

Join the Fun!
16th Annual Belleville Dragon Boat Festival

Part of the Waterfront and Ethnic Festival Weekend

Registration Package

Saturday July 13, 2019

9 - 4 p.m.

Victoria Park Belleville, Ontario

Registration:

\$600 per adult team

\$200 non-refundable deposit required upon registration

Contact Belleville Dragon Boat Club for more details

613-961-5062 or info@bellevilledragonboatclub.com



**Belleville
Dragon Boat
Club**

www.BellevilleDragonBoatClub.com

THE TEAM

Team work



Team work is everything in dragon boat racing. Synchronicity is more important than strength. A perfectly synchronized team will almost always beat a stronger, but less coordinated team. As an experience, dragon boat racing is rich in learning opportunities for any group. It brings together diverse players all of different abilities and strength to achieve a common goal, offers corporate teams and groups a unique opportunity to explore group dynamics and increase productivity and effectiveness'.

The Team

A dragon boat team generally consists of 20 paddlers (you may also wish to have several alternates) as well as a drummer at the bow. It is guided by a steersperson at the stern (a steersperson and a drummer will be provided for your team). Teams combine power and rhythm to achieve maximum acceleration and speed over a specified distance. Our races are recreational and many of our paddlers are trying dragon boat racing for the first time. Two (2) practices for each team will be provided in the weeks prior to the races so you will have a chance to get your team ready to go.

Community crews are expected to participate in **TWO** practice times which will be scheduled when registration is received by the club.

For more information please contact the Belleville Dragon Boat Club

at: info@bellevilledragonboatclub.com

Join Our Dragon Boat Challenge

ADULT CREW

- Adult crew ages 16 years of age and up.

TEAM CAPTAINS

- Expected to attend Captain's Meeting the morning of festival.
- Organize a team of 20 paddlers plus alternates.
- Collect and submit all forms.
- Collect the registration fee and submit with registration form to Belleville Dragon Boat Club.
- Ensure all team members are aware of the rules and regulations.
- Provide a team name and description prior to race day.

RACE DISTANCE

All races will be approximately 250 metres.

EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED

- Paddles, boats and M.O.T. and/or Canadian Coast Guard approved personal floatation devices.

Races will be held rain or shine.

Come prepared for the weather!



2019 Team Registration Form

Team Information

Team Name: _____

Company Name: _____

Captain's Name: _____

City: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email (Mandatory): _____

INDIVIDUAL ENTRY

NAME

Email

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3. _____

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PAYMENT INFORMATION (registration fees)

Please make cheques payable to:

Belleville Dragon Boat Club

Adult Crew (\$600) _____

Individual Paddler (s) (\$30) _____

Total: _____

Balance Owing: _____

Mail Registration with payment to:

Belleville Dragon Boat Club

41 Craig Street, Belleville, Ontario K8P 2J9



TEAM ROSTER

Saturday July 13, 2019, Victoria Park, Belleville, Ontario

Team Name: _____

Captain's Name: _____

Date submitted: _____

By signing the team roster I acknowledge that I have read and accept the terms of the team waiver.

NAME (please print)	SIGNATURE
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ADULT TEAM WAIVER

Waiver of Liability Release, Indemnification & Hold Harmless Covenant

In consideration of my receiving permission to participate in the Belleville Dragon Boat Festival, as well as join in the practice sessions and to enter the premises and waterways supervised or in any way controlled by the Belleville Dragon Boat Club (collectively the “Organizers”), do hereby forever RELEASE any and all liability, discharge and agree to hold harmless and indemnify the Organizers and each of their respective directors, members, trustees, representatives, officers, sponsors, volunteers and employees against any and all causes of action arising out of or related to any such loss, damage, or injury resulting from negligence, breach of trust, breach of fiduciary duty, or any reason or cause.

I also agree to and discharge immediately every obligation or claim by any injury or damage caused to me or my property that shall be made by me, assigned or apportioned against the Organizers and their respective directors, members, trustees, representatives, officers, sponsors, volunteers and employees on their request.

I am duly aware of the risk and hazards inherent in the sport of dragon boat racing, knowing conditions may be hazardous and dangerous, that obstructions may exist and that high winds, may cause rough water. As such, I hereby voluntarily assume all risks of loss, damage or injury including death, that may be sustained by me or any of my property upon entering the premises used for the purpose of and while engaged in the Belleville Dragon Boat Festival and any practice sessions.

In consideration for my participation in the Belleville Dragon Boat Festival, I grant its representatives, employees, photographers and the media the right and permission to publish, copyright and use photographs of me and my property, with or without my name, and to reproduce the photographs through any medium for illustration, promotion, advertising web content or other purposes.

This agreement shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Province of Ontario. Further, this agreement shall be binding on my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and legal representative, in the event of my death or incapacity.

I CONFIRM THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS AGREEMENT PRIOR TO SIGNING IT, AND I AM AWARE THAT BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS WHICH I OR MY HEIRS, NEXT OF KIN, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES MAY HAVE AGAINST THE ORGANIZERS.

Please Print Clearly

Date: _____ **Team Name:** _____

Captain’s Name: _____ **Captain’s Signature:** _____

Witness’s Name: _____ **Witness’s Signature:** _____

(Team member’s names on team roster (see previous page) and this page must be submitted)

TEAM PROFILE

The team name and profile will be used in the festival program. Please submit the following information to Belleville Dragon Boat Club, 41 Craig St. Belleville, Ontario, K8P 2J9 by June 30, 2019.

Team Name: _____

Captain's Name: _____ **Company Name:** _____

Please provide us with a brief (maximum 100 words) summary of your team.

Be creative! Humour is certainly encouraged! Tell us who you are, how you got together, what your goal is....do you want to win? What do you want to win? Do you have a team mascot? Tell us about yourselves!

This information will be used by our announcer on race day and will be included in the festival program.

