

Burton Phoenix Canoe Club

TRENT DOUBLE 2026

Saturday 10th January

Welcome to the Burton Phoenix Canoe Club **Trent Double WWR races** a 2Km Classic and 220m Sprint on the River Trent in Burton.

Suitable for all boat types, K1, K2, WWR K1/C1/C2, Open, slalom, SUP.

Venue: Newton Road Park, Burton on Trent, DE15 0TU, what3words, [///tunes.cargo.planet](https://tunes.cargo.planet)

Check-in by the car park. Payment online please.

PARKING: On the car park as directed by marshals.

Sprint: Approx 220m. Start, what3words, [///loft.finds.intro](https://loft.finds.intro), finish, [///nests.thanks.causes](https://nests.thanks.causes).

11:00 run 1, 12:00 run 2.

Classic: 2 km. Upstream start, clockwise around island, past weir, back to finish.

13:30am start

Control: Newton Road Recreation Grounds, DE15 0TU). Results and prize giving.



Figure 1Sprint Course

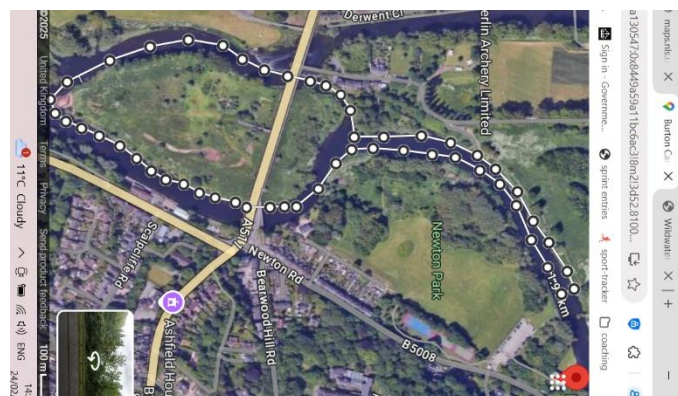


Figure 3Classic Course

Classes: Singles and doubles. Further prizes (ladies, canoe, etc) subject to numbers.

TIMETABLE:

Check in: 09:00am.

Briefing: 10:30

Start: 11:01

PRIZEGIVING: Once all races are finished and results are available.

ENTRIES: Entries close on 9th January 2026, at 12:00 noon . Late entries can be made on the day subject to the MAXIMUM of 60 boats not being exceeded. Please check for availability of late entries before travelling.

Entry Fee: £10 per person (£5 classic, £5 sprint).

Please enter and pay using the Wild Water Racing Entry system.

For Non Paddle UK members requiring an single event membership, please follow the link, <https://paddleuk.org.uk/purchase-sem/> .

HAZARDS: Care should be taken around rowers, fishermen and other river users. All paddlers should be aware of oncoming paddlers and keep to the left of the river even though the Trent is quite wide. This is especially important after the start for paddlers moving down the river as others may be paddling up on the racing line.

SAFETY: Canoeing and Kayaking is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk. An entry into the event has taken this into consideration.

All paddlers in must wear buoyancy aids.

All boats must have buoyancy that is sufficient to keep the boat and paddlers afloat in the event of a capsize.

RULES: The race will be run in accordance with the current Wild Water Racing rules.

PRIZES: For all classes depending on entry.

NOTE: Burton Phoenix Canoe Club reserves the right without prior notice to alter any of these arrangements should the weather or other circumstances warrant.

If you have any access requirements or for any queries or changes to entries, please contact Bill Lawrenson at wjlawro@aol.com.

The Canal and Rivers Trust and the local parks volunteers are fighting a battle against the spread of invasive plant species such as Japanese Knotweed, Himalayan Balsam, Giant Hogweed and Floating Pennywort in the canal and river system in the

country. Pictures on the CRT website show the effect that the spread of these plants can have on our waterways. To aid them in this will you please wash and dry your boat before coming to the Burton Phoenix race and again at home after the race before going on other waterways. Floating Pennywort is present in the River Trent in Burton.