



Saturday, May 16, 2026

Thea's Park, Foss Waterway

535 Dock Street East

Tacoma, WA 98421

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Team Registration Packet

Paddles Up!

Rainier Dragon Boat Festival

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Tacoma Dragon Boat Association

Hello Paddlers!

The **Tacoma Dragon Boat Association** (TDBA) is pleased to present the annual Rainier Dragon Boat Festival. This annual regatta has become one of the premier competitive dragon boat events in the Pacific Northwest.

TDBA invites competitive and corporate/community teams to join us. The racecourse is **300 meters**, and the race venue is located at Thea's Park on the Foss Waterway in beautiful downtown Tacoma, Washington.

Each team will be given one parking pass for the parking lot located at the venue (535 Dock St E) to help with the unloading of team equipment. After you have registered your team (s), please send the name of person and team to tacomadragonboat.org. Their name will be added on the list at the parking lot.

IMPORTANT: Register to race at tacomadragonboat.org. Payment must be received by TDBA by April 30, 2026, in order to complete your registration.

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1. Visit our webpage at tacomadragonboat.org to complete the team registration via Eventbrite.
2. If you are having problems registering online, please email shielamarsh@gmail.com

Entry Fees: \$650 Adult Team

A \$75 fee will be charged for all cancellations prior to April 30, 2026. Fees are non-refundable after April 30, 2026.

Divisions: Mixed, Women, Cancer Survivors, Corporate/Community (A *minimum of three teams will be needed to create a division.*)

- Mixed teams will consist of 20 paddlers (a minimum of 10 female paddlers), 1 caller, 1 steersperson, and 1-4 alternates. Callers and steers will be provided, if needed, for corporate and community teams.
- Mixed teams must have at least half of the crew comprised of women
- Team paddlers must be 14 years old or older.

For questions about registration please contact Shiela Marsh

- 253-677-0303
- shielamarsh@gmail.com

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Must be submitted no later than April 30, 2026

The following questions are asked during the online registration process.

Register online at tacomadragonboat.org

Team Name:	
Team Manager / Contact Name:	
Email:	Telephone:
Mailing Address:	
Team Manager's Signature:	
Indicate Your Division: Mixed, Women's, Cancer Survivors and Corporate/Community.	
Team Profile: Please provide a brief description of your team including team name for the Festival Announcers (maximum 100 words).	