



THE OFFICIAL 2024 CAMBRIDGE

DRAGON BOAT FESTIVAL IN AID OF ADDENBROOKE'S CHARITABLE TRUST

DATE

SATURDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER

LOCATION

FEN DITTON, CAMBRIDGE

ENTRY FORM AVAILABLE OVERLEAF & ONLINE

FUN, MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE FAMILY

WWW.DRAGONBOATEVENTS.CO.UK
01536 674 748



JOIN US FOR THE 18TH YEAR!

HELP CHANGE THE STORY OF CANCER FOR PATIENTS NOW AND IN THE FUTURE

NO PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

PERFECT FOR TEAM BUILDING

DON'T MISS OUT! ENTER YOUR TEAM TODAY!



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Addenbrooke's Charitable Trust
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Dragon Boat Racing and the Festival

Dragon boat racing is the fastest growing water activity in Britain today – as well as the most fun! Up to 10 people paddle each 30' boat with a drummer at the front beating time and our helm at the tail steering a straight course. No previous experience is required, just plenty of team spirit! The 18th Cambridge Dragon Boat Festival takes place on Saturday 7th September 2024 on the River Cam at Fen Ditton and more than 40 teams are expected to compete over the 200m race course, watched by several hundred spectators. The Ditton Meadows location offers a superb venue and, as well as the exciting races, a range of bankside entertainment, food stalls and fun activities guarantee a fabulous day out for all the family!

Addenbrooke's Charitable Trust and the Cambridge Cancer Research Hospital

Addenbrooke's Charitable Trust (ACT) is the charity for Addenbrooke's and the Rosie hospitals. We fund life-changing research, cutting edge technology, specialist staff, those extra comforts for patients above and beyond what the NHS provides, as well as new buildings and facilities.

Our aim is to improve care for patients today at Addenbrooke's, and for generations to come with new hospitals like the Cambridge Cancer Research Hospital.

Your fundraising will help to change the story of cancer. The breakthroughs and innovations we deliver will change the way we detect and treat cancer far beyond the new hospital, bringing hope to millions of people. To learn more:

Visit: www.helpyourhospital.co.uk

Call: 01223 217757

Email: fundraising@act4addenbrookes.org.uk



About NewWave Events

NewWave Events has years of experience in corporate event management and offers a full portfolio of indoor and outdoor activities for motivation, team building and fun! Ranging from CSI to creative challenges, it's a knockouts to treasure hunts and race nights to murder mysteries and Christmas parties. Any questions? 01536 674 748 www.newwave-events.co.uk or www.dragonboatevents.co.uk

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How to enter & pay (closing date Friday 23rd August 2024)

Please complete, sign and return the entry form below, together with the appropriate entry fee shown in brackets to NWave Events Ltd, Nene Valley Business Park, Unit 5 The Old Quarry, Oundle, Peterborough PE8 4HN or scan PDF and send to dragonboatevents@newwave-events.co.uk

Cheques to NWave Events Ltd, Nene Valley Business Park, Unit 5 The Old Quarry, Oundle, Peterborough PE8 4HN

Card 2% transaction fee applies - Call 01536 674 748 (powered by Stripe)

BACS invoiced when entry form received

Entry levels

Standard - £700 + vat (£840)

- Dragon boats, qualified helms and all racing equipment
- At least 3 races per crew
- Music and entertainment
- Trophies for the top three crews, the best-placed mixed crew (minimum 5 ladies), the crew raising the most money for ACT and the 'best dressed' crew
- Medals for the top three crews
- Special prize of a Punting Tour along the River Cam courtesy of Let's Go Punting for the crew raising the most money for ACT
- All full-resolution photographs from the day available digitally

Entry Details

Crews

Crews comprise of up to 10 paddlers plus a drummer – squads may be larger (max 15 persons). Crews can be mixed, all female or all male and organisations may enter more than one crew. The minimum age is 16 and no previous experience is required. All crew members must be confident in cold water conditions, wearing light clothing and in moving water and compete entirely at their own risk. BDA qualified helms, buoyancy aids and water safety cover are provided by the organisers.

Entries

Entries will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. No refunds will be given once an entry has been accepted and there can be no refund if the Festival or racing has to be cancelled due to conditions outside the control of NewWave Events.

Rules

All crews accepted for entry must abide with the competition rules and entry details on this form. Each crew is guaranteed a minimum of 3 races (subject to conditions).

Charity Sponsorship

All crews are encouraged to raise money for the Festival charity ACT using the on-line giving information and/or sponsor forms provided. All the fees from standard entries go towards the costs of running the event. ACT benefits only from sponsorship money raised, or from gold and silver entries.

Top Fundraisers' Prize

The team raising the most money for ACT will be awarded the charity trophy and receive the special prize of a Punting Tour along the River Cam courtesy of Let's Go Punting. Your guide will treat you to a private punting tour of the beautiful College Backs between Magdalene College and Silver Street Bridge. For more information visit: letsgopunting.co.uk

Crew Gazebos

3m x 3m crew gazebos with 12 chairs - £220 + vat (visit our website or scan QR code)

Online Souvenir Programme & Live Results Portal

Raise your profile by advertising in our online souvenir programme (visit our website or scan QR).

Photography

All photographs from the day will be available to view and download for free in full-resolution after the event on dragonboatevents.co.uk/cambridge-dragon-boat-festival/

[#cambridgedragonboatfestival](https://twitter.com/cambridgedragonboatfestival)

Alternatively scan the QR code or visit

dragonboatevents.co.uk/cambridge-dragon-boat-festival/

to ENTER via our ONLINE booking system - It's quick and simple!



What's next?

Following receipt of your completed entry form and correct fee, we will send confirmation of your entry. A crew managers information pack with a full set of competition rules will follow approximately one month prior to event.

Silver - £1,260 + vat plus £500 donation to ACT (£2,012)

Standard entry plus £500 donation to ACT, company logo on each side of one dragon boat, acknowledgment on the Festival website, online souvenir programme and commentary

Gold - £1,720 + vat plus £750 donation to ACT (£2,814)

Silver entry plus an additional £250 donation to ACT (£750 total), crew gazebo with chairs and full page advert in our online souvenir programme

CAMBRIDGE ENTRY FORM

ENTRY LEVEL GOLD SILVER STANDARD

CREW NAME
(max 30 letters)

COMPANY

ADDRESS &
POSTCODE

PAYMENT BACS CARD CHEQUE

CREW MANAGER

TEL (day)

EMAIL

We agree to abide by the festivals rules and entry conditions above. As crew manager I certify that all crew members are water confident and fit to race. I hereby release NewWave Events, the festival supporters and charity including their agents, officials and volunteers for any injury or loss caused through our participation. We compete entirely at our own risk. I also agree that NewWave Events and its festival partners can use my details given here to provide further information on this event and related services by phone, post or email.

SIGNED
(crew manager)