



# 3<sup>rd</sup> Hong Kong Dragon Boat Tug Of War Championship

HKCDBA Training Centre at Shing Mun River  
3<sup>rd</sup> October 2015 (Saturday)

Bulletin  
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The Association has always been committed in promoting of dragon boating in Hong Kong for years. To make our sport more interesting and fun, HKCDBA would like to introduce you to a new category – the dragon boat tug of war. To promote the new category to all secondary schools, the Association had invited two Schools for demonstration. Be continuing the race, sport teams and clubs are cordially invited to participate in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Hong Kong Dragon Boat Tug of War Championship on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2015 (Saturday). Please refer to details as follows:

- Date :** 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2015, Saturday  
**Time :** 10:00am – 4:00pm  
**Venue :** HKCDBA Centre, On King Street, Shing Mun River, Shek Mun, Shatin  
**Enrollment deadline :** 24<sup>th</sup> August 2015 (Monday)
- Your completed set of entry form, required document(s) and entry fee must be postmarked by the deadline.
  - Once your enrolment has been confirmed by HKCDBA, no refund will be made.
  - Payment receipt will be distributed at the Team Managers' meeting.
  - Entries will be accepted on a first-come-first serve basis.

**Late submission or request for change of personal info:**

Charge	Timeline
\$200/participant per event	Late charge will apply for submission or request for change of personal information after 25 <sup>th</sup> August 2015. <u>Changes will not be accepted from 30<sup>th</sup> September 2015.</u>

## How does parallel dragon boat tug of war work?

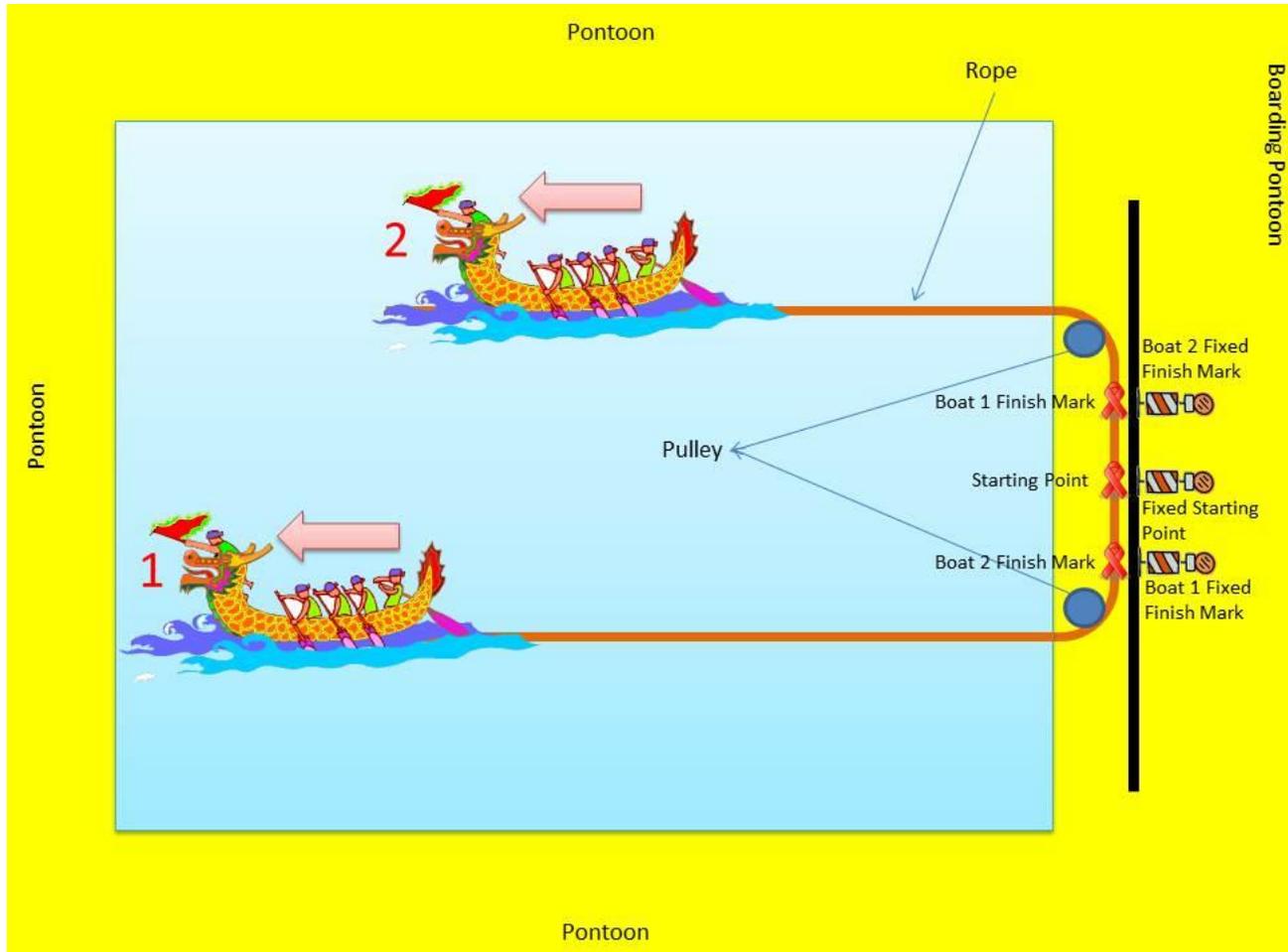
There will be two teams in each race. Each team will consist of 10 paddlers and a drummer but no steersman. Parallel to each other, the bow of the two boats will be facing to the same direction while the stern connected by a rope. One end of the rope will be securely attached to the stern of one boat while the other loose end will be looped between the grooves around the outside of the two pulleys fixed on the boarding pontoon and tied to the stern of another boat. The rope is marked with a "starting point" and two markings four metres "finish mark", two "fixed finish mark" will also placing on both side on the boarding pontoon. (Please refer to the Race Diagram below for visual demonstration.)

Once the race has commenced, teams attempt to pull the "finish mark" across to their "fixed finish mark" within one minute's time or if teams fail to pull his opponent into "fixed finish mark" within a minute that the "starting point" marked on the rope closest to which team's "fixed finish mark" will become the winner.

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## Race Diagram



## Event/Category

	Small Boat (10 paddlers)				
Category	Open	Women	Mixed	Junior Under 23	Secondary Sch.
No. of teams	16	8	16	8	2 (Invited)

## Entry Fees

Open / Women / Mixed	Junior U23
2015-16 Voting / Ordinary members @ HKD\$800 per team	2015-16 Voting / Ordinary members @ HKD\$400 per team
Others @ HKD\$1,200 per team	Others @ HKD\$600 per team

\* Only 2015-16 voting / ordinary members of the Association are eligible to enjoy the registration fee for voting members.

## Entry Requirement

1. Open, Women and Mixed : Aged 12 years old or above on or before 1 January 2015.
2. Junior U23 : Aged less than 23 years old on or before 31 December 2015.



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## Race rules and regulation

It will be run in accordance to the IDBF Rules and Regulations and HKCDBA Hong Kong Amendments (4<sup>th</sup> Edition) (revised version released on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2015). Please download the race rules and regulation from HKCDBA website <http://www.hkdba.com.hk>.

**\*\* All team managers and participants should be familiar with the race rules and regulations.**

## Awards

Trophy and 17 Medals will be awarded to the Champion, 1<sup>st</sup> runner-up and 2<sup>nd</sup> runner-up of each category.

## Race Format

To be announced at the team managers' meeting.

## Arrangements under adverse weather conditions

- 1) When typhoon signal No. 3 or above, red or black rainstorm warning signal is in force before 7am on the race day, all the races will be cancelled. Entry fee will not be refunded.
- 2) When thunderstorm, typhoon signal No. 1 or amber rainstorm warning signal is in force on the race day, all teams shall report on time. Cancellation or delay of races is subject to the final decision of the organizing committee. All teams should follow the arrangements announced by organizing committee.
- 3) In case the weather condition is getting worse during the races, the organizer reserves the right to cancel or postpone the race. Entry fee will not be refunded.

## Policies and Terms

- 1) There is no limitation on the number of entries of each organization.
- 2) Categories with less than 3 participating teams will be cancelled.
- 3) Each paddler cannot represent different teams (sub-teams under the same team's name (Team A, Team B) are regarded as different teams) in the same category.
- 4) **All participants should be holders of 2015-16 HKCDBA athlete cards and be able to present the original copy of the card to our staff on the race day.** For those who are unable to present the HKCDBA athlete cards for any reason, a replacement card at a charge (HK\$100) should be made on the spot.
- 5) Maximum number of participants in each team should be 19, ie. 1 team manager, 1 coach, 1 drummer, 10 paddlers and 6 substitutions.
- 6) There is no gender limitation for Open and Junior U23 Categories.
- 7) Except the drummer, all paddlers must be female for Women Category.
- 8) There should be at least 4 and up to a maximum of 6 female paddlers for Mixed Category.
- 9) Substitutions for paddler and drummer should meet the entry requirement of their own category.
- 10) Team manager/coach can take up the role as drummer and should mark on the crew registration form.
- 11) Participants may use their own paddles which must comply with 5.2 Amendments of HKCDBA



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Competition Regulations and Rules of Racing.

- 12) HKCDBA organizing committee reserves the right to refuse any entry into the races at its sole discretion.
- 13) In case of discrepancy between Chinese and English information in this Bulletin, Chinese version shall prevail.

## Enrolment Procedure

Date	Item
24 <sup>th</sup> August 2015 (Monday)	Enrolment Deadline (Race rules and regulations, race format and all the event arrangements will be announced)
3 <sup>rd</sup> October 2015 (Saturday) Time: 0830 hours	Lane Draw & Team managers' meeting All team managers should attend this meeting, No objection or appeal will be accepted for team manager who is absent from this meeting. Venue: Olympic House changed to HKCDBA Training Centre at Shing Mun River
3 <sup>rd</sup> October 2015 (Saturday)	Race Day

## Enrollment method

Please send the following documents to HKCDBA Secretariat by email / fax / post before deadline:

- 1) Completed "(1) Entry Form" & (2) "Crew Registration Form";
- 2) Entry Fee:
  - a. Crossed cheque; or
  - b. Direct deposit to HSBC A/C 600-650-568-002
- 3) Athlete registration fee and late submission charge please paid as follow:
  - a. Crossed cheque; or
  - b. Direct deposit to HSBC A/C 600-650-568-002

### Points to note

- i ∨ Please make the fees payable to "Hong Kong China Dragon Boat Association".
- ii ∨ Write down your team name and participated categories at the back of cheque or deposit slip.
- iii ∨ Retain a copy of the cheque or deposit slip for your own record.
- iv ∨ It will be deemed as outstanding payment if there is problem banking in your cheque.
- v ∨ Postal address: Room 1032, Olympic House, 1 Stadium Path, So Kon Po, Causeway Bay.

**\*\* All personal data collected will be solely used for the purpose of arranging this event. Please contact the Association should you prefer to get back any documents submitted within one month upon the completion of the event else respective data will be permanently destroyed from the files.**



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## **Enquiry**

Tel: (852)2504 8332

Website: [www.hkdba.com.hk](http://www.hkdba.com.hk)

Fax: (852)2577 1873

Email: [hkdba@hkolympic.org](mailto:hkdba@hkolympic.org)

Address: Room 1032, Olympic House, 1 Stadium Path, So Kon Po, Causeway Bay.

We look forward to your participating in this event.

Yours truly,

Committee of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Hong Kong Dragon Boat Tug-of-War Championship



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## (1) Entry Form

Team name \_\_\_\_\_ (Chi) \_\_\_\_\_ (Eng)

Name of club/team/organization \_\_\_\_\_ Member No. \_\_\_\_\_  
(If applicable)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

In case of accident, emergency contact person and phone number is \_\_\_\_\_

### Participated categories

Open	Women	Mixed	Junior U23	Secondary Sch.

### Declaration

1. We, the club / team / organization agree to abide by the constitution, by-law, race rules and regulations of the Association, which may refuse to accept this application without giving any reason therefore.
2. We, the club / team / organization hereby certify that we have obtained the prior approval from parent(s) / legal guardian(s) of each member of the team participating in this race Under 23 years old and we take full responsibility for the care and safety of each of our members. We further confirm our acceptance of the conditions set out in the above paragraph.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Stamp of club / company / school



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## (2) Crew Registration Form

**Team Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Chi) \_\_\_\_\_ (Eng)

<b>Category:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Open</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Women</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Secondary School</b>
	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Mixed</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Junior U23</b>	

**Information of participants:**

	Full Name in English			Gender	HKID first 4 digits	
Team Manger						
Coach						
	Please ✓ for position					
	Drummer	Paddler	Reserve	Full Name in English	Gender	Athlete Registration No.
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\* Participant without a valid HKCDBA athlete registration card should submit a separate application of Athlete Registration and leave the Athlete Registration Number blank .