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**Bulletin 1** 

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# BLAZE THE BAY AT THE DBS MARINA REGATTA 2018!

**Dear Singapore and Overseas Dragon Boat Teams,** 

DBS Bank and Singapore Dragon Boat Association (SDBA) are excited to invite you to be a part of the most anticipated competition on the dragon boat calendar – the DBS Marina Regatta 2018!

Be a part of the thrilling races that will be held on <u>26 & 27 May and 2 & 3</u> <u>June 2018</u> in the heart of Singapore's financial district – the beautiful Marina Bay.

So come live your passion and pit your skills against the region's best!





# 1. TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Date	Programme	
5 April 2018 (Thursday)	Registration Opens	
29 April 2018 (Sunday)	Registration Closes	
18 May 2018 (Friday)	Team Managers Briefing / Drawing of Racing Lanes	
24 to 25 May 2018 (Thursday & Friday)	500m Training Days	
26 May 2018 (Saturday)	DBS Marina Regatta - 500m race day  ■ DB12 DBS Corporate Mixed  ■ DB12 DBS Premier Mixed  ■ DB12 Dragon Boat Community Race  ■ Active Agers Community Open (200m)  ■ Adaptive Community Open (200m)  ■ Survivor Series Open (200m)  ■ Youths-at-risk Open (200m) NEW	
27 May 2018 (Sunday)	<ul> <li>DBS Marina Regatta - 500m race day</li> <li>DB22 DBS Premier Open</li> <li>DB12 DBS Premier Women</li> <li>DB12 DBS Corporate Open</li> <li>DB12 DBS Corporate Women</li> </ul>	
30 <sup>th</sup> May to 1 <sup>st</sup> June 2018 (Wednesday to Friday)	200m Training Days	
2 June 2018 (Saturday)	<ul> <li>DBS Marina Regatta - 200m race day</li> <li>DB12 DBS Corporate Mixed</li> <li>DB12 DBS Premier Mixed</li> <li>DB12 DBS Prime Warriors Mixed</li> <li>DB12 DBS Millennium Mixed</li> <li>National Schools "A" Division</li> </ul>	
3 June 2018 (Sunday)	DBS Marina Regatta - 200m race day  DB22 DBS Premier Open  DB12 DBS Premier Women  DB12 DBS Corporate Open  DB12 DBS Corporate Women	

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# 2. COMPETITION REGULATIONS & RULES OF RACING

The races will be run in accordance with the IDBF Competition Regulations & Rules of Racing with specific DBSMR Entry Rules. Please download the DBSMR Entry Rules from SDBA website: <a href="www.sdba.org.sq">www.sdba.org.sq</a> (after 5 April 2018).

## 3. RACE CATEGORIES

DATE	CATEGORY	DISTANCE
	<ul> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Premier Mixed</li> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Mixed</li> </ul>	500m
26 MAY 2018 (Saturday)	<ul> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) Community Race</li> <li>Active Agers Community Open</li> <li>Adaptive Community Open</li> <li>Survivor Series Open</li> <li>Youths-at-risk Open</li> </ul>	200m

DATE	CATEGORY	DISTANCE
27 MAY 2018 (Sunday)	<ul> <li>Dragon Boat 22-crew (DB22) DBS Premier Open</li> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Premier Women</li> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Open</li> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Women</li> </ul>	500m

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2 June 2018 (Saturday)	<ul> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Premier Mixed</li> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Mixed</li> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Prime Warriors Mixed</li> <li>Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Millennium Mixed</li> <li>National Schools "A" Division</li> </ul>	200m

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#### 4. AWARDS & PRIZES

#### **DB22 CATEGORIES & RACING CLASS**

#### 500m

• Dragon Boat 22-crew (DB22) DBS Premier Open

#### 200m

• Dragon Boat 22-crew (DB22) DBS Premier Open

Gold medals	Silver medals	Bronze Medals
Singapore Dollars	Singapore Dollars	Singapore Dollars
\$10,000	\$5,000	\$2,500

#### **DB12 CATEGORIES & RACING CLASS**

#### 500m

- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Premier Women
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Premier Mixed
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Open
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Women
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Mixed

#### 200m

- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Premier Women
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Premier Mixed
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Open
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Women
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Corporate Mixed
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Prime Warriors Mixed
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) DBS Millennium Mixed

Gold medals	Silver medals	Bronze Medals
Singapore Dollars	Singapore Dollars	Singapore Dollars
\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,500

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#### **DB12 COMMUNITY RACE**

#### 200m

- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) Active Agers Open
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) Adaptive Community Open
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) Survivor Series Open
- Dragon Boat 12-crew (DB12) Youths-at-risk Open

Gold medals	Silver medals	Bronze Medals
Singapore Dollars	Singapore Dollars	Singapore Dollars
\$500	\$300	\$200

## 5. RACE BY-LAWS

1	Club Team must be led by a Team Manager.
2	Each Club Crew may send only one (1) crew per category except for the Corporate, Prime Warriors and Millennium categories which may allow up to two (2) crews.
3	DB22-crew composition: Team Officials: 1 Team Manager, 1 Coach, Athletes: 20 paddlers, 1 drummer, 1 steersperson & 4 reserves Total = 28 people *note that medals are only given to 26 athletes
4	DB12-crew composition: Team Officials: 1 Team Manager, 1 Coach, Athletes: 10 paddlers, 1 drummer, 1 steersperson & 2 reserves Total = 16 people *note that medals are only given to 14 athletes
5	The Coach is permitted to double as an Athlete (drummer, paddler, steersperson and/or reserve)
6	<ul> <li>Wearing of <u>ISO 12402-5 Standard</u> Personal Floatation Device (PFD) or life-vests is required in Singapore.</li> <li>Overseas club teams may bring their own ISO 12402-5 Standard PFD or request them from The Organizers.</li> <li>Singapore Teams are required to use their own or loan from The Organizers at SG\$5 per PFD.</li> </ul>
7	Only the IDBF Spec.202a paddles (wood or carbon fibre) are permitted.
8	DBSMR-18 Organizing Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry at its sole discretion
9	DBSMR-18 Organizing Committee reserves the right to amend the race program at its sole discretion.



# **6. ENTRY FEES**

	The Entry Fee (inclusive of GST) per person (in Singapore Dollars)
SDBA affiliates	\$37.45
SDBA Non-affiliates	\$74.90
Overseas teams	\$37.45

# 7. ENTRY REQUIREMENT

Open Racing Class	No restriction on gender for Paddlers, Steersperson, Drummer, Coach and Reserves
Women Racing Class	<ul> <li>Paddlers, Steersperson, Drummer and Reserves must be ALL-WOMEN</li> <li>Exception is made for the Coach and Team Manager.</li> <li>But if the Coach is to double as an athlete, the Coach must be a Woman.</li> </ul>
Mixed DB12 Racing Class	Team must have at least 4 female paddlers in a race.
Age Limit	<ul> <li>Minimum 12 years old for all racers as of 1 June 2018</li> <li>For <i>Prime Warriors</i> category, minimum age of 40 years old in year 2018</li> <li>For <i>Millennium</i> category, maximum age of 24 years old in year 2018</li> </ul>
Corporate Category	<ul> <li>Paddlers, Drummers and Reserves must be employees of the company.</li> <li>For Overseas Corporate Teams, Paddlers, Drummers &amp; Reserves must be employees from a Multi-National Corporation (MNC) and/or an Internationally-listed Company.</li> <li>Coach, Team Manager and Steersperson does not have to be an employee.</li> </ul>
Community Race	<ul> <li>Active Agers Community         Minimum age of 50 years old as of year 2018.</li> <li>Adaptive Community         For special needs community teams</li> <li>Survivor Series         For cancer survivors teams</li> <li>Youths-at-risk         By DBS invite</li> </ul>

Please refer to the Entry Rules for more details.



#### 8. REGISTRATION

The Registration documents will be available on 5 April 2018, when the registration opens.

Overseas teams may use the attached form to indicate your interest, by 29 April 2018.

#### 9. ENQUIRY

Click here to drop us an email or send to race@sdba.org.sg.

# 10. ACCOMMODATION and TRANSPORTATION FOR OVERSEAS TEAM

- a) Overseas team will have to pay for their accommodation and transportation costs.
- b) Overseas teams may exercise the option of booking their own accommodation and/or transportation.
- c) If overseas team needs SDBA's assistance on the accommodation and transportation booking, please contact SDBA as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

