

SERPENT'S TAIL SLALOM

Manchester Canoe Club

October 18/19th 1997

Welcome to the Serpent's Tail Slalom.

THE SLALOM SITE is situated near the Chain Bridge Hotel. From Llangollen town take the A452 on the North bank of the river and after 1.25 miles, turn Left for Llantysilio (B5103) and follow our signs. Park in the large car above the Hotel entered a few hundred yards beyond the main Hotel entrance. Please do not take your car across the canal bridge onto the towpath. Similarly don't leave canoes (or Kayaks!) on the car park/towpath downstream of the Hotel. This area is required for use by Hotel guests This event can only be run with the goodwill of the Chainbridge Hotel and it is imperative that the staff or guests are not inconvenienced in any way. Canoes may be left upstream of the hotel. Failure to comply with these instructions risks disqualification.

IMPORTANT. We have been informed that an international Fly Fishing competition will take place during the weekend above the Horseshoe Falls. Canoeists are asked to remain below our starting area.

CAMPING is available at the Abbey Farm site which is on the A452 towards the Horseshoe Pass approximately 1.5 miles from Llangollen. Turn Right at our sign. Camp fees will be collected by Mr. Davies or his representative but if he should miss you please do not leave without paying. Remember that this is a public site so please observe the rules: no noise after 10.30pm: use the litter bins and drive slowly, shutting any gates that you have opened. Also at Eiriawfa Camp Site on the A5, 100yds past Mile End Mill

SAFETY - The water can be very exciting. Please do not place yourself or anyone else in danger by failing to comply with the well-known rules; make sure your equipment is in good order, stay on the water after your run, and do not loiter on the course during practice. Do not paddle alone. There will be plenty of time for free practice. Please note that the Club cannot provide any rescue services outside the times of the the competition and that you will then be entirely responsible for your own safety. We will be happy to loan our rescue equipment to anyone wishing to use it.

JUDGES -We would appreciate more judges. Please come to the Control caravan on the towpath when you arrive and tell the Organiser that you are available and find out when and where you will be required and get your Bib. Thank you for entering - we are depending on you. (Judges Meeting Sat. 12 00)

THE HOTEL - Please don't go into the Hotel wearing your paddling kit even if it is smarter than your ordinary clothes! 01978 860215 for reservations. The hotel is offering a 25% reduction on its normal accommodation rates for those attending the slalom. The public toilets on the common land which are normally available have been closed all season. Strenuous efforts are being made on our behalf to have them opened for the weekend, if this proves impossible Portaloos will be on the top Hotel carpark.

Organiser Janet King.

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Thanks:-

Hope you enjoyed the weekend—we will try to organise the same weather next year. Our sincere thanks are due to the Chain Bridge Hotel for welcoming us and to the Pizza Gallery in Llangollen for donating £5 vouchers to the winners of the individual events.

Thanks to the Judges and all those others including Penny Scaife, Rosie Camp, Pete King[the jury], Manchester Club members and their friends who ran the event.

Congratulations to those paddlers who did well. Thank you all for coming; we hope to see many of you again next year whether as competitors or judges.

TEAMS

Posn	Start No	Name	Club	Time Run 1	Penalty Run 1	Total Run 1	Time Run 2	Penalty Run 2	Total Run 2	Best Total
1	13	Greensmith/Greensmith/Greensmith	Stafford & Stone	210	120	330	180	5	185	185
2	11	Simpson/Burton/Oakland		206	5	211	208	60	268	211
3	4	Webb/Chambers/Burch	Manchester A	200	60	260	198	15	213	213
4	10	Koszary/Davies/Davies		196	20	216	197	20	217	216
5	6	Lavender/Parry/Mackenzie		203	40	243	211	10	221	221
6	12	Eades/Carpenter/Wondre	Cardiff	215	65	280	217	5	222	222
7	14	Marshall/Mackenzie/Black		220	10	230	210	25	235	230
8	16	Mackay/Barrie/Jones		231	170	401	222	10	232	232
9	15	Moore/Rowlinson/Birtles	Essex	203	35	238	218	30	248	238
10	8	Wilkinson/Parry/McIntyre		226	30	256	caps			256
11	1	Camp/Marshall/Hodgeson	Yat	222	35	257	213	65	278	257
12	3	Hooley/Benn/Beerly		223	75	298	274	200	474	298
13	5	Emmerson/Emmerson/Yates		229	80	309	233	225	458	309
14	30	Kay/Eades/Essex-Lopresti	Almost ladies	324	115	439	286	165	451	439
15	20	Renshaw/Newman/Frampton	Entirely Canadians	270	185	455	254	190	444	444

Judges

P'osn	Bib No	Name	DIV etc	Club	Time Run 1	Penalty Run 1	Total Run 1	Time Run 2	Penalty Run 2	Total Run 2	Best Total
1	33	Luke Pilinger	1	Cherwell	150		150	145		145	145
2	18	James Gordon	P	MCC	152		152	148	5	153	152
3	3	Dave Bradshaw	1	MCC	156	15	171	154	5	159	159
4	20	Ben Atkinson	1		156	20	176	155	5	155	155
5	10	Phil Heald	1	MCC	168	5	173	158	5	163	163
6	29	Paul Kelly	Vet	MCC	162	5	167	161	5	166	166
7	5	Max Newton	1	Regents	170	10	180	167		167	167
8	1	Dave Cooke	1	MCC	177		177	172		172	172
9	35	Tim Meyrick	1	MCC	163	10	173	scr			173
10	34	Andy Currie		MCC	175	10	185	scr			185
11	35	Daniel Harkins	Vet	Woodmill	196		196	194	10	204	196
12	6	Adrian Beverley	3	West Yorkshire	199	25	224	192	5	197	197
13	17	Howe			222	10	232	220	70	290	232
14	36	Natalie Harkins	W1		ret			205	30	235	235
15	4	Mike Allen	3	MCC	271	70	341	caps		341	341

Division 2 C1

Bib No	Name	J/V etc	Club	Time Run 1	Penalty Run 1	Total Run 1	Time Run 2	Penalty Run 2	Total Run 2	Best Total	Points
1	65	R. Renshaw	Manchester	189	5	194	186	10	196	194	100
2	32	J. Essex-Lopresti	M.U.C.C.	220		220	204	5	209	209	83
3	64	G. Griffiths	Indepent	211	15	226	206	60	266	226	67
4	38	P. Ambrose	Solent	228	75	303	221	5	226	226	67
5	28	T. Benn	IOP	218	20	238	209	310	519	238	33
6	61	S. Trumpton		263	210	473	273	105	378	378	17

Division 2 K1 Ladies

Bib No	Name	J/V etc	Club	Time Run 1	Penalty Run 1	Total Run 1	Time Run 2	Penalty Run 2	Total Run 2	Best Total	Points
1	75	H. Howes	Shrewsbury	247	15	262	230	10	240	240	100
2	22	C. Kaye	J18 Manchester	229	20	249	caps			249	88
3	110	T. Page	Cherwell	234	65	299	caps			299	75
4	45	S. Eades	dv Cardiff	237	175	412	250	50	300	300	63
5	55	R. Phillips	Winchester	239	65	304	caps.			304	50
6	65	H. Newman	J16 Manchester	222	120	342	235	180	415	342	38
7	62	M. Webb	Regents	317	190	507	265	170	435	435	25
8	94	S. Ainsworth	J.18 1st Norwich S.S.	caps.			caps				13

Division 2 K1 Men

Bib P'osn No	Name	J/V etc	Club	Time Run 1	Penalty Run 1	Total Run 1	Time Run 2	Penalty Run 2	Total Run 2	Best Total	Points
1	213 M.Greensmith	J.16	Staffs/Stone	165	5	170	159	5	164	164	1000
2	257 S.Davies		ADA	164	30	194	155	10	165	165	981
3	215 A.Greensmith	J.18	Staffs/Stone	161	10	171	158	70	228	171	962
4	22 C.Simpson		Independent	179		179	173		173	173	942
5	117 A.Mackay	J18	Winchester	178	5	183	168	5	173	173	942
6	204 R.McIntyre		Manchester	173		173	175	60	235	173	942
7	242 A.Georgiou	J.16	Cherwell	169	5	174	170	10	180	174	885
8	214 W.Greensmith	J.14	Staffs /Stone	164	10	174	163	20	183	174	885
9	189 M.Burch		Manchester	181	25	206	174		174	174	885
10	80 M.Chambers		MCC	178	5	183	176		176	176	827
11	74 D.Eades	J18	Cardiff	180	10	190	176		176	176	827
12	231 M.Black		Independent	171	5	176	182	15	197	176	827
13	41 A.Norman		Salisbury	173	5	178	172	5	177	177	769
14	30 P.Camp	J.16	Yat Racers	177	5	182	177		177	177	769
15	33 G.Burton		Independent	187		187	178		178	178	731
16	239 A.Rawinson	J18	Essex	184		184	179		179	179	712
17	48 S.Lavender		Tees	182	10	192	174	5	179	179	712
18	208 P.Webb	J18	Manchester	178	10	188	171	10	181	181	673
19	180 A.Carpenter	J14	Shepperton	177	5	182	181	5	186	182	654
20	24 R.Davies	J16	Llangollen	177	20	197	172	10	182	182	654
21	237 A.Buggy	J12	Reading	190	15	205	177	5	182	182	654
22	255 T.Emerson	J14	Halifax	177	10	187	183		183	183	596
23	18 M.Shelley *	J.18	N.K.C.	179	10	189	173	10	183	183	596
24	219 R.Yates	J.14	Leeds	177	20	197	163	20	183	183	596
25	123 A.Mackenzie	D.V.	Tees	176	65	241	178	5	183	183	596
26	57 T.Benn		IOP	180	5	185	179	5	184	184	519
27	212 T.Hodgson	J14	Cherwell	204	15	219	186		186	186	500
28	32 M.Oakland		Wimps	181	5	186	176	60	236	186	500
29	222 L.Jones	D.V.	Regents	195	55	250	186		186	186	500
30	182 P.Beverley	D.V.	W.Y.C.C.	182	5	187	179	15	194	187	442
31	254 O.Mapp	J16	Rugby	186	5	191	183	5	188	188	423
32	114 R.Marshall		Independent	189		189	194	5	199	189	404
33	217 M.Barrie	J14	Winchester	191	10	201	184	5	189	189	404
34	153 C.Parry	J18	Tees	193	10	203	180	10	190	190	365
35	110 C.Reynolds		E.M.U.A.S.	192	10	202	187	5	192	192	365
36	142 A.Marshall	J16	Yat racers	185	20	205	187	5	192	192	365
37	105 G.Holmes		Shepperton	190	5	195	184	10	194	194	308
38	81 F.Wondre	dv	Cherwell	190	5	195	198	15	213	195	288
39	235 R.Moore		Southend	175	20	195	170	55	225	195	288
40	98 S.Wilkinson	D.V.	Ribble	198		198	191	5	196	196	250
41	249 Z.Pillinger	J.12	Cherwell	209	55	264	186	10	196	196	250
42	211 M.Curtis	J16	Salisbury	202	75	277	191	5	196	196	250
43	138 M.Birtles	J16	Essex	189	15	204	182	15	197	197	192
44	244 A.Greenwood		Liverpool Univ.	203		203	211	110	321	203	173
45	94 V.Norris		Cherwell	180	60	240	204		204	204	154
46	140 D.Lomas	dv	Black Swan	205	55	260	189	15	204	204	154
47	184 M.Punter		Cherwell	199	20	219	207		207	207	115
48	78 A.Koszary	D.V.	Kinver	200	10	210	183	55	238	210	96
49	258 E.Emerson	dv	Halifax	200	30	230	198	20	218	218	77
50	86 P.Gwyther		Kingston	179	65	244	176	50	226	226	58
51	91 A.Paley		Ribble	191	70	261	186	50	236	236	581
52	250 M.Scandrett	J.16	R.L.S.C.C.	193	75	268	194	75	269	268	952
	2VETG Hooley		VET Burton	174		174	170	5	175	174	885