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EMERALD BAY, SAI KUNG – NEW TERRITORIES DEEPWATER BAY – HONG KONG ISLAND

21st February 2014

Dear Dragon Boat Team Leader,

The 15th Deep Water Bay Dragon Boat Regatta 2014 Sunday 11th May 2014 Deep Water Bay, Hong Kong Island

The VRC Paddle Club is pleased to announce that they will host the 15thDeep Water Bay Dragon Boat Regatta on Sunday 11thMay 2014 from 08:00 to 17:00 hours.

As you have been a supporter of our event in the past, we would be delighted if your club can participate in our races again this year. The preliminary details are as follows:

- 1) The venue will be Deep Water Bay, the home of Victoria Recreation Club (VRC), with access to boats via the VRC.
- 2) There will be competitions for Mixed, Open, Women, Over 40s Mixed andUnder 23s Open(formerly the Junior crew category. Age category does not apply to steers and drummers). Each crew will be guaranteed at least three races, weather permitting.
- 3) The course will be arranged so crews race along a 500m course towards the beach along the northern edge of the bay where the promenade provides a good observation platform to watch the races.
- 4) Crews can use Deep Water Bay beach for assembly and relaxation. Marquee spaces are available to clubs at a cost of \$300 (this is not included in the fee). Please be reminded you are not permitted to bring your own tent. These will be allocated to clubs on a first come, first serve basis.
- 5) The cost of entry will be \$3,500 for each, women, men's, open and Over 40s crew and \$1,500 for Under 23s *before 12th April 2014*. Any entries received on or after 12th April 2014 will be \$3,750 per crew or \$1,750 for a junior crew. The \$3,500 entry fee includes a steer/helmsman if your club requires it. Any entries received after May 2nd 2014 will not be accepted.
- 6) Entries are limited so please register as soon as possible to avoid disappointment. Early registration will also assist us in our planning.
- 7) Confirmation of your entry can only be made upon the receipt of your entry fee.
- 8) Please be aware that we cannot receive entries after 2^{nd} May 2014.

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9) All equipment will be provided but paddlers are permitted and encouraged to use their own paddles.

If you do wish to participate in our races, please return the attached reply slip to:

The Race Convenor, c/o Victoria Recreation Club, 56 Island Road, Deep Water Bay, Hong Kong

Alternatively, you can scan and email it to the following email address: dwbregatta2014@gmail.com

Together with evidence of payment, e.g., :

- A cheque made payable to: "Victoria Recreation Club"; or
- A copy of the money transfer slip for the entry fee to the HSBC account of Victoria Recreation Club:
 - Via ATM or internet banking: Account number: 002-252393-001
 - Otherwise Bank #: 004; Branch #: 002; Account number: 252393001
- A copy of the e-banking transfer document.

Further details will be forwarded to you once we receive confirmation of your entry. If possible, please provide an email address to assist in rapid communication and to reduce the volume of paper we use, thank you.

• For further details you can contact me by email on dwbregatta2014@gmail.com or by phone on 9168 0469.

We hope to see you at our event on Sunday 11th May 2014 at Deep Water Bay for some friendly, but highly competitive racing.

We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours faithfully,

Jo Jones Race Convenor Victoria Recreation Club

Tel:9168 0469

Victoria Recreation Club 15th Deep Water Bay Dragon Boat Race Sunday, 11th May 2014

To:Jo Jones Race Convenor Victoria Recreation Club

Email: dwbregatta2014@gmail.com Tel: +852 9168 0469

Club name:

- wishes to enter a crew in the VRC Dragon Boat Race at Deep Water Bay on 11th May 2014
- indicates the category and number of crew(s) entered as follows:

Category	No of crews	Steersman required	Fees
Mixed			
Open			
Women			
Over 40s Mixed			
Under 23s Open			
		TOTAL	HK\$

• encloses the entry fee of \$3,500 per men, women, mixed or Over 40s crew (\$3,750 after 12th April 2014) or \$1,500 in the case of an Under 23s crew (\$1,750 after 12th April 2014).

The entry fee should be paid:

- 1) Either as a cheque payable to: "Victoria Recreation Club"; or
- 2) A copy of the money transfer slip for the entry fee to the HSBC account of Victoria Recreation Club:
 - Via ATM or internet banking: Account number: 002-252393-001
 - Otherwise Bank #: 004; Branch #: 002; Account number: **252393001**)
- 3) A copy of e-banking transfer document

Please ensure you write your club name on the cheque or transfer document, thank you.

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