



BULLETIN

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This Bulletin serves as a Guide for Interest in the SRW. With regards to the racing rules, competition regulations and event management conventions, these shall be finalized and confirmed in the Entry Rules

1 RACE DATES AND SCHEDULE

Racing Dates	Category-Division	Total Slots	
Day 1 25th November 2023 (Saturday)	<u>Morning Racing Block</u> DB22 SRW Open DB22 Tertiary Mixed DB22 Government Agencies Open DB22 PA Adaptive Open DB22 POLITE Mixed	30 5 5 5 5	
	<u>Afternoon Racing Block</u> DB22 SRW Mixed (<i>Pilot Progression</i>) DB22 Tertiary Open DB22 IDBC Mixed DB22 POLITE Men	30 5 10 5	
	Day 2 26th November 2023 (Sunday)	<u>Morning Racing Block</u> DB12 SRW Women DB12 SRW Masters Open DB12 Tertiary Women DB12 IDBC Open DB12 Government Agencies Men DB12 Corporate Open DB12 Corporate Women DB12 PA GRO Open	20 5 5 10 5 10 5 10
		<u>Afternoon Racing Block</u> DB12 SRW Senior Mixed DB12 Corporate Mixed DB12 Government Agencies Mixed DB12 IDBC Women DB12 PA GRO Mixed DB12 POLITE Women	15 15 5 10 10 5

2 ENTRY REQUIREMENT

1. This race is open for SDBA's ordinary affiliates/associates and overseas teams.
2. For PA GRO Mixed/ Open/ Adaptive Open / Fun Race:-
 - a. Exclusively for teams under the auspices of the People's Association only
 - b. Follow the People's Association (PA) rules and regulations.
 - c. Teams coming in for the Fun Race will be by PA's invitation.
3. Please refer to the Entry Rules for more details. Entry Rules shall be released on 25th October 2023 (Wed) and it shall supersede this Bulletin if there are discrepancies.

3 TENTATIVE TIMELINE

1	Application for Athlete Cards	20 th October 2023 (Fri), 14:00 hrs
2	Launch of Entry Rules	25 th October 2023 (Wed), 20:00hrs
3	Registration Open	1 st November 2023 (Wed), 20:00hrs
4	Registration Close & Application for Athlete Cards Close	5 th November 2023 (Sun), 23:59hrs
5	SDBA Final Confirmation of Participating Teams	7 th November 2023 (Tue), 14:00hrs
6	Crew List Submission & Payment Open	8 th November 2023 (Wed), 00:00hrs
7	Crew List Submission & Payment Close	14 th November 2023 (Tue), 14:00hrs <i>if payment is not received, the team shall not be included in the lane draw</i>
8	Team Manager's Briefing Drawing of Racing Lanes	17 th November 2023, 7.30pm

4 RACE BYE-LAWS

The Registration	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Registration shall be on a first-come-first-get basis through the SDBA's online registration system 2) Each Team can register up to two (2) racing crews per respective category and racing division, however, priority will be given to the 1st registered crew 3) However, for teams who sign up for multiple categories, do note on risk of probable back-to-back races between categories.
SRW DB22 Open DB22 Mixed DB12 Women DB12 Seniors Mixed DB12 Masters Open	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) This is the primary Singapore Regatta Waterfest racing category 2) For all SDBA affiliates, associates and overseas dragon boat teams 3) The Women racing division and class must be all-Women (including the paddlers, drummer, steersperson and reserves)
Tertiary DB22 Open DB22 Mixed DB12 Women	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) For Universities, Polytechnics and ITE 2) The Steersperson may not necessarily be a staff or student from the institution 3) A Male steersperson is permitted to steer for the Women racing crew
POL-ITE DB22 Men DB22 Mixed DB12 Women	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) For Polytechnics and ITE 2) Organized in collaboration with the POL-ITE Games and governing Council 3) The Steersperson may not necessarily be a staff or student from the institution 3) A Male steersperson is permitted to steer for the Women racing crew

<p>International Dragon Boat Community (IDBC) DB22 Mixed DB12 Open DB12 Women</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) For IDBC Council registered teams only 2) Follow IDBC regulations regarding number of Singapore citizens permitted in the racing crew 4) A Male steersperson is permitted to steer for the Women racing crew
<p>Government Agencies DB22 Open DB12 Mixed DB12 Men</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Exclusively for teams from the government's Public and Uniformed Service sector only. 2) Crew members must be full-time employee 3) Crew members may be requested to show proof of employment with the public or uniformed organization, i.e., staff pass, etc. 4) The Steersperson may not necessarily be a staff member
<p>Corporate DB12 Mixed DB12 Open DB12 Women</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Companies registered under the Companies Act or under any corresponding previous legislation and includes any corporate formed or incorporated outside Singapore and any branch or subsidiary thereof provided that it is so registered. 2) Statutory Board and Partly Corporatized Entity of the Singapore Government 3) The Steersperson may not necessarily be a staff member 5) A Male steersperson is permitted to steer for the Women racing crew
<p>PA GRO DB12 Open DB12 Mixed</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Exclusively for GRO Teams classified as Community Sports Network (CSN) or Community Sports Club (CSC) teams 2) Shall comply with PA's governing rules and regulations 4) The Steersperson may not necessarily be a member of the CSN or CSC team
<p>DB22 PA Adaptive Open</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Each boat must comprise of minimum ten (10) persons with a permanent disability 2) Definition of disability shall be in accordance to Singapore's Enabling Master Plan SG Enable classification for physical, sensory, intellectual disabilities and autism 3) Refer to https://employment.sgenable.sg/about-us/what-is-disability/ 4) An able-bodied caregiver/supporter/volunteer may be permitted to accompany the person with disability inside the boat at the ratio of 1:1 5) The Adaptive Team must be formed with a cause for a group of special needs society with a vision and plan for inclusivity. 6) The Team needs to demonstrate that all participants would have trained together as a team for a period of at least 3 months in the spirit of social cohesion. 7) There may be a request for doctor's diagnosis for persons with disabilities (to ensure level playing field).

5 RACE FORMAT

1. Each race shall be according to a max. 5 boat racing concept, per race, per category.
2. The racing lanes that shall be used in Kallang Basin will be Lanes 2 to 6 (with Lane 1 empty). Boat 1 shall be in Lane 2 and so on.
3. Race Format shall be: Heats -> Repechage -> Semi Final -> Final (whenever feasible) OR Direct Final race.
4. For DB22 SRW Mixed, the pilot Race Format shall be confirmed in the Entry Rules.

6 COMPETITION REGULATIONS & RULES OF RACING

The races will be run in accordance with the IDBF Competition Regulations & Rules of Racing with specific SRW Entry Rules.

7 ENTRY FEE

1. The Entry Fee (inclusive of 8% GST) per person, per category = \$32.40
2. Entry Fees are not required for MOE Schools.

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