



# JEPPE HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

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## Jeppe High School for Boys 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Regatta

23<sup>rd</sup> February 2019

### U16/u19 Regatta

This regatta notice is an invitation to all school and junior rowing clubs to celebrate 60 years of Jeppe Rowing by participating in the local regatta as detailed in the notice below.

1. Venue: Allan Francis Rowing Course, Roodeplaat Dam.

2. Date: Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2019

3. Time: Racing starts at 08h00

4. Events/participants. The regatta will be run in terms of the relevant rules and laws as published in the ROWSA rules of racing and in terms of the conditions contained in this notice. There will be no progression to finals, all heats will be raced as finals. Medals will be awarded to all 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in A, B & C events.

**Single sculls events will be run as heads races at the start of the regatta program. One heads race will be run per age group for both boys and girls (JM16, JM19, JW16, JW19). There is no entry limit.**

**JUNIOR ENTRIES: Once entries have been closed, should the timing of the regatta allow, junior (u14/u15) crew boat races will be considered for addition to the racing program.**

5. Entry fees Spectators: Non-competing spectator gate entry fee will be R30.00 Competitors: Scholars/Coaches/Sports Staff - free.

6. Course. The course consists of eight fully buoyed straight lanes. The course map and rules are attached to this notice. Crews are to row to the start between the clubhouse bank and the buoys. Crews disqualified from races or crews which cannot compete in a race must make their way back to the clubhouse between lane eight and the far bank. It is the responsibility of the crews to remain within hearing distance of the aligner to make sure that they hear when their race is called.

7. Entries

7.1 Entries close at **17h00 on Thursday 14th February**. Late entries will only be accepted if there are empty lanes. This is to allow time for inclusion of u14/u15 events as needed.



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7.2 The draw will take place on the evening of Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February. The first draft draw will be published on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February. The final draw will be published on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February on [www.regatta.co.za](http://www.regatta.co.za).

7.3 As per the ROWSA directive entries should be made via the internet at ([www.regatta.co.za](http://www.regatta.co.za)).

7.4 Late entries will be allocated to empty lanes in order which they are received. If no empty lanes are available, the late entry will not be accepted.

7.5 No composite crews may be entered.

7.6 The regatta organisers reserve the right to limit entries to three boats per event per school and to three events per rower for all events.

8. Order of events and time gaps. The organisers reserve the right to alter the order of events, included above, if necessary and only in consultation with school representatives. Club captains' and coaches' attention is drawn to the intervals between races as set out in the draft programme. Crew entries and boat allocation should be planned around these times. The organisers will not be able to delay the published start times of any races in order to accommodate crew or boat clashes.

9. Food and refreshments will be available throughout the day.

#### 10. Weather interruptions

10.1 In the event of unfavourable weather, President of the Jury shall make all decisions with regard to safety and whether racing should proceed as per the events schedule. If the regatta is delayed, event times shall if possible be rescheduled to include earlier and/or later times of racing on the remaining day/s of the regatta in order to complete all events.

10.2 If it is not possible to complete all events, President of the Jury shall liaise with the GSRF Executive and representatives from member schools with a view to reducing the number of events, e.g. by cancelling single sculling events, other U14 and U15 events or B events etc.

10.3 If it is not possible to complete the regatta, the GSRF Executive shall decide to declare the regatta "cancelled" or "complete".

11. Drones: Please note that flying of drones before, during or after the regatta will not be permitted. RowSA are presently putting together protocols required for flying drones during RowSA regattas, and until these protocols have been put in place, drones are banned. Should you wish to apply to fly drones at the regatta, please approach Peter Heidstra, the safety officer of the Gauteng Rowing Association, and discuss with him. Only drone pilots with CAA drone pilot registrations will be considered.

12. Indemnity: The entering of your school or members serves as an acceptance of Indemnity in this regatta, namely that you declare that you accept your own risk and indemnify the Regatta Organisers, Sponsors and Officials of this rowing regatta against any claim of whatsoever nature and howsoever arising, which may result from your schools, clubs and/or your rowers' participation.

## Old Boys Challenge

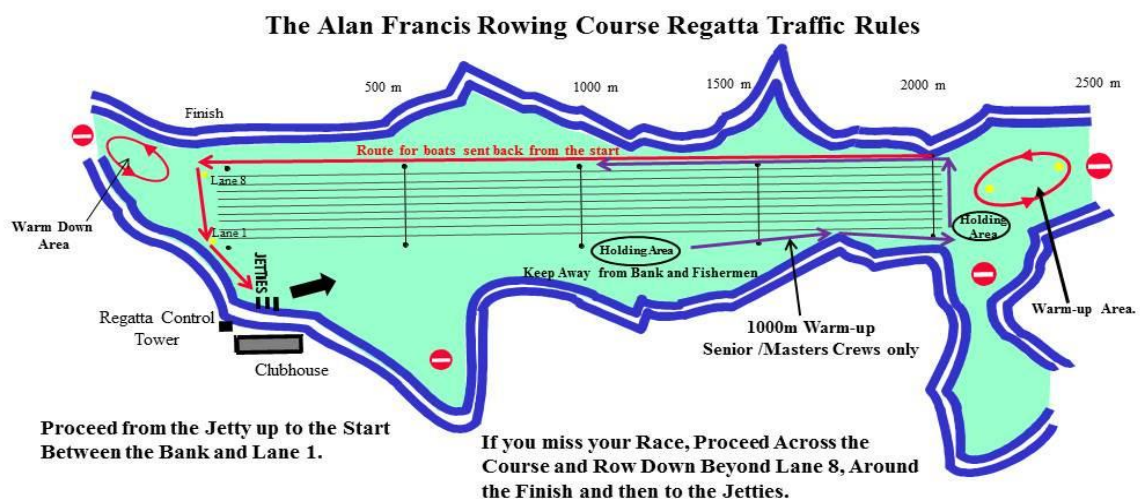
The Jeppe Old Boys would like to challenge any Old Boys from competing schools to take part in an Old Boys Challenge. This race will be held over 500m, immediately after the lunch break. The race will be limited to eight entries, in any boat class, with preference being given to crew boats.

If you would like to take part in the Old Boys Challenge please contact Ben Burnand on [burnand.b@gmail.com](mailto:burnand.b@gmail.com)

## Regatta Program

If you would like to place an advert or sponsor a page in our commemorative regatta program, please see the attached documents. **Please note the deadline for adverts is Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February.**

## Course Rules & Map



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