

Vancouver Lake Aquatic Center

JUNIOR DRAGON BOAT PROGRAM



Saturdays at 10:30 AM—11:30 AM

September dates: September 3, 17, 24 (no meeting 9/10)

For students grades 7—12, parents welcome too!

Youth participants must have a waiver signed by a parent (see p. 2)

Cost is just \$5 per session

**Vancouver Lake Aquatic Center/Vancouver Lake Crew
8612 NW Erwin O Rieger Memorial Highway**

Directions from I-5:

Follow Fourth Plain or Mill Plain Blvd. west

Continue onto Lower River Road

Follow it north until road curves left to Frenchman's Bar

Continue straight, we are just before entrance to Vancouver Lake Park

Questions? Email Dani Ramirez, VLACdragonboater@gmail.com

This program is NOT sponsored by the Vancouver School District.



VANCOUVER LAKE AQUATIC CENTER

Waiver and Release of Liability

DBA Vancouver Lake Crew (360)241-6522

Home of all types of water sports – rowing, kayak, canoe, dragon boat, stand up paddle board, outrigger canoe -

NAME OF PARTICIPANT: _____ DATE: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____ ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

In consideration of being given the opportunity to participate in any rowing or paddle sport activity, including scheduled, supervised club activities, and regattas, I, for myself, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin.

1. I ACKNOWLEDGE, agree and represent that I understand the nature of rowing and water sport Activities; both on water and land based, and that I am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such Activity.
2. I FULLY UNDERSTAND that: (a) WATER SPORTS INVOLVE RISKS AND DANGERS of serious bodily injury, including permanent disability, paralysis and death (“Risks”); (b) these Risks and dangers may be caused by my own actions, or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Activity, the condition in which the Activity takes place, or the negligence of the Releasee named below; (c) there may be other risks and social and economic losses either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time; and I FULLY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS AND ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSSES, COSTS AND DAMAGES I incur as a result of my participation in the Activity.
3. I AGREE AND WARRANT that I will examine and inspect each Activity in which I take part as a member of the VANCOUVER LAKE AQUATIC CENTER and that, if I observe any condition which I consider to be unacceptably hazardous or dangerous, I will notify the proper authority in charge of the Activity and will refuse to take part in the Activity until the condition has been corrected to my satisfaction.
4. I HEREBY RELEASE, discharge, and covenant not to sue VANCOUVER LAKE AQUATIC CENTER, VANCOUVER LAKE CREW, the coaches, members of the board, the Regatta, their administrators, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, and employees, other participating regatta organizers, any sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises, on which the Activity takes place, (each considered one of the Releasees herein) from the liability, claims, demands, losses or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasee or otherwise, including negligent rescue operations; and I further agree that if, despite this release and waiver of liability, assumption of risk, and indemnity agreement, I, or anyone on my behalf, makes a claim against any of the Releasees, I WILL INDEMNIFY, SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS each of the Releasees from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as a result of such claim, to the fullest extent permitted by law.
5. I AGREE the Release further indemnifies, saves and holds harmless VANCOUVER LAKE AQUATIC CENTER, whether supervised or not, rowing or paddling related or not, that the club may endeavor to pursue that I may be a participant, whether active or not.
6. I AGREE TO ABIDE by VANCOUVER LAKE AQUATIC CENTER policies and agree to comply with all instructions of the coach or staff in connection with participation in the Activity, and failure to follow such directions shall be grounds for termination of my privilege to participate in the Activity with reimbursement or cancellation of fees paid or owed. I understand that the use or possession of drugs or alcohol is strictly prohibited before and during the Activity and will be grounds for immediate removal from the Activity without reimbursement of fees paid or owed.
7. If I, as the parent, bring my minor child to the club, I understand the nature of paddle sports and related activities and the minor’s experience and capabilities and believe the minor to be qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such activity. I hereby release, discharge, covenant not to sue, and agree to indemnify and save and hold harmless each of the Releasees from all liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages on the minor’s account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the “Releasees” or otherwise, including negligent rescue operations and further agree that if, despite this release, I, the minor, or anyone on the minor’s behalf makes a claim against any of the releasees named above, I will indemnify, save, and hold harmless each of the releasees from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss liability, damage, or cost any may incur as the result of such a claim.

I have read this agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing and have signed it freely and without any inducement or assurance of any nature and intend it to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law and agree that if any portion of this agreement held to be invalid, the balance, notwithstanding, shall continue in full force and effect.

VANCOUVER LAKE AQUATIC CENTER employees and other participants may photograph and film my participation in this activity for commercial and promotional purposes. By signing this waiver, I acknowledge, if I have personal equipment on the property, I need to sign the equipment waiver along with this release. For those with kayak equipment onsite, dues include inside onsite storage. If dues are not current, you will lose your inside storage spot. All paddle sport members are required to wear life vests (PFDs) at all times while on the water.

SIGNATURE: _____ Please print name: _____

Email: _____

(IF LESS THAN 18 YEARS OF AGE) SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN _____

Please print name: _____