



Vernon Rowing & Paddling Centre

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DRAGON BOAT PROGRAM GUIDE 2010

For more information or to register, please contact us.

REGISTRATION POLICIES

Fees: Registration fees cover liability insurance, administration, use of the facility and equipment. Prices do not include tax, uniforms, festival or regatta entry fees or coaching unless specifically noted. Program Fees are non-transferable and cannot be shared by more than one person.

Payment: All fees must be paid in full prior to program start date, unless specifically noted. Registrants who have not paid will not be permitted to participate. Payments can be made by Visa or MasterCard over the phone.

Late Enrollment: With the exception of our Introductory Programs, enrollment is continuous for GRPC Coached Dragon Boat Programs - Fees can be pro-rated 2 weeks after the program start date.

Refunds: To qualify for a refund, participants must give notice within 48 hours after the second session – This is the refund deadline: No refunds will be given after this date. Refunds are calculated based on the number of sessions attended and a 10% administration fee (up to a \$500 maximum). Refunds will be processed as an account credit or returned in the same manner in which they were received. In the event of illness, deployment/relocation, pro-rated refunds may be granted - Valid documentation will be required.

Program Cancellation: We reserve the right to cancel programs if enrollment quotas are not met. In this situation all registrants will be notified. Coached programs will not run on statutory holidays.

Missed Sessions: It is the responsibility of the participant to attend scheduled sessions. Missed sessions will not be made up. In the unforeseen circumstance that a session is canceled due to weather, a make-up session may be rescheduled.

*VRPC reserves the right to change program schedules and pricing without notice.

Conduct: By registering for a program, the participant agrees to policies and procedures of the Vernon Rowing and Paddling Centre (VRPC). Policies and Procedures are available online at www.vernonrowingandpaddling.com or by contacting us.

Mission Statement: The Vernon Rowing & Paddling Centre (VRPC) exists to provide the community with an opportunity for a positive experience in rowing and paddling sports. At the VRPC we aim to facilitate excellence, not only in those who participate in these sports, but also in our staff and program delivery.

VRPC is a GO Centre. GO Rowing & Paddling Association of Canada (GO) is a non-profit Amateur Athletic Association, and Registered Charity, dedicated to sharing the benefits of rowing and paddling sports with Canadians of all ages & athletic abilities. For more information on GO, please visit www.gorowandpaddle.org or call 1-866-658-6333.



DRAGON BOATING 2010

Dragon Boating is North America's fastest growing water sport! Vernon (VRPC) offers a full slate of community based dragon boat programs for all ages and abilities. VRPC offers programs that will suit the needs of experienced or beginner paddlers. Practice starts when the snow and ice melts (mid-April / Early May) and continues throughout the summer till mid September.

Dragon Boat Program Notes

- A non-refundable **\$500** deposit is required to reserve a practice time for full and partial season teams. The balance is due within 30 days of first practice.
- All teams have the opportunity to participate in Dragon Boat Festivals (entries not included).
- Team size consists of 20 paddlers, 4 spares, a steersperson, & drummer
- Coaches must attend a coaching clinic run by GO
- Steers people must attend an accreditation clinic run by GO
- See registration policies

Seasonal Dragon Boat 2010

May to September 9

Regular scheduled practice times will be established by a non-refundable \$500 deposit. Please see program and scheduling notes at the bottom.

Twice / week	\$2066.67+tax / Team
<i>Coaching and festival fees not included</i>	

Teams must provide own coach and Coaches must attend Clinic provided by GO.

Novice Team/Stew Program

To Be Scheduled

Take advantage of the Dragon Stew Festival Training Package and train for the *Penticton Dragon Boat Festival*, this includes 14 practices with a qualified coach (7 weeks, twice weekly) and entry into a festival. Sign up on your own or with a group of your friends! You don't want to miss out on this!

Individual	\$120+tax / person
<i>14 sessions - 2 sessions per week with coaching</i>	
<i>*Includes entry into the Penticton Dragon Boat Festival (*Optional Participation)</i>	

Group Dragon Boat Group Activities and Custom Programs

Do you have a special group that would like to try one of our water sports or would you like a customized program specific for your needs? The Dragon Boat is an excellent way for businesses, schools, day care, summer recreation programs or other groups to experience the team work demands of paddle sports. Coaching and all necessary equipment is provided with each group dragon boat booking. Please contact us for information, pricing and booking.

Youth & Seniors	\$120+tax / boat
Adult & Corporate	\$215+tax / boat
<i>1.5 hours session, includes coaching</i>	

Clinics – Coming soon!

Contact us for details. Clinics in coaching, steering, drumming and more!