

Paddle UK - Canoe Slalom & Kayak Cross International Panel Statement

Final Paris 2024 Olympic Nominations – 13th June 2024

On the 11th November 2023, following stage 1 of the 2024 Olympic Team Nomination Process, the British Olympic Association announced the selection of the following athletes to Team GB for the Paris 2024 Olympic Games:

Stage 1 – Selections to Team GB in Canoe Slalom & Kayak Cross for the Paris 2024 Olympic Games:

Male			Female			
MC1	MK1	MX1	WC1	WK1	WX1	
Adam Burgess	Joe Clarke	Joe Clarke	Mallory Franklin	Kimberley Woods	Kimberley Woods Mallory Franklin	

Following the conclusion of the Olympic Qualification System (OQS) and completion of Stages 2 and 3 of the 2024 Olympic Team Nomination Process, Subject to acceptance by the BOA, the following athlete will be nominated to the British Olympic Association for selection to Team GB for the Paris 2024 Olympic Games in addition to those already announced above:

Adam Burgess is nominated in the MX1 event in addition to the MC1 event already selected

Stage 3 – Nominations of Athlete reserves to the British Olympic Association for Paris 2024:

Subject to appeal and acceptance by the BOA the following athletes are nominated as reserves:

MC1 Reserve	MK1 Reserve	MX1 Reserves		WC1 Res
Ryan Westley	Jonny Dickson	Jonny Dickson (1 st res) Ben Haylett (2 nd res)		Kimber Wood

Female							
WC1 Reserve	WK1 Reserve	WX1 Reserves					
Kimberley Woods	Mallory Franklin	Nikita Setchell (1 st res) Phoebe Spicer (2 nd res)					

In the event of a situation requiring one or more reserves, any selection is subject to meeting the conditions set out in the Paris 2024 Late Athlete Replacement (LAR) policy and meeting Paddle UK's fitness to travel process.

In line with the published policy, the IP has determined that any athlete replacement up to the Canoe Slalom Team Leaders Meeting on 25th July 2024 will be allocated to the appropriate Canoe Slalom reserve as named above. Any athlete replacement following the Canoe Slalom Team Leaders Meeting on 25th July will be from the above Kayak Cross reserves in descending order.

<u>Appeals</u>

The Paddle UK selection policy has a clear appeal process as outlined in the policy which can be found here. Due to the proximity of the Olympic Games, The Paddle UK Director of Governance has invoked the provisions of 1.5 of the Competition Selection Appeals Procedure to make an adjustment to the timescales.

Athletes must email appeals@paddleuk.org.uk within 1 working day of the date and time of this selection notice to declare their intent to appeal. This declaration must include the athlete's name and the selection decision they intend to appeal against. Please note this declaration of intent to appeal is not the same as the notice of appeal. Athletes will still have the time allocated within the policy to submit their notice of appeal setting out their detailed grounds and supporting evidence. However, this notice of appeal will not be accepted if an athlete has not submitted their declaration of intent to appeal within the timeframe set out above.

Any Appeal will be heard by three members of the Paddle UK Disciplinary and Appeal Panel Register (More details can be found here). If you object to any potential Panel members hearing your Appeal, please detail this in your Notice of Appeal as well as outlining the reasons for the objection.

Questions?

The IP recognises that the OQS and LAR bring added dimensions to an already complex selection policy, so in the situation that you have a question about the application of the policy or wish to simply discuss an aspect of the selection process then we would welcome the opportunity to assist. If you have any questions, please contact the chair of the IP at andy.maddock@paddleuk.org.uk.

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