

Paddle UK Marathon Racing Committee
Selection Note for the U16 / U14 Development Team

Following the Marathon National Championships in Reading on the 13/14th July, the MRC Selection Committee have selected the following team to represent Great Britain in the U16 / U14 Development Team. This team would ordinarily represent at the French Nationals. Unfortunately, the location of the 2024 event is too far to travel by bus within the budgeted four days, therefore this trip has been delayed until early 2025. At this moment in time the current thinking is this team will compete at the German Nationals which is likely to be in April / May 2025.

We would like to congratulate the athletes on their selection.

U16 / U14 Development Team

Class	Singles	Doubles
U14 Women Kayak	Matilda Burton (ELM) Ruth Shephard (RDG)	Matilda Burton (ELM) / Ruth Shephard (RDG)
U14 Men Kayak	Lorenzo De Bilio (ROY) Louis Smith (WOR)	Lorenzo De Bilio (ROY) / Louis Smith (WOR)
U16 Women Kayak	Kyla Holt (RIC) Sienna Green (WOL) Izzy Ritchie (WEY) Katharine Boon (ELM)	Kyla Holt (RIC) / Sienna Green (WOL) Izzy Ritchie (WEY) / Katharine Boon (ELM)
U16 Men Kayak	Will Roeser (WEY) Freddie Heard (EXE) Sam Dickson (FOX) Tom Hatton (RIC)	Will Roeser (WEY) / Freddie Heard (EXE) Sam Dickson (FOX) / Tom Hatton (RIC)
None Travelling Reserves	U16: Marcell Nagy (RDG) Tyler Kinder (RDG) Elsie Landsborough (NOT) Jasmine Sargeant (NOR)	U14: Ocean O'Keeffe (WEY) Max Poole (DEV) Jocelyn Allan (WEY) Molly Bates (RIC)

Staff: tbc in 2025

As is customary for this team, where possible, athletes will race both singles and doubles, forming scratch crews where required.

Athletes will need to re-confirm their selection in 2025. This will likely require them to demonstrate their continued performance is at the required standard by attending the first assessment of the spring in March / April 2025. Further details of this process will be outlined in the 2025 Selection Policy.

REQUESTS FOR REVIEW

As per the 2024 Selection Policy (published [here](#)), any requests to review the selections must be made in writing to the Chair of the Selection Committee, Nanette North at Marathon Selectors marathon.selectors@vol.paddleuk.org.uk within 48 hours of the publication of this document, by 18:30 Thursday 15th August 2024.

On behalf of the Marathon Selection Committee- Kat Wilson, 13/08/24