# ROWING FOCUS DAY

**BUENOS AIRES/2018** 

INTERNATIONAL MIXED TEAM RELAY

## Race format



2 rounds of 4 races

2 teams per race

Race distance =  $9 \times 250 \text{m}$ 

Winner = fastest accumulated time for the two races

## **Teams**



### 8 Teams – 9 crews per team

3 JM1x, 3 JW1x, 1 <u>or</u> 2 JM2-, 2 <u>or</u> 1 JW2-

YELLOW
MDA JM1x
CHN JM1x
ZIM JM1x
CRO JM2-
TUN JW1x
SWE JW1x
MEX JW1x
ITA JW2-
THA JW2-

BLACK
SUI JM1x
CUB JM1x
USA JM1x
IND JM2-
UGA JW1x
EST JW1x
BEL JW1x
ROU JW2-
EGY JM2-

PURPLE
BLR JM1x
NOR JM1x
ALG JM1x
GBR JM2-
LBN JW1x
UZB JW1x
SLO JW1x
GRE JW2-
MEX JM2-

	GREEN
	UKR JM1x
	RSA JM1x
	NCA JM1x
	ARG JM2-
	ZIM JW1x
	GBR JW1x
	SUI JW1x
	CRO JW2-
Ī	USA JW2-

HKG JM1x BRA JM1x KIR JM1x ROU JM2- GUA JW1x GER JW1x CAN JW1x LTU JW2-
KIR JM1x ROU JM2- GUA JW1x GER JW1x CAN JW1x
ROU JM2- GUA JW1x GER JW1x CAN JW1x
GUA JW1x GER JW1x CAN JW1x
GER JW1x CAN JW1x
CAN JW1x
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LTU JW2-
CHI JW2-

DARK BLUE	WHITE
CZE JM1x	PER JM1
GRE JM1x	URU JM1
VIN JM1x	DEN JM1
ITA JM2-	UZB JM2
EGY JW1x	IRI JW1x
RSA JW1x	ESP JW1
AUS JW1x	ARG JW1
NED JW2-	CHN JW2
GFR IM2-	TUR IM2

Each team nominates its TEAM CAPTAIN

Each team decides its own RACING ORDER

Rowers wear the colour-coded T-shirts

## **Startlist Round 1**



15:30	YELLOW	vs	BLACK
15:45	PURPLE	vs	LIGHT BLUE
16:00	GREEN	VS	CORAL
16:15	DARK BLUE	VS	WHITE

## **Start list – Round 2**

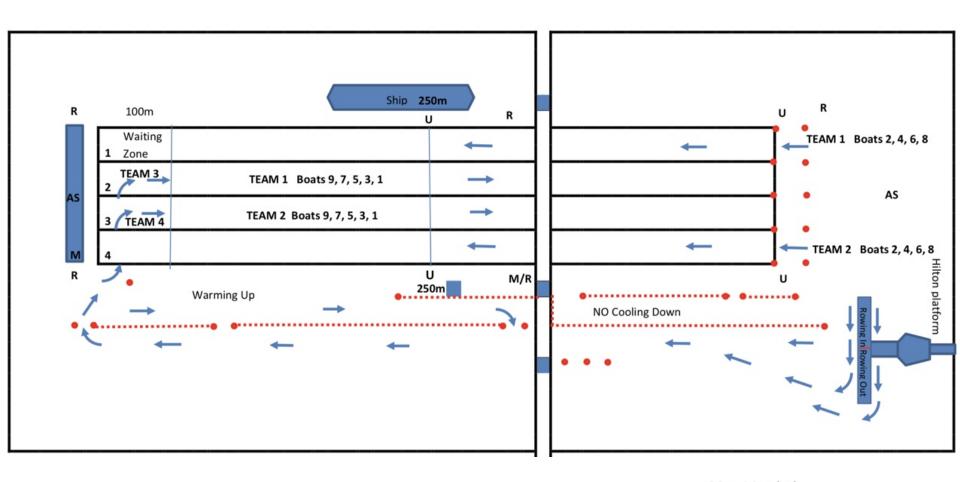


#### Round 2

16:45	Time 8	VS	Time 7
17:00	Time 6	VS	Time 5
17:15	Time 4	VS	Time 3
17:30	Time 2	VS	Time 1

# **Course Layout**





M - Marshal

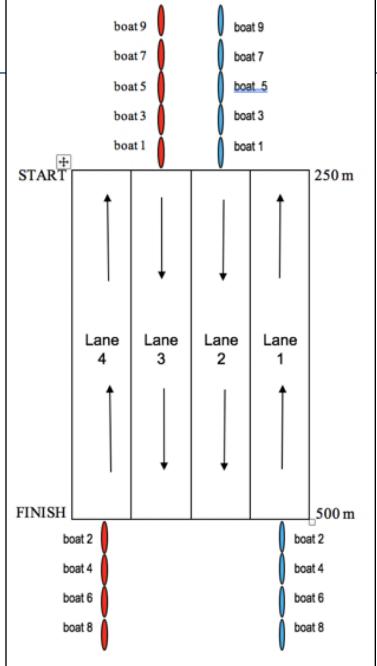
R - Rescue

U - Umpire

AS - Assistant Starter

# **Start procedure**





## Start process



#### **Relay starts**

First crew: quick start from the 250m line

Next 8 crews: starts will be given by a separate umpire as the

incoming crew crosses the line

#### **Penalties**

Normal start penalties will apply for the first start.

False starts during the relay: 5 second penalty or the umpire will STOP the boat and restart when other boat has crossed the line.

#### Crews must be very careful NOT to leave their lane.

The umpires will instruct a team to STOP if they are outside of their lane and not returning

## **Timeline**



14:00 hrs	Teams briefing in grandstand near finish line
14:15 hrs	Teams meet to choose captain and decide on team name & racing order
14:45 hrs	Team captain confirms team name and racing order
15:30 hrs	Round 1
16:45 hrs	Round 2

# Timeline for start procedure



Minutes to Start	Procedure
45	Team Captain hands in race order, collects bow-numbers
30	Two teams racing go on the water, bow numbers fixed
10	All boats go to the 100m Waiting Zone in their starting groups
6	All boats row in correct order to their starting zones:
	- boats 2,4,6,8 go to Finish line and line up in order ready to race
	- boats 1,3,5,7,9 go to the 250m line and line up in order to race
2	First crews ready to race

## After the race



#### No cooldown

Return immediately to the incoming pontoon.

After Round 1: Stay in the boat park and wait for start list for Round 2

After Round 2: Stay in the boat park for the winner's ceremony

### Participation is obligatory

All YOG rowers have to compete in this event. In the case of illness or injury, a rower or crew must notify the FISA by 9am on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> of October.



Have fun, make friends and be fast.