



ROYAL CANOE CLUB – MARATHON

London and South East Region Hasler Qualifying Event

SUNDAY 27th MAY 2018

Venue **Royal Canoe Club, Trowlock Way, Teddington. TW11 9QZ**
Telephone – 020 8977 5269 prior to event and 020 8977 5254 on the day

Classes

Hasler Divisional Races			
	12 Miles 2 portages	8 Miles No portages	4 Miles No portages
Singles	Div 1, 2 and 3	Div 4, 5 and 6	Div 7, 8 and 9
Doubles	Div 2 and 3	Div 4, 5 and 6	Div 7, 8 and 9

Lightning Races	
U10	3km
U12	3km
Note: these races are for Lightning Class boats only and not for other similar craft.	

Times

Check-in from 8.30 am
Hasler Divisional racing starts at 11.00 (briefing at 10:30)
Lightning races start straight after the main race.

Rules

Current BC Marathon Racing Rules will apply
(see 2017 Handbook or canoeracing.org.uk/marathon website)

BC Membership and Race Check In: The race is a Regional Hasler event and so each paddler **MUST** be able to produce his/her current BC membership card or a photocopy at race check in and if they cannot do so, then:

- a) a paddler who has not raced before and is racing in divisions 1 to 6 may purchase an event ticket. A paddler who has raced before and is ranked in divisions 1 to 6 will **not** be permitted to race.
 - b) paddlers ranked in divisions 7, 8 and 9 may purchase an Event Ticket (but see below)
- NB Only one event ticket can be purchased in any season.

Race results may be checked centrally for current membership. Where any paddler is found subsequently not to have had current membership or to have purchased more than one Event Ticket per season, their Hasler points will be deleted and the race will not count as a Hasler qualifying race.

The rules will apply similarly for juniors ranked in divisions 7, 8 and 9 who must prove their membership of the Youth Section of their club by means of their registered junior section card. Upon promotion to Division 6, full BC membership is required.

Boat Numbers: Vertical number plates will be provided, £5 charge for lost numbers.

River Licence: You need to carry your BC card with you.

Environment Agency: Instructions given by Environment Agency Officers must be followed.

Race Briefing: Attendance at the briefing is essential

Safety

All Division 7, 8, 9 paddlers and Lightning paddlers **MUST** wear a BC approved buoyancy aid.

All U16 paddlers in Divisions 1 to 6 must wear buoyancy aids unless their team leader leaves a written note giving permission not to do so with the race organisers before the start.

Canoeing & Kayaking are Assumed Risk sports. Competitors take part in the racing at their own risk and must be aware of and accept the risks inherent in the sport. These risks are beyond the control of the race organiser and race officers. All boats must have sufficient buoyancy to remain afloat and support the crew in rough water, in the event of a capsize.

Entry Fees

Hasler: Seniors: £10.00 per seat; Juniors: £10.00 per seat. Late entries £15.00 per seat.

Additional fee for BC event ticket is £5.00, payable by non-BC members or those unable to prove their membership and who are racing in Division 7, 8 and 9, or those who have not raced before and are racing in Divisions 1 – 6. (See Rules section above)

Lightning: £5.00 per seat – no late entries.

Food

Light Refreshments will be provided for competitors.

Food for purchase will also be available throughout the day.

Prizes

There will be Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class providing there are sufficient entries: The prize giving will take place as soon as practical after racing finishes.

Parking

Please follow any direction signs placed in Trowlock Way

Start Order – Provisional (to be confirmed at the briefing)

	Class	Briefing	Start Time
1.	Div 2 K2	10:30	11.00
2.	Div 1 K1		11.01
3.	Div 3 K2		11.02
4.	Div 2 K1		11.03
5.	Div 4 K2		11.04
6.	Div 3 K1		11.05
7.	Div 5 K2		11.06
8.	Div 4 K1		11.07
9.	Div 6 K2		11.08
10.	Div 5 K1		11.09
11.	Div 7 K2		11.10
12.	Div 6 K1		11.11
13.	Div 8 K2		11.12
14.	Div 7 K1		11.13
15.	Div 9 K2		11.14
16.	Div 8 K1		11.15
17.	Div 9 K1		11.16
18.	Lightnings U12 followed by U10		11.18

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Entries to be received by Friday 25th May 2018 (all club entries via HRM please)

Email: raceentries@royalcanoeclub.com

Vertical number plates will be issued on the day. £5 charge for lost boards.

Name (First / Last)	Juniors Age @ 1/1/2018	Singles Ranking Division	Cat. J/S/V M/F	Class Entered Div/Boat	Full BC No.	Entry Fee
Total race fees enclosed: £						

By entering any event at Royal canoe Club, I consent that Royal Canoe Club may record and process personal data, including images, for the purpose of race administration (including start and finish line judging). I understand that Royal Canoe Club will destroy this data on completion of the event, once any results are published.

DECLARATION: I/We certify that the above is/are amateur(s) as defined by the British Canoeing and is/are able to swim 50 metres in light clothing and accept full responsibility for themselves, their craft and accessories, before, during and after the race.

Name & Address:	
Email:	
Tel No.	

Designation:
Club:

Signature:

Payment via BACS to sort code 209056, Account No 80334626 with a reference of the club or paddler name.

Please send entries to: Kathy Ruff
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 Chessington,
 Surrey KT9 2PS

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