



TEAM MANAGERS & CREW CAPTAINS MANUAL

Combined manual - Beach Sprint & Coastal Endurance

16-20 September 2026 | Poniente Beach | La Línea de la Concepción, Spain

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This combined manual consolidates the two event manuals into one document. Information common to both disciplines appears once; discipline-specific requirements are clearly labelled.

Label	Meaning
BOTH DISCIPLINES	Applies to Beach Sprint and Coastal Endurance.
BEACH SPRINT	Applies only to the European Rowing Beach Sprint Championships. Operational lead: Team Manager.
COASTAL ENDURANCE	Applies only to the European Rowing Coastal Championships / European Rowing Club Coastal Championships. Operational lead: Crew Captain.

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1. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

BOTH DISCIPLINES

1.1 Contact details

Item	Details
Local Organising Committee address	La Línea de la Concepción, Cádiz, Spain
Competition venue	Poniente Beach
General event email	info@coastalrowinglalineia.com
Event website	coastalrowinglalineia.com
General event telephone	+34 627 233 166 (Felipe García Pertierra)
Accommodation and transport bookings	beachsprintlalineia@viajeseci.es

1.2 Organising Committee structure

Role	Name
General Director	Daniel Sierra Cárdenas
General Coordinator	Felipe García Pertierra
Deputy Coordinator	Teresa Gutiérrez Echevarria
General Secretary	Yasmina Avilés Díaz
Competition	Yasmina Avilés Díaz
Infrastructure	Abel Salas Méndez
Operations	Andrés Fernández González
Technology	Daniel Sierra Cárdenas

Role	Name
Media - Marketing & Communications	Felipe Moreno Benítez
Media - Press	Manuel García Agüero
Public Relations	Lorena Mérida García

2. EUROPEAN ROWING AND EVENT GOVERNANCE

2.1 European Rowing

BOTH DISCIPLINES

European Rowing President: Asunción Lorient Pérez.

The Championships will be conducted under the authority of European Rowing and in accordance with the applicable World Rowing Rules of Racing, together with the European Rowing Rules and Event Regulations.

BEACH SPRINT

Beach Sprint competition is governed by the applicable Beach Sprint provisions of the World Rowing Rules of Racing.

COASTAL ENDURANCE

The European Rowing Coastal Championships and European Rowing Club Coastal Championships are governed by the applicable Coastal Endurance provisions of the World Rowing Rules of Racing.

2.2 Event officials and key contacts

Appointments in the working drafts remain subject to final confirmation where indicated.

Function	Beach Sprint and Coastal Endurance
President of the Jury	Angela Alonso
Technical Delegate(s)	Katharina von Kodolitsch
Beach Master	Michel Caplot
Registration / Crew Changes	Monika Briedyte
European Rowing Event Manager	Priscilla Moreira
European Rowing Board Representative	Dusan Machacek
European Rowing Safeguarding Officer	Asunción Lorient
European Rowing Doctor	Daniela Serrano
Media representative	Ulysse Rolland
Broadcast representative	Sherry Payne

2.3 Safeguarding and wellbeing

BOTH DISCIPLINES

European Rowing is committed to providing a non-violent, safe and respectful environment for everyone involved in rowing. All members of participating delegations share responsibility for recognizing, preventing and reporting harassment, abuse or other safeguarding concerns.

Concerns may be raised confidentially with the event safeguarding officers, through the European Rowing Office at the venue, or by email.

Contact	Beach Sprint	Coastal Endurance
Safeguarding Lead	Asunción Lorient	Asunción Lorient
Confidential safeguarding email	safeguarding@worldrowing.com	safeguarding@worldrowing.com
Event Safeguarding Officer	Tania Pérez Alberola taniaperezalb@gmail.com +34 655 47 66 17	Tania Pérez Alberola taniaperezalb@gmail.com +34 655 47 66 17

3. GENERAL INFORMATION

3.1 Event overview

BOTH DISCIPLINES

The 2026 European Rowing Coastal and Beach Sprint Championships will be held at Poniente Beach in La Línea de la Concepción, Spain. Beach Sprint racing takes place on 16-17 September; Coastal Endurance racing takes place on 18-20 September, following official training on 16-17 September.

Date	Beach Sprint	Coastal Endurance	Event-wide / common
Monday, 14 September	Registration & accreditation from 15:00; training 15:30-19:00.	Registration & accreditation from 15:00.	-
Tuesday, 15 September	Training 08:30-18:00; Team Managers Meeting 17:00.	Registration and accreditation.	Opening Ceremony 19:00 at Poniente Beach.
Wednesday, 16 September	Championship racing.	Training 09:00-20:00; registration & accreditation.	-
Thursday, 17 September	Championship racing; Victory Ceremonies 15:30.	Training 09:00-17:30; registration & accreditation; Crew Captains Meeting 18:00.	-
Friday, 18 September	-	Championship racing; Member Federation Endurance Victory Ceremony 12:00.	-
Saturday, 19 September	-	Championship racing; Club Endurance Victory Ceremony 19:30.	-
Sunday, 20 September	-	Championship racing; Club Endurance Victory Ceremony 15:30.	Closing Ceremony 16:30 at Poniente Beach.

3.2 Venue opening times

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Date	Venue opens	Venue closes
14 September	15:00	19:30
15 September	07:30	18:30
16 September	07:30	20:30
17 September	08:00	18:00
18 September	07:30	20:00
19 September	07:30	20:00
20 September	07:30	18:00

3.3 Emergency telephone numbers

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Service	Telephone
General emergencies	112
Medical emergency services / ambulance	061
National Police	091
Fire Brigade	085
Hospital Universitario de La Línea de la Concepción	+34 956 969 200
Local Police	+34 956 176 000

3.4 Team Information Centre

BOTH DISCIPLINES

The Team Information Centre will operate during official venue opening hours and will assist teams, Team Managers and Crew Captains with general event information, transport, accommodation, lost property and operational enquiries.

Official start lists, results and competition communications will be published through the official World Rowing systems and displayed at designated information points at the venue.

Team Information Centre location: #20 on the Venue Plan (see A1).

3.5 Race programme and official updates

BOTH DISCIPLINES

The provisional and final race programmes will be published on the World Rowing event page. Racing timetables will be confirmed after completion of crew registration and the relevant draw. For Coastal Endurance, the working draft specifies the draw on 17 September.

World Rowing event page: 2026 European Rowing Coastal and Beach Sprint Championships.

Team Managers and Crew Captains are responsible for checking official communication regularly. Where information in this manual is superseded by a Competition Notice, official communication or Jury decision, the latest official instruction shall apply.

3.6 Team Managers / Crew Captains Meetings

Discipline	Meeting	Date & time	Location / attendance
Beach Sprint	Team Managers Meeting	Tuesday, 15 September - 17:00	Casa de la Juventud . P.º Andrés Viñas, 3, 11300 La Línea All Team Managers must attend and remain available throughout the Championships.
Coastal Endurance	Crew Captains Meeting	Thursday, 17 September - 18:00	The location will be announced closer to the event

Casa de la Juventud address: Paseo Andrés Viñas, 3, 11300 La Línea de la Concepción, Cádiz. Additional meetings may be called if operational or weather conditions require them.

Palacio de Congresos y Exposiciones de La Línea address: Av. Príncipe de Asturias, 11300 La Línea de la Concepción, Cádiz.

3.7 Team Manager / Crew Captain responsibilities

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Act as the primary operational contact between the crew or team, the Organising Committee and European Rowing.

Ensure that athletes, rowers, coxswains where applicable, coaches, boat handlers and support personnel understand the applicable Rules of Racing, traffic rules, safety procedures and Control Commission requirements where relevant.

Ensure that crews have the competence and experience required to train and race safely in coastal conditions and waves.

Monitor official communications and immediately report or communicate withdrawals, crew changes, safety concerns, medical issues and equipment problems as applicable.

Ensure that accreditation is worn and that only authorised personnel enter restricted operational areas.

Ensure that the team or crew has appropriate insurance cover for athletes, officials, travel, medical costs, liability and equipment.

3.8 Rowers obligations and safety judgement

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Athletes, rowers and coxswains must be familiar with the current World Rowing rules applicable to their discipline and know what to do in the event of swamping, capsize or an emergency. The Organising Committee will provide rescue and safety services, but the ultimate responsibility for deciding whether a crew is competent and safe to train or race remains with the athletes and their team officials.

A crew that does not feel competent or confident in the prevailing conditions should not go on the water and should inform the Organising Committee and European Rowing as early as possible. The Jury may prevent a crew from going on the water if it is considered unsafe.

4. ENTRIES, ACCREDITATION AND REGISTRATION

4.1 Events offered

BEACH SPRINT

Championship	Event categories
European Rowing Beach Sprint Championships	Men: M1x, JM1x Women: W1x, JW1x Mixed: Mix2x, JMix2x, INMix2x

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Championship	Event categories
European Rowing Coastal Championships - National Teams	Men: MCM1x Women: MCW1x Mixed: MCMix2x
European Rowing Club Coastal Championships	Men: CCM1x, CCM2x, CCM4x+ Women: CCW1x, CCW2x, CCW4x+ Mixed: CCMix2x Masters 43+ and 60+: CCM4x+ and CCW4x+

4.2 Entry deadlines and fees

Competition	Entry deadline	Entry limitation	Fee
European Rowing Beach Sprint Championships	Monday, 24 August 2026 - 23:59 CEST	Maximum one crew per event per Member Federation	No entry fee
European Rowing Coastal Championships	Monday, 24 August 2026 - 23:59 CEST	Maximum two national team crews per event per Member Federation	No entry fee
European Rowing Club Coastal Championships	Monday, 24 August 2026 - 23:59 CEST	No limitation	EUR 50 per seat, excluding coxswain

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Entries and accreditation must be completed online through the World Rowing entry system. Questions regarding entries should be directed to registration@worldrowing.com.

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Club entries must be submitted through the relevant Member Federation.

4.3 Accreditation and Registration Centre

BOTH DISCIPLINES

The Accreditation and Registration Centre will be located at #20 on the Venue Plan (see A1). The Team Manager, Crew Captain or authorised delegation representative must confirm the delegation and collect accreditations before team members access the competition areas.

Date	Beach Sprint desk hours	Coastal Endurance desk hours
Monday, 14 September	15:00-19:30	15:00-19:30
Tuesday, 15 September	08:00-14:00	08:00-18:30
Wednesday, 16 September	-	09:00-18:30
Thursday, 17 September	-	09:00-15:00

4.4 Crew registration and crew changes

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Team Managers, Crew Captains or authorised representatives will receive a list of registered crews at the Accreditation and Registration Centre. Corrections to athlete names, crew composition or seating order must be submitted through the official crew-change procedure before the relevant deadline. Changes requested after the draw must be referred to the European Rowing representative in the European Rowing Office and will be governed by the Rules of Racing.

Discipline	Crew-change deadline
Beach Sprint	Tuesday, 15 September at 14:00
Coastal Endurance	Thursday, 17 September at 15:00

4.5 Crew photographs

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Teams will be informed if any athlete photograph required for the World Rowing athlete database is missing or unsuitable.

BEACH SPRINT

The responsible athlete must attend the designated photo point during accreditation hours.

4.6 Inclusion Mixed 2x (INMix2x) - confirmation required

BEACH SPRINT

The Inclusion Mix2x crew shall comprise of one rower who can row in a women's event and one man. Only one rower shall be a para rower. The para rower shall be either classified as PR3-PI, PR3-VI B3 or PR3-II 1. PR3-II 1 competitors shall be eligible only if they are included on the VIRTUS international master athlete list in Eligibility group 1. Para rowers with the Sport Class PR3-PI or PR3-VI B3 must hold an international or national classification.

4.7 Boat handlers

BEACH SPRINT

Each delegation is responsible for providing two suitably experienced boat handlers for Beach Sprint training and racing in accordance with Rule RCB 18 and the event Competition Notice. Boat handlers are part of the official support crew and must follow the instructions of the Jury, Beach Master and race officials at all times.

4.8 Eligibility and club nomination

COASTAL ENDURANCE

National-team events are open to crews entered by Member Federations in accordance with the European Rowing Event Regulations. Club Coastal crews must represent clubs recognised by their respective Member Federation and must be nominated or entered through that Member Federation.

Masters crews must meet the age requirements applicable to the 43+ and 60+ categories. The eligibility calculation and any documentary requirements will follow the current European Rowing Rules and the event Competition Notice.

5. TRAINING AND COMPETITION

5.1 Applicable rules

BEACH SPRINT

The European Rowing Beach Sprint Championships will be conducted under the latest World Rowing Rules applicable to Beach Sprint, together with the 2026 European Rowing Rules and Event Regulations and the event-specific Competition Notice.

World Rowing Rules: 2026 Beach Sprint provisions. European Rowing Rules: 2026 European Rowing Beach Sprint provisions. Competition Notice: 2026 ERCBSC La Linea Competition Notice. [Please access the Competition Notice here.](#)

COASTAL ENDURANCE

The Coastal Championships will be conducted under the latest World Rowing Rules applicable to Coastal Endurance, together with the 2026 European Rowing Rules and Event Regulations and the event-specific Competition Notice.

World Rowing Rules: 2026 Rules of Racing - Coastal & Beach Sprints. European Rowing Rules: 2026 Rules and Event Regulations for European Rowing Coastal and Beach Sprint Championships. Competition Notice: 2026 ERCBSC La Linea Competition Notice. [Please access the Competition Notice here.](#)

5.2 Official training schedule

Discipline	Date	Training time
Beach Sprint	Monday, 14 September	15:30-19:00
Beach Sprint	Tuesday, 15 September	08:30-18:00
Coastal Endurance	Wednesday, 16 September	09:00-20:00
Coastal Endurance	Thursday, 17 September	09:00-17:30

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Training is permitted only within the designated areas and during official training periods. Training outside the authorized course or outside the official times is prohibited and may result in penalties.

5.3 Training booking and Beach Orientation

BOTH DISCIPLINES

No participant may enter the water, including for training, until registration and accreditation have been completed and the mandatory Beach Orientation has been attended. The relevant Team Manager or Crew Captain must ensure that athletes and support personnel complete the orientation before their first training activity or launch.

BEACH SPRINT

Beach Sprint training slots must be reserved through the Organizing Committee booking platform on the event website. Teams must use only the slot allocated to them and must schedule the Beach Orientation before their first training slot. A team that has not completed the orientation may lose its allocated training slot. Booking platform: coastalrowinglalinea.com.

5.4 Training traffic rules

BOTH DISCIPLINES

- Training traffic rules apply whenever the relevant course is open for training.
- Crews must follow the official circulation pattern, launch and landing instructions and any direction issued by the Beach Master, Control Commission or safety personnel.
- Training may be suspended or modified at short notice because of weather, sea state, visibility, tides, safety or operational requirements.

BEACH SPRINT

Beach Sprint training must use the official pool boats allocated by the event. Private boats may not be launched on the Beach Sprint course.

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Private and rental boats may be launched only after acceptance by the Control Commission and within the designated Coastal Endurance training area. Crews must also follow warm-up area instructions.

5.5 Beach Sprint competition procedures

BEACH SPRINT

The Beach Sprint Championships will operate on official race track on 16 and 17 September. The course will comply with the current World Rowing Rules and will include a beach start and finish, a running section, a buoyed rowing course and lane flags.

Lane 1 is on the left and Lane 2 is on the right when looking from the beach towards the water, unless otherwise stated in the Competition Notice or at the Team Managers Meeting. Time Trial races will be conducted individually at the intervals stated in the race programme. Knockout and medal races will be conducted head-to-head.

5.6 Athletes Call Room

BEACH SPRINT

The Athletes Call Room will be located behind the finish arch at #9 on the Venue Plan (see A1) and will operate during Beach Sprint racing hours. Crews must report at the time stated in the Competition Notice and follow the instructions of the Call Room officials.

5.7 Finish and timing system

BOTH DISCIPLINES

The official finish and timing procedure are described in the Competition Notice and will be explained at the Team Managers and Crew Captains Meetings.

5.8 Coastal Endurance competition procedures

COASTAL ENDURANCE

All Coastal Endurance races will use a floating start on the water and will finish on the beach under the official finish arch. The final course configuration, distances, turning marks, start procedure, finish procedure and circulation plan will be published in the Competition Notice and presented at the Crew Captains Meeting.

The provisional course format in the Event Bulletin provides for Masters events over approximately 3,000 metres, Open-category heats and B Finals over approximately 4,000 metres, and A Finals over approximately 6,000 metres.

Crews must comply with the instructions of the Control Commission, start officials, course umpires, beach marshals and finish officials before launching, while racing and immediately after finishing. Final Coastal Endurance course and traffic maps: TBC - insert approved maps.

5.9 Weather monitoring and safety decisions

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Weather, sea state, visibility and tide conditions will be monitored throughout the event. Training or racing schedules, course layouts and venue operations may be delayed, modified or suspended at any time for safety reasons. Team Managers and Crew Captains must monitor official communications and ensure that crews immediately follow instructions issued by the Jury, race officials and rescue personnel.

5.10 Safety information and emergencies on the water

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Crews must not enter any No-Go Zone or restricted navigation area shown on the Venue Plan or course maps.

Potential hazards may include shallow water, submerged objects, rocks, commercial or recreational marine traffic, other water users and adverse weather conditions.

In the event of a capsized, athletes should remain with their boat whenever possible and signal for assistance by raising an arm.

- If an evacuation or suspension is ordered, crews must immediately follow the directions of rescue personnel and race officials.

5.11 Control Commission procedures

BEACH SPRINT

Beach Sprint athletes will collect their Timing System Chip at Control Commission 1 (CC1), located at #9 on the Venue Plan (A1), which will serve as the Athlete Call Room.

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Before racing, all athletes must report to CC1, carrying their passport or other valid identification document with photo and wearing the required event wristband.

At CC1, identification and equipment checks will be completed and the crew may receive its official boat number/toblerone. After completing CC1 procedures, crews may be directed to Control Commission 2 (CC2) at #10 on the Venue Plan to collect the official ankle chip.

The final issue, installation and return procedure for wristbands, boat numbers/toblerones and GPS devices will be explained at the Crew Captains Meeting. Failure to return issued equipment may result in replacement charges.

5.12 Penalty Box

COASTAL ENDURANCE

The Penalty Box will be located on land near the finish area. Crews instructed to serve a penalty must enter the designated area and follow the instructions of the responsible officials. Penalty Box location: #17 on the Venue Plan (see A1).

5.13 Coxswain weighing, boat weighing and post-race checks

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Coxswains competing in coxed quadruple sculls must report for weighing in accordance with the current Rules of Racing. Coxswain weighing and boat weighing will take place at location #6 on the Venue Plan (see A1).

Selected boats may be directed to boat weighing or equipment inspection immediately after racing. Crews must report without delay when instructed by Control Commission personnel.

5.14 Head injuries and concussion protocol

BOTH DISCIPLINES

If the European Rowing Doctor or the Organizing Committee Doctor suspects that an athlete has suffered a head injury, the athlete may be required to undergo an immediate medical assessment. The medical decision on whether an athlete is fit to continue racing is final. Any substitution or withdrawal will be managed under the Rules applicable to the relevant stage of the competition.

BEACH SPRINT

Beach Sprint teams must follow the current Bye-Law to Rule RCB 10 and the World Rowing Concussion Return to Competition Protocols.

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Coastal Endurance teams must follow the current World Rowing concussion and return-to-competition protocols.

6. BOATS, OARS, UNIFORMS AND EQUIPMENT

6.1 Official boat providers

BEACH SPRINT

Provider	Allocated boat classes
Empacher	JM1x, JW1x
Filippi	M1x, W1x
Swift Racing	Mix2x, JMix2x, INMix2x

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Teams must make bookings directly with the supplier and verify availability, insurance, payment conditions, collection arrangements and booking deadlines. Rental prices are provided in the Event Bulletin.

Provider	Boat classes	Booking contact
Empacher	1x, 2x	https://www.empacher.com/en/bookings-coastal-worlds-qingdao-cn-and-europeans-la-linea-es Email contact: h.hinrichs@empacher.com
Filippi	1x, 2x, 4x+	https://www.filippiboats.com/eng/rental-portal
Hudson	1x	https://www.hudsonboatworks.com/ercc
Kanghua	1x, 2x, 4x+	Email contact: info@kanghuacoastal.com
Rubenetti	1x, 2x, 4x+	Email contact: info@rubenettiboats.com
Swift Racing	1x, 2x, 4x+	https://swiftinternational.biz/pages/boat-rental-for-2026-ercbsf

6.2 Oars and rental suppliers

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Teams may bring their own oars or rent them from an official supplier. The Organising Committee will not provide oars. Each crew or team is responsible for ensuring that its oars comply with the current Rules of Racing.

Supplier	Beach Sprint booking contact	Coastal Endurance booking contact
Braca-sport	Email contact: martin@braca-sport.com	Email contact: martin@braca-sport.com
Swift Racing	https://swiftinternational.biz/pages/boat-rental-for-2026-ercbsf	https://swiftinternational.biz/pages/boat-rental-for-2026-ercbsf

The colour and design of each blade must be identical on both sides.

BEACH SPRINT

For shared-use pool oars, blades may be a plain solid colour. National identification stickers are not required on shared pool blades.

COASTAL ENDURANCE

National-team crews must use the colours of their registered Member Federation. Club crews must use colours registered with their Member Federation. Neutral-colour blades may be used on shared or rented oars where permitted by the Rules.

6.3 Uniform and identification

BOTH DISCIPLINES

All racing uniforms and advertising must comply with the current World Rowing Rules and European Rowing event regulations. Crew members must display their family name and the three-letter Member Federation code in Romanised text in the prescribed position and dimensions.

Position	Font	Height	Maximum width	Case	Example
Front - family name	Arial	50 mm	150 mm	Uppercase	GARCIA
Front - country code	Arial	50 mm	100 mm	Uppercase	ESP
Back - country code	Arial	100 mm	-	Uppercase	ESP

BEACH SPRINT

Boat handlers must wear matching official bibs that clearly distinguish them from the racing crew, as required by the Rules and Competition Notice.

6.4 Pool-boat rigging and permitted adjustments

BEACH SPRINT

Beach Sprint pool boats must be raced with the standard rigging published in the Competition Notice. [Please access the Competition Notice here.](#)

6.5 Boat storage and repair

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Boat storage and repair services will be provided in the designated supplier and boat-park areas. Official providers are responsible for their own workshops and technical support. Teams must not carry out repairs or leave equipment outside the allocated areas. Boat park and repair area: #13 on the Venue Plan (see A1).

BEACH SPRINT

This applies to the official Beach Sprint pool boats.

COASTAL ENDURANCE

This applies to private and rental Coastal Endurance boats and the official supplier areas.

6.6 Boat numbers, Toblerones and official ankle chips

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Each boat must display the official number / Toblerone issued by the Organising Committee and, where required, carry the official ankle chip. Boats must be prepared in advance with the straps and mounting plate specified by World Rowing or the timing provider.

Crew Captains are responsible for ensuring correct installation and for returning all issued equipment immediately after racing. Failure to display, install or return equipment correctly may result in penalties, refusal to start or replacement charges.

6.7 Safety equipment and boat compliance

COASTAL ENDURANCE

Private and rental boats, oars and safety equipment must comply with the current World Rowing Coastal Rowing Rules. Crews are responsible for checking that required safety equipment is present, correctly installed and serviceable before training and racing. European Rowing, the Jury and the Control Commission may inspect boats and equipment at any time.

7. TEAM / ATHLETE FACILITIES AND SERVICES

7.1 Warm-up and recovery area

BEACH SPRINT

Ergometers will be available for Beach Sprint warm-up and recovery in the designated Warm-up Area. Athletes and team officials must use the equipment responsibly, wipe down each ergometer after use and keep the area clean and clear. Warm-up Area location: #15 on the Venue Plan (see A1).

7.2 Changing facilities, showers and toilets

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Five portable toilets will be available within the venue located at #5 on the Venue Plan (see A1). In addition, public toilets are available on the beach.

Shower facilities are limited to the public beach showers. No changing rooms will be available at the venue.

7.3 Bag drop and lost property

BOTH DISCIPLINES

A secure athlete bag-drop service may operate during competition days. The Organising Committee accepts no responsibility for unidentified or unattended belongings. Bag-drop location, opening hours and liability conditions: #16 on the Venue Plan (see A1).

Lost and found will be managed through the Bag Drop point.

7.4 Drinking water

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Teams should bring reusable drinking bottles. Refill points will be available at the venue.

7.5 Internet, banking and mobile communications

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Official hotels manage their own Wi-Fi services. Participants should contact the hotel reception for access details. The currency in Spain is the euro (EUR). Payment cards are widely accepted, but teams should ensure they have an appropriate payment method for small purchases and supplier deposits. Participants should check international roaming conditions with their mobile provider before travelling.

7.6 Shops and spectator services

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Food court, shops and public services are available near the venue. Access to the team and public grandstands is free of charge.

7.7 Insurance and liability

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Each Member Federation, club and participant is responsible for arranging adequate medical, travel, accident, liability and equipment insurance. Participation is at the crew's own risk, subject to the responsibilities and protections established by the applicable Rules and Spanish law.

8. MEDICAL, SAFETY AND DOPING CONTROL

8.1 Medical support

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Ambulance location: red cross near #19 and #5 on the Venue Plan (see A1). Medical support will be available during official venue opening hours, training sessions and competition sessions. Athletes requiring medical assistance should report to the Medical Centre or contact the nearest official.

8.2 First aid, ambulances and hospital

BOTH DISCIPLINES

A first-aid point and ambulance service will be available during official training and racing. Their exact operational locations are shown on the Venue Plan (see A1) marked with a red cross.

Item	Details
Hospital	Hospital Universitario de La Línea de la Concepción
Address	Calle Gabriel Miró, 108, 11300 La Línea de la Concepción, Cádiz
Telephone	+34 956 969 200
Emergency number	112

8.3 Water rescue and safety

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Water-rescue teams will operate whenever the official training or competition courses are open. Crews must follow all safety instructions and immediately stop or alter their activity when instructed by race officials or rescue personnel. Course opening, training and racing may be delayed, modified or suspended because of sea state, weather, visibility, tides or other safety considerations.

8.4 Doping Control

BOTH DISCIPLINES

The Doping Control Centre will be located at #22 on the Venue Plan (see A1). Testing will be conducted in accordance with the World Anti-Doping Code, International Standards and the World Rowing Anti-Doping Rules.

Athletes selected for testing must follow the instructions of the chaperone and report to the Doping Control Centre without delay. Team Managers and Crew Captains should ensure that athletes carry valid identification and understand their rights and responsibilities.

9. TRANSPORT, ACCOMMODATION AND CATERING

9.1 Official travel and accommodation contact

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Viajes El Corte Inglés is the official event travel and accommodation agency. Teams may book official hotels, airport transfers and transport between official hotels and the venue through the event system.

For accommodation and transport information or bookings, please email: beachsprintlalinea@viajeseci.es

9.2 Main airports

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Airport	Approx. distance	Notes
Gibraltar International Airport (GIB)	Less than 2 km	Approximately 10 minutes on foot after crossing the border; mainly UK connections.
Málaga-Costa del Sol Airport (AGP)	119 km	Approximately 1 hour 25 minutes by car; main international option.
Jerez Airport (XRY)	118 km	Approximately 1 hour 20 minutes by car.
Seville Airport (SVQ)	195 km	Approximately 2 hours by car.

9.3 Airport transfers and local team transport

BOTH DISCIPLINES

The Organising Committee offers the possibility of booking transfers from the main airports to official hotels and transport between official hotels and the venue. Services must be reserved in advance through Viajes El Corte Inglés.

Teams travelling with oars, boat equipment, oversized luggage or unusual baggage must notify the travel agency in advance so that suitable vehicles can be arranged.

9.4 Parking

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Parking locations, permits, loading/unloading zones and access routes – see Appendix 1: venue plan.

9.5 Official accommodation

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Official hotel availability and reservation forms are published through the event accommodation system. Teams are responsible for checking the booking, payment and cancellation conditions applicable to their selected hotel.

9.6 Catering

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Participants staying in official accommodation will receive meal services through their designated hotel. Questions regarding meal times, dietary requirements, packed lunches or catering arrangements should be directed to the hotel or Viajes El Corte Inglés.

10. MEDIA, COMMUNICATIONS AND CEREMONIES

10.1 Official communication with Team Managers / Crew Captains

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Operational communication will be conducted through an official WhatsApp Group and the official European Rowing event communication systems. The mobile number supplied during registration will be used to add each Team Manager, Crew Captain or designated contact to the group.

The channel is intended for official announcements. Team or crew specific questions should be directed to the Team Information Centre or the relevant event contact.

10.2 Media accreditation and Media Centre

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Media representatives must be accredited through World Rowing. Photographers and broadcasters requiring access to restricted operational areas must wear the appropriate accreditation and bibs issued by World Rowing. Further information: [World Rowing Media Centre](#)

10.3 Broadcast and live streaming

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Instructions regarding media access, bib collection and use will be communicated directly to accredited media personnel. Live streaming schedules and viewing information will be published through official World Rowing communication channels.

10.4 Opening, Victory and Closing ceremonies

Ceremony	Date / time	Discipline / details
Opening Ceremony	Tuesday, 15 September - 19:00	Both disciplines - Poniente Beach
Beach Sprint Victory Ceremonies	Thursday, 17 September - 15:30	Beach Sprint
Member Federation Coastal Victory Ceremony	Friday, 18 September - 12:00	Coastal Endurance
Club Coastal Victory Ceremony	Saturday, 19 September - 19:30	Coastal Endurance
Club Coastal Victory Ceremony	Sunday, 20 September - 15:30	Coastal Endurance
Closing Ceremony	Sunday, 20 September - 16:30	Both disciplines - Poniente Beach

BOTH DISCIPLINES

Medallists must report promptly to the ceremony preparation area and wear the official racing uniform or the uniform specified by European Rowing. Flags, personal items and unauthorised advertising may not be taken onto the podium unless permitted by ceremony officials.

11. APPENDICES INSERTED

Appendix	Applies to
A1. Venue Plan	Both disciplines
A2. Designated Coastal training area during Beach Sprint racing	Coastal Endurance
A3.1. Coastal racing course map - 3K (Master categories)	Coastal Endurance
A3.2. Coastal racing course map – 4K (qualifying heats & B finals for the Senior categories)	Coastal Endurance
A3.3. Coastal racing course map – 6K (A finals for the Senior categories)	Coastal Endurance
A4.1. Beach Sprint Official boat-provider information	Beach Sprint
A4.2. Coastal Official boat-provider information	Coastal Endurance
A5. Oars rental suppliers' information	Both disciplines

A1. VENUE PLAN



A2. DESIGNATED COASTAL TRAINING AREA DURING BEACH SPRINT RACING



A3.1. COASTAL RACING COURSE MAP - 3K (MASTER EVENTS)



A3.3. COASTAL RACING COURSE MAP - 6K (FINALS A FOR THE SENIOR EVENTS)



A4.1. BEACH SPRINT OFFICIAL BOAT-PROVIDER INFORMATION

The following providers have been appointed as official providers for the beach sprint events:

Provider	SOLO	DOUBLE
EMPACHER	JM1x	JW1x
FILIPPI	M1x, W1x	
SWIFT		Mix2x, JMix2x

A4.2. COASTAL OFFICIAL BOAT-PROVIDER INFORMATION

The following providers are appointed as official boat rental providers for coastal events.

Provider	1x	2x	4x+	Booking Process
Empacher	EUR 55 per racing or training	EUR 95 per racing or training	N/A	The rental fee includes insurance and taxes. Booking via: https://www.empacher.com/en/bookings-coastal-worlds-qingdao-cn-and-europeans-la-linea-es Email contact: h.hinrichs@empacher.com
Filippi	Early Bird EUR 40 per training session or race Standard EUR 45 per training session or race	Early Bird EUR 80 per training session or race Standard EUR 90 per training session or race	Early Bird EUR 160 per training session or race Standard EUR 180 per training session or race	Request must be sent through online form published at: https://www.filippiboats.com/eng/rental-portal portal Each request will be managed individually by our staff. • Early bird deadline for submit a request is August 2. • Standard price request deadline is September 6. Booking depends on availability.
Kanghua	EUR 150 for whole regatta (including training)	EUR 300 for the whole event including training	EUR 600 for the whole event including training (excluding cox)	No deadline for booking Insurance against damage taken by Kanghua Boat Co. Ltd. Liability of the crew to a damage deposit of 100 Euro per rower if damage caused by negligence For rentals or enquiries, please email info@kanghuacoastal.com
Rubenetti Coastal Rowing	EUR 240 per whole regatta	EUR 240 per seat per whole regatta	EUR 240 per seat for whole regatta	Deadline 30 of June. Send an email to info@rubenettiboats.com with the crew, category, country and date of arrival. EUR 100 deposit will be refunded if no damages.
Swift Racing	Standard EUR 200 for the whole regatta Early Bird EUR 180	Standard EUR 400 for the whole regatta Early Bird EUR 360	Standard EUR 800 for the whole regatta Early Bird EUR 720	Booking and payment on our website at this link: www.swiftracing.com/2026ERCC Self insured No deadline for booking but limited quantities Early Bird price until August 1st

A5. OARS RENTAL SUPPLIERS INFORMATION

The following providers are appointed as official Oar Rental providers for both beach sprint and coastals events.

Provider	Rental Fee and information	Contact
Braca-sport	EUR 20/pair per one time on the water (training or race) Rental fee for one all regatta – EUR 60/pair	Booking by e-mail: martinas@braca-sport.com Deadline: 28 of August. No insurance.
Swift Racing	EUR 60 per pair for the whole event EUR 50 Early bird price until August 1st	To book oars for WRCC go to: www.swiftracing.com/2026ERCC To book oars for WRBSF go to: www.swiftracing.com/2026ERBSF No deadline to book, but limited quantity. Insurance: self insured.