



2026 Paddle UK SUPER Festival

Entry Terms & Conditions

Declarations

- I understand that paddling activities at an event or competition may be of a strenuous and adventurous nature that carry a higher level of risk. I acknowledge that water sports more generally carry an element of risk and therefore accept the need for responsible behaviour and actions during the SUPER festival (the Event).
- I confirm I have declared any relevant medical conditions to the Event organiser and confirm that I am able to swim and am confident in open water.
- I accept that other than liability that cannot legally be limited or excluded by law, neither the event organisers, British Canoeing Events or British Canoeing trading as Paddle UK (nor its officers) accept any liability for any loss or personal injury arising from, or during participation at the Event.
- I make a self-declaration that I am competent to compete in the sea and in the conditions applicable to this Event. If the conditions on the day are beyond my level of competency, I confirm I will not take part in the activity.
- I have read and understand the race/activity instructions and course diagrams.
- I will follow the Event instructions provided in pre-Event information, briefings and from Event staff.
- I will carry fit for purpose safety equipment as specified in the briefing.
- I accept the course and schedule for the event is subject to change.

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Single Event Membership Terms & Conditions

For those entering without Paddle UK membership, entry includes single event membership with specific [terms and conditions](#).

Photography, Filming and Privacy

Paddle UK recognises and acknowledges that publicity, pictures and/or recordings of people enjoying Paddlesport and competing at events are vital to celebrate achievement and to promote the sport to a wider audience. In addition, the public nature of the SUPER festival (the Event) means that competitors/entrants acknowledge and agree that their appearance and actions inside and in the perimeter of the Event are public in nature and that they shall have no expectations of privacy with regards their actions or conduct at Event.



All competitors/entrants who enter the Event acknowledge that photographic images and/or video recordings and/or feeds (and/or stills taken from video recordings) may be taken of them and may also be used by way of example and without limitation, in televised coverage of the Event and/or for promotional or marketing purposes by future SUPER Festival events, British Canoeing Events, British Canoeing (trading as Paddle UK), ICF, Sport England, or UK Sport and the entering of the Event constitutes consent to such use.

Paddle UK will always follow industry best practice for the use of photographs and videos. Paddle UK will take all necessary steps to ensure images are used solely for the purposes they are intended and will not be shared with third parties without express consent. If you become aware that any images are being used inappropriately you should inform us immediately. If you have any further specific concerns, please contact superfestival@paddleuk.org.uk.

GDPR & Data Management

Paddle UK is a privacy conscious organisation and is strongly committed to an individual's right to privacy. All data gathered during the registration/entry process will only be utilised for the purposes of an athlete's participation in the Event. This may include administering their Event or race entry and sending them information on running orders and directions. In addition, certain Personal Information may be published or stored as part of the results and rankings of the Event and by entering the Event, a competitor is consenting to their Personal Information being stored or published as part of the results and rankings of the Event and agree that such information may be passed to any affiliated organisation or future organiser of the SUPER Festival for the purpose of insurance, licences or for publishing results either for the Event alone or combined with, or compared to, other events. Results may include (but not be limited to) participant name, any club or national affiliation, race times, occupation, and age category.

Any personal data will be processed and stored in compliance with the Paddle UK Data Protection Policy and in accordance with all applicable Data Protection laws in effect at the time of publication of this Selection Policy, including but not limited to, the Data Protection Act 2018 and UK GDPR.

Further information on Paddle UK's approach to privacy and data protection, including Paddle UK's privacy notices, policies and contact details, can be located in their Privacy Centre (<https://paddleuk.org.uk/privacy-centre/>). Should an athlete wish any data Paddle UK hold relating to them to be deleted at any point; they should contact Paddle UK at GDPR@paddleuk.org.uk.



Withdrawal & Cancellation

Participant's Withdrawal - Policy & Refunds

Following registration for the Event, if a Participant subsequently wishes to withdraw from the Event they must do so by contacting superfestival@paddleuk.org.uk. The email subject title must be "WITHDRAWAL". No other method of withdrawal is accepted by the Event Organiser.

Following receipt of the withdrawal request, the Event Organiser will confirm the withdrawal by email to the Participant within 5 working days.

If no response to the withdrawal request is received within 5 working days, the Participant should contact events@britishcanoeing.org.uk or call the Paddle UK Events team on 0300 0119 500.

Refunds

Where a participant withdraws less than 30 days prior to the Event (regardless of when they entered) no refunds are available. In all other cases, the Event Organiser will make refunds on the following basis:

- Where a participant withdraws within 14 days of entering the Event – Full refund on the entry fee, minus transaction and admin fees, during this 'cooling off' period.
- Where a participant withdraws more than 14 days after entering the Event but at least 30 days prior to the Event date - 50% refund on your entry fee, minus transaction and admin fees.

Refunds will not be made for any reason should the entrant fail to attend on the day of the Event.

Event Changes & Cancellation - Policy & Refunds

Due to the unpredictable nature of coastal weather and conditions, or other instances of force majeure (including, but not limited to, pandemic, civil unrest, acts of terrorism, strikes) and for the health and safety of all involved, changes to, or cancellation of the schedule may be required.

Where possible races and activities will be rescheduled within the competition period (24-28th June) or if they cannot take place will be postponed until a later date. If the events are rescheduled, entries will be deferred and no refunds provided. If the events cannot be rescheduled, full refunds will be provided.

If the event is cancelled by the organisers for reasons that do not classify as force majeure, participants will be notified as soon as possible and full refunds will be issued, including transaction and admin fees.