



# 國際龍舟聯合會 INTERNATIONAL DRAGON BOAT FEDERATION



## **CONFIRMATION INFORMATION BULLETIN**

### **1<sup>st</sup> DRAGON BOAT WORLD CUP FUZHOU, CHINA, 9th – 12th JUNE 2014**

**The IDBF is pleased to announce that 16 invited IDBF Members have confirmed** that they will compete in the 1st IDBF Dragon Boat World Cup, to be staged in Fuzhou, China, from 9th-13th June, **with racing on 10-12 June 2014.**

**Teams will be expected to arrive on Monday 9th June and depart on Thursday 13th June 2014.** Teams are to be of Premier standard and consist of a maximum of 28 participants per Team of 12 Men and 12 Women Racers, plus 2 Reserve Paddlers (optional) and 2 Team Officials.

**THE CONFIRMED TEAMS:** **AUSTRALIA; CANADA; CHINA; CZECH REP; GERMANY; GHANA; GREAT BRITAIN; HONG KONG; HUNGARY; ITALY; MACAU; PHILIPPINES; PUERTO RICA; RUSSIA; UKRAINE; UNITED STATES.**

**THE RESERVE TEAMS:** **CHINESE TAIPEI AND GUAM,** have undertaken to send Teams to the World Cup, in the event that a Confirmed Team, or Teams fail to submit their Team Names.

#### **CONFIRMED NAMED ENTRIES**

**Final confirmation of entry to the World Cup, is now due.** Team Managers are required to submit the names of their Team Members and Team Declarations, to the IDBF President by email at [mikehaslam@aol.com](mailto:mikehaslam@aol.com) on the form attached **by Monday 20 APRIL 2014** at the very latest.

**FAILURE BY A TEAM TO SUBMIT A NAMED ENTRY FORM** by the 20 April 2014, will result in the Team's invitation being withdrawn in favour of a **Reserve Team.**

#### **ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS**

Following a meeting held in Fuzhou on 8 March 2014 between IDBF Officials and Chinese Dragon Boat Association Staff, with representatives from Chinese Central Television (CCTV) and the Fuzhou City government, **the following arrangements for the competing Teams are confirmed:-**

##### **HOSTED ACCOMMODATION**

**Hotel accommodation and all meals will be provided in Fuzhou from 12 noon on Monday 9th June until 12 Noon on Thursday 13 June 2014, for a maximum of 28 people, per Team.** (Teams arriving before 9th June or leaving after the 13th June 2014, will be responsible for paying for their own food and accommodation).

**It is expected that all Teams will be hosted in the same Hotel, full details and hotel address to be notified.**

**Team Managers are requested to indicate their Team's room requirements,** on the attached Named Entry Form, that is, the number of single, double or twin bedded rooms they require, indicating any rooming partners or couples **and any Team Members with special dietary requirements.**

## TRAVEL & TRANSPORT

**Teams are responsible for making their own travel arrangements to Fuzhou** and for the cost of such travel. **Free local transport** on arrival and return to Fuzhou International Airport, on departure, will be provided for each Team and a dedicated Team Bus, with a Guide/Interpreter, allocated to each Team for daily transportation and liaison between the Hotel and the racing venue.

**Travel Subsidy.** Unfortunately, due to government restrictions on the use of financial grants, the anticipated travel subsidy to Fuzhou cannot be given. However, the IDBF has arranged for the **Prize Money** allocated to the World Cup (see below) to be divided on a more equitable basis, which guarantees the every Team will receive, as a minimum, RMB 55,000.00.

**Based on return flight costs obtained from travel websites on 8 March 2014**, the sum of RMB 55,000.00 equates to around 16% of a return air fare from North America (USD 2000), 30% from Europe (Euro760) and nearly 40% if travelling from the Pacific Region (Sydney – AusD 860).

**PRIZE MONEY.** Prize money will be awarded to the competing Teams as follows:-

**1st Place: RMB 100,000. 2nd Place: 80,000. 3rd Place: 75,000. 4th Place: 70,000.**

**5th Place: RMB 65,000. 6th Place: 60,000. 7th to 16th Places: RMB 55,000 per Team.**

**Teams are asked to indicate on the Named Entry Form their preferred method for the payment of their Prize Money**, that is, cash in Fuzhou (state currency), cheque in Fuzhou (state payee) or by bank transfer after the event (details of bank account to be credited required).

## TEAM INFORMATION

**Visas.** Teams requiring visas for entry to China should contact the IDBF Secretariat in Beijing – Rex Xin, email [ldbdragon@126.com](mailto:ldbdragon@126.com) copy [rexxin@126.com](mailto:rexxin@126.com) to obtain an Invitation Letter for the World Cup, as soon as possible but by 20th April 2014, at the very latest.

**Types of Chinese visa.** Chinese visas fall into different types of which an Ordinary visa is appropriate. However, Ordinary visas are divided into various categories and for the World Cup one of two categories could be applied for, namely an "F VISA" – issued to those who intend to go to China for exchanges, visits, study tours and other activities and an "L VISA" - issued to those who intend to go to China as a tourist. Teams should check with their Chinese Embassy or visa agency as to which Ordinary Visa will be the most appropriate (easiest/cheapest to obtain) for the World Cup.

**Photographs & Team Information Sheets.** Photographs (passport size) of Team Members, plus a Team Info Sheet giving outline details of the Teams achievements over the past few years, plus any interesting anecdotes, should be submitted by email to [ldbdragon@126.com](mailto:ldbdragon@126.com) by the 1st May 2014.

**If a Team Member already has an IDBF PIN** from a previous World Championships, then this should be shown on the Named Entry Form in order that the photograph of the person concerned can be downloaded by the IDBF and included in the World Cup Souvenir Programme.

**National & Territorial Flags.** Teams are requested to bring with them to Fuzhou, two (2) National or Territorial Flags (as appropriate) of a size of approximately 2m x 2m (6ft x 6ft) which will be flown from the back of each Teams Dragon Boats during racing.

**Team Sponsors.** Teams with sponsors who may wish to promote themselves or their products at the World Cup through site banners or boat logos/ decals etc, should contact the CCTV Sports & Entertainment Co, in Beijing – Ying KU (Connie), email [kuying@cctvse.net](mailto:kuying@cctvse.net) with details of the sponsors requirements and to obtain details of CCTV Sport's sponsorship packages for the event.



## **COMPETITION EQUIPMENT AND WORLD CUP COMPETITIONS.**

**BOATS:** Standard and Small Dragon Boats to IDBF Specifications (Racing Models 1222 and 912) will be provided for the World Cup on the basis of 1 Standard Boat, per Team for the Mixed Crew's use and 2 Small Boats, per Team, one each for the Men and Women's crews

**PADDLES:** Teams may bring their own paddles with them, provided they are IDBF Spec 202a Racing Paddles and a limited number of Spec 202a paddles will be made available by the World Cup Organisers for Teams' to use. These may be purchased at cost price at the end of the World Cup.

**COMPETITIONS:** The World Cup Races will consist of four or five different competitions over three racing days, commencing at 1300 hours on Tuesday 10th June 2014. The IDBF Rules of Racing will apply to all competitions, two of which, that is the 200m and 500m competitions will be straight races for Mixed Crews, in Standard Boats, as per IDBF World Championships.

The remaining three competitions will be to new formats designed to meet the television requirements for showing the World Cup live. These three competitions will consist of:-

**100m Round Robin Races** with Mixed Crews racing 'head to head' in their Standard Boats.

**400m Relay Races** for Small Boat Men's and Women's crews, racing as a 2 Crew Team each crew racing 200m. The Women's crew racing the first leg and the Men's crew the second (finishing) leg.

**1000m Pursuit Races** for Small Boat Men's and Women's crews, racing as a 2 Crew Team. Teams will race around the outside of the 200m racing course, with four turns, in the style of 2000m racing with each Team racing their Men's and Women's Small Boat Crews together, in head to head 'pursuit races' against another Team.

**The 1000m Pursuit Races are subject to the final TV schedule** and if run will be confirmed in the World Cup Racing Programme.

**Medals & Trophies.** **World Cup Medals will be awarded to the top three (3) Crews in each competition with World Cup Team Points being awarded for all race distances.** That is, the Standard Boats will gain points as a complete Team and for the Small Boats the combined times of the Small Boat crews will give a Team Points score for that competition.

**The Team with the highest overall points score at the end of 3 days of intense racing, will be declared the IDBF 2014 Dragon Boat World Cup Winners !** A replica World Cup will be given to the Winning Team and Trophies to the second and third placed Teams.

### **TELEVISION COVERAGE & WEB STREAMING.**

**CCTV 5 (Sports Channel).** The outline television broadcast plan is to record the Heats of the 200m and 400m competitions from 1300 hours on June 10th and the 100m and 500m Heats on June 11th.

Two hours of live broadcasting on CCTV 5 (Sport) are scheduled for the morning of June 11th and the afternoon of June 12th covering the Opening Ceremony, plus the Semi Finals and Finals of the 200 and 400m competitions on June 11th and the Semi Finals and Finals of the 100 and 500m competitions, plus the World Cup Presentation Ceremony on June 12th.

**IDBF Web Streaming Channel.** It is planned to web stream live coverage of all the World Cup competitions on the IDBF Television Channel at – [idbfdragonboat.tv](http://idbfdragonboat.tv) and through Livestream, New York, at [www.livestream.com/idbfdragon](http://www.livestream.com/idbfdragon).

To see racing in Fuzhou, google Fuzhou Dragon Boat Festival and watch the 2013 China Cup Races.



# **IDBF WORLD CUP CONFIRMED ENTRY FORM**



Fuzhou, China – 9-12<sup>th</sup> June 2014

**Deadline Date for Confirmed Named Entries is Monday 20th April 2014**

<b>Team Name</b>	隊名		
<b>Contact Name</b>	聯絡人姓名		
<b>Phone Number</b>	聯絡人電話	Fax 傳真	
<b>E-mail Address</b>	電郵地址		

## **ARRIVAL DETAILS**

<u>Arrival Date</u>	Departure Airport	Airline	Flight Number	Arrival Time	No of pax

## **DEPARTURE DETAILS**

<u>Departure Date</u>	Destination Airport	Airline	Flight Number	Departure Time	No of pax

## **ACCOMMODATION REQUIREMENTS**

Single Hotel rooms are limited and Teams Members are expected to share twin bedded rooms or for couples, double bedded rooms are available.

Room Requirement	Single Bed	Twin Bedded Room		Double Bed	Total Rooms
<b>Number of each type required</b>					
<b>Serial Numbers of persons in each room</b>		&	&	&	
		&	&	&	
		&	&	&	
		&	&	&	
		&	&	&	
		&	&	&	

**TEAM MANAGERS – please indicate in the room boxes the Serial Number of each participant, from the Team List below and where it is appropriate the number of the person they are rooming with.**

## **PRIZE MONEY PAYMENT - indicate payment choice and complete payment request details.**

Cash - state currency	Cheque – give recipients name	By Bank Transfer – insert account details & code

## **CHECK LIST.**

- 1. Visa Applications – at the latest submit by 20 April 2014**
- 2. Team Information Sheet (CV) submit by 1 May 2014**
- 3. Participants Photographs – enter on IDBF Date Base or submit by 1 May 2014**
- 4. National or Territorial Flags – Bring to Fuzhou, 2 flags of 2m x 2m (6' x 6')**

# 1<sup>ST</sup> IDBF WORLD CUP - NAMED PARTICIPANTS LIST

TEAM NAME   隊名						
Serial NO:	Family Name	First Name	Date of Birth dd/mm/year	Place of Birth (Country or Territory)	Passport Number	IDBF PIN
<b>MALE COMPETITORS</b>						
1						
2						
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8						
9						
10						
////	<i>Drummer</i>					
11						
////	<i>Helm (Steerer)</i>					
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<b>FEMALE COMPETITORS</b>						
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////	<i>Drummer</i>					
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////	<i>Helm (Steerer)</i>					
24						
<b>RESERVE COMPETITORS</b>						
25						
26						
<b>TEAM COACH</b>						
27						
<b>TEAM MANAGER</b>						
28						

**1<sup>ST</sup> IDBF WORLD CUP – TEAM MANAGER’S DECLARATIONS**

**I the undersigned Team Manager**

(Name)..... of the Dragon Boat Team named above, certify that the Competitors listed on the Team’s Named Entry Form are physically fit and are water competent or able to swim at least 50 metres wearing light clothing.

I also confirm that there is no known medical reason why those Named should not take part in the Race Programme notified by the Organisers of the IDBF World Cup. I hereby expressly agree to abide by all rules and conditions of the Organisers and the IDBF.

I further confirm that those participants named on the Entry Form above have hereby expressly agreed to abide by all rules and conditions of the Organisers and the IDBF and that they have discharged the World Cup Organising Committee, the Chinese Dragon Boat Association (CDBA), the IDBF (International Dragon Boat Federation) as well as any other individual or organisations directly or indirectly connected with the *1st IDBF Dragon Boat World Cup, Fuzhou 2014*, from any responsibility in the event of injury, death or loss of property incurred during or as a consequence of, or whilst travelling to and from the event.

**ANTI-DOPING DECLARATION**

On behalf of ALL those shown on the Named Participants list above I hereby acknowledge and agree as follows:

- 1. That I and the participants named have had an opportunity to review the IDBF Doping Control Rules.
- 2. That I and the participants named consent and agree to comply with and be bound by all of the provisions of the IDBF Anti-Doping Policy, including but not limited to, all amendments to the Doping Control Rules and all International Standards incorporated in the WADA Anti-Doping Code, as incorporated in the IDBF Anti-Doping Policy.
- 3. That I and the participants named acknowledge and agree that IDBF and its Members have jurisdiction to impose sanctions as provided in the Doping Control Rules.
- 4. That I and the participants named also acknowledge and agree that any dispute arising out of a decision made pursuant to the IDBF Anti-Doping Policy, after exhaustion of the process expressly provided for in the Doping Control Rules, may be appealed exclusively as provided in Article 13 of the Anti-Doping Code to an appellate body for final and binding arbitration, which in the case of International-Level Competitors is the Court of Arbitration for Sport.
- 5. That I and the participants named acknowledge and agree that the decisions of the arbitral appellate body referenced above shall be final and enforceable, and that I will not bring any claim, arbitration, lawsuit or litigation in any other court or tribunal.
- 6. That I and the participants named have read and understand this Acknowledgement and Agreement.

Signed .....Date .....

**NOTE:** Any competitor taking prescribed medication that may contain a Banned Substance should if they have not already lodged a valid TUE on the IDBF Data base complete an Abbreviated Therapeutic Exemption (ATUE) a copy of which is attached below.

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***Abbreviated Therapeutic Use Exemptions (ATUE)***

Complete all sections in capital letters or typing. Submit the completed form to the IDBF Medical Rep at the World Championships and keep a copy for your records.

**Incomplete Applications will be returned and will need to be resubmitted**

This Abbreviated TUE Form may only be used for glucocorticosteroids by non-systemic routes (applied locally) and for beta-2 agonists by inhalation (Formoterol and Terbutaline).

Beta-2 agonists by inhalation <input type="checkbox"/>	glucocorticosteroids by <input type="checkbox"/> non-systemic routes *
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\* All routes other than orally, rectally, intravenously and intramuscularly.  
Dermatological glucocorticosteroids do not require any TUE

**1. Competitor Information**

Surname: .....	Given Names:.....
Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Date of Birth (d/m/y): ...../...../.....
Address: .....	
City: .....	Country :..... Postcode:.....
Tel.:..... (with international code)	E-mail : .....
Sport: .....	Discipline/Position: .....
National Governing Body: .....	

**2. Medical information**

Diagnosis:

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**N.B. Any ATUE may be reviewed at any time, by the ADO and/or WADA**

**This TUE will be valid for a two (2) year period, from the date of completion.**

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Prohibited substance(s): <i>Generic name</i>	Dose	Route	Frequency
1.			
2.			
3.			
Intended duration of treatment: <i>(Please tick appropriate box)</i>	once only <input type="checkbox"/> emergency <input type="checkbox"/> or duration (week/month): .....		

**3. Medical Practitioner’s and Competitor’s declaration**

I certify that the above-mentioned treatment is medically appropriate and that the use of alternative medications not on the Prohibited List would be unsatisfactory for this condition.

Name: .....

Medical Speciality:.....

Address:.....

Tel No:..... Fax:..... Email:.....

I, ..... certify that the information under 1 – 3 above, is accurate and that I am requesting approval to use a Substance or Method from the WADA Prohibited List. I authorize the release of personal medical information to the Anti-Doping Organization (ADO) as well as to WADA staff, to the WADA TUEC (Therapeutic Use Exemption Committee) and to other ADO under the provisions of the Code. I understand that if I ever wish to revoke the right of these organizations to obtain my health information on my behalf, I must notify my medical practitioner and my ADO in writing of that fact

**Competitors Signature:** ..... **Date** .....

**Parent/Guardian’s Signature:** ..... **Date** .....

(if the athlete is a minor or has a disability preventing him/her to sign this form, a parent or guardian shall sign together with or on behalf of the athlete)

**All applicable areas must be completed, including diagnosis. Please print clearly.**

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