

Welcome to ESC's Celtic Longboat Rowing Regatta

General Information

Competitor refreshments
Boat crews and coxes, your entry fee includes tea, coffee and biscuits throughout the day and lunch of pie & chips (meat and vegan options are available). The bar will be open for purchasing other drinks and snacks throughout the day.

Bar and restaurant
The bar will be open for purchasing breakfast baps between 10:00-12:00 hours. A short menu will also be available to purchase other items.

Our catering franchise only allows food bought onsite to be consumed within the clubhouse, and on the side terrace and the upper deck. Food and picnics brought by competitors may be consumed at the picnic tables at the southern end of the terrace only.

Clubhouse
Please note that the Club does not permit wet gear in the lounge (carpeted) area, so please make use of the 'wet team' assistance provided to launch your boat to help keep your crews dry and minimise wet kit and footfall within the clubhouse. Should you get wet there are changing facilities available.

Wet gear is permitted in the Wet Bar area only.

Changing facilities and toilets
There are changing rooms just inside the main gated entrance on your right as you go in. Showers and toilets are available within these. There are further toilets in the clubhouse - men's near the

front door and women's up the stairs near the front door. Please do not use these while wearing outdoors wet gear.

Drinking water
There is a water fountain and tap on the terrace between the changing rooms.

Swimming pool
Whilst the Club has an outdoor swimming pool, please note that this is closed for the winter and is for members' use only.

Dogs
Well behaved dogs on a lead are welcome at the Club, but they must always be supervised and never left unattended (even if tied up). They are not permitted in the clubhouse or the upper deck.

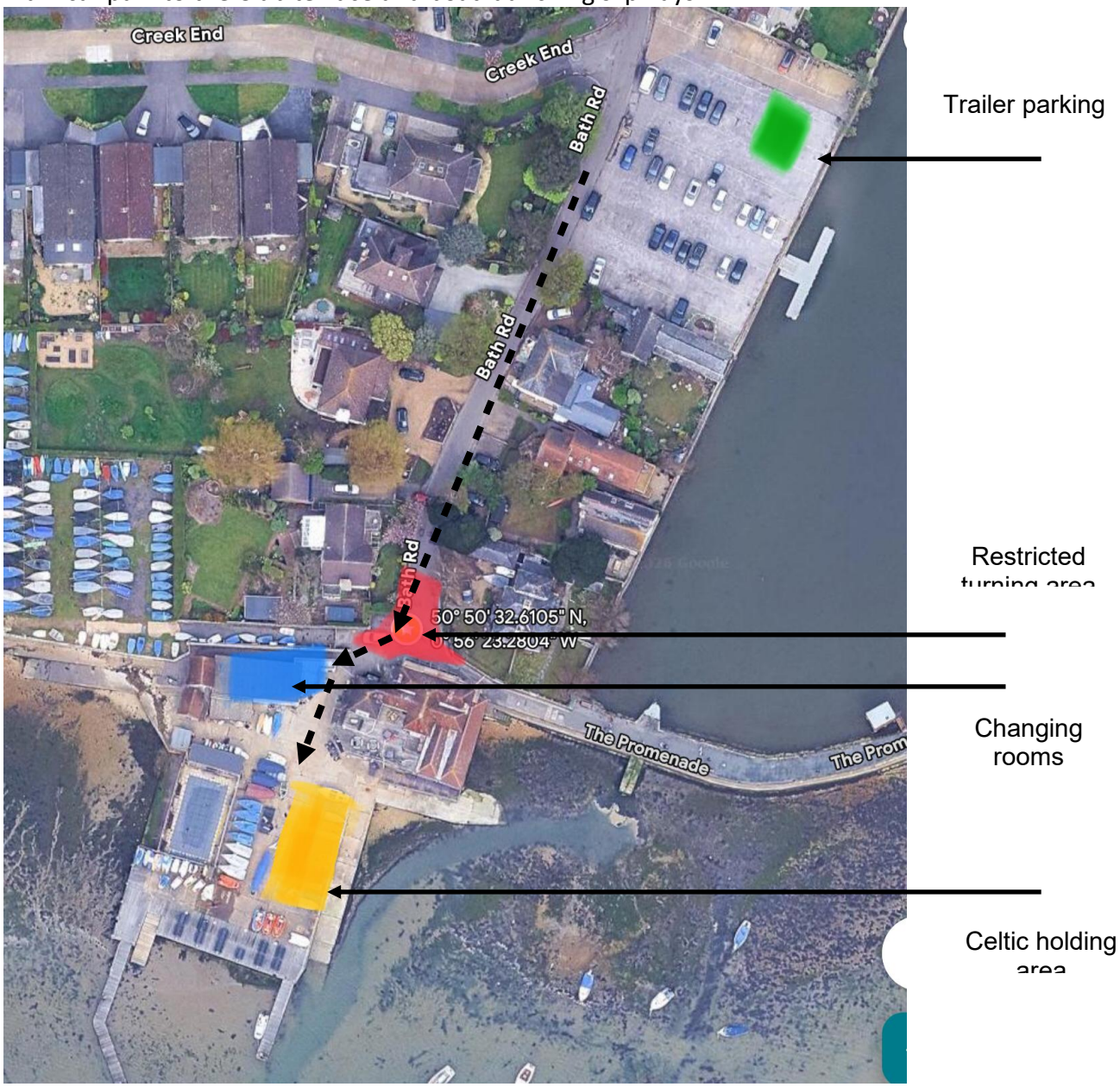
First aid
First aid boxes are available in both changing rooms as well as in the Wet Bar and outer office.

Smoking
No form of smoking or electronic substitute is permitted in any of the Club buildings, on the upper deck, on the harbour side of the terrace in front of the clubhouse, around the picnic tables, in the pool enclosure or within 4m of the outboard store or fuel store.

Car parking, boat trailers and launching/recovery

For the event, tow cars should only use the main car park, shaded green as shown below. Please do not take your car down to the Club as the road ends and there is very limited space for turning around. Unload in the car park and take your boat on its trolley the short distance to the Club at the end of Bath Road, as shown on the map below.

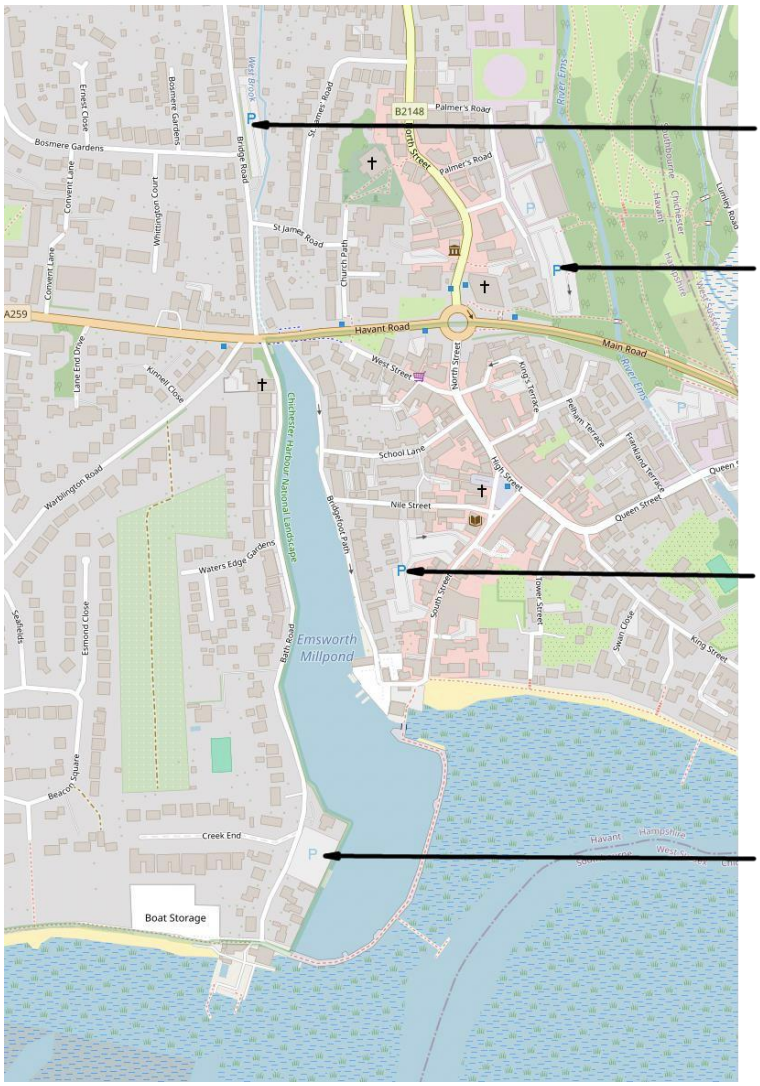
Please leave your trailers in the car park as indicated. The solid black line shows the route from the main car park to the Club terrace and boat launching slipways.



Additional parking

Should the Club car park be full, there are public pay and display car parks in Emsworth. Please unload in the Club car park and then take your car to one of these. South Street is the closest and it's a short walk back around Emsworth Millpond. Please refer to the map over the page which shows car park locations.

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Boat launching

Boats will be held on the Club terrace until sufficient water is available to launch.

Volunteers will be on hand to help with the launching and recovery of boats. **Please let them do the 'wet work', enabling you to stay dry so that you can access the clubhouse**.

Please follow instructions from the volunteers for parking of trolleys.

On the water, oats will be moored on the Club pontoons - please ensure you have sufficient fenders to protect your boat.