



## Flying Fifteen Northern Championship 2026

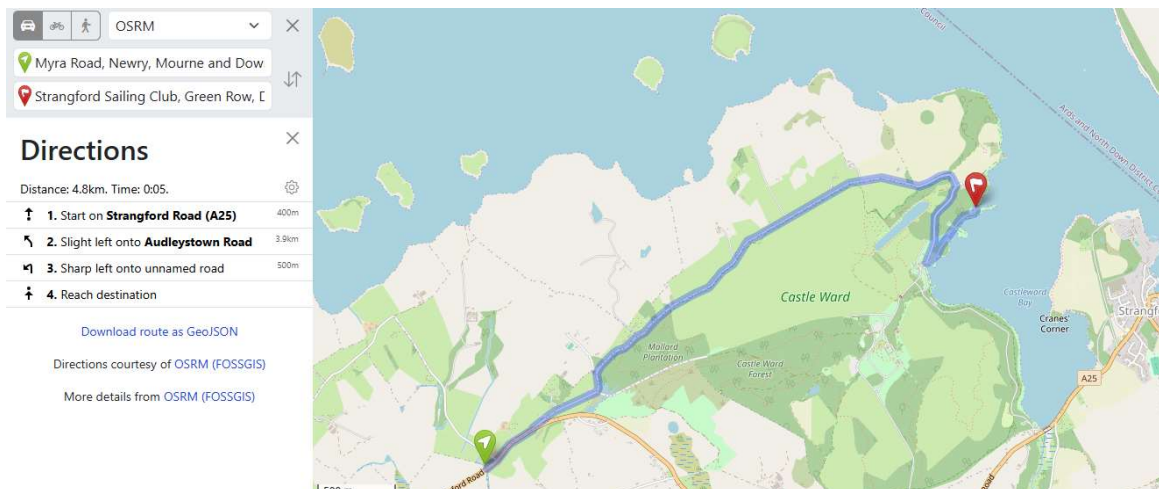
Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May to Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2026

Strangford Sailing Club, Seafront Road, Castleward Estate, Strangford, BT30 7LS

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### EVENT/CLUB INFORMATION

**Location of the Club:** The club is located on the shores of Castleward bay in the National Trust's Castleward estate. Access by road is via the Audleystown Road (on the left approx. 5 miles from Downpatrick on the Strangford Road- Signposted for Audleystown Cairn & Castle) – Follow this all the way round to the Club. The route is indicated on the map below. Do not attempt to enter via the Main Castleward Estate entrance.



### Audleystown Road:



**Registration:** Registration can be completed on Friday evening or Saturday morning in the Clubhouse.

**Dinghy Park & Club grounds:** Boats can be stored on the hardstanding beside the clubhouse and on the grass opposite the clubhouse. Please do not obstruct or block the main path as this is a public right of way and can be busy at weekends with walkers and cyclists.

**Security:** The club gates will be locked overnight however the area remains open to the public therefore it's probably best not to leave valuable items in boats unattended. Instances of theft or crime are extremely rare. During racing the club house will be locked if it is unattended.

**Refreshments:** Tea/Coffee is available from the Clubhouse Kitchen during the event and light refreshments (e.g. Scones and pastries will be provided on Friday night)

**Breakfast:** Bacon baps will be provided for all competitors, volunteers and officials on Saturday and Sunday morning

**BBQ on Saturday:** Also included with your registration will be a BBQ pack for the Saturday afternoon/evening. BBQs will be lit after racing on Saturday.

**Accommodation:** In addition to the Cuan guesthouse in Strangford village and the National Trust Campsite/Glamping pods in Castleward estate, there are a good number of AirBnB's and self-catering accommodation options in the local area (see attached)

**Race Area:** The approximate race area is indicated below and takes approximately 20-30 minutes to sail to from Castleward Bay.

