

Olympic Canoe/Kayak

Shunyi Olympic Park is the first ever venue to host Slalom and Flatwater events

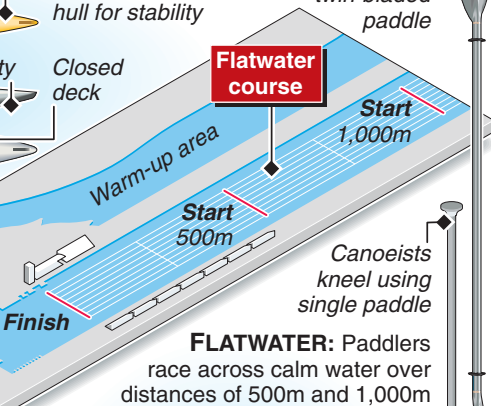
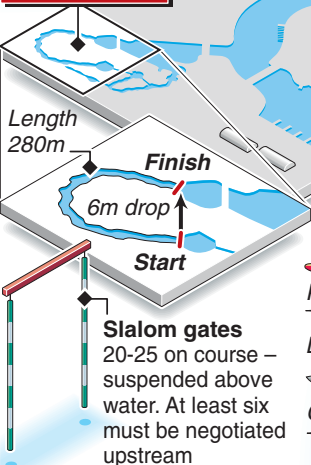
SLALOM: Competitors negotiate whitewater rapids course, passing through series of gates in shortest time

Slalom events: **C-1** – canoe singles
C-2 – canoe pairs **K-1** – kayak singles



Paddles: Kayakers compete sitting down with twin-bladed paddle

Slalom course



FLATWATER: Paddlers race across calm water over distances of 500m and 1,000m

Flatwater events: **C-1, K-1** – singles
C-2, K-2 – pairs **K-4** – kayak fours



K-2
Long, narrow hull for speed



C-2
Flat keel
Open deck

Shunyi Olympic Rowing-Canoeing Park

2 Medal events

Canoe / Kayak – Flatwater

Canoe / Kayak – Slalom

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