



# **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/2024PIDBF>

### 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)	<del>500 m</del> 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 30<sup>th</sup> 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	PIDBF Secretariat Room, beside K Market Straits Quay Court
	5 pm to 8 pm	Team Manager's Meeting	One Theatre Hall, Straits Quay
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	Stage
	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	Stage
	7.30pm to 10.30 pm	Celebration Party	Penang Chinese Town Hall, Pitt Street <a href="https://shorturl.at/DtfRd">https://shorturl.at/DtfRd</a>

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
<b>1. Crew Photo Tag</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Submit participants details &amp; photos</li></ul>	<a href="https://penangdragonboat.gov.my">https://penangdragonboat.gov.my</a>	<b>30<sup>th</sup> September 2024</b>
<b>2 Practice Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Reserve the Practice Session</li><li>- Submit the Team Manager's Declaration</li></ul>	<a href="https://penangdragonboat.gov.my">https://penangdragonboat.gov.my</a>	<b>30<sup>th</sup> October 2024</b>
<b>3. Crew Name List</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Submit participants name list according to the events</li></ul>	<a href="https://penangdragonboat.gov.my">https://penangdragonboat.gov.my</a>	

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