

**DBS
MARINA
REGATTA**

2016

INVITATION



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Dear Dragon Boat Club Teams,

The Singapore Dragon Boat Association (SDBA) and DBS Bank are excited to invite you to be a part of the most highly anticipated competition on the dragon boat calendar – the DBS Marina Regatta! Be a part of the thrilling races that will be held on 28th and 29th May 2016 and 4th and 5th June 2016 in the heart of Singapore’s financial district – the beautiful Marina Bay. So come live your passion and pit your skills against the region’s best!

1. TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Date	Programme
10 Mar 2016 (Wednesday)	Registration Open
10 April 2016 (Sunday)	Registration Closure
20 May 2016 (Friday)	Drawing of Racing Lanes
28 May 2016 (Saturday)	Opening ceremony 200m race day for Singapore Premier Open, Singapore Premier Women, Corporate Open, Corporate Women, Tertiary Open, Tertiary Women
29 May 2016 (Sunday)	200m race day for Singapore Premier Mixed, Corporate Mixed, Tertiary Mixed
4 June 2016 (Saturday)	500m race day for Singapore Premier Open, Singapore Premier women, Corporate Open, Corporate Women, Tertiary Open, Tertiary Women
5 June 2016 (Sunday)	500m Race Day for International Premier Categories, Singapore Premier Mixed, Corporate Mixed, Tertiary Mixed Closing ceremony

2. COMPETITION REGULATIONS & RULES OF RACING

The races will be run in accordance with the IDBF Competition Regulations & Rules of Racing with specific DBSMR Entry Rules. Please download the DBSMR Entry Rules from SDBA website: <http://www.sdba.org.sg>.

3. RACE CATEGORIES

This competition is open to **Singapore Club Teams and Overseas Club Teams**

- Dragon Boat 22-crew (DB22) DBS Singapore Premier Open 200m (28 May)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Singapore Premier Women 200m (28 May)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Open 200m (28 May)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Women 200m (28 May)
- Dragon Boat 22-crew (DB22) DBS Tertiary Open 200m (28 May)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Tertiary Women 200m (28 May)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Singapore Premier Mixed 200m (29 May)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Mixed 200m (29 May)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Tertiary Mixed 200m (29 May)
- Dragon Boat 22-crew (DB22) DBS Singapore Premier Open 500m (4 June)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Singapore Premier Women 500m (4 June)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Open 500m (4 June)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Women 500m (4 June)
- Dragon Boat 22-crew (DB22) DBS Tertiary Open 500m (4 June)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Tertiary Women 500m (4 June)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Singapore Premier Mixed 500m (5 June)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Mixed 500m (5 June)
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Tertiary Mixed 500m (5 June)

4. AWARDS & PRIZES

This year, to encourage more teams to join the DBS Marina Regatta, prize money will be split between the 200m and 500m races instead of combining the race results for both distances as was done in previous years. There will still be a champion trophy per category awarded to the teams with the best combined result for the 200m and 500m races.

DB22 DBSMR Singapore Premier Open (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD10,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD5,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD 2,500; Bronze medals

DB12 DBSMR Singapore Premier Women (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD5,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD3,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD1,5000; Bronze medals

DB12 DBSMR Singapore Premier Mixed (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD5,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD3,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD1,5000; Bronze medals

DB12 DBSMR Corporate Open (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD5,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD3,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD1,5000; Bronze medals

DB12 DBSMR Corporate Women (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD5,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD3,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD1,5000; Bronze medals

DB12 DBSMR Corporate Mixed (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD5,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD3,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD1,5000; Bronze medals

DB22 DBSMR Tertiary Open (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD10,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD5,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD 2,500; Bronze medals

DB12 DBSMR Tertiary Women (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD5,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD3,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD1,5000; Bronze medals

DB12 DBSMR Tertiary Mixed (200m/500m each)

- 1st place – SGD5,000; Gold medals
- 2nd place – SGD3,000; Silver medals
- 3rd place – SGD1,5000; Bronze medals

5. RACE BY-LAWS

Please refer to the DBSMR Entry Rules for more details. In general:-

- 1) Club Team must be led by a Team Manager.
- 2) Each club team may send only one (1) crew per category except Corporate categories which allow two (2) crews.
- 3) DB22-crew composition:
 - 1 Team Manager, 1 Coach, 20 paddlers, 1 drummer,
 - 1 steersperson & 4 reserves; total = 28 people

- 4) DB12-crew composition:
1 Team Manager, 1 Coach, 10 paddlers, 1 drummer,
1 steersperson & 2 reserves; total = 16 people
- 5) The Coach is permitted to double as an Athlete
(paddler, steersperson and/or reserve)
- 6) Wearing of Personal Floatation Device (PFD) or life-vests is compulsory by Singapore law. Overseas club teams may bring their own or request PFD from the Organizers.
- 7) Only the IDBF Spec.202a paddles (wood or carbon fibre) and SDBA Training Paddles (wood only) are permitted. Alternatively, The Organizers can provide club teams with the SDBA Training Paddles.
- 8) DBSMR-16 Organizing Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry at its sole discretion.
- 9) DBSMR-16 Organizing Committee reserves the right to amend the race program at its sole discretion.

6. ENTRY FEES

The Entry Fee is SGD25 per person:-

- For DB22 with full 28 people
= SGD700
- For DB12 with full 16 people
= SGD400

7. ENTRY REQUIREMENT

For Open category:

- Paddlers, Steersperson, Drummer, coach and Reserves have no gender restriction.

For Women category:

- Paddlers, Steersperson, Drummer and Reserves must be **ALL-WOMEN**.
- Exception is made for the Coach and Team Manager. But if the Coach is to double as an athlete, the Coach must be a Woman.

For Mixed (DB12) category:

- Team must have at least 4 female paddlers in a race.

Please refer to the Entry Rules for more details.

8. REGISTRATION

Registration will be via email. The Registration documents are included together with this Bulletin. Click [here](#) to email us your registration.

9. ENQUIRY

Click [here](#) to drop us an email or send to admin@sdba.org.sg.

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