

EDBF & Serbian Dragon Boat Federation

invite you to the

5th International Dragon Boat festival and 1st EDBF Euro Cup



28th September 2019

See you in Belgrade, Serbia

INFORMATION BULLETIN No. 1

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Dear Dragon Boat friends,

5th International Dragon Boat festival and 1st EDBF Euro Cup will take place on Saturday, September 28th 2019 at Ada Ciganlija Lake, Belgrade, Serbia.

LOCATION:

The Ada Ciganlija Lake is 4.2 km long and average 200 meters wide, with a depth between 4 and 6 meters. It is used for sports, recreation and active leisure time of visitors of Ada Ciganlija, and it is completely adapted for the competition. The lake held hundreds of national, European and World championships in water sports. The lake is surrounded by a 7.9 km long walkway, a bicycle path and a pebble beach. Ada Ciganlija offers more than 60 restaurants and coffee shops, arranged around the lake.

The Ada Ciganlija Lake is located 30 min away from the Belgrade's International Airport Nikola Tesla. There are several 2-4 star hotels in the surroundings, at 10 min distance.





COMPETITION FORMAT:

Saturday, September 28th 2019:

500m Racing (All Crews)

200m Racing (All Crews)

REGATTA COURSE: The Regatta Course and technical facilities will comply with EDBF standards. There will be no racing lines on course.

BOATS AND EQUIPMENT: The Event Organisers will provide five IDBF standard racing boats and five IDBF small racing boats.

RULES OF RACING: IDBF Rules of Racing – Edition 7, issue 1, effective from 1st January 2016 and the IDBF Competition Regulations – Edition 7, issue 1, effective from 1st January 2016 will be used for the competition. Please make sure you familiarize yourselves with these rules which can be found on the IDBF website www.idbf.org.

PERSONAL SAFETY: All paddlers are expected to be able to swim 50m in light clothing unaided or as a minimum be water competent in cold water. All experienced International paddlers will not be required to wear a PFA, however the SDBF will have a sufficient supply of life jackets if necessary. Crews compete entirely at their own risk and must be “Fit to Race” under the IDBF Competition Regulations.

INSURANCE: We raise your attention to make sure that everyone has his/her own personal insurance with sport activity supplement!

CATEGORIES:

<i>standard boat</i>	
racing class	premier division
OPEN	200 m
	500 m
WOMEN	200 m
	500 m
PREMIER MIX	200 m
	500 m

<i>small boat</i>	
racing class	premier division
OPEN	200 m
	500 m
WOMEN	200 m
	500 m
PREMIER MIX	200 m
	500 m

MIXED CREW REQUIREMENTS:

Standard Boat Crews – The crew must consist of a minimum of 8 and maximum of 10 paddlers of either gender. Drummers and Helms can be of either gender. This means that for a full crew of 20 paddlers 10 must be males and 10 females. For 18 paddlers then you can use 8 women and 10 men or 9 women and 9 men or 10 women and 8 men.

Small Boat Crews – The crew must consist of a minimum of 4 and maximum of 5 of either gender. Drummers and Helms can be of either gender.

TIMETABLE

Date:		Time:
Thursday 26.09.2019.	Training session	exact time to be agreed based on registration
Friday 27.09.2019.	Training session	exact time to be agreed based on registration
Friday 27.09.2019.	Team Captain Meeting	exact time and place to be agreed
Saturday 28.09.2019.	Opening ceremony	09:30h - 10:00h
Saturday 28.09.2019.	Race 200m and 500m	10:00h - 16:00h
Saturday 28.09.2019.	After Party	exact time and place to be agreed based on registration





ENTRY & DEADLINE DATES *** MUST BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO ***

Entry Form	Action	Due Date
Provisional Entries	Provisional Entries + €100 Admin Fee Deposit	10.08.2019.
Confirmation Entries	Confirmed entries	23.08.2019.
Final Named Entries	Named Entries + Entry Fee Balances + EDBF Registration Payment	06.09.2019.

PAYMENT DETAILS

A €100 deposit will be required per crew with the Provisional Entry. The Organizing Committee will issue an invoice/receipt on request. This money is NON REFUNDABLE if your crew cancels after Provisional Entry deadline.

ENTRY/REGISTRATION FEE

There will be an Entry Fee of €30 + an EDBF Registration Fee of €5 per person. (€35 in total) Both payments must be paid with the Named Entries which are due to by 06.09.2019. The EDBF Registration has to be transferred directly to the EDBF account and the Entry Fee directly to the organizer's account. See account details below.

Bank instructions:

SDBS SRPSKI DRAGON BOAT SAVEZ

Address: ADA CIGANLIJA 66 A, BEOGRAD-CUKARICA, REPUBLIKA SRBIJA

IBAN: RS35265100000020814893

SWIFT: RZBSRSBG

Bank name: RAIFFEISEN BANKA AD
BEOGRAD, RS

Bank charges: When paying the registration fee, by wire transfer, please make sure you mark the "Ordering customer" (OUR) check box when you fill in the "International charges".

Ref: With Club Name and Country



Bank instructions for EDBF Registration fees:

Account Name: **European Dragon Boat Federation**

IBAN: IT41 E020 0805 1340 0010 5517 447

BIC/SWIFT: **UNCRITM1731**

Bank: **Unicredit Roma Pasteur**

Address: **Viale Europa, 34 - 00144, Roma, Italy**

AIRPORT TRANSFER and HOTEL VENUE TRANSFER will be organized upon request, for €20/person.

- Lifeguards and doctor will be there for the safety of the participants.
- Briefing about progression system, traffic rules, etc., at team manager's meeting.
- All members of each team must wear uniform T-shirts.
- Sandwiches, refreshments, coffee and water will be sold at reasonable prices at the venue.

CONTACTS:

Organising Committee:

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EDBF:

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Maura Dezi - EDBF Treasurer

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FREETIME: Please visit web page for information <http://www.tob.rs/>

Welcome to Belgrade

SERBIAN DRAGON BOAT FEDERATION

President

Niko Cuca



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PROVISIONAL ENTRY FORM

Please submit latest till 10.08.2019. to e-mail: office@dragonboat.rs

PROVISIONAL NUMBER ENTRY FORM	
Club Crew Name	
Country	
Number of participants	
Transfer request	
Training request	
Number of participants interested in Bus Tour	
Contact Name	
Phone Number	
E-mail Address	
Mailing Address	

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