

Saturday 3rd, March 2018

Notice of Race



1 Organizing Authority

The Organizing Authority (OA) will be Amwaj Al Bahar Sport Equipment Rental LLC (“SeaYou”).

2 Venue

Venue of the event will be on the “activation beach” located at the Dubai International boat show.
New venue: <https://www.boatshowdubai.com/welcome/new-venue>

3 Rules

Challenge will fall under current World Paddle Association (WPA) Rules and The Notice of Race.

4 Racing Area

The racing area will be 5 minutes paddle away from the launching area (Dubai boat show beach).

5 Preliminary Event Schedule:

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12:00pm: Registration opens at beach activation site.

12:30pm: Participants are allowed to go onto the water and must go directly to the waiting zone.

1:30pm: Registration CLOSES.

1:45pm: All participants must be on water within the waiting zone.

2:00pm: Race starts for SUP.

2:03pm: Race starts for outriggers, kayaks and rowing boats.

2:06pm: Race starts for surfskis.

2:09pm: Race starts for dragon boats.

4:00pm: SeaYou’s safety boats start helping the slower participants to go back to finish line.

4:15pm: Race is finished; all participants are back to beach.

4:30pm: Award Ceremony.

5pm: All participants are back to their cars – no more participants on water after sunset.

6 Equipment:

Stand-Up Paddles boards and paddles:

- Open to all brands.
- Up to 14ft only.

Surfski & Kayak:

- Open to all brands.
- No PEDAL kayaks.

Dragon boat

- Open to teams of 10 pax and 20 pax

Rowing:

- Open to 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 9 rowers

Outrigger: Open to OC1, OC2 and OC6

7 Eligibility and fees

The race entry is open to everyone. 1/3 of participants should be UAE national, 1/3 of participants should be female. Beginners are NOT accepted. Knowing how to swim is mandatory.

Entrance fee: FREE for all participants and supporters.

8 Advertising

Equipment is required when requested to display advertising chosen and supplied by the OA.

9 Safety

All competitors shall know how to swim. Life vest or leash are mandatory.

10 Trophies and prizes

SUP race	Surfski race	Kayak race
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 12km (overall)• 6km: (overall)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 12km (overall)• 6km: (overall)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 12km (overall)• 6km: (overall)

11 Media, images and sound

If required by the OA, teams shall carry media personnel and/or equipment supplied by the OA on board while racing. The OA have the right to use, without any restrictions, any images and sound recorded during the event free of any charge.

12 Disclaimer of liability

The competitor is entirely responsible for his own safety, whether afloat or ashore and nothing, whether in the Notice of Race or anywhere else reduces these responsibilities. It is for the competitor to decide whether he or she deems fit to paddle in the conditions in which they find themselves. By launching or going to the sea, the competitor confirms that they are fit for those conditions and is competent to complete the race.

13 Register

Register online before Friday March 2nd – 6:00pm to <http://dxbpaddling.com/registration/>

14 Contact:

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