

Peterborough Head of the Nene Saturday 7 February 2026



Racing upstream over 2,600m and 5,000m

Under British Rowing Regulations, Rules of Racing and RowSafe

Boating & trailer parking from Peterborough Embankment PE1 1EF Competitors car parking via local pay and display

Division 1 | 10:00 start | 2,600m

	1x	2x	2-	4x-	4x+	4-	4+	8+
Senior	/	/	/					
Masters (A-G)	/	/	/					
J18, J16, J15	/	/						

Division 2 | 12:00 start | 2,600m

	1x	2x	2-	4x-	4x+	4-	4+	8+
Senior				/		/	/	/
College / University						/	/	/
Masters (A-G)				/		/	/	
J18, J16				/				/
J15					/			

Division 3 | 14:30 start | 5,000m

	1x	2x	2-	4x-	4x+	4-	4+	8+
Senior				/		/		/
College / University								/
Masters (A-G)				/		/		/
Mixed				/				/
J18				/				/
J16								/

All events are offered in both Open and Women's categories

Depending on entry size, events may be banded based on BROE's CRI data

Entry Fees: £15 per seat (excluding coxes)

Important Notes

- 1. All entries and payments to be made through BROE. Payment to be made before the draw.
- 2. Entries open at 20:00 on Wednesday 10 December 2025
- 3. Entries close at **12:00 (noon) on Sunday, 1 February 2026** unless closed earlier on an event or division basis due to oversubscription.
- 4. The draw will take place on Sunday, 1 February 2026, coordinated from PCRC, and will be released on our website by 22:00 that day. Please see the following for full details: https://peterboroughcityrowing.co.uk/event/peterborough-head-of-the-nene-2026/
- 5. Start times for divisions 2 and 3 may be amended slightly based on the level of entries for each division. These will be confirmed when the draw is published.
- 6. Tankards will be awarded to the fastest crew in each event, where three or more crews have entered.
- 7. On-site catering will be available at the Embankment boating area throughout the day.
- 8. There is no drinking water source at the Embankment, please bring sufficient drink with you for the day.
- 9. The Organising Committee reserves the right to alter the course or remove certain events due to adverse weather conditions.
- 10. Should there be any queries, please contact regattas@peterboroughcityrowing.co.uk

Primary Conditions of Entry (further competitor instructions and conditions will be made available by the end of December)

- Should the Head need to be cancelled either before or during the competition on the grounds of safety we will endeavour to make a partial refund of entry fees once accurate costs have been calculated.
- 2. The race is upstream and usually into a head wind; all crews who enter must be of sufficient competency to race in these conditions.
- 3. Competitors, coxes and their coaches are reminded that persons using this water course do so entirely at their own risk and are solely responsible for deciding whether or not they are competent to use the water course in the prevailing weather conditions; this decision may be taken by an individual or with their coach / crew.
- 4. For large events, we may use BROE's CRI to band these into smaller categories.
- 5. All Junior entries are required to be in the J15 age band or above.
- 6. Where necessary, Masters events may be combined, and race times adjusted using the British Rowing handicapping system.