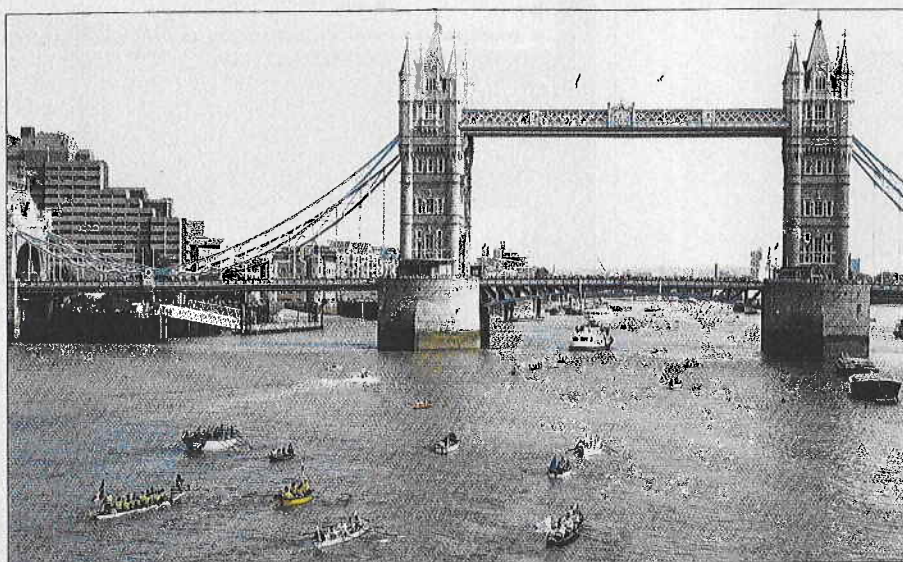


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ROW, ROW, ROW YOUR BOAT
Lane Castle, developers of historic site, Paynes and Borthwick Wharves in Deptford in conjunction with JER Partners have teamed up with local sailing charity, AHOY, to enter two teams of rowers into London's biggest annual boating event.

On Saturday 8 September, The Great River Race will see rowing boats of all shapes and sizes take to the Thames and race the 22 miles from Richmond to Greenwich. This year 300 boats are expected to take part in the race, carrying over 2,000 competitors racing for 35 trophies, making it the biggest and most prestigious event of its kind in Europe.

All funds raised by the AHOY teams will help the centre continue its work, purchase additional equipment and, in particular, develop in particular the centre's rowing capabilities.