

Sprint & Paracanoe selection Event - Code of Behaviour



Code of Behaviour - COVID19 Mitigation Protocol

In order to minimise the likelihood of transmission or infection from COVID -19 the following practises will apply at the Event.

These principles are not intended to frustrate but to provide a safer and more controlled environment that minimises the risk of infection and these principles must be applied to all paddlers, coaches, officials, staff, contractors and anyone else on site during the planning and operational phases of the event.

When attending the event, we expect that you:

- Be aware of your own personal health. If you show any COVID-19 symptoms you must stay at home or if at the event then report to the medical officer on site.
- Travel alone or only with those from your household group or work bubble.
- Minimise the personal items you bring to site.
- Arrive at the competition venue in order to warm up, compete or undertake your role. For athletes this should not be more than 2 hours before competing.
- Comply with all access control and accreditation requirements, including only entering, exiting and re-entering the site in a vehicle through the entrance by the crows nest.
- Comply with all health screening actions.
- Comply with any temperature checks throughout the event and any COVID testing if required.
- Comply with the controlled event protocols at all times.
- Wear a face covering at all times unless in your vehicle, competing or warming up.
- Wash hands regularly and sanitise wherever possible.
- Maintain social distancing of at least 2.0 m whenever possible even when wearing a face covering.
- Follow government guidance when on and off-site, including not gathering in groups of more than 6 outdoors and no mixing between households indoors.
- Do not exceed any specified room occupancy.
- Do not share food or drink. No sharing of equipment.
- Challenge others who do not comply with protocols, in a friendly way.
- Ensure you leave the event site no more than 1hr after your final race has been completed.
- Comply with additional or short term safety measures which may be applied on site.
- Consent to details being shared to support the national test & trace system.

Failure to comply with government guidance and event regulations when on and off site could result in accreditation being removed by the event organisers and persons required to leave the site. Disciplinary proceedings could be brought against individuals by British Canoeing.