

Organiser

Sha Tin Sports Association

Co-Organiser

Sha Tin District Office



Leisure and Cultural Services Department

Subvented by

Sha Tin District Council

*Sha Tin Dragon Boat Race 2020***《Prospectus》****Event Schedule**

Date: 26 Oct 2020 (Monday)

Time: 08:00 - 12:00

Venue: Shing Mun River, Sha Tin (section between Banyan Bridge and Sand Martins Bridge)

Race Information

Category	Distance	Quota	Fee	No. of Entries	Participating Crews			Competition Format
					Paddler	Steerer	Drummer	
Men's Open (Standard Boat)	500M	16 teams for each race	Entry Fee \$2,500	30 male	Max. 20 Min. 16	1	1	1 Final only The winner(s) of each Final will compete in the <u>Men's Super Championship</u>
Mixed Open (Standard Boat)			+ Deposit \$2,500	30	Max. 20 Min. 16 and 8~12 female paddlers incl.	1 (either M/F is accepted)	1 (either M/F is accepted)	1 Final only The winner(s) of each Final will compete in the <u>Mixed Super Championship</u>
Men's Open (Small Dragon Boat)	300M		Entry Fee \$2,000	15 male	Max. 10 Min. 8	1	1	1 Final only
Women's Open (Small Phoenix Boat)			+ Deposit \$2,000	15 female				

Eligibility: Welcome all applicants aged of 16 or above from teams/corporates/schools**Award:** The 1st - 4th place of each Finals will be awarded trophy, medals and flag**Souvenirs:** 1. Suckling pig ; 2. Drinks ; 3. Programme Booklet**Registration Period:** 15 July 2020 to 10 August 2020**Registration Method:**1. Application form can be downloaded at our website (www.stsa.org.hk) or collect it at the office in person.

Address: No.107-110, G/F., Sau Chuen House, Lek Yuen Estate, Sha Tin, N.T.

Tel. : 2691 5657

Opening Hours: Mon-Fri: 9am-1pm; 2pm-6pm

Sat: 9am-1pm

Sun & PH: Closed

2. For application, please include the completed application form, entry fee and deposit submit to the office in person or by post. The cheque should be crossed, made payable to “Sha Tin Sports Association Limited”. Each Returned Transaction Cheque will be charged \$100 for administration.

Notes to participant:

1. Each team must provide the team name **both** in Chinese and English, otherwise if it is decided by the Organizer. No team can change the team name after entry submitted.
2. Entry fee is non-refundable and non-transferable if application accepted. If the event is cancelled due to adverse weather, no refund will be made.
3. It is not accepted to submit an exact or similar team name for different teams under a(n) corporate / organization into the same race category.
4. Participant cannot represent different teams in same category.
5. The Committee shall reject the application which the team name contains foul language, indecent or offensive content.
6. The Committee will draw lots at the Managers’ Meeting if the quota is full.
7. Team Managers and the corporates / organizations should be responsible to verify all crews who are able to swim and physically fit for the practice sessions and the races. The Committee does not have any liability for injuries, death or loss of properties of any crew as result of any accident.
8. The orders of the Committee and judges must be strictly observed. Any team failing to observe the orders of the Judges or who do not behave properly may be disqualified by the Committee.
9. The Committee tries the best to provide a safe environment and facilities to teams to enjoy the practice sessions and the competition but not have any liability for injuries, death or loss of properties of any crew as result of accident. Participants are responsible for their own liability and insurance needed.
10. For all applicants aged below 18 should countersign by their parents / guidance for consent to participate in the practice sessions and the race.
11. The Committee may be entitled to forfeit the deposit in the following cases:
 - 11.1 If damage to or loss of equipment on practice day and race day. (If the deposit is insufficient to cover, team must compensate for the difference)
 - 11.2 Withdraw after the ballot.
 - 11.3 Report at the Marshal on time in the scheduled time.
 - 11.4 Insufficient number of crews at the start of racing in whatsoever reason.
12. Each team should appoint 2 team leaders to liaise with the Committee and to be responsible for receiving the award.
13. Each team must wear the consistent team uniform during the race.
14. The event will be cancelled if a Black Rainstorm signal or Tropical Cyclone Signal No.3 or above is still hoisted at 06:00 on the race day.

Managers’ Meeting

Date & Time: 20 August 2020 (Thursady) 19:00

Venue: Sha Tin Rural Council
(Address: G/F., 13 Pai Tau Street, Sha Tin, N.T)

- Agenda:
1. Drawing lots (including lanes and practice arrangements)
 2. Team representatives are invited to attend.
 3. The results of the ballot will be released on or before 22 August on our website:
www.stsa.org.hk .
 4. Successful teams must submit all the information required on or before 26 August 2020.



Practice Sessions arrangement:

Date: 5, 6, 12, 20, 27 September and 4 October 2020 (Saturday and Sunday whole day).

Session: TWO 1.5-hour free practice sessions will be offered by the Committee.

- Details:
1. All the information will be announced at the Managers' Meeting on 20 August, and the matters uprising will be mailed to the teams.
 2. The designated days for practice session cannot be changed. Any team wishing to amend the scheduled day who should inform the Committee in advance with sufficient reasons.
 3. Any team **not** intending to join the practice sessions should inform the Committee as soon as possible and no other arrangement will be made instead.
 4. Only boats and paddles are provided during the practice sessions. Coach and steerer should be arranged on your own.

Remarks

This document has been translated into English. If there is any inconsistency or ambiguity between the English version and the Chinese version, the Chinese version shall prevail.

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to amend or clarify the above rules.

