

Competition Information for Team Members and Athletes

National Young Athletes Road Race Championships Sunday 17th March 2024

Declarations

Battery Park Pavilion, Battery Park, Eldon Street, Greenock. PA16 7QG

Race Venue

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Directions

From Glasgow - head down the M8 towards Greenock, join the A8 (Greenock Road) and continue onto the A770 heading through Greenock onto Eldon Street continuing on heading for Gourrock with the Battery Park opening on the right hand (river) side before you actually reach Gourrock.

From Ayrshire - through Inverkip on the A78 taking the A770 coast road for Gourrock. Continue through Gourrock town centre on the A770 heading towards Greenock - the Battery Park is approximately 1mile along the road on the left (river) side.

Parking

Parking will be available in the public car park just inside the Battery Park immediately in front of the Skatepark on a 'first come first served' basis, with ample parking also available in several streets adjacent to the Park.

Parking beyond the public car park towards the Battery Park Pavilion will be restricted to scottishathletic race officials and St Andrews First Aid only, with barriers and signs in place accordingly.

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In the Battery Park Pavilion from 10am, Team Managers only please.

Important!

Entered athletes MUST NOT be substituted by non-entered athletes. Non-observance of this leaves the whole field and officials uninsured in the event of an accident, puts the competitor at a health risk as they may be wrongly identified, and makes the results invalid as an historic record.

Changing and Showers

There will be no changing or shower facilities, please come prepared to compete.

Toilets

There are public toilets within the Battery Park.

RACE	DECLARATIONS CLOSE	RACE STARTS	DISTANCE
U13 Girls	30 mins before start	11.30	3.0 k
U13 Boys	"	11.45	3.0 k
U15 Girls	"	12.00	4.0 k
U15 Boys	"	12.25	4.0 k
U17 Women	"	12.50	5.0 k
U17 Men	"	13.15	5.0 k

The Course

Consists of varying laps of the Battery Park on traffic-free roads.
Athletes are reminded that the Battery Park is open to the public.
Please treat other park users with respect; they have just as much right to be there as we do.



U13 3K
Start – ABCDA x 2 – ABC Finish

U15 4K
Start – ABCDA x 3 – ABC Finish

U17 5K
Start – ABCDA x 4 – ABC Finish

Medals

Individual medals will be presented in the Battery Park shortly after each race.
Team medals (3 counters for all teams) will be presented in the Park as soon as the results have been calculated.

First Aid

Will be located near the Start/Finish area.

Club Tents

An area will be dedicated for a limited number of club tents near the Start/Finish area.

Catering

Tea/coffee rolls and baking etc will be available in the Park.

Queries

On the day, please address queries about the race to the Referee or Chief Timekeeper.

Results

Will be displayed on the windows of the Park Pavilion as soon as they are available, and final results will be posted on the Scottish Athletics website. Any queries about the results should be addressed to the Referee on the day, or to events@scottishathletics.org.uk

Many thanks to all the officials for their invaluable and much-appreciated help, and to Inverclyde Local Athletic Partnership (ILAP) for generously hosting the event.