



2nd Cebu Dragon Boat Fiesta 2018

Organized by Dragon Boat Cebu Central Inc.



April 13 – 15, 2018 (Friday to Sunday)

BULLETIN 1:

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Dear Dragon Boat teams:

You are invited to participate in the 2nd Cebu Dragon Boat Fiesta to be held on **13 - 15 April 2018**. Organized by Dragon Boat Cebu Central, the Cebu Dragon Boat Fiesta will be at the Boardwalk, City of Naga, Cebu.

This event is endorsed by the Philippine Sports Commission and Department of Tourism in partnership with the Province of Cebu and Cities of Naga, Mandaue and Cebu.



SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITY

Date & Time	Activity
On or before 20 March 2018 (Thursday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deadline of Early Bird Registration Fee • Submit Preliminary entry form (Annex 1)
10 April 2018 (Tuesday) Enrollment Deadline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deadline for request for change of enrollment information.
12 April 2018 (Thu)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrival of Overseas teams in Cebu
From 12 April 2018 (Thu) to 90 min prior to the Start of races.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Confirmation of crew list. • Crew list will be distributed at the Team Managers' Meeting • Teams should submit crew list to Race Information Centre at the crew resting area 90 min prior to the start of races A penalty of 5s for late submission of crew list
13 April 2018 (Fri) 9:00 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Team Managers' Meeting. (Briefing of race regulations, race format, arrangement and distribution of materials) Venue: TBA <p>NOTE: It's a must for Team Managers/Rep to attend the Team Managers' meeting. Compliance with the Racing Rules and regulations will be implemented at all times. Based on IDBF Racing Rules but some rules at the discretion of the Organizing Committee</p>
1:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (Morning) Practice Sessions
6:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELIMINATIONS FOR OPEN CEBU AND MIXED CEBU RACES • OPENING CEREMONY and WELCOME COCKTAILS
14 April 2018 (Sat)	Standard Boat and Small Boat *500m Races.
15 April 2018 (Sun)	Standard Boat and Small Boat *250m Races
15 April 2018 (Sun) 7:30pm	AWARDING AND CELEBRATION DINNER TBA

Overseas teams are advised to arrive Cebu on 12 April 2018.



April 13 – 15, 2018
City of Naga Boardwalk,
Cebu, Philippines

Race Categories

Standard Boat:

- 500 Open
- 500 Mixed
- 500 Women's
- 250 Mixed
- 250 Women's

Small Boat

- 500 Open
- 500 Mixed
- 500 Women's
- 500 Mixed Masters
- 250 Open
- 250 Mixed
- 250 Women's
- 250 Mixed Masters
- 250 Open Cebu
- 250 Mixed Cebu

REGISTRATION FEE:

- 1. Early Registration (until March 20, 2018)**
- Php800.00 per pax
- 2. Late Registration (beyond March 20, 2018)**
- Php 1000.00 per pax
- 3. International Participants**
- 50 USD per pax

Inclusive of:

Event ID, Event Jersey, Opening and Closing Program Dinners

NOTE: LOCALS can opt to stay at our partner schools.

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ENTRY REQUIREMENT

Categories	Entry Requirement
All participants must be	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Able to swim at least 50m with light clothing only;• Aged 14 or above as of 1 Jan 2018.
International / Local Open	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No gender limitation.
International / Local Mixed	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Maximum of 10 of either gender for Standard Boat, Minimum of 8 of either gender;• 4-6 of either gender for Small Boat;• No gender limitation on helm and drummer.
International / Local Women	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All paddlers and drummer must be female. No gender limitation on helm.
International / Local Mixed Masters	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4-6 female paddlers for Small Boat;• Aged 40 and above as of April 13, 2018• No gender/age limitation on helm and drummer.

AWARDS

- Winners of different finals will receive the following awards:
- The Champion, 1st and 2nd runner-ups will be awarded a plaque and medals (17 medals for Small Boat and 27 for Standard Boat) each.

EQUIPMENT

1. All equipment would be provided by DBCC
2. Athletes may use their own paddles, which should meet the requirements set on Team Manager's meeting.
3. Athletes must bring their own Personal Floatation Device (PFD) **except inflatable PFD.**

RACE RULES AND REGULATIONS

The DBCC Rules and Regulations shall apply. Updated race rules and regulations will be posted in the next Bulletin.

RACE FORMAT

To be announced at the Team Managers' Meeting on 13 April 2018.



RACE BY-LAW

1. All athletes should be affiliated with a local dragonboat team. . (For local teams only.)
2. Standard Boat Races: Maximum number of participants in each team is 28 including 1 team manager, 1 coach, and 22 - 26 racers (1 drummer, 1 helm, 18 to 20 paddlers and 4 reserves).
3. Small Boat Races: Maximum number of participants in each team is be 16 including 1 team manager, 1 coach, and 12 – 14 racers (1 drummer, 1 helm, 8 to 10 paddlers and 2 reserves).
4. There is no limitation on the number of race entries participated by each organization.
5. Category with less than **4 participating teams** will be cancelled.
6. All athletes are **not allowed** to represent for more than 1 team in each category. That is, sub-teams under the same team name (e.g. ABC Team A and ABC Team B are regarded as 2 teams in the same category).
7. Each team **must have a Team Manager**, who must be present in the Crew Assembly Area during the time when the team is racing and is under the monitoring of Race Officials.
8. The coach can also be the drummer or helm with clear indication on the crew list.
9. Reserve for helm or drummer: In case the registered helm or drummer cannot participate in the race, the position can be replaced by any member in the crew list. For teams without helm, you may avail of one of our DBCC helms for a minimal fee. (The fee will be announced during the Manager's meeting).
10. Reserves for paddlers, drummer and helm are also subject to the entry requirement of the corresponding categories.
11. The Organizer shall have the right to refuse any entry into the races at its sole discretion.
12. Any team (including Team Manager, Coach, Athletes and accompanying persons) who severely contravenes any race rules and regulations or disciplinary code will be disqualified, and are not entitled for any awards.
13. DBCC reserve the right to restrict the number of racing paddlers according to weather condition for safety reason.
14. In case of any dispute, the decision of DBCC should be final and they reserve the right to revise the race regulations at their sole discretion.

ACCOMMODATION FOR OVERSEAS TEAMS

- Teams can contact the hotels direct for hotel booking on own expenses.
- LOCALS can opt to stay at our partner schools bringing their own sleeping mats and beddings.

PROVISION OF PFDs

50 PFDs will be provided. **NO** advance reservation is required. PFDs with limited size and quantity will be allocated on a first come first served basis on site.

ENROLMENT

Please submit the preliminary entry form on or before 10 Apr 2018.

PAYMENT

All payments can be made by telegraphic transfer or direct bank-in no later than the relevant deadlines. Thereafter, email a copy of the transaction slip to cebudragonboatcentral@gmail.com. Bank charges are to be absorbed by crews themselves. Bank details are as follows:

Account Name	Dragon Boat Cebu Central Inc.
Bank	Bank of the Philippine Islands (BPI)
Branch Name and Address	BPI Ayala Center II Basement 1, Ayala Center Cebu, Cebu Business Park, Cebu City, 6000
Swift Code (for overseas)	BOIPHMM
Account No.	9791 0008 98
Reference	Please provide name of team and description of payment being made (eg. Registration Fee for no. of paddlers)

NOTE: Next bulletin will be out April 1, 2018

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