



DRAGON BOAT CANADA
BATEAU-DRAGON CANADA

DBC Youth Racing Committee - Terms of Reference

Name

The Youth Racing Committee (YRC) shall be a duly constituted committee and shall operate at the pleasure of the Dragon Boat Canada/Bateau-Dragon Canada (DBC) board of directors (the board).

Core Objective

To create and foster Dragon Boat awareness, development and racing opportunities for Canadian youth (including, but not limited to University Division, 24 and Under Division and Junior Division).

Function

The YRC shall provide leadership and direction to the Executive Director in the development and implementation of programs and services for all Youth and Student Racing programs.

The YRC shall, through DBC, support the International Dragon Boat Federation's (IDBF) Youth and Student (aged) programs domestically and internationally.

Accountability

The Chair of the YRC will be appointed by the Board of Directors of DBC, this may be upon recommendation of the YRC. The Chair may be a member of the Board of Directors of DBC and The Board of Directors is vested with final authority in all areas of DBC Youth programming.

Structure

The YRC shall consist of:

- Committee Chair (appointed by the DBC Board of Directors)
- Board Representative (appointed by the DBC Board of Directors)
- 1 Representative from each Region appointed by the Board of Directors; this may be upon recommendation of the YRC. Applications for these positions will be sought by DBC
- 1 Athlete Representative appointed by the Board of Directors; this may be upon recommendation of the SRC. Applications for these positions will be sought by DBC. The individual will at the start of their term be between the ages of 18 and 24 or enrolled full time in University or College program.

The term of the committee shall be one year; the committee will be formed following DBC Annual Meeting and carry through to the completion of the following DBC Annual Meeting. The board will determine the composition of the committee at the DBC Board meeting that follows the DBC Annual Meeting.

The Board Representative may act as the Chair of the Committee

Operation

Responsibilities:

- The YRC shall provide recommendation to the Board of Directors in the development and implementation of programs for Junior, 24 and Under and University and College athletes and participants.
- The YRC shall annually review all YRC programs

Reporting

The YRC shall convene at regular monthly intervals as determined by the Chair. The YRC shall convene at any time and place as determined by the YRC Chair as approved by the DBC Board of Directors.