



2009 CHICAGO DRAGON BOAT RACE FOR LITERACY

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Ping Tom Memorial Park, 300 West 19th Street

Saturday 25th July | 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



2009 TEAM ATHLETIC WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY FORM

Each team member listed on the Team Roster is required to complete and return this form by Monday 20th July, in order to qualify to participate in the dragon boat race tournament at the 2009 Chicago Dragon Boat Race for Literacy. Team Captains are responsible for submitting a Team Roster by Monday 20th July.

All forms should be sent to **Ms. Man-Men Lee, Associate Director, Chicago Chinatown Chamber of Commerce, 2169B South China Place, Chicago, IL 60616.**

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the *Chicago Chinatown Chamber of Commerce* and *A.D.B.A. (American Dragon Boat Association)* dragon boat / paddling program and related events and activities, the undersigned:

1. Agrees that prior to participating, I will inspect the facilities and equipment to be used, and if I believe anything to be unsafe, I will immediately advise my Team Captain or the Chief Dragon Boat Activity Organizer of such condition(s) and refuse to participate.
2. Acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in activities that involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death, and severe social and economic loss which might result not only from actions, inactions, and negligence of others, the rules of play, or the condition of the premises or of any equipment being used. Further, that there may be other risks not known to me or reasonably foreseeable at this time.
3. Assume all the forgoing risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability, or death.
4. Release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the *Chicago Chinatown Chamber of Commerce, A.D.B.A.*, its affiliate dragon boat clubs and / or committees and organizers, and coaches, trainers, sternsman, and other employees of the organization, other participants, sponsoring agencies, advisors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners of and lesser of premises used to conduct the event, all of which are hereinafter referred to as the "releases" from any liability to the undersigned, his or her heirs and next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses, or damages on account of injury, including death or damage to property caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of these releases or otherwise.
5. Agree to wear an approved life jacket fastened at all times while in the boat, to assume all responsibility for informing myself of all safety rules, and to abide by all such rules related to this activity.
6. **I have read this release**, and understand this waiver to be in effect for any and all activities related to the *Chicago Chinatown Chamber of Commerce, A.D.B.A.*, the dragon boat / paddling, and any and all related events.

PRINT CLEARLY

Your Name	Date of Birth	Drivers License # / State ID # <i>(circle whichever applies)</i>
Contact Person / Team Captain Name <i>(circle whichever applies)</i>	Team Name	
Organization or Company Name	Sponsor Name	
Mailing Address		
Tel. #: Mobile, Work, Home <i>(circle whichever applies)</i>	Fax #	Email

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____