

# 2019 Lu-Kang Dragon Boat Festival Celebration Series

## Rules for International Dragon Boat Race

- I. Purpose : To develop “Sports for All”, fostering teamwork, traditional folklore as well as social harmony.
- II. Supervisors: Sports Administration of Ministry of Education & Tourism Bureau of Ministry of Transportation and Communications.
- III. Organizers: Changhua County Government, Lukang Township Office & Fusing Township Office.
- IV. Sponsor: Dragon Boat Races Branch of Changhua County Sports Committee.
- V. Co-organizers: Changhua County Council, Changhua County Sports Committee, Lukang Township Council, Fusing Township Council, Changhua County Police Department , Changhua County Fire Department, Lukang Police Station, Industrial Development Bureau of Ministry of Economic Affairs, Tai-Power Company, Lukang Township Sports Committee, Battalion 41 of Coast Guard Administration, Chen-Show-Chin Foundation, Management Committee of Tei-Ho Temple, Management Committee of Long-San Temple, Acer Inc., Show-Chwan Memorial Hospital, Po-Chen Group, DEPO AUTO PARTS IND. CO. LTD, IBL Pharmaceutical Co., Lukang Town God Temple, Lukang Farmers' Association, Fuhsing Farmers' Association, Changhua County Fishing Association, Fusing Junior High School, Lukang Junior High School, Guanyu Elementary School, Wenchang Elementary School, Luojin Elementary School, Sishih Elementary School, Dingfan Elementary School and Wenkai Elementary School.
- VI. Date: June 5 (Wednesday) ~ June 7 (Friday), 2019.
- VII. Time: 13:00~20:30 (some finals will be live broadcast).
- VIII. Place: FuLu Stream.
- IX. Types of Teams: Traditional Dragon Boat.

No.	Team	No.	Team
1	Male Social Group	2	Mixed Social Group
3	International Group	4	Government Group A
5	Government Group B	6	Male Junior High School Group
7	Female Junior High School Group	8	Labor Union Group

Notes: Registered groups will be cancelled if less than six teams; but could be incorporated into social group.

- X. Qualification: Government organizations, societies, schools, people and students are qualified to

join.

1. Male Social Group: Over-12-year-old citizens or foreigners.
2. Mixed Social Group: Over-12-year-old citizens or foreigners ( A minimum of eight female paddlers required).
3. International Group: Domestic or foreign college students, international students & foreigners  
( A minimum of seven foreign, including Mainland China, paddlers required).
4. Government Group:
  - A. Organizations of the military, official, education, police, fire department, including personnel, contracted personnel (over a month in job), part-time personnel (over a month in job) & secondment of personnel (over a month in job).
  - B. Teachers, staff members, military instructors, substitute teachers & intern teachers from  
each public or private school, or combined with other schools.
  - C. Military instructors from different schools, combined into one team.
  - D. Government Group A:
    - a. The top four teams for 2018 Race.
    - b. Cross-town governments combined into a team.
    - c. Inter-school team.
    - d. Changhua County Government office-combined team (including personnel and finance officials of schools).
    - e. Government Group B Champion for Race 2018.
    - f. Government Group B teams willingly attend.
  - E. Government Group B:
    - a. Government group A team which is beyond top 8 for two consecutive years.
    - b. Non cross-town Government team (exclusive of Changhua County Government offices).
    - c. Non inter-school team.
    - d. Changhua County Government single office team.
  - F. Team qualified to both Government A and Government B, should register Government A, whereas Changhua County Government team, subjective to condition E a., could register Government A or Government B.

G. Government group A champion team for two consecutive years should register Social Group.

5. Male Junior High School Group: Enrolled students (non night-shift). A school a team or inter-school team approved by Department of Education.
6. Female Junior High School Group: Enrolled students (non night-shift). A school a team or inter-school team approved by Department of Education.
7. Labor Union Group: factory, company, labor union or labor society. A unit a team.
8. Each team should prepare required team player's identity document as follows to offer when

the opposite team call in question. The player without offering identity document is prohibited to attend the race.

- A. For Male Social Group, Mixed Social Group and locals of International Group, either ID card, driver license or Health Insurance card, with photo and birth date attached, is required.
- B. For foreigners, passport is required.
- C. For Government Group A & B, service certificate is required.
- D. For Male & Female Junior High School Group, certificate of enrollment is required.
- E. Labor Union Group, either certificate of Labor Insurance or certificate of salary is required.

#### XI. Participants:

Male Social Group, Mixed Social Group, International Group, Government Group A, Government Group B, Male Junior High School Group, Female Junior High School Group & Labor Union Group.

Members on the boat for racing	flag-picker	drummer	paddler	helmsman (self-prepared or supplied by the committee)
	1	1	16	1

①Registration members : one leader, coach, manager, helmsman & 22 players.

②Players include captain, flag-picker, drummer, paddler and stand-bys.

XII. Competition System: Depending on number of teams, decided by the committee.

#### XIII. Enrollment:

1. Date: From March 28 (Thursday) to May 3 (Friday), 2019.
2. Go to website <http://ws.hsjh.chc.edu.tw/yes/108boat/> to register.
  - A. For any questions about enrollment, please contact Mr. Wu Guan-Hue with Guanyu Elementary School (04-7702949 ext. 12).
  - B. For any questions about racing rules, please contact Mr. Pai Show-Bao with Guanyu

Elementary School (04-7702949 ext. 14).

3. After finishing the enrollment, please print members registration list, members' photos checklist, Agreement ( Junior High School Certificate of Enrollment ) , Listing of features, above two copies respectively. One copy should be sent to No.100 Section 3, Yenhai Rd., Fuhsing Township, Changhua County, Guanyu Elementary School, and the other copy should be kept personally.
4. For Player's ID, please submit your 2-inch-size mug shot (photo form.jpg) through the internet. For any questions, please contact Mr. Wu Guan-Hue with Guanyu Elementary School (04-7702949 ext. 12).
5. Any ID forgery is subjected to the cancellation of the player's membership.
6. After registering, the player's listing change is not allowed.
7. Members registration list, members' photos checklist, Agreement, Listing of features should be sent via registered mail prior to May 9 (Thursday), 2019 to No.100 Section 3, Yenhai Rd., Fusing Township, Changhua County, Guanyu Elementary School,  
Mr. Wu Guan-Hue.

XIV.Enrollment Place: No.100 Section 3, Yenhai Rd., Fusing Township, Changhua County (Guanyu Elementary School, Tel: 04-7702949 ext. 12). Website for enrollment application forms: <http://ws.hsjh.chc.edu.tw/yes/108boat/>.

XV. Date of drawing lots: May 10 (Friday), 2019 at 2:00 PM at the library of Guanyu Elementary School. Those absent from the lots drawing will be acted by the committee. The committee will combine teams for the inadequate participant groups.

XVI.Leaders' meeting: at 9:30 AM on May 30 (Thursday), 2019.

Judges' meeting: at 2:00 PM on May 30 (Thursday), 2019.

Both meetings are held at the library of Guanyu Elementary School.

XVII.Practice before the race:

1. The committee will prepare the dragon boats, paddles, helmsmans, drum sets along with life-coats for practice (life coats should be put on for practice).
2. Date for practice: Starting May 21 (Tuesday) through June 3 (Monday), 2019.  
Periods: (1) 08:00-10:00 (2) 10:00-11:30  
(3) 14:00-15:30 (4) 15:30-17:00

Please call for reservation: either Ms. Chang Ya-May or Mr. Yang Chu-An with Fusing Junior High School (Tel: 04-7772009 Chang, ext. 1300; Yang, ext. 1320).

3. Enrolled practice teams are required to warm up 30 minutes before practice. Don't be late in order not to delay the next session.
4. For Male Junior High School Group & Female Junior High School Group practice, Group leaders are requested to watch out on the boat or on the pier and maintain order. Any team

violating the practice rule will be prohibited practicing and reported to Department of Education.

5. Times of practice: not over five times. Absent from the registered practice without reporting in advance is subjected to the cancellation of all the other registered practice period. Please call: Mr. Yang Chu-An with Fusing Junior High School (Tel: 04-7772009 ext. 1320) for being absent from the practice.

#### XVIII. Rules for race:

- A. Race distance is 300 meters, with snatching the flag.
- B. Water channel is decided by lot drawing, the least time will be the winner. The final game should play at two rounds with two channels respectively and the least time for both races will be the champion.
- C. Channel decision of the final game:
  - a. First round: Based upon the prior games, the sequence of final teams for channel deciding is first-place team of superiority section, second-place team of superiority section, first-place team of inferiority section, and second-place team of inferiority section.
  - b. Second round: In case of four final teams, first-place team changes the channel with second-place team, and third-place team changes the channel with fourth-place team. In case of three final teams, first-place team changes the channel with second-place team, and third-place team changes the channel with the vacant channel being prepared for fourth-place team.
- D. 30 minutes before the race, each team should take paddling chart and player's name card to Registration, and players go to Registration to show their appearance. Those players who go to Registration later than 10 minutes, will be defined as fail and cannot attend any race afterwards.
- E. Racing teams should be in position according to paddling chart.
- F. Those who jump the gun are subjected for the warning for the first time. The second time will be judged as being failed.
- G. Before the judge's gun firing, paddlers should not let paddles in the water.
- H. For flag snatching, the snatcher's body has to stay within the boat. Other paddlers are entitled to snatch the flag in case the snatcher failed. Drummer and helmsman are not supposed for that action.
- I. Those who are rowing off the water channel are judged as being failed.
- J. Any player falling off the water should be rescued by the team instantly and is subject to cancelation, judged as being failed.
- K. Helmsmans are not supposed to assist with the paddling, nor with the flag snatching. Such action is subject to cancelation, judged as being failed. Paddlers' gender is not regulated.

- L. Whistles or other sounding materials are not allowed, those who offended the rule will be subject to cancelation and judged as being failed.
- M. All the necessary stuff such as drum sets, life coats, paddles, helmsmen are provided by the committee without any personal bringing. Any violation is subject to failure after authentication.
- N. Race cycle, under the same wins and losses.
- a. If the accumulated number of wins is the same for both teams, the winning team will be judged as the winner.
  - b. If the accumulated number of wins is the same for three teams or above, the winner will be decided by the accumulated time period of all games. The least time period will be judged as the winner.
- O. Late registration for race is subject to cancellation of its qualification. The registered team will be directly the winner over the other team without registering.
- P. Racing teams are suggested to provide helmsmen by themselves. The committee will help provide helmsmen. However, the committee is not responsible for any mistake by the helmsman, nor with any disagreement with the result of the race.
- Q. In case written rules are not provided, disagreement is subject to judges.
- R. Disagreement should be presented within 30 minutes after announcement of the result. A 6,000 NTS is required for the proposal. The fund will be returned to the winning team, otherwise it stays with the committee.
- S. Disagreement will be handed to the judge committee subject to final judge as the winner within an hour.
- T. Protest of player qualification should be presented before the race.
- U. Players are not supposed to double enrollment, if so, they can only play one race.
- V Group leaders, coaches, managers and helmsmen cannot play the game without registering.
- W. Drummers and flag snatchers shouldn't be the same player and have to be in the position. All the paddlers are in sitting position to row the boat.
- X. Nine pairs of paddles are specified as the dragon boat race. If the paddlers are sixteen, the first paddle should be vacant.
- Y. The minimum number of players must not be less than fifteen, including one snatcher, one drummer, one helmsman and twelve paddlers. Otherwise it will be judged as failure.
- Z. Inspection of the paddles and supplies should be executed to make sure there is no damage before the race. Displacement is required immediately if there is any damage. Race has to be continued during the race if there is any broken or dropping of the paddles. The performance will be recorded as the result without any permission for re-race.
- ZA In racing, any player violates sportsmanship, such as: unwilling to paddle, paddling

backward, unwilling to paddle to other players' pace, paddling and playing around, paddling and photoing, paddling and quarreling, drumming at drummer's own will, paddling at his/her will, unwilling to cooperate...etc, will be cancelled with qualification. Winning team under such conditions also will be cancelled.

ZB. The final game is held in two rounds. The team which offended the regulation and was judged failure in the first-round game cannot attend the second-round game.

ZC. Both teams in the race are judged as failure, the way to deciding the winner is lot drawing.

ZD. Racing teams should be subject to registered time when practicing. The team not following the rule, the first time is given advice, and the second time is cancelled the racing qualification.

XIX. Award: The win team will be awarded with money, cups, plates and prize. The junior high school win teams will be awarded with certificate additionally .

**Listing of award for Lu-Kang 2019 Dragon Boat Festival Race (unit: NTD 10,000 )**

	1 <sup>st</sup> place	2 <sup>nd</sup> place	3 <sup>rd</sup> place	4 <sup>th</sup> place	5 <sup>th</sup> place	6 <sup>th</sup> place	7 <sup>th</sup> place	8 <sup>th</sup> place	Remarks
<b>30 teams↑</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>34.5</b>
<b>20-29 teams</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>			<b>33</b>
<b>12-19 teams</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>					<b>20</b>
<b>6-11 teams</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>						<b>12</b>
<b>5 teams↓</b>	<b>0</b>								<b>0</b>

Note: Award is based on the number of attendance. Award is not given to if less than six teams.

XX. Attachment:

1. Those who are not available for intense exercise, do not enroll, otherwise he/she is responsible for any accident.
2. Field insurance is provided for this dragon boat race.
3. Please fill up the application form for insurance policy along with related items.
4. To encourage team spirit, enhance racing climax along with broadcasting, cheer leaders are suggested without any regular form such as bands, drums, banner teams based on safe rule without interrupting the race. Each team is supposed to hand in feature report for live TV coverage by the committee.
5. Transportation, meals along and costumes are supposed to be provided by the joining teams themselves.
6. Staffs, players of the racing teams should follow the rules of safety following the instructions of the committee trainers as well as safe guards.
7. Racing teams are responsible for any damage or losing of the dragon boat and accessory

equipment during rehearsals and races.

8. Costumes are supposed to be uniformed. Upper-body naked players are prohibited.
9. Any violation of orders is subject to report to relative units for disposal.
10. The committee will announce to take the rain check in case of bad weather authenticated by the fire department.
11. You may request helmsman to the committee.
12. After reaching the goals, please row back to the starting point from the side channel.
13. Slow down the speed for the returning boats without interrupting the racing boats.
14. Each dragon boat should be measured the same weight (shortage of weight should be made up with sand sacks to equal weight).
15. For privacy of personal information, the enrollment information is only for reference for the committee.
16. The record of the competition is entered into the credibility account of performance for junior high schools, but will be not adopted for 106 school year.

XXI. Amendment will be provided by this committee in case of the missing entries.



# **Agreement for Social Group** < attachment 1 >

This is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ team for members of the 2017 dragon boat race are over twelve years old. Any forgery is subject to cancellation of the membership by the committee.

To

## **Dragon Boat Races Branch of Changhua County Sports Committee**

**Name of Team :**

**Person in Charge :** (personal seal)

**Executed by :** (personal seal)

**Telephone number :**

**Address :**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Agreement for Government Group A < attachment 2 >

This is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ team for members of the 2017 dragon boat race are indentified (Check √)

- Teachers, staff members, military instructors, substitute teachers and intern teachers from public or private schools.
- Organizations of the military, official, education, police, fire department, including personnel, contracted personnel (over a month in job), part-time personnel (over a month in job) & secondment of personnel (over a month in job).

Qualification (Check √)

- Be qualified for Government Group A on the conditions of the Rules.

Any forgery is subject to cancellation of the membership by the committee.

To

## Dragon Boat Races Branch of Changhua County Sports Committee

**Name of Team :**

**Person in Charge :**

**(personal seal)**

**Executed by :**

**(personal seal)**

**Telephone number :**

**Address :**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Agreement for Government Group B < attachment 3 >

This is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ team for members of the 2017 dragon boat race are identified (Check √)

Teachers, staff members, military instructors, substitute teachers and intern teachers from public or private schools.

Organizations of the military, official, education, police, fire department, including personnel, contracted personnel (over a month in job), part-time personnel (over a month in job) & secondment of personnel (over a month in job).

Qualification (Check √)

Be qualified for Government Group B on the conditions of the Rules

Any forgery is subject to cancellation of the membership by the committee.

To

## Dragon Boat Races Branch of Changhua County Sports Committee

**Name of Team :**

**Person in Charge :** (personal seal)

**Executed by :** (personal seal)

**Telephone number :**

**Address :**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# **Agreement for International Group** < attachment 4 >

This is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ team for members of the 2017 dragon boat race is at least composed of seven foreigners. Any forgery is subject to cancellation of the membership by the committee.

To

## **Dragon Boat Races Branch of Changhua County Sports Committee**

**Name of Team :**

**Person in Charge :**

**(personal seal)**

**Executed by :**

**(personal seal)**

**Telephone number :**

**Address :**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Student ID for 2019 Lu-Kang International Dragon Boat Race

< attachment 5 >

Participating Group : Male Junior high school    Female Junior high school    Name of School :

Numbe	1	2	3	4	5
Photo					
Name					
Numbe	6	7	8	9	10
Photo					
Name					
Numbe	11	12	13	14	15
Photo					
Name					
Numbe	16	17	18	19	20
Photo					
Name					

Enrollment :

Coach :

Principal :

# **Agreement for Labor Union Group** < attachment 6 >

This is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ team for members of the 2017 dragon boat race are employees of factory, company, labor union, labor society. Any forgery is subject to cancellation of the membership by the committee.

To

## **Dragon Boat Races Branch of Changhua County Sports Committee**

**Name of Team :**

**Person in Charge :**

**(personal seal)**

**Executed by :**

**(personal seal)**

**Telephone number :**

**Address :**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

< attachment 7 >

## Listing of features for 2019 Lu-Kang International Dragon Boat Race

Team Name			
Leader		Unit	
Introduction of School/Company			
History of Team			
Team's Features			

Note: This listing of features will be announced by the committee before competition. Please fill it out and mail prior to May 23 to Guanyu Elementary School, Mr. Wu Guan-Hue, [wkhpower2@gmail.com](mailto:wkhpower2@gmail.com) , 04-7702949 ext.12.