) in writing to Kingston Kayak Club committee **prior** to the tournament commencing.

Where a condition arises during the event then the player should inform the Joy Davis Hull Canoe Polo committee / event organiser as soon as it is practical and before they compete again. Following receipt of this information Kingston Kayak Club committee will consider in conjunction with the Joy Davis Hull Canoe Polo tournament event organisers whether reasonable adjustments suited to the player can be implemented for the tournament.

For the avoidance of doubt, every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate pre-existing medical conditions and remove any disadvantage faced by disabled people.

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

Camping Fees

These will be collected on entry to the campsite: £20 per Tent, Caravan, and Motorhome for the weekend.

This fee has been imposed by the Dacre Lakeside Club.

Registration

Friday 7pm to 11pm on entrance to the Camping Ground or Control tent.

Boat Storage

Boats must be kept on the grassed areas designated for boats to allow access to Bert's pizzeria car park for customers. After the event boats must be kept within the camping location as these are your own responsibility if anything happens to them.

Boats must not be left on the pontoons.

Pontoon - While on the entrance/exit pontoon everyone must wear, Footwear and BA.

Event Timetable –

Saturday 8.00 am - **Prompt** Play begins on all four pitches

Sunday 8.00am - **Prompt** Competition restarts

Please check playing order: allow plenty of time to paddle from the access pontoon to your pitch.

Presentation Ceremony Immediately after the final

On behalf of Kingston Kayak Club and the Joy Davis Hull Canoe Polo Tournament we wish you all an enjoyable weekend, Thank You!