

DUBLIN

DRAGON BOAT REGATTA

Grand Canal Dock, Ringsend, Dublin 4

Saturday, 14th September 2019

Race Programme & Event Details



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INFORMATION SUMMARY

RACE VENUE

Grand Canal Dock, Ringsend, Dublin 4. All teams are to meet at Waterways Ireland Visitors Centre off Grand Canal Quay. The Team Manager's Meeting will be held at Waterways Ireland Visitors Centre.

DIRECTIONS

See attached map - Grand Canal Dock – How to Get Here.

PARKING

Please make use of public transport where possible, but if you are driving parking is available at Dublin Q-Park Grand Canal Square next to the Bord Gais Energy Theatre at a charge of €4.20/hour. There is also limited free parking in some side roads around the area.

COURSE

The racing course is set within an enclosed dock area over a distance of 200m with a water depth of 4m – 5.5m. All starts will be free standing starts. The start & finish lines will be marked off the water.

TIMINGS

Crew Managers Meeting	08.45 hrs
First Race	10.00 hrs
Last Race	17.45 hrs
Prize Giving	18.00 hrs

ALL CREWS ARE TO BE ON SITE AT LEAST 1 HOUR BEFORE THEIR FIRST RACE START TIME TO ALLOW FOR THE SAFETY BRIEFING. RACING WILL NOT BE HELD UP IF YOUR TEAM IS NOT ON SITE.

RULES OF RACING

The races will be conducted under the current IDBF Racing Rules & Regulations & other conditions as published in this programme. For the International & BCS Challenge a minimum of 16 paddlers & a maximum of 20 paddlers, plus drummer & helm are permitted; maximum 26 on the crew sheet. For the Open Challenge a minimum of 12 paddlers & a maximum of 16 paddlers per boat, plus drummer & helm are permitted; maximum 20 on the crew sheet.

PRIZES AWARDED

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Place Overall in the International 200m Challenge
- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Place Overall in the Open 200m Challenge
- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Place Overall in the Breast Cancer Survivor's 200m Challenge

FACILITIES

Waterways Ireland Visitor's Centre will be available for changing & to act as shelter if the weather is bad. Crews will be able to leave their belongings in a more secure environment whilst racing. There are no shower facilities available, but there are toilets on site.

WHAT TO WEAR

Sports kit is preferable – Lycra leggings/shorts/jog pants with a T-shirt or thermal top. NO JEANS. If it is cold or wet then a light-weight rain jacket is advisable. Soft-soled shoes e.g. trainers are mandatory, no bare feet please. You will be given a buoyancy aid to wear which will be mandatory for everyone who is racing in the dragon boats in the Open and Breast Cancer Survivor's Challenge. The IDBA do not allow the use of canister operated PFDs by competitors as it is hard to determine if they are in serviceable condition.

SAFETY

No ALCOHOL is to be consumed until your team has finished racing. Should the Event Crew find an individual has been drinking they have the right to remove them from the boat. Medical conditions which may be brought on through exercise should be advised to the boat Helm each time you race.

SECURITY

As with any large city there may be thieves about, so only bring what you need to the race site & do not leave bags unattended around the dock area.

RACE DAY CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER

Technical Director - Julie Doyle - +353 85 7422902



PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>
08.45Hrs	Team Manager's Meeting at Waterways Ireland Visitor's Centre.
09.30Hrs	Team Briefings Commence at Waterways Ireland Visitor's Centre.
10.00Hrs	Racing Commences: - International Challenge – 200m - Open Challenge – 200m - Breast Cancer Survivor's Challenge – 200m
10.00Hrs – 18.00Hrs	Dragon boat merchandise sales at Waterways Ireland Visitor's Centre.
13.25Hrs	Dragon Dance and Breast Cancer Survivor's Flower Ceremony on the water adjacent to the promenade at Grand Canal Square.
17.45Hrs	Last Race.
18.00Hrs	Prize Giving at Waterways Ireland Visitor's Centre. Members of the Irish Dragon Boat Association and Plurabelle Paddlers Executive Committee will be on hand to present the prizes.

The Dublin Dragon Boat Regatta 2019 is being recorded by Waddell Media and The Drone Guys and may form part of a television programme for BBC NI and a promotional video for the Irish Dragon Boat Association. Participants consent to all crew members being filmed and to our including all crew in the television programme and promotional video. If any members of your crew do not wish to be filmed, please inform a member of the production team or the Chief Official at the Team Manager's Meeting.

RACE OFFICIALS

Chief Official:	Julie Doyle	IRL
Technical Director:	Julie Doyle	IRL
Judges/Time Keepers:	Ifty Finn Amy Kelly	IRL IRL
Race Secretary:	Amy Kelly	IRL
Race Administration:	Laura Hennessey	IRL
Starters:	Joe Leatham	IRL
Chief Boat Marshall:	Mick Doyle (Pontoons) Dympna Watson (Land)	IRL IRL
Boat Marshalls:	Sinead Kelly	IRL
Helms:	Aaron Webb Glen Kelly Mick Doyle (Relief)	IRL IRL IRL
Competition Committee:	Julie Doyle Joe Leatham Amy Kelly	IRL IRL IRL
Commentator:	Julie Doyle	IRL
Merchandise:	Ita Lawton	IRL

COMPETING CREWS

INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE

<u>Team Name</u>	<u>Representing</u>	<u>Team Manager</u>
1) Carlow Dragons	Carlow Dragon Boat Club (IRL)	Fiona Burke
2) Dublin Vikings	Dublin Vikings (IRL)	Ciara Donohoe
3) Kendra Warriors	Athy Dragon Boat Club (IRL)	Dan Curtis
4) Pacific Dragons (Women)	Ft. Langley Canoe Club (CAN)	Sandy Ferguson
5) Renegades	Oakland, California (USA)	Michael O'Meara
6) Titans DXB	Dubai (DXB)	Sheila Mae Letigio
7) The Dragon Slayers (Women)	Athy Dragon Boat Club (IRL)	Coretta Kelly

OPEN CHALLENGE

<u>Team Name</u>	<u>Representing</u>	<u>Team Manager</u>
1) Carlow Crusaders	Carlow Dragon Boat Club	Fiona Burke
2) Donegal Dragons Inspire	Donegal Dragons	Lorna Given
3) Donegal Dragons Khalessi	Donegal Dragons	Alison Smith
4) Fidelity Smoke on the Water	Fidelity International	Laura Mulcair
5) HFCS Ramblers	Holy Family Community School	Brendan Weldon
6) HFCS Rovers	Holy Family Community School	Brendan Weldon
7) Lochlannaigh Atha Cliath	Dublin Vikings	Ciara Donohoe
8) Ruby Misfits	Themselves	Susan Doyle
9) Waterford Dragon Warriors	Waterford Dragon Warriors	Mairead Collins

BREAST CANCER SURVIVOR'S CHALLENGE

<u>Team Name</u>	<u>Representing</u>	<u>Team Manager</u>
1) Cork Dragons	Cork Dragons	Helen McCauley
2) Dragonnettes Toulouse	Dragon Ladies Toulouse (FRA)	Elise Antech
3) Lagan Dragons - Aurora	Lagan Dragons	Jenny Colmer
4) Lagan Dragons - Stella	Lagan Dragons	Jenny Colmer
5) Morebelles	Plurabelle Paddlers	Rosemary Phelan
6) Nore Dragon Paddlers	Nore Dragon Paddlers	Mary McCahill
7) PFL Windermere	Paddlers for Life Windermere (GBR)	Rowena Pryor
8) Plurabelle Paddlers	Plurabelle Paddlers	Rosemary Phelan
9) Purebelles	Plurabelle Paddlers	Rosemary Phelan
10) Purple Paddlers Plus	Slaney Purple Paddlers	Catherine Wallace
11) Shannon Dragons	Shannon Dragons	Anne Marie Sunderland
12) Westcoast Women on Water	British Columbia (CAN)	Jill Edwards



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Lane 1

Lane 2

Lane 3

Lane 4

COMBINED CLASS – ROUND 1

Race 1	Westcoast Women on the Water	Plurabelle Paddlers	Renegades	Dublin Vikings
10.00				

Race 2	Carlow Dragons	PFL Windermere	Pacific Dragons	Fidelity Smoke on the Water
10.20				

Race 3	Locklannaigh Atha Cliath	Dragonnettes Toulouse	Purebelles	The Dragon Slayers
10.40				

Race 4	Ruby Misfits	Titans DXB	Kendra Warriors	Nore Dragon Paddlers
11.00				

Race 5	HFCS Rambers	Waterford Dragon Warriors	Morebelles	Carlow Crusaders
11.20				

Race 6	Shannon Dragons	Lagan Dragons Stella	Purple Paddlers Plus	Donegal Dragons Khalessi
11.40				

Race 7	Cork Dragons	Lagan Dragons Aurora	Donegal Dragons Inspire	HFCS Rovers
12.00				

COMBINED CLASS – ROUND 2

Race 8	Nore Dragon Paddlers	Renegades	PFL Windermere	Carlow Dragons
12.20				

Race 9	Carlow Crusaders	Shannon Dragons	Plurabelle Paddlers	Kendra Warriors
12.40				

Race 10	Pacific Dragons	HFCS Ramblers	The Dragon Slayers	Titans DXB
13.00				

Race 11	Morebelles	Westcoast Women on the Water	Dragonnettes Toulouse	Purple Paddlers Plus
13.20				



Lane 1

Lane 2

Lane 3

Lane 4

13.25 – 13.40	BREAST CANCER SURVIVOR'S FLOWER CEREMONY & LION DANCE ON PROMENADE AT GRAND CANAL SQUARE			
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Race 12	Fidelity Smoke on the Water	Locklannaigh Atha Cliath	Waterford Dragon Warriors	Ruby Misfits
14.00				

Race 13	Dublin Vikings	HFCS Rovers	Donegal Dragons Khalessi	Lagan Dragons Aurora
14.20				

Race 14	Lagan Dragons Stella	Donegal Dragons Inspire	Cork Dragons	Purebelles
14.40				

COMBINED CLASS – ROUND 3

Race 15	Kendra Warriors	Pacific Dragons	HFCS Rover	Waterford Dragon Warriors
15.00				

Race 16	Purple Paddlers Plus	Morebelles	Locklannaigh Atha Cliath	Renegades
15.20				

Race 17	Donegal Dragons Khalessi	Dublin Vikings	Ruby Misfits	Donegal Dragons Inspire
15.40				

Race 18	Purebelles	Carlow Dragons	Shannon Dragons	Westcoast Women on the Water
16.00				

Race 19	Titans DXB	Nore Dragon Paddlers	Lagan Dragons Aurora	Plurabelle Paddlers
16.20				

Race 20	The Dragon Slayers	Carlow Crusaders	Lagan Dragons Stella	PFL Windermere
16.40				

Race 21	Dragonnettes Toulouse	Fidelity Smoke on the Water	HFCS Ramblers	Cork Dragons
17.00				

Each crew races 3 times. The slowest time recorded by each crew is disregarded & the remaining 2 times are added together. The 4 crews with the fastest aggregate times in each competition class go straight to their own Major Finals; the remaining crews are now out of the competition.

INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE – MAJOR FINAL

Race 22				
Major Final	3 rd in Rounds	1 st in Rounds	2 nd in Rounds	4 th in Rounds
17.15				

The Major Final determines positions 1 – 4 in the International Challenge.



OPEN CHALLENGE – MAJOR FINAL

Race 23				
Major Final	3 rd in Rounds	1 st in Rounds	2 nd in Rounds	4 th in Rounds
17.30				

The Major Final determines positions 1 – 4 in the Open Challenge.

BREAST CANCER SURVIVOR'S CHALLENGE – MAJOR FINAL

Race 24				
Major Final	3 rd in Rounds	1 st in Rounds	2 nd in Rounds	4 th in Rounds
17.45				

The Major Final determines positions 1 – 4 in the Breast Cancer Survivor's Challenge.

PRIZE GIVING - 18.00HRS

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INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE – FINAL POSITIONS

1st	
2nd	
3rd	
4th	
5th	
6th	
7th	

OPEN CHALLENGE – FINAL POSITIONS

1st	
2nd	
3rd	
4th	
5th	
6th	
7th	
8th	
9th	

BREAST CANCER SURVIVOR'S CHALLENGE

1st	
2nd	
3rd	
4th	
5th	
6th	
7th	
8th	
9th	
10th	
11th	
12th	

