



THE JOY DAVIS HULL INTERNATIONAL

CANOE POLO TOURNAMENT

1ST & 2ND JULY 2023
DACRE LAKESIDE PARK

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£100 - OPEN TEAMS
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INFORMATION BOOKLET

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for entering Kingston Kayak Club's Joy Davis Hull International Canoe Polo tournament!

Just a little bit of our Polo history.

The year was 1990, Kingston held one of the first polo competitions using the outdoor lido and indoor swimming pool at Albert Avenue, Hull attracting many teams from around the country.

Due to its success and amount of teams entering we chose to move to Princes Quay, in Hull City Centre hosting many teams nationally and internationally throughout the years.

The love for the sport became even bigger and the City Of Hull had much city centre development taking place, so we moved again and now in the year 2023 (31 years later!), we hold our prestigious event at the beautiful Dacre Lakeside Park, Brandesburton, Hull.

We aim to make this a great weekend of polo, fun and entertainment and look forward to seeing you there.

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, however if you have any questions do not hesitate to ask beforehand or when you register for the tournament.

Once again we hope you have an enjoyable and successful time!

Kind Regards

Neil Ward

Event Organiser



HOW TO FIND US

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

This will be our 7th time holding the Joy Davis Hull International Canoe Polo at Dacre Lakeside and it has proved successful over the years 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, Drifffield, East Yorkshire, YO25 8RT.

Directions to Dacre Lakeside Park:

Just off the A165 road and less than 1 mile from Brandesburton village off Starcarr Lane / New Road and close to 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 keeper's 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 throughout the site.

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 Bert's pizzeria car park as this will be for their customers.



REFEREES

Throughout this tournament we will be playing to International Canoe Federation (ICF) rules which have been altered so please be mindful that these have changed and we will be playing to these 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 not to mention Bert's pizzeria restaurant which does get busy so please book early!

Within walking distance in the village of Brandesburton there are a couple of pubs and a Chinese and Fish & Chip take away.

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, you may be charged a damage fee!

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 **per night.**

This fee has been imposed by the Dacre Lakeside Club.

Registration

Friday 6pm 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 should happen to them. We do not take responsibility for all participant's valuables!

Boats must not be left on the pontoons.

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

Event Timetable –

Saturday 07.30 am -	Prompt	Captains Meeting (Bert's Car Park)
Saturday 8.00 am -	<u>Prompt</u>	Play begins on all four pitches
Sunday 8.00am -	<u>Prompt</u>	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 International Canoe Polo Tournament we wish you all an enjoyable weekend,

Thank You!