

2018 CHICAGO DRAGON BOAT RACE FOR LITERACY



Organized by Chicago Chinatown Chamber of Commerce
Presented by Chicago Chinatown Community Foundation



Ping Tom Memorial Park, 300 West 19th Street
Saturday, June 23, 2018 / 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

2018 TEAM ATHLETIC WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY FORM

Each team member listed on the Team Roster is required to complete and return this form by **Friday, June 1, 2018**, in order to qualify to participate in the dragon boat race tournament at the 2018 Chicago Dragon Boat Race for Literacy. Team Captains are responsible for submitting also a Team Roster by **Friday, June 1, 2018**.

All forms should be sent to the Team Captain and Team Captain **must submit** all forms by **Friday, June 1, 2018**.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the *Chicago Chinatown Chamber of Commerce* and *A.D.B.A. (American Dragon Boat Association)* dragon boat / paddling program and related events and activities, the undersigned:-

1. Agrees that prior to participating, I will inspect the facilities and equipment to be used, and if I believe anything to be unsafe, I will immediately advise my Team Captain or the Chief Dragon Boat Activity Organizer of such condition(s) and refuse to participate.
2. Acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in activities that involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death, and severe social and economic loss which might result not only from actions, inactions, and negligence of others, the rules of play, or the condition of the premises or of any equipment being used. Further, that there may be other risks not known to me or reasonably foreseeable at this time.
3. Assume all the forgoing risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability, or death.
4. Release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the *Chicago Chinatown Chamber of Commerce, City of Chicago's Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events, Chicago Park District, Office of 25th Ward Alderman Daniel Solis, Chicago Marine Heritage Society, Friends of the Chicago River, A.D.B.A.*, its affiliate dragon boat clubs and/ or committees and organizers, and coaches, trainers, steersmen, and other employees of the organization, other participants, sponsoring agencies, partners, advisors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners of and lesser of premises used to conduct the event, all of which are hereinafter referred to as the "releases" from any liability to the undersigned, his or her heirs and next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses, or damages on account of injury, including death or damage to property caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of these releases or otherwise.
5. Agree to wear an approved life jacket fastened at all times while in the boat, to assume all responsibility for informing myself of all safety rules, and to abide by all such rules related to this activity.
6. Agree to comply with all safety and race rules as indicated in the Competition Rules.
7. **I have read this release**, and understand this waiver to be in effect for any and all activities related to the *Chicago Chinatown Chamber of Commerce, A.D.B.A.*, the dragon boat / paddling, and any and all related events.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Driver's License # / State ID # (For Age Verification) _____

Contact Person / Team Captain Name (circle whichever applies) _____ Team Name _____

Organization or Company Name _____ Sponsor Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Telephone Number _____ Fax Number _____ Email Address _____

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____