



PENANG INTERNATIONAL DRAGON BOAT REGATTA 2024

23 & 24 November 2024

INFORMATION BULLETIN 3

(Please take note that the information in this bulletin shall supersede the earlier bulletin).

New race venue at Straits Quay Retail Marina seafront

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/hAdEi6257yH4Efeg9>



Warmest greetings from the Penang International Dragon Boat Festival (PIDBF) Organising Committee.

We are pleased to receive tremendous participating entries from almost 70 teams from Brunei, China, Chinese Taipei, Hong Kong-China, Indonesia, Japan, Netherlands, Philippines, Singapore, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom and not forgetting many other states of Malaysia too.

Competition Regulation and Racing Rules

The Penang International Dragon Boat Regatta 2024 will comply with the PIDBF Competition Regulations & Rules of Racing. Please click this link here and go through them thoroughly:

PIDBF Competition Regulations & Rules of Racing



<https://bit.ly/2024PIDBFRegulations>

PIDBF Safety Notes



<https://bit.ly/2024PIDBFsafety>

Divisions, Racing & Competition Classes and Distances

The Competition Divisions, Racing and Competition Classes that will be contested are listed below:

	Event	250 m (12 Racers)	500 m 400 m (12 Racers)	Tug of War (6 Racers)
1	Malaysia Premier Open	✓	✓	
2	International Premier Open	✓	✓	✓
3	International Premier Women	✓	✓	✓
4	International Premier Mixed	✓	✓	✓
5	International Junior U24 Open	✓	✓	
6	International Junior U24 Women	✓		
7	International Junior U24 Mixed	✓	✓	
8	International Senior 40 Open	✓	✓	✓
9	International Master 60 Open	✓	✓	

Type of Boat

Standard boats will be used.

Races

23 November – 250 m Straight course & Tug of War

24 November – 400 m Straight course & Tug of War

Prizes

Trophies and medals will be awarded to the winners. Every participating team will receive a souvenir at the Opening Ceremony on Saturday.

Ground Arrangement Package

Foreign teams that require our assistance with the ground arrangement can email us for details.

Crew Photo Tag

Team managers are required to **upload their crew details and passport-sized photos into the system before 30th September 2024**. **MYR20** for each Crew Photo Tag has to be paid together with the submission.

Changes are not encouraged after submission, otherwise an additional fee need to be paid for any new photo tag request.

Practice Session

Practice session will be allocated to all teams on **22 November 2024 (Friday)**.

Each team will be allotted 1 hour practice session only. Please book your practice session in the attached link.

Team Manager's Registration

Collect Crew Photo Tags & other materials/information.

Team Manager's Meeting cum Welcome Reception

Two (2) representatives from each team to attend (**compulsory**).

Outline Programme

Date	Time	Details	Venue
Friday 22 November	9 am to 4 pm	Practice Session	Race Venue
	12 pm to 4 pm	Team Manager's Registration	Race Venue
	5 pm to 8 pm	Team Manager's Meeting	To Be Advised
Saturday 23 November	8 am to 5 pm	Race Day – 250m – Tug of War ➤ Int Premier Open ➤ Int Senior 40	Race Venue
	10 am to 11 am	Opening Ceremony	
	5 pm to 6 pm	Prize Presentation	

Sunday 24 November	8 am to 4 pm	Race Day – 400m – Tug of War ➤ Int Premier Women ➤ Int Premier Mixed	Race Venue
	4 pm to 5 pm	Prize Presentation	
	7.30 pm to 10.30 pm	Celebration Party	To Be Advised

The above program is provisional and is provided to assist crews with their initial planning. This program is subject to changes.

Deadlines

Please click on the link below to submit all the required forms.

Item	Link	Deadline
1. Crew Photo Tag - Submit participants details & photos	https://penangdragonboat.gov.my	30th September 2024
2 Practice Session - Reserve the Practice Session - Submit the Team Manager's Declaration	https://penangdragonboat.gov.my	30th October 2024
3. Crew Name List - Submit participants name list according to the events	https://penangdragonboat.gov.my	

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