



SETTING UP START & FINISH LINE

Scullers Reserve

START LINE – pontoon used

1. Ensure that the pontoon is in the correct position
2. Ensure the pontoon fingers are correctly aligned across all lanes used. Pontoon fingers should be approximately 21 slats on the racing side to allow the dragon boat room to reverse in safely, not damaging the tail.
3. Place the lane numbers on the pontoon in line with the fingers.
4. NOTE miss the first finger as that is Lane 0.
5. Start with the second finger as Lane 1 then continue across to Lane 6, ensure the numbers are secured well.
6. It is best to check the finger alignment prior to the first race (with a dragon boat in position) and again when weather alters the alignment of the pontoon.
7. At the end of the race day collect the lane numbers from the pontoon.

FINISH LINE – 200 metres

8. Attach buoys to the kevlar lines which run the 2000m length of the course. Red buoy on the first ring followed by Blue, Yellow, Pink, Green, and Orange going across the lane from east to west side. Fix weights at the buoy points on the line
9. The second option is to collect numbered buoys from Rowing SA.
10. Attach the numbered buoys starting with Number 1 through to Number 6 from the east to the west side of the course.
11. At the end of the race day collect the coloured buoys in reverse order.
12. If the numbered buoys are used they are to be collected and returned to Rowing SA.