



To: All 2007 Dragon Boat Team Managers and Captains

From: FMG Dragon Boat

Re: Event Agenda
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Saturday July 14th BCS Race Schedule
Sunday July 15th Corporate Race Schedule
Trophy Listing

Please forward this email to your paddlers

Festival Reminders

By now your team has received all the Dragon Boat information needed to prepare them for their Dragon Boat experience. We hope the team emails and other dragon boat information have been helpful in organizing this day for you and your team. As team manager you should have distributed and explained to your team members all the information that the festival has sent including; general Dragon Boat Festival reminders, assigned team numbers, team names & race schedule.

Parking:

NEW this year, the FDJ International Dragon Boats for the Cure will run a shuttle service on Sunday July 15, 2007.

Transit Windsor will run shuttles for all teams, volunteers and spectators commencing at 6:30 am on July 15. Parking is at southeast corner of Tecumseh Mall (corner of Tecumseh Rd and Lauzon Rd). The shuttles will run all day. This is alleviate parking issues around the event site.

Riverside Drive will be detoured starting at 6:00 am until 6:00 pm on Sunday July 15. The detour points will be at Clover and Florence. Teams that have deliveries to make on Sunday morning will be allowed entry to the site but must park off site immediately after. Volunteers who will be manning the detour points are aware of teams who are having food deliveries made on Sunday.

The City parking lot across from Sandpoint Beach is available. We have been advised that "no parking" will be allowed on the shoulders of Riverside Drive. Police will be prepared to ticket cars (range of \$35-\$55) that are parked in no parking areas/Riverside Drive area.

Event Agenda

Saturday July 14th

The BCS Opening Ceremonies

8:30 am

Breast Cancer Survivor Races

9:00 am – 2:00 pm

This year 12 BCS teams will be racing. Come out and cheer them on. Again this year there will be various onsite food, artisan and retail vendors as well as onsite entertainment.

Breast Cancer Survivor Flower Ceremony

2:00 pm

**** Times are approximate & subject to Change ****

Event Agenda

Sunday July 15th

Team Managers & Captain Meeting:

6:45 am

Opening Ceremonies

7:00 am

Qualifying Races

7:30 am – 1:40 pm

Breast Cancer Survivor Flower Ceremony

2:00 pm

Final Race

2:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Closing Ceremonies

6:00 pm

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Food Vendors:

Piccilo's

Colonel Mustard's

Hawaiian Ice

Blooming Gardener (water)

Race Day Procedures

Let the racing begin!

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MARSHALLING AREA:

No team members are to report to the marshalling area unless their assigned team number and team name have been called. Once your team arrives to the marshalling area, your team will be asked to line up with steersperson and drummer first followed by the front six, back six and finally the remaining middle crew of the boat. Your team may receive a team roster/waiver spot check, so just a reminder to have all team members recorded and signed on this form. CSA/DOT approved lifejackets and dragon boat paddles will be distributed in this area. Teams will be asked to remain in this area until the docks are clear for loading.

TEAM TENTS:

The event site will be set up on Friday July 13, 2007 12:00 -4:00 pm. Teams can set up then **OR** anytime after 4:00 pm on Saturday July 14. There is onsite overnight security. **PLEASE NOTE:** The FDJ International Dragon Boats for the Cure will not assume any liability for team items.

The event site plan will be available on the event website www.internationaldragonboats.com under NEWS paddle by mid week. It will also be emailed to Team Captains.

Please follow the site plan and the direction of the site co-coordinator.

DOCKS:

No team members are to approach the docks until ordered to do so by Dragon Boat Festival Dock Staff. Teams will be directed to load the boats starting with the steersperson followed by the drummer and then the front six, final back six and finally the remaining middle crew. All teams are required to load in a safe and orderly fashion. Once your team has loaded, wait for instruction to leave the docks.

FINISH:

Once your team has paddled back to the docks after your race, unloading will follow the same way your team loaded. It is the responsibility of the teams Drummer to bail their boat. All team members must either hand off their lifejackets and paddles to another team waiting in marshalling or place them into their designated receptacles.

RESULTS:

All races are based on time, there will be a results board located at the main Announcement Stage. Awards will follow all races on Saturday July 14th for the BCS Teams at the BCS awards banquet at Casino Windsor. On Sunday July 15, Awards and Closing Ceremonies will immediately follow the final races on site for the Corporate & Community Teams.

RACE SCHEDULE INFORMATION

Event race schedules for Saturday July 14th, and Sunday July 15th are attached.

- ❖ All Teams will race 3 times on Saturday July 14th and/or Sunday July 15th
- ❖ The finals will be scheduled once all teams have completed their two preliminary races and this schedule will be posted at the event results board, approx 20 – 30 minutes after the final preliminary race heat.
- ❖ The final race schedule is formatted based on the average of both preliminary race heats for each team.
- ❖ The Corporate & Community Teams will be placed into a division based on the average of the combined 500m races.

RACE SCHEUDLE INFORMATION

All race schedules are subject to change, adjustments, cancellation or postponement.

- Team name and number schedule all teams.
- Each team will compete in two preliminary race heats, Session A (AM Session) or Session B (PM Session)
- These race heat times will be used to determine placement in the race finals and divisions.
- Each registered team will race in the finals. The teams registered in the High School category will fall under the Mixed Recreational Division for the Division Finals.
- Awards will be given to the top 3 teams in each division



Saturday July 14th
Breast Cancer Survivor Race Schedule – Start Time 9:00 AM

RACES RUN APPROX. EVERY 15 MINUTES			
HEAT	LANE 1	LANE 2	LANE 3
A 9:00	#1 A Breast or Knot	#4 The Hope Chest	#6 Lost Angeles Pink Dragons
B 9:15	#5 Knot A Breast	#2 Ribbons of Hope	#8 WonderBroads
C 9:30	#3 Dragons Abreast	#7 Row Bust	#11 Dragon Boat Atlanta/Cajun Invasion
D 9:45	#9 Two A Breast – Cote-a-Cote	#81 Survivors Thrivers	#54 Canadians Abreast
BREAK			
G 11:00	#4 The Hope Chest	#5 Knot A Breast	#3 Dragons A Breast
H 11:15	#2 Ribbons of Hope	#1 A Breast or Knot	#7 RowBust
I 11:30	#6 Los Angeles Pink Dragons	#8 WonderBroads	#9 Two A Breast-Cote-a-Cote
J 11:45	#11 Dragon Boat Atlanta/Cajun Invasion	#54 Canadians Abreast	#81 Survivors Thrivers



Sunday July 15th
Corporate & Community Race Schedule
1st Qualifying Race & Challenge Races
Start Time 7:30 AM

RACES START AT 7:30 AM AND RUN APPROX. EVERY 10 MINUTES

HEAT	LANE 1	LANE 2	LANE 3	LANE 4
A 7:30	#12 Casino Windsor Bosom Buddies	#80 Dragon Flies	#29 Bust'n Loose	#34 Paddling Princesses
B 7:40	#26 Par Tee Paddlers	#13 Hope Floats	#32 Dillon D Cups	#50 Team I.T.S.
C 7:50	University of Windsor Challenge #15 Optimistic Bust Paddlers	#76 Field's Fighters	#19 The Mighty Stars	OPEN
D 8:00	#33 OLG Even Strokes	#45 The Bloomin' Gardener	#48 Boo Beez	#52 Tunel Tah Tah's
E 8:10	Hotel-Dieu Grace Hospital Challenge #20 Polynesian Paddlers	#21 Nauti Buoys	#22 Renal Rebels	#25 First Training Broads
F 8:20	#35 CASAO's Cups & Straps Across Open Water	#47 Boobiful Smiles	#51 Helping Hooters	#55 Double D's
G 8:30	Windsor Regional Hospital Challenge 1 #57 The Breast Mates	#58 D.I. Dragons	#59 Naughty Neoplastic Nurses	#28 AM 800 CKLW
H 8:40	CUPE WECAS Challenge #42 Bust Oars	#74 Sea Cups	#31 Electric Ta Tas	#36 Breast Wishes
I 8:50	Windsor Regional Hospital Challenge 2 #38 Jewels of D'Nile	#60 Big Kahuna's	#61 Western Warriors	#62 ICU Breast Strokes
J 9:00	Financial Institution Challenge #27 Castaway	#37 Woodslee Credit Union Phat Cats	#65 Pirates of the Credit Union-Saving Chests	#68 Dragon Arby Hinds
K 9:10	Fitness Club Challenge #39 Exclusively Dragon Dames	#40 Fighter for Fit Titties	#46 Absolute Angels	#67 Total Domination
L 9:20	CUPE Challenge #18 The Underwire	#43 Solidarity or Bust	#69 CUPE Dolls & Dragon Balls	#79 Tiny Ta Ta's
M 9:30	#44 Treasure Chests	#49 Maggie's Wings	#53 PJL Paddlers	#56 Blazing Paddles
N 9:40	#63 Stephanie's Angels	#66 Breast of Friends	#41 Team Transplant	#70 Laser It!
O 9:50	#73 Jo-Jo's Misfits	#64 Blue Crush	#9 Two A Breast-Cote-aCote	#23 QSS Twin Peaks
P 10:00	Emergency Service Challenge 1 #16 All Fired Up #1	#72 COPPS for the Cure	#30 Just Us Chicks	#5 Knot A Breast
Q 10:10	Emergency Service Challenge 2 #17 All Fired Up #2	#75 We Be Draggin Our Bust	#6 Los Angeles Pink Dragons	#7 RowBust
R 10:20	Hospital Challenge 1 #24 Leamington Paddle Pushers	#71 Karmanos Life Preservers #1	Winner of HDGH Challenge Race	#8 WonderBroads - Mixed Team
S 10:30	Hospital Challenge 2 #77 Karmanos Life Preservers #2	Winner WRH Challenge Race	#78 "Rotary Row"	#11 The Southern Ya Ya's & Friends

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Sunday July 15th
Corporate & Community Race Schedule
2nd Qualifying Race

RACES RUN APPROX. EVERY 10 MINUTES

HEAT	LANE 1	LANE 2	LANE 3	LANE 4
AA 10:40	#29 Bust'n Loose	#26 Par Tee Paddlers	#15 Optimistic Bust Paddlers	#33 OLG Even Strokes
BB 10:50	#76 Field's Fighters	#12 Casino Windsor Bosom Buddies	#13 Hope Floats	#45 The Bloomin Gardener
CC 11:00	#80 Dragon Flies	#32 Dillon D Cups	#20 Polynesian Paddlers	#48 Boo Beez
DD 11:10	OPEN	#34 Paddling Princesses	#50 Team I.T.S.	#21 Nauti Buoys
EE 11:20	#52 Tunel Tah Tah's	#19 The Mighty Stars	#25 First Training Broads	#35 CASAO's Cups & Straps Across Open Water
FF 11:30	#22 Renal Rebels	#57 The Breast Mates	#47 Boobiful Smiles	#74 Sea Cups
GG 11:40	#51 Helping Hooters	#42 Bust Oars	#58 D.I. Dragons	#38 Jewels of D'Nile
HH 11:50	#59 Naughty Neoplastic Nurses	#27 Castaway	#55 Double D's	#60 Big Kahuna's
II 12:00	#31 Electric Ta Ta's	#28 AM 800 CKLW	#62 ICU Breast Strokes	#37 Woodslee Credit Union Phat Cats
JJ 12:10	#61 Western Warriors	#36 Breast Wishes	#39 Exclusively Dragon Dames	#65 Pirates of the Credit Union-Saving Chests
KK 12:20	#68 Dragon Arby Hinds	#44 Treasure Chests	#40 Fighters for Fit Titties	#18 The Underwire
LL 12:30	#46 Absolute Angels	#63 Stephanie's Angels	#43 Solidarity or Bust	#49 Maggie's Wings
MM 12:40	#69 CUPE Dolls & Dragon Balls	#67 Total Domination	#66 Breast of Friends	#53 P.J.L Paddlers
NN 12:50	#79 Tiny Ta Ta's	#56 Blazing Paddles	#70 Laser It!	#73 Jo-Jo's Misfits
OO 1:00	#72 COPPS for the Cure	#41 Team Transplant	#64 Blue Crush	#16 All Fired Up #1
PP 1:10	#9 Two A Breast-Cote-a-Cote	#24 Leamington Paddle Pushers	#17 All Fired UP #2	#75 We Be Draggin our Bust
QQ 1:20	#30 Just Us Chicks	#6 Los Angeles Pink Dragons	#23 QSS Twin Peaks	#71 Karmanos Life Preservers
RR 1:30	#7 RowBust	#5 Knot A Breast	#11 The Southern Ya Ya's & Friends	OPEN
SS 1:40	#77 Karmano's Life Preservers #2	#78 Rotary Row	#8 WonderBroads - Mixed Team	OPEN

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