

Calgary Dragon Boat Race & Festival

Sponsorship Package 2023















The Calgary Dragon Boat Society is pleased to bring back the Calgary Dragon Boat Race & Festival. The Society offers an opportunity to support the community during the Dragon Boat Season through the wide variety of Sponsorship levels. Each opportunity is designed to offer a maximum benefit for your donation during the entire season which includes:

May to September – Dragon Boat Practice Season June 14 – Dragon Boat Festival Celebration Banquet August 11,12,13, – Calgary Dragon Boat Race & Festival

The **Dragon Boat Practices** are scheduled to begin on May 1st and end on September 30th (weather permitting). Practices are held on evenings from Monday to Friday, and all-day Saturday and Sunday, with five boats available each day. During the practice season, +1000 athletes are out and about paddling getting ready for the festival.

Through Dragon Boat Practices are a great way for participants to experience the sport and truly gain an appreciation of what it means to "pull-together".

For organizations, this is an opportunity to try dragon boating in a fun and exciting environment. Coaches and Steers people are available to help new teams.

A **Banquet Celebration on June 14th, 2023,** will celebrate the Duanwu Festival, also known as Dragon Boat Festival and is traditionally celebrated on the 5th day of the 5th month on the Chinese lunar calendar or June 22nd, 2023, according to the Gregorian calendar. Duanwu Festival has a long history in China, originating over thousands of years ago. This banquet is expected to serve volunteers, sponsors, dignitaries and honoured guests to a traditional Chinese 10 course meal and cultural learning experience.

The **Calgary Dragon Boat Race & Festival** held in August is expected to draw over +1250 registered paddlers over the two days from across Western Canada. Along with the competitors, it is expected that over 4000 spectators including volunteers, officials, sponsors, dignitaries, and honoured guests will also attend the event.

The Calgary Dragon Boat Society is looking forward to working with you to make our partnership a success, and ensuring your investment and sponsorship is maximised.

For more information or inquiries about sponsorship. Danny Ng, info@calgarydragonboatsociety.com

Sponsorship Categories and Benefits	Title	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Community	Media
Sponsorship Investment (Cash Contribution)	\$20,000	\$8,000	\$4,000	\$2,000	\$500	
Sponsorship "In-Kind" Contribution Value	\$60,000	\$20,000	\$10,000			>\$8000
Opportunities Available	1	5	8	10	8	
Media Profile						
Acknowledgement as Title Sponsor on all Media Ads	\checkmark					
Acknowledgement as Sponsor on Print Ads	\checkmark	\checkmark				
First Right of Refusal for future event	\checkmark	\checkmark				
Special Acknowledgement of your significant contribution to community		\checkmark				
Marketing Opportunity for Sponsor to provide profile for Website and Social Media		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark		
Acknowledgement as Sponsor on Website and Social Media		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark		
Dragon Boat Festival Banquet	J					
Complimentary tickets at VIP Table	4	2	2			
Complimentary tickets at a table in preferred seating area	20	10	6	4	2	2
Poduim Role at Banquet Opening & Closing Remarks						
Ability to provide dinner guests with marketing materials		\checkmark	\checkmark			
Logo on dinner program, tickets & poster			\checkmark	\checkmark		
Acknowledgement at Opening and Closing Remarks		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark		
Dragon Boat Race & Festival (3 days)						
Complimentary Team Registration Race	1					
Complimentary Tickets to VIP Viewing Area	40	20	10	6	4	4
Complimentary VIP Parking Passes	2	1				1
The right to tie-in special promotions during festival event	\checkmark					
Poduim Role at Race & Festival Event	\checkmark					
Race Cup engraved with your Company Name and opportunity to present to race winners.	\checkmark					
Opportunity to supply product or literature in Team Registration Kits	\checkmark	\checkmark				
Opportunity to setup display at Promo Tent	\checkmark	\checkmark				\checkmark
Logo on Festival Event Poster		\checkmark	\checkmark			\checkmark
Banner Placement at VIP Clubhouse Area	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark		\checkmark
Banner Placement Festival Tent Area	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Event day acknowledgement from opening to closing remarks	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	

Sponsorship Agreement



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Cash In-Kind	Title \$20,000 \$60,000	Gold \$8,000 \$20,000	Silver \$4,000 \$10,000	Bronze \$2,000	Community \$500	Media >\$8000		
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