



## 2019 Team Registration – 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Habitat Dragon Boat Festival

Race Day: Saturday, August 17, 2019

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Registration Deadline: Friday, Aug. 2, 2019

Please complete all information and return with payment.

**Sponsor's Name** (Company/Church/Organization) \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Captain:** \_\_\_\_\_

Captain's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Captain's Phone(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Co-Captain** (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

The Habitat Dragon Boat Festival is produced by Gadsden-Etowah Habitat for Humanity, Inc. and Pan American Dragon Boat Association, LLC (Management). This application is made on behalf of the company (Team) indicated above. Once this form has been signed it will become a valid contract for entry into the Habitat Dragon Boat Festival. By signing this form, the team acknowledges that he/she has read the rules and regulations for the event listed on reverse side and agrees to abide by them. Number of teams participating is limited to forty (40).

*Authorized Signature:* \_\_\_\_\_ *Date* \_\_\_\_\_

### **Full Payment & Registration:**

\$2,100 full payment with **completed** registration form entitles your team to select tent site AND practice time - *first paid, first choice*.

### **Deposit & Registration:**

\$1,100 deposit submitted with **completed** registration form entitles your team to select tent site in the Athletes Village - *first paid, first choice*. Balance of \$1,000 due Friday, Aug. 2, 2019.

**Deadline** to register teams is **Friday, Aug. 2, 2019**.

*Make check payable to:* G-E Habitat for Humanity

Gadsden-Etowah Habitat for Humanity  
3644 Rainbow Drive  
Rainbow City, AL 35906  
256-543-1898

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### ***Rules and Regulations:***

**Waivers:** Every team member must submit a Race Management Dragon Boat Festival (DBF) Waiver form before getting onto a boat. Each team member agrees to waive any claims against Pan American Dragon Boat Association, LLC and Gadsden-Etowah Habitat for Humanity that may arise from personal injury or death or damage to personal property caused by participation in Dragon Boat practices or races. It is the responsibility of the Team Captain to return signed waiver forms to Gadsden-Etowah Habitat for Humanity Management prior to Team's first practice.

**Cancellation:** If Team chooses to cancel this contract 30 days prior of said race it shall be refunded its deposit less a \$200 service fee. If Team cancels for any reason less than 30 days prior to the race, then team will not be entitled to any refund.

**Fulfillment of Contract:** Race is a rain or shine event; however, should the event be cancelled for any reason except natural acts of God, Management will be obligated to refund only monies received from Team which will release Management from any claims or damage from the Team.

**Team Sponsorship:** Management retains all rights to advertising, sponsorship and commercial representation for the event. Management is under no obligation to individual Team sponsors, and may refuse any commercial representation on the DBF site and on the water venue. Management will not be responsible for any team's representation of their organization. Representation of the organization responsible for the Team and its sponsor(s) shall be limited to: a) clothing such as team uniforms (t-shirts, sweat suits, hats, head bands, athletic bags); b) **one team flag** not exceeding six feet in any direction (team flags are not allowed in dragon boats); c) other items deemed appropriate by Management.

**Race Conduct:** All team members agree to follow the race conduct rules set forth in team captain materials by Management.

**Paddlers and Alternates:** Teams may race with anyone age 15 and up. Only **three** alternates are allowed per team. Using additional alternates will cause your team to forfeit.

**Sound Devices:** Devices including radios, electronic signaling devices, bullhorns, air horns, whistles, generators with a decibel rating over 65dBA and other noisemaking devices are prohibited.

**Right to Likeness:** Management has the right to use your likeness in any video, newsprint, or other media to promote the race.

**Equipment:** Team will be provided access to one dragon boat, paddles, life flotation devices and one coach/steersperson for one 60-minute practice prior to race day and on race day. Teams may use only race equipment provided by management.

**Storage:** Teams shall take full responsibility for any and all personal belongings and other material left in the team area. Management is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged articles.

**Team Space Removal:** Team agrees to completely dismantle and remove all material and decorations from their team space. Team also agrees to return space back to the same condition it was received by team by 7 p.m. on day of race.

**Alabama Law:** This agreement shall be governed by and be construed according to the laws of the State of Alabama.

**Attorney's Fees:** Team agrees that if any legal action is taken to enforce any of the above regulations the prevailing party shall be entitled to reimbursement of reasonable attorney's fees.



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