



ST ANDREW'S COLLEGE

## SOUTH AFRICAN SCHOOLS BOAT RACE 2012

St Andrew's College, in conjunction with the South African Schools Rowing Union, invites you to the South African Schools Boat Race to be held on the Kowie River in Port Alfred from 6-8 December 2012.

The SASRU body will be subsidising the running of the Boat Race this year but it does mean a small increase in the entry fee. The entry fee will increase to R 1100 per boy's crew and R 650 per girl's crew.

I have included the website address which gives the various accommodation options available in Port Alfred and it is up to each school to make their own individual bookings as soon as possible. The website for the Port Alfred Publicity Association is: [www.portalfred.co.za](http://www.portalfred.co.za)

Meals if you so wish, can be arranged through the Port Alfred River & Skiboat Club by contacting the manager, Graeme Kelbrick, on 083 359 3231 or [parsc@telkomsa.net](mailto:parsc@telkomsa.net)

### **Competition Details:**

The Regatta will include two events, namely:

A Junior Men's Eights race over 6,4 km. The time trials will be held on Friday afternoon and the Finals will be held on Saturday morning. This event is open to all school's boys First VIII crews, but excludes any current matrics.

A Junior Women's Quads race over 4 km. The time trials will be held on Friday and the Finals will be held on Saturday morning. This event is open to all school's First Quad crews, but excludes any current matrics.

Please ensure you are familiar with the regatta rules as published on [www.sasru.co.za](http://www.sasru.co.za).

### **Programme:**

#### **Thursday 6 December**

**16h00** Registration opens at the PARSC

**17h00** Coxwains taken over the course

**18h00** Registration closes

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Membership includes: ISASA SAHISA AHISA HMC ICP

## **Friday 7 December**

**14h00** Junior Women's time trials heads race

**15h00** Junior Men's time trials heads race

## **Saturday 9 December**

**07h00** Start of finals

**13h30** Presentation of medals at water's edge

### **Registration Fees:**

Junior Men's Entry Fee      R 1100.00 per crew

Junior Women's Entry Fee    R 650.00 per crew

Registration Fees are payable to St Andrew's College and should be paid into the following bank account by no later than **Friday 30 November 2012.**

Bank            Standard Bank  
Branch         Grahamstown  
Branch Code   050917  
A/c Name       St Andrew's College  
A/c No          082007977

Please include a reference which has your school/club name and Boat Race.

Please send proof of payment to:

Lorraine Langley  
Fax    046 603 2381  
Email [l.langley@sacschool.com](mailto:l.langley@sacschool.com)  
Phone 046 603 2350

### **Requests for assistance:**

The SASRU Committee have a limited fund which is aimed at assisting needy school rowers. Please see the attachment for details. Such application must however be signed by the Head of that rower's school.

Please contact me if you have any queries with regards the information contained in this letter.

Yours sincerely

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**Registration Form**

**(To be returned by email or fax by Friday 16 November 2012)**

Name of School/Club: .....

Name of Contact Person: .....

Contact Number: .....

Contact e-mail: .....

Crews entered:	Junior Men's Eight	YES/NO
	Junior Women's Quad	YES/NO

**Junior Men**

**Junior Women**

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**PLEASE NOTE:**

Information on accommodation is available on the Port Alfred Publicity website:

[www.portalfred.co.za](http://www.portalfred.co.za). Meals can be arranged through Graeme Kelbrick at the PARSC on 083 359 3231

- a. "I on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ recognise that The Schools Boat Race remains a challenge for the first eight (boys) and first quad (girls) of South Africa's leading schools and consequently undertake that all the rowers entered from our school are enrolled as fulltime learners at our school."
- b. Clubs (which are not Schools) may only enter with the written consent of SASRU President, which consent will be given taking into account whether the Club has entered a Boys open 8 event or girls open quad event at the provincial Champs event or 2 other regattas of that season and taking into account the development and transformation initiatives of the Club. Applications by Clubs to enter must be addressed to the SASRU President before the closing date for entries to [OosthuysenA@stbenedicts.co.za](mailto:OosthuysenA@stbenedicts.co.za).