

# Athy Dragon Boat Regatta

River Barrow, Emily Square, Athy, Co. Kildare  
Sunday, 1st May 2016

## Race Programme & Event Details



**COME RACE THE DRAGON!**

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## Information Summary

- Race Venue:** River Barrow, Emily Square (off Barrow Quay), Athy, Co. Kildare
- Directions:** See attached maps. Sat. Nav. Coordinates 52.991392, -6.983989
- Parking:** Ample free parking is available in Shaw's Car Park just over the Bridge or in and around Emily Square. All parking is less than 5 minutes walk to the race site.
- Course:** The racing course is on the river over a distance of approx. 200m. The start & finish will be marked off the water. All starts will be free standing starts.
- Timings:**
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|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Crew Managers Meeting   | 10.00 hrs (sharp) |
| Crew Briefings Commence | 10.30 hrs         |
| First Race              | 11.00 hrs         |
| Last Race               | 16.30 hrs         |
| Prize Giving            | 16.45 hrs         |
- ALL CREWS ARE TO BE ON SITE AT LEAST 1 HOUR BEFORE THEIR FIRST RACE START TIME TO ALLOW FOR THE SAFETY BRIEFING.**
- Rules of Racing:** The races will be conducted under the IDBA Racing Rules and Regulations, extracts from which are contained in this programme and other conditions as published in this programme. A minimum of 12 paddlers and a maximum of 16 paddlers per boat, plus drummer are permitted.
- Prizes Awarded:** Prizes will be awarded for:
- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Overall
  - Fastest Women's Team
  - Fastest Under 18's Team
- Facilities:** There are no changing facilities available at Emily Square; but toilet facilities are available with the permission of the local cafes, plus there are on-site porta-loos.
- What to Wear:** T-shirt/thermal, shorts/tracksuit, soft soled shoes mandatory, waterproof (only if really cold). It is recommended to bring a spare set of clothes as the novice paddler has a tendency to splash more. Denim jeans are not allowed to be worn whilst racing in the boat. Buoyancy aids will be provided and are to be worn by all participants.
- Catering:** There are plenty of cafes and restaurants within a 5 minute walk of the Emily Square, plus there will be an on site coffee stand. Please note, barbeques are not allowed on the grass area.
- Safety:** No ALCOHOL or DRUGS are to be consumed until racing has finished. Medical conditions which may be brought on through exercise should be advised to the boat helm each time you race.
- Contact No:** 085 7422902 (Julie Doyle – Chief Official)

## Competing Crews

<u>Crew Name</u>	<u>Representing</u>	<u>Crew Manager</u>
1) Anderson's River Rats	Anderson's Bar & Lounge	Brian Dooley
2) Ardscoil Adventurers (U18s)	Ardscoil Na Trionoide, Athy	John Cormack
3) Carlow Crusaders	Carlow Dragon Boat Club	Aisling Kelly
4) Carlow Dragons (W)	Carlow Dragon Boat Club	Aisling Kelly
5) Crom abu Kidz (U18s)	Themselves	Brian Dooley
6) Dublin Vikings	Dublin Vikings	Conor Robinson
7) Kendra Warriors	Kendra Ireland Ltd.	Dan Curtis
8) Leinster Allsorts	Plurabelle Paddlers/Dublin Vikings	Marian O'Dea
9) Liquorice Allsorts (U18s)	Themselves	Rebekah Hughes
10) Plurabelle Paddlers (W)	Plurabelle Paddlers	Rosemary Phelan
11) Suir Dragon Paddlers	Suir Dragon Paddlers	Tino Fiuza-Castineira
12) Three Sisters (W)	Breast Cancer Survivors SE	Marie Murray
13) Up For The Craic	St. Laurences	Martin Miley
14) Waterford Dragon Warriors (W)	Waterford Dragon Warriors	Mairead Collins
15) Whites Castle Ladies (W)	Themselves	Breda Curtis

### Key

W – Women's Team

U18s – Under 18's Team

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Lane 1

Lane 2

Lane 3

#### ROUND 1

Race 1	Anderson's River Rats	Carlow Dragons	Whites Castle Ladies
11.00			

Race 2	Kendra Warriors	Liquorice Allsorts	Plurabelle Paddlers
11.20			

Race 3	Waterford Dragon Warriors	Carlow Crusaders	Dublin Vikings
11.40			

Race 4	Ardcoil Adventurers	Up For The Craic	Suir Dragon Paddlers
12.00			

Race 5	Three Sisters	Leinster Allsorts	Crom abu Kidz
12.20			

#### ROUND 2

Race 6	Dublin Vikings	Anderson's River Rats	Carlow Crusaders
12.40			

Race 7	Whites Castle Ladies	Waterford Dragon Warriors	Carlow Dragons
13.00			

Race 8	Plurabelle Paddlers	Three Sisters	Up For The Craic
13.20			

Race 9	Suir Dragon Paddlers	Ardcoil Adventurers	Liquorice Allsorts
13.40			

Race 10	Crom abu Kidz	Kendra Warriors	Leinster Allsorts
14.00			

#### LUNCH BREAK

#### ROUND 3

Race 11	Carlow Crusaders	Plurabelle Paddlers	Three Sisters
14.40			

Lane 1

Lane 2

Lane 3

Race 12	Up For The Craic	Dublin Vikings	Kendra Warriors
15.00			

Race 13	Leinster Allsorts	Whites Castle Ladies	Anderson's River Rats
15.20			

Race 14	Carlow Dragons	Suir Dragon Paddlers	Waterford Dragon Warriors
15.40			

Race 15	Liquorice Allsorts	Crom abu Kidz	Ardcoil Adventurers
16.00			

**Each crew races three times. The slowest time recorded by each crew is disregarded and the remaining two times are added together. The three crews with the fastest aggregate times go straight to the Major Final; the remaining crews are now out of the competition and determine positions 4 – 15.**

**MAJOR FINAL**

Race 16			
Major Final	2 <sup>nd</sup> Fastest in Rounds	Fastest in Rounds	3 <sup>rd</sup> Fastest in Rounds
16.30			

**The Major Final determines positions 1 – 3 in the competition.**

**PRIZE GIVING 16.45 hrs**

**FINAL POSITIONS**

1st	
2nd	
3rd	
4th	
5th	
6th	
7th	
8th	
9th	
10th	
11th	
12th	
13th	
14th	
15th	
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<b>Fastest Under 18's Crew</b>	

