

2026 Dragon Boat World Championships Bulletin No.2



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2026年龙舟世界锦标赛

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1. Visa & Travel Information

Participants who need official invitation letters for visa application, please send fully completed Visa Support Form (Annex 1) in Microsoft Word format together with clear scanned passport copies via email at hz_watersports@163.com to the Organizing Committee by **7 SEP 2026**. The passports should be valid for at least six (6) months beyond the period of holders' intended stay in China.

Regarding visa matters for coming to China, please consult with the Chinese Embassy or Consulate in your local area.

Note: The Organizing Committee could only provide invitation letters to those who have completed the Online Registration, and for the period of Dragon Boat World Championships Hangzhou 2026. Below is the FAQs on visa-free entry into China from the Chinese Consular Services website for your reference: <https://mp.weixin.qq.com/s/yOaM0VAFwaQbA-yZOdzA>

Starting from 20 NOV 2025, the online declaration system for foreigner arrival card has been officially implemented. For details, please visit the official website of the National Immigration Administration of China: <https://www.nia.gov.cn>

It is recommended to carry with you documents such as invitation letters, air tickets and reservations of accommodation as a proof corresponding to the purposes of entry into China.

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2. Entry

1. All teams will get the following entitlement/privileges upon submission of registration information:

- (1) ID badge
- (2) Official Accreditation
- (3) Use of course and boats for training and races during the official schedule
- (4) Use of the regatta course and its facilities
- (5) Medical care at the race site
- (6) Security service at the race site
- (7) Facilities at the venue for athletes and team officials

2. Official entry (participation) must be made at the PWW entry system:

<https://paddleworldwide.com/sports-data-platform>

For questions and inquiries, contact: hz_watersports@163.com.

Note: No participation fee will be charged for this event.

3. Deadlines

Nominal Final Entry Deadline	20 September, 2026
ITO Training and Certification	29 September, 2026
Hotel Accommodation Payment	18 September, 2026
Transportation Fee	15 September, 2026

4. Bank Details & Payment method

Beneficiary: Hangzhou Sports Development Group Co.,Ltd.
A/C No.: 3301041060002123168
Address: Room 31070,3F,No.1040 Yueming Road ,Changhe Street,Binjiang District, Hangzhou City, Zhejiang Province
Beneficiary's Bank: Bank of Hangzhou Co.,Ltd.
SWIFT BIC: HZCBCN2H
Bank Address: Bank of Hangzhou Mansion ,No. 168 Jiefang East Road , Shangcheng District, Hangzhou310003, Zhejiang Province, China.

It is **strongly** recommended that teams pay accommodation fees, transportation fees and other charges to the Organizing Committee via bank transfer prior to the competition. If the team insists on making payments on-site, full accommodation payment must be settled before any other fees can be paid.

Note: No cash is accepted for on-site payments; card payment only.

5. Contact Information

1. Email: hz_watersports@163.com
2. Accommodation Contact Person: Ms.Sun YiJun
Mobile: +86-18868186096
3. Transportation Contact Person: Ms.Chen YuJia
Mobile: +86-18268844267

6. Team Information Sheet

National/Regional Team Represented	
Team Manager's Name	

E-mail Address	
Phone Number <i>(which can be contacted in the event on-site)</i>	

Please, indicate the estimated total number of your participants:

Team Members <i>(Competitors, coaches, managers and medics etc.)</i>	Media	Total

Please complete the form by September 15 and submit it to the official email address:
hz_watersports@163.com

Team leaders meeting: 29/09/2026 afternoon. Location: TBD.

7. Hotel/Accommodation

1. The Organizing Committee will provide event support services including transportation, at the official hotels. The services are exclusive to delegation members with confirmed official hotel booking records.
2. Due to limited availability of specific room types, room assignments will be made on a first-paid, first-served basis according to the order of deposit payment.
3. Hotel reservations must be completed by **11 September, 2026**. The completed Hotel Booking Form (Annex 2) , signed by the head of delegation, must be sent to hz_watersports@163.com.
4. Delegations must pay a deposit of 80% of the total accommodation cost to the Organizing Committee by **11 September, 2026**. Bookings will not be guaranteed if the deposit is not received by the deadline. The remaining 20% must be paid by **18 September, 2026**.
5. Cancellation requests received after **15 September, 2026** will not be accepted.
6. All room rates are quoted per room, per night. Any incidental charges incurred at the hotel, such as laundry and phone call services, must be paid by the delegation to the hotel upon checkout.

7.All competition services provided by the Organizing Committee will cease on 4 October, 2026. Any accommodation matters arising after this date will not be accepted by the Organizing Committee.

8. Teams shall pay a **damage deposit** upon check-in in accordance with hotel regulations. The Organizing Committee will forward relevant policies to each team once hotel confirmation is completed.

9. All room bookings must be made through the Organizing Committee and limited to the official hotels designated by the OC.

10. Should a delegation wish to settle the accommodation payment upon arrival in Hangzhou, it must accept the on-site arrangement made by the Organizing Committee.

11. The Organizing Committee will make every effort to secure accommodation for all delegations. Each delegation is requested to comply with the OC's accommodation arrangements and any subsequent adjustments.

12.All official hotels are located within a range of 2-15 kilometers from the competition venue.

Hotel	Twin Room Price	No. of Twin Rooms	Single Room Price	No. of Single Rooms	Hotel - Range		Hotel - HGH	
					Distance	Time	Distance	Time
Landison Jinhao Hotel Hangzhou*****	USD75	85	USD70	30	13km	26min	69km	56min
Relax Hotel Fuyang****	USD65	110	USD60	40	13km	26min	68km	55min
Richer Hotel***	USD55	82	USD50	45	8.3km	15min	60km	52min
Veegle by Landison LongshanFuyang Hangzhou***	USD55	65	USD50	45	6.5km	15min	63km	57min

8. Meals

1. The Organizing Committee will **not** offer on-site official catering services for the event. After teams confirm the hotel reserved, contact information will be shared with the participating teams. Teams could contact the hotel independently for required catering-related services (including lunch delivery to the venue) and settle relevant payments on their own.

2. The Organizing Committee will provide on-site food and beverage services in the Athletes' Rest Area and Exhibition Booth Area, offering a wide variety of food and beverages at affordable

prices.Refreshments will be available for purchase at designated points within the venue.

3. The Organizing Committee will **not** supply official complimentary coffee breaks inside the competition venue.

4. All meals shall strictly comply with the PWW sports nutrition guidelines.

9. Transportation

1. The official arrival dates for the event are 28 and 29 September, 2026 and the official departure date is 4 October, 2026. The designated airport for official transfers are Hangzhou Xiaoshan International Airport (HGH) and Shanghai Pudong International Airport (PVG), while the designated railway station for official transfers is Hangzhoudong (Hangzhou East) Railway Station. Transportation services provided by the Organizing Committee will be available from 28 September to 4 October, 2026.

2. All teams accommodated at the official hotels are required to book and pay for the official transportation package (This service is **unavailable** for teams without hotels reserved via the organizing committee.) The package priced at USD 50 per person includes the following services:

(1) Arrival transfers from HGH/Hangzhoudong (Hangzhou East) to the official hotels during the official arrival days.

(2) Departure transfers from the official hotels to HGH/Hangzhoudong (Hangzhou East) on the official departure date.

(3) Training and competition day shuttle services (from the first official training day to 3 October, 2026) between the official hotels and Fuyang Water Sports Centre.

3. Besides the package, any arrival or departure requests falling outside the official arrival and departure dates shall be subject to an additional charge. Dedicated transfers will be arranged on request. (1) Arrival at HGH/Hangzhoudong (Hangzhou East) outside official dates: the applicable rates are USD 300 per coach (max. 20 persons preferred), USD 250 per minibus (max. 10 persons preferred), and USD 200 per minivan (max. 3 to 4 persons preferred).

(1) Arrival at PVG at any time: the applicable rates are USD 400 per coach (max. 20 persons preferred), USD 350 per minibus (max. 10 persons preferred), and USD 300 per minivan (max. 3 to 4 persons preferred).

4. All participating teams are required to complete the Transportation Booking Form and submit it to hz_watersports@163.com by 10 September, 2026. Transportation service fees must be paid in full to the Organizing Committee by 15 September, 2026.

Transportation Package Booking	
Country/Region:	Number of Passengers:

Arrial & Departure Transfer Booking					
Date	Number of Passengers	All Passengers' Names	Route	Vehicle type (coach/mini bus/minivan)	Pick- up/Dro p-off time
Before 28 September (Exact Date: _____)					
28 September					
29 September					
30 September					
1 October					
2 October					
3 October (final day of the competition)					
4 October					
Signature (head of delegation): _____ Date: _____ Team Leader Contact Information(on-site): _____ Note: Please submit this form by 10 September, 2026.					

Annex 1

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Visa Application Form

Country/Region: _____ Team: _____

No.	Title	Name	Sex	Passport Number	Issue Date	Expiry Date
1	Leader					
2	Coach					
3	Drummer					
4	Steerer					
5	Paddler		Male			
6	Paddler		Male			
7	Paddler		Male			
8	Paddler		Male			
9	Paddler		Male			
10	Paddler		Male			
11	Paddler		Male			
12	Paddler		Male			
13	Paddler		Male			
14	Paddler		Male			
15	Paddler		Male			
16	Paddler		Female			
17	Paddler		Female			
18	Paddler		Female			
19	Paddler		Female			
20	Paddler		Female			
Additional paddlers for Women Team if compete Women events						
21	Paddler		Female			
22	Paddler		Female			
23	Paddler		Female			
24	Paddler		Female			
25	Paddler		Female			
Excess personnel (responsible for own expenses)						
1						
2						
3						
4						

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Position: _____

Email address: _____

Mobile number: _+_____

Date: _____

Annex 2

Hotel Booking Form

Country/Region			Team		
Contact person (on-site)			Phone number		
E-mail address					
Hotel choice					
Single					
No.	Name	number of nights	Day of arrival	Day of departure	
Double/twin					
No.	Name	number of nights	Day of arrival	Day of departure	
Total (number of all rooms)					
Single					
Double/twin					

Note: Please submit this form by 11 September, 2026.