

Paddle UK Marathon Racing Committee

Selection Note for the World Cup, Waterlands and University Worlds 2024

Overview:

The Selection Committee would like to thank Norwich Club for hosting the first assessment of 2024. This was a K1/C1 long course assessment held on a lapped course. The wind was very strong but despite this, the starts were well executed and there was a really positive spirit on this day of racing.

Following the assessment, the Selection Committee met to complete the selections for the World Cup, Waterlands and University Worlds. Due to the timing of these events, many athletes were not available due to exams and prioritising Sprint Selections and Internationals.

The Selection Committee selected the World Cup team first from the list of available athletes using benchmarking across classes. Following this, the Waterlands was selected. Due to a lack of available U23M athletes following the World Cup selection, the balance of the team changed to include more U18 K1s. Again, benchmarking across classes was used to select the best team but also ensuring the balance of athletes to support the logistics as per the policy.

We would like to congratulate the athletes on their selections to their respective teams.

Finally, we would like to thank Norwich, all the athletes and supporters for fantastic day of racing.

TEAM FOR 2024 WORLD CUP

Brandenburg, Germany, 1-2nd June

	K1W	K1M
Team	Melissa Johnson (CLM) Katie Brookes (EXE) Maia Wallace-Loizou (RIC) Freya Peters (RIC)	Matthew Collinge (FOY) William Stroud (CLM) Timothy Dowden (NOR) Arthur Morley (WEY) Sam Cribbett (NOT) Finn Cadell (NOT)
Reserves	Gabriel Popham-Coveley (FOX)	

Holly Mobbs team leader (WEY), Suzanne de Bruijn (NOR), Colette Johnson (BAN), Andrew Collier (NEW).

TEAM FOR 2024 WATERLANDS**Waterlands, Netherlands, 20th April**

	K1 M	K1 W
U23	Isaac Pipe (RUN) Zak Benstead (ELM)	Greta Roeser (WEY) Elise Montagna (ROY) Jessie Urquhart (NOT) Becky Pemble (ADS)
U18	Trishan Bhoola (RIC) Alexander Worgan (RIC) Lochlain Lovell (WOR) Toby Bullock (EXE)	Kamila Sklenarova (NOR) Frankie Scrivener (FOX)
Reserves	Tyler Kinder (RDG) Tom Hatton (RIC)	

Colette Johnson team leader (BAN), Julia Lawley (SOL), David Palfrey (WOK), Catherine Sanderson (LBZ).

TEAM FOR 2024 FISU WORLD UNIVERSITY CANOE SPORTS CHAMPIONSHIPS**Montemor-o-Velhos, Portugal, 24th August**

	K1 M	K1 W
U23	Matthew Collinge (FOY) Timothy Dowden (NOR)	Katie Brookes (EXE) Freya Peters (RIC)
Reserves	Finn Cadell (NOT)	Elise Montagna (ROY)

Managed by PaddleUK Sprint team as part of the combined Sprint & Marathon team

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, i.e. by 5pm on Thursday 28th March 2024.

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