



大新銀行呈獻 2019 世界海岸賽艇錦標賽 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships presented by Dah Sing Bank

Let's Row 'n' Rock

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賽事日期 Race Date : 1-3.11.2019

地點 Venue : Victoria Harbour 維多利亞港





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Introduction of 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships, Hong Kong

It was the decision of the 2017 FISA Congress in Sarasota Bradenton, USA, to award Hong Kong the right to host the 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships to be held from 1st to 3rd November 2019. This is the first time that the World Rowing Coastal Championships has been awarded in Asia.

Coastal rowing always takes place in open water around a series of buoys and using boats designed for rough water conditions. This makes it quite different from current Olympic style rowing which is raced in a straight line on flat water. It also means that Victoria Harbour is an ideal city-centre venue for coastal rowing competitions. The decision of the Organising Committee to hold the racing in Victoria Harbour reflected its wish to bring world rowing into the heart of Hong Kong, its working harbour, both for the unique experience of visiting rowers and also for the Hong Kong public to experience the excitement of rowing on the waterfront, the very doorstep of our city.

The 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships comprises seven events, 3 each for men and women (solo, double sculls and coxed quadruple sculls) and a mixed double sculls event with a crew of one man and one woman. Nearly 500 rowers from 29 countries and regions will compete for the titles of 2019 World Champions in Hong Kong.

The race course for preliminary heats as well as B Finals (ranking 17 – 32) is 4km in length and the A Finals, for gold, silver and bronze medals and ranking 1 – 16, will be 6km. On both courses crews start and finish opposite Kellett Island in Causeway Bay and race to Central Piers and return past the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre. Races will be easily visible for spectators from Central Piers 9 and 10 and along the Central and Wan Chai waterfronts as well as from the Wan Chai Star Ferry route and Wan Chai Pier. The competitors' village and competition base will be the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club.

Additional coastal rowing-related and family activities for spectators and the general public, including exhibitions, family games, indoor rowing challenge, music and more will take place in "World Champ Square", in front of the Hong Kong Observation Wheel over the weekend of 2nd & 3rd November, to let everyone be a part of the event. Victory ceremonies will also be held here on 3rd November.

Welcome to all competitors and visitors to enjoy the combination of cityscape and natural scenery of Hong Kong with the excitement of racing in Victoria Harbour.



“Row ‘n’ Rock”

This tag line of “Row ‘n’ Rock” combines to represent “joy” and “pride”, reflecting Hong Kong’s success which comes in many ways from its famous Victoria Harbour, drawing together the connections between the sport of rowing and the spirit of Hong Kong and its harbour.

Row to the music and the rhythm = the “Joy” of finding the perfect stroke within the crew and being at one with the sea and taming its forces.

Rock to the beat – the heart-beat of the City of Hong Kong = “Pride” - pride in Hong Kong’s progress since its harbour first became an international trading port in the days of sailing ships to everything this modern city represents today.

In Hong Kong, people have a long-founded tradition of grasping the challenges and opportunities which are facing them and in cooperation with the pace and rhythm of the times have used these to develop Hong Kong into a proud metropolis – Asia’s World City.

In just the same way as Hong Kong has created its own success over these many years, coastal rowing is about rhythm and timing, about joy and pride, pursuing the excitement brought by the wind and waves – not by fighting against them but by rowing and engaging them through skill and timing to win the race.



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Message from the Chief Executive, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China

I am delighted to welcome you to the 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships, taking place in Hong Kong, and Asia, for the very first time.

Some 500 world-class athletes from 30 countries and regions, including Hong Kong, are competing in seven exciting open-water races. Starting and finishing at Kellet Island, the Victoria Harbour race route follows the Harbourfront, creating a spectacular setting for the three-day event. World Champ Square, set down between the Hong Kong Observation Wheel and Central Pier 10, adds to the festive atmosphere. Highlights include music and games, coastal rowing boat displays, even the opportunity for visitors to try their hand at rowing, on land or in the water. Hong Kong Maritime Museum also features an exhibition of Hong Kong's rowing history. In short, the Championships showcases Hong Kong's standing as Asia's sports and entertainment capital.

My thanks to the organisers, the World Rowing Federation and our own Hong Kong, China Rowing Association. I am grateful, too, to all the supporting organisations, partners and sponsors for their instrumental role in making the World Rowing Coastal Championships a memorable experience for athletes and spectators alike.

Mrs Carrie LAM Cheng Yuet-ngor, GBM, GBS

Chief Executive

Hong Kong Special Administrative Region



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Message from the Secretary for Home Affairs

I am pleased to extend my warmest congratulations to the Hong Kong, China Rowing Association on staging the 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships.

The Championships, regarded as one of the most significant rowing events in the world, will be held in Hong Kong for the first time. It is set to be a spectacular regatta for top rowers from around the globe not just to compete here, but to share experience and foster friendships as well. All athletes, from local and beyond, will also have an unparalleled opportunity to perform in front of an enthusiastic crowd against the picturesque backdrop of Victoria Harbour and its surrounding mountains and skyscrapers. I am sure that hosting the World Rowing Coastal Championships will definitely help raise the city's profile as a major regional sports hub.

Over the years, the Hong Kong, China Rowing Association and sponsors have been committed to promoting the sport of rowing in Hong Kong. My sincere thanks go to the Association and sponsors for their ongoing dedication and unfailing support given to the event. I wish the Championships a resounding success and all overseas friends an enjoyable stay in Hong Kong.

Mr. LAU Kong-wah, JP

Secretary for Home Affairs

Hong Kong Special Administrative Region



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Message from the President of The Sports Federation and Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, China

To stage such a global rowing regatta in Hong Kong is a vote of confidence for our city. Rowing at distance had been our ancestors' means to eke out a living from the sea. To host the tournament connects us again to our tradition and reaffirms our passion for the seafaring way of life. Let us never forget how we came to be because this remembrance is crucial in keeping us upon an even keel however stormy the weather. To succeed requires hard work as there is no short cut or an easy course. Row, grow.



Mr Timothy FOK Tsun-ting, GBS, JP

President

Sports Federation & Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, China



Message from the Chairman of Major Sports Events Committee

May I take this opportunity to congratulate the Hong Kong, China Rowing Association on staging the 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships.

The 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships has been awarded the “M” Mark status by the Major Sports Events Committee. I am delighted to know that hundreds of world’s top athletes from all over the world are attracted to this event. The tournament will certainly enhance Hong Kong’s image as an Asia’s sports events capital and help to promote a sustainable sporting culture in the territory, which conforms to the objective of the Major Sports Events Committee.

Thanks to the tremendous efforts of the Hong Kong, China Rowing Association, rowing has been gaining in popularity in recent years. On behalf of the Major Sports Events Committee, I wish the event spectacular success and everyone a fantastic time.

KWOK-Chi leung
Chairman, Major Sports Events Committee



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Message from the Managing Director & Chief Executive of Dah Sing Bank

Dah Sing Bank is honoured to be the presenting sponsor for the 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championship. Hong Kong is the first Asia City to host this international event. Categorized as one of the distinctive “M” Mark events in Hong Kong this year, this highly competitive sports event is uniquely set against the magnificent backdrop of our iconic Victoria Harbour.

Victoria Harbour has always been the pride of Hong Kong. It symbolises our city’s tenacity to thrive and excel continuously. As such, it offers a befitting setting for this rowing event which is highly demanding and competitive, and which requires endurance and meticulous teamwork from its athletes. We are confident that the vibrancy and energy of our Victoria Harbour will add inspiration and excitement to the rowers as well as local and international audiences, as the world class athletes paddle and race through the challenging waters of our busy port.

As a local bank with over 70 years of history in Hong Kong, Dah Sing Bank is deeply committed to the customers and communities we serve, here in Hong Kong and in the Greater Bay Area. We are also committed to supporting and nurturing our younger generation – to inspire them to realise their talents, overcome challenges and capture opportunities for a better tomorrow. We believe that the 2019 WRCC offers us a great platform to deliver on our corporate social responsibility mission, and we are proud that young athletes from Hong Kong will be amongst the over 500 international rowers taking part in this spectacular event.

We want to thank the Hong Kong Government, the Hong Kong Tourism Board, the World Rowing Federation (FISA) and the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club for their support and partnership to make this event happen, as well as to the World Rowing Coastal Championship Organising Committee for their professional management in the planning and execution of this event.

On behalf of Dah Sing Bank, may I take this opportunity to wish 2019 WRCC every success and to celebrate the performance and sportsmanship of all competing athletes in the race.

Mr. Harold Wong
Managing Director & Chief Executive
Dah Sing Bank, Limited



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Message from the President of the World Rowing Federation

Welcome to Hong Kong.

This is the first time for the World Rowing Coastal Championships to be held in Asia and Hong Kong is a fitting location with its active coastal community and coastal races that already attract international participants and interest.

Having the championship regatta course in Victoria Harbour brings coastal rowing to the heart of the city. This is great for spectators and also exciting for the competitors who will feel like they're right in the middle of the city's action.

Coastal rowing is one of rowing's disciplines that has seen rapid growth in recent years as rowers take advantage of the coastal environments that they live in. It became a championship event in 2007 and since then the event has taken place in Europe as well as South and North America. Last year the championships were held in Victoria, Canada with more than 50 rowing federations taking part. It was the first time that the racing was fully live streamed and I'm pleased to say this will happen again here in Hong Kong.

This is also a special year for coastal rowing as a week before these championships China hosted the inaugural World Rowing Beach Sprint Finals in Shenzhen.

I would like to thank the Hong Kong's rowing community for helping to bring this event to their city, and to all of the people involved in making the event a reality. Thank you to the local organisers and volunteers that have worked so hard for these championships.

A big welcome to the athletes and supporters, many of whom have travelled large distances to participate in coastal rowing's most prestigious event.

Here's to a regatta full of thrills, spills, fast turns, tight finishes and wave action.

Jean-Christophe Rolland
FISA President



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Message from the Chairman of HKCRA and the OC of the 2019 WRCC

On behalf of the Organising Committee and the Hong Kong, China Rowing Association it is my greatest pleasure to welcome the 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships to Hong Kong and to offer a very warm welcome to all athletes, teams, officials and supporters to this amazing City.

The championships will be based at the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club which for over 100 years was the base of rowing in Hong Kong and rowers will race on the iconic Victoria Harbour which was the venue for Hong Kong's first recorded rowing regatta in 1845.

Visitors will quickly find that Hong Kong is a city of contrasts. It is one of the most densely populated regions on earth and this generates a very high level of convenience and efficiency in infrastructure, facilities and services. But the other side of Hong Kong is its country parks which make up over 40% of overall land area, and its extensive coastal waters which provide some spectacular coastal rowing adventure opportunities. I hope visitors will make the most of their stay here to enjoy Hong Kong's many attractions.

I would like to express my special appreciation to Dah Sing Bank, our Presenting Sponsor for their strong support for the championships. Also my thanks to the Major Sports Events Committee which has awarded us the special M-Mark status to signify the importance of these championships as an integral part of Hong Kong's international sports calendar.

Members of the Organising Committee have worked extraordinarily hard over the past 3 years to prepare the event and I extend to them my heartfelt thanks. Together with all the many volunteers who will provide the essential operational support, many people have contributed their time, experience and expertise. Thank you all.

And finally a big thank you to FISA for entrusting Hong Kong with this World Rowing event.

I wish all participants good rowing and a wonderful experience at this 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships.

It only remains to say

Let's Row 'n' Rock!

Mike TANNER MH
Chairperson, Organising Committee
2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships



Let's
Row 'n' Rock..

Organizing Committee of 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships

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Jury List of 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships

President of Jury

Mr. Takao SENDA (JPN)

Jury Members

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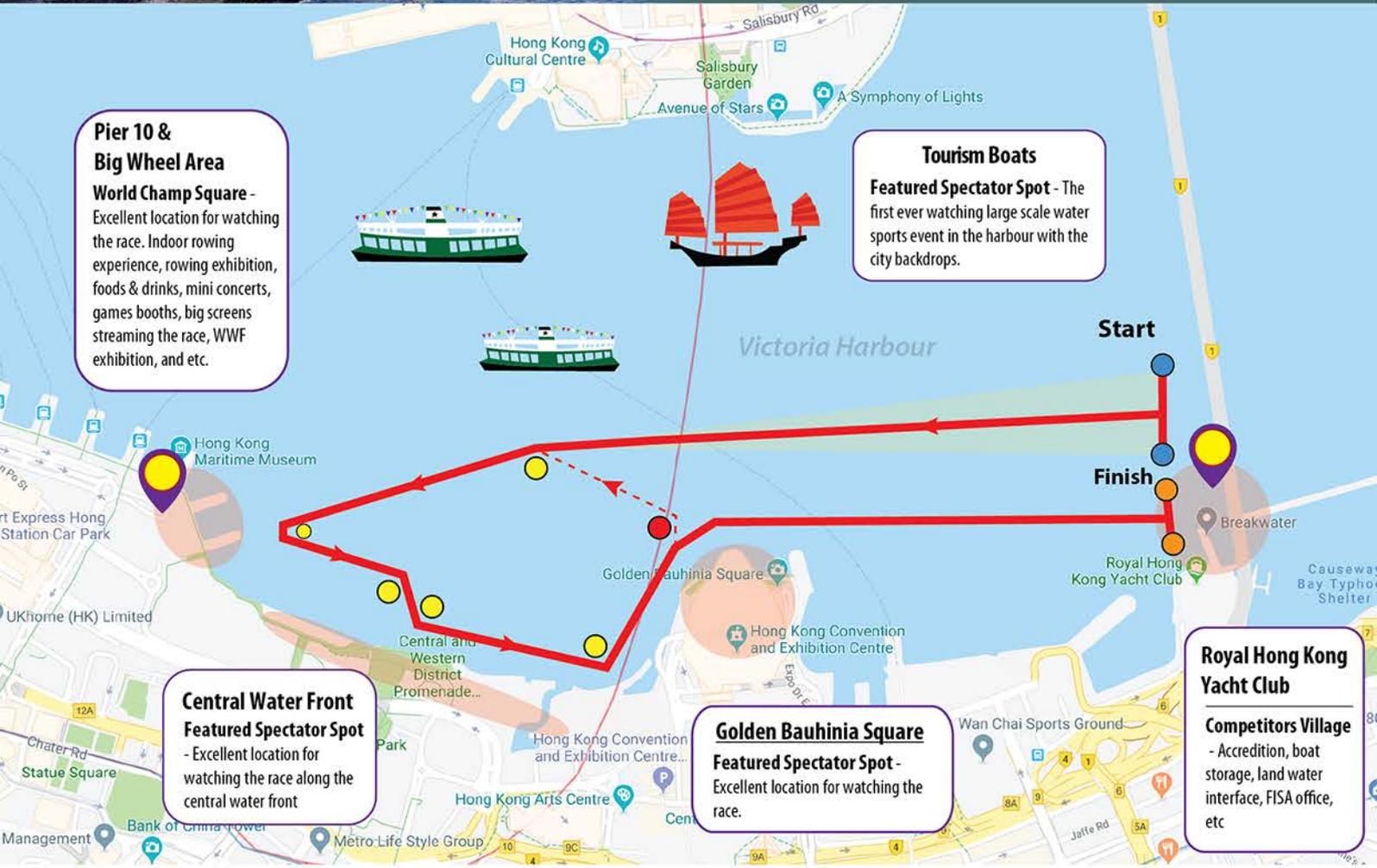
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Race Schedule

2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships presented by Dah Sing Bank - Hong Kong, China						
31/10/2019 Provisional Programme D 12.1						
TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
29-Oct	30-Oct	31-Oct	1-Nov	2-Nov	3-Nov	4-Nov
			HEATS	HEATS & FINALS B	FINALS B & A	RESERVE DAY
		Cord. Meeting 10:00	Cord. Meeting 08:00	Sunrise 6:30	Sunset 17:45	
			Course inspection 12:55	Coordination Meeting 07:00	Coordination Meeting 07:00	
				Course inspection 07:30	Course inspection 07:35	
				HEATS	FINALS B	
				Group B	Group B	
Accreditation & Crew Registration 14:00 - 17:00	Accreditation & Crew Registration 09:00 - 17:00	Accreditation & Crew Registration 09:00 - 17:00	9:00 Crew Captains Meeting	8:30 H1 CW2x	8:35 FB CW2x	
				8:55 H1 CM1x	9:05 FB CM1x	
				9:30 H1 CM4x+	9:35 FB CM4x+	
				9:55 H2 CW2x	10:05 FB CMix2x	
				10:30 H2 CM1x		
	TRAINING 8:45 to 17:45	TRAINING 8:45 to 17:45	TRAINING 10:15 to 12:35	10:55 H2 CM4x+	FINALS A	
					Group A	
	0845-0945 C2x		1015-1115 C2x	11:30 H1 CMix2x	10:45 FA CW4x+	
	0915-1015 C1x		1045-1145 C1x			
	0945-1045 C4x+		1135-1235 C2x	11:55 H3 CM1x	11:25 FA CM2x	
	1015-1115 C2x					
	1045-1145 C1x				12:15 FA CW1x	
	1115-1215 C4x+					
	1145-1245 C2x					
	1345-1445 C2x			12:55 H2 CMix2x	13:15 VICTORY CEREMONY GROUP A (Central Pier)	
	1415-1515 C1x		HEATS			
	1445-1545 C4x+		Group A	13:30 FB CW4x+		
	1515-1615 C2x		13:55 H1 CM2x		Group B	
	1545-1645 C1x			13:55 H3 CMix2x	14:30 FA CW2x	
	1615-1715 C4x+		14:30 H1 CW1x			
	1645-1745 C2x			FINALS B	15:15 FA CM1x	
			14:55 H1 CW4x+	Group A		
					16:05 FA CM4x+	
	16:00 Jury Meeting		15:30 H2 CM2x	14:55 FB CM2x		
					16:45 FA CMix2x	
	17:00 Crew Registration Closes		15:55 H2 CW1x	15:30 FB CW1x		
			16:30 H2 CW4x+		17:20 VICTORY CEREMONY GROUP B (Central Pier)	Entries
						GROUP A
			16:55 H3 CM2x			CM2x 41
						CW1x 22
						CW4x+ 21
						GROUP B
Venue closes 17:30	Venue closes 18:00	Venue closes 18:00	Cord. Meeting 18:00	Cord. Meeting 16:30	(18:45 medallist reception)	CW2x 30
	18:30 Opening Ceremony (Central Pier)				19:00 MEDAL CEREMONY (Central Pier)	CM1x 43
						CM4x+ 34
						CMix2x 38



Race Course





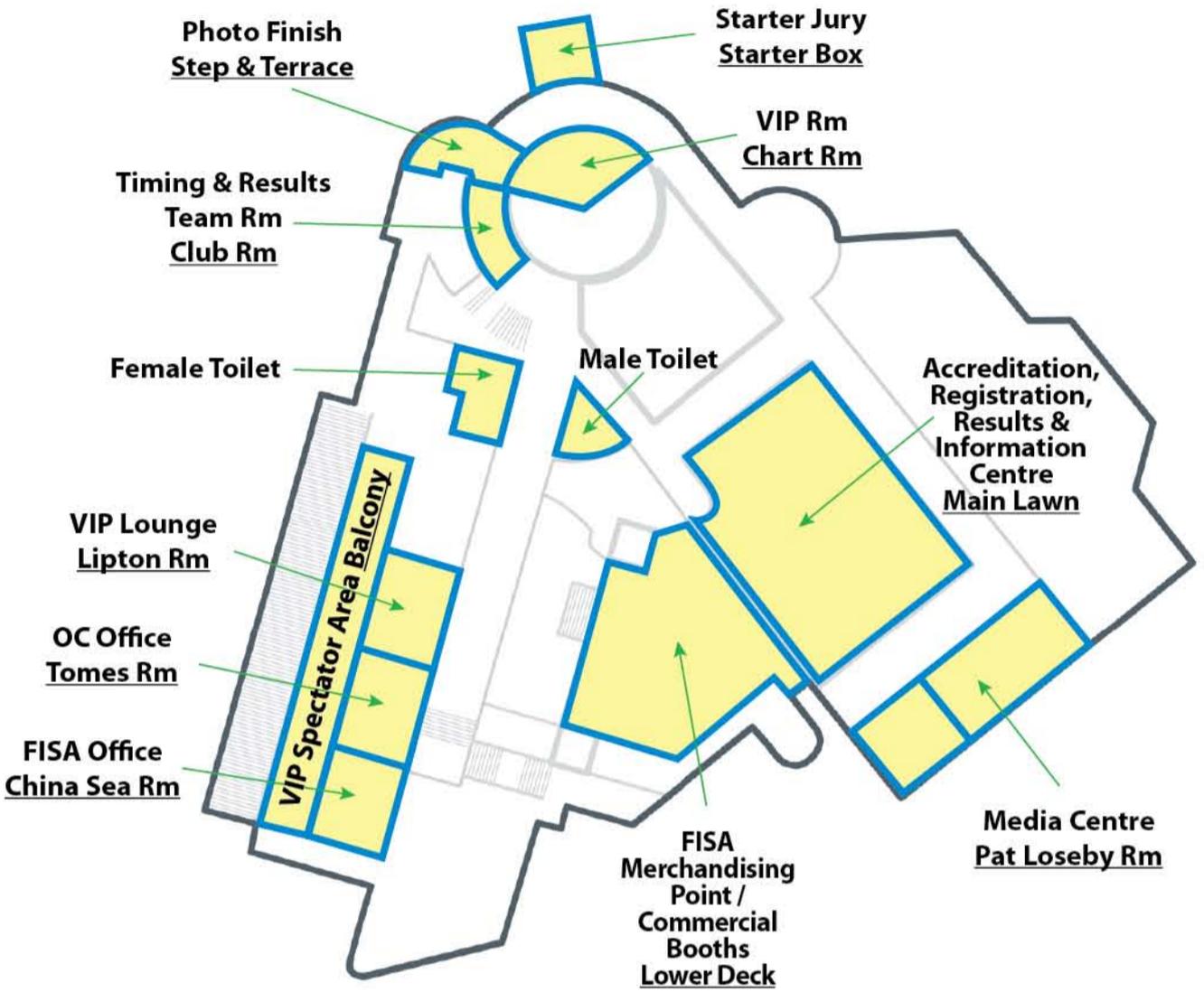
Race Venue Floor Plan



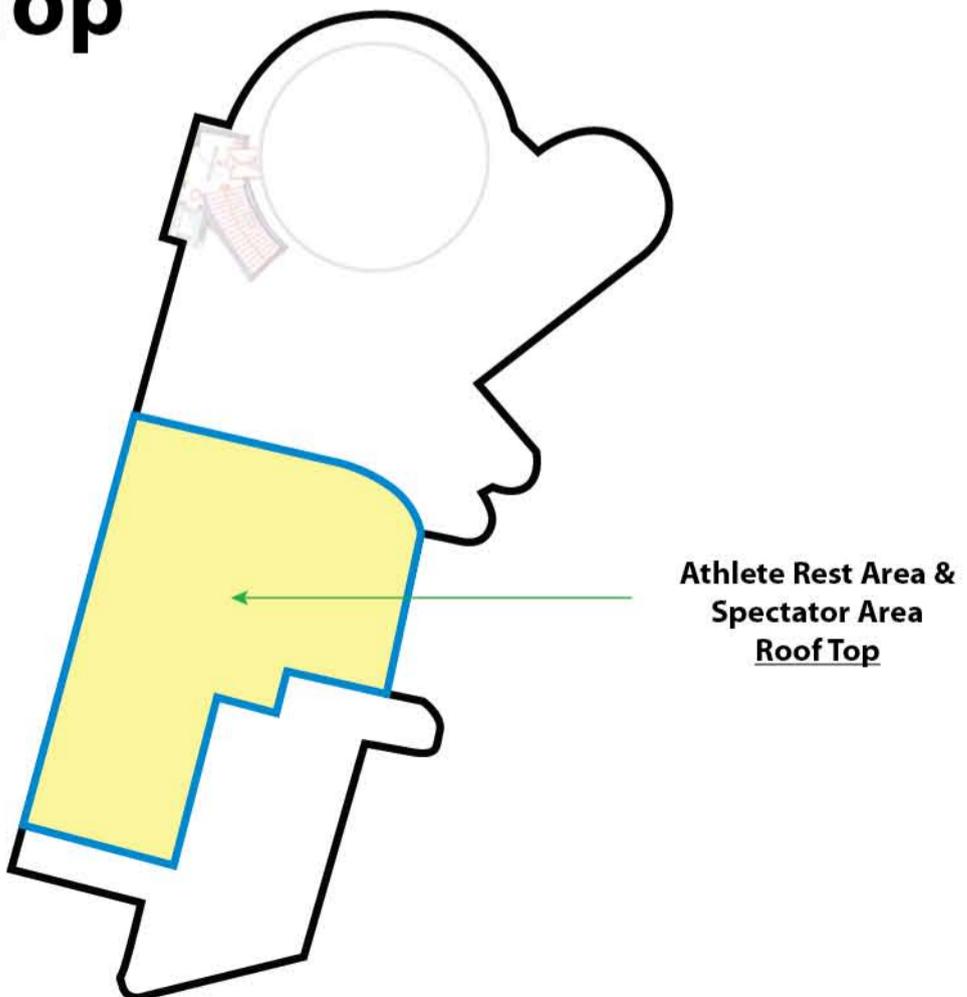


Race Venue Floor Plan

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Roof Top



大新銀行呈獻 2019世界海岸賽艇錦標賽 世錦賽廣場

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世錦賽廣場 World Champ Square			
2/11	11:00 20:00	3/11	11:00 20:00
大新銀行呈獻 2019世界海岸賽艇錦標賽 2019 World Rowing Coastal Championships presented by Dah Sing Bank			
比賽時間 Race Time	開幕典禮 Opening Ceremony		
1/11	10:55 17:30	30/10 18:30	
2/11	08:30 16:30	深灣典禮 Midweek Ceremony	頒獎及閉幕典禮 Medal Presentation & Closing Ceremony
3/11	08:35 17:30	3/11 13:15 & 17:05	3/11 19:30
<small>*活動如有更改，恕不另行通知。詳情請留意 No activities subject to any change of programme. Check the program notes too.</small>			
WRCC2019			



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World Champ Square, Central

To celebrate the hosting of the World Rowing Coastal Championships in Hong Kong and to embrace the excitement of this event in Victoria Harbour, "World Champ Square" is set up at the Central harbourfront with a range of displays and activities for you and your team to take part free of charge. Let's feel the Row n' Rock fever this Autumn! Activities include: -

- **Maritime Exhibitions and Photo Opps**

You can visit the different education exhibition panels and giant photo-taking areas to experience the fun and expand your knowledge of coastal rowing!

First phase: October 5 - October 31

3 giant photo taking zones and coastal rowing exhibition panels

Second phase: November 2 - November 3

3 giant photo taking zones, coastal rowing exhibition panels, 'Save the Ocean' game booth, kids' rowing experience, public trial on indoor rowing machines and 'Let's Row n Rock' Busking Performance.

- **'Let's Row n Rock' Busking Performance**

We are connecting music and coastal rowing by inviting local musicians and performers to support and cheer for the athletes.

Session 1: November 2 (4:30pm - 6:30pm)

Session 2: November 3 (8:30pm - 9:30pm)

- **"Sea for Future Exhibition"**

WWF - Hong Kong launches the exhibition to promote reviving the seas by reducing use of plastics to save Hong Kong's marine biodiversity.

Exhibition location:

Hong Kong Maritime Museum (Central Pier No.8)

Exhibition period:

From 5 October until 3 November 2019

Opening hours:

09:30 - 17:30 (Monday to Friday)

10:00 - 19:00 (Saturday, Sunday and Public Holidays)

The augmented reality (AR) experience on Hong Kong's valuable marine species and the virtual reality (VR) experience on Hong Kong's marine world can be experienced but only available on Saturday and Sunday.

- **Free Admission to Hong Kong Maritime Museum**

All rowers and their supporters are welcome to come and visit the maritime history of Hong Kong on 2 and 3 November 2019. Please show your Accreditation Card for entry.

- **World Champ Pier Spectator Zone**

Your friends and supporters can view the racing from World Champ Pier at Central Piers 9 and 10, just in front of the Hong Kong Observation Wheel, where the excitement of the mid-race turning points can be viewed close at hand.

Join us at World Champ Square!



Transportation in Hong Kong

There are plenty of ways to get around Hong Kong. The city claims one of the world's safest, most efficient and frequent public transport systems and a convenient payment method in the form of the Octopus Card.

Airport Express – the fastest way to get downtown from the airport

MTR – covers all major districts in the territory. Get the “MTR mobile” App to plan your trip!

Buses – Bus routes cover almost all of Hong Kong. Kowloon Motor Bus, New World First Bus and Citybus operate routes that cover Hong Kong Island, Kowloon and the New Territories. New Lantau Bus mainly operates on Lantau Island and Long Win Bus provides services to north Lantau Island and the airport.

Ferries – The Star Ferry connected two side of Victoria Harbour – it runs between Kowloon (Tsim Sha Tsui) and Hong Kong Island (Wan Chai and Central). Ferries operating from the Central Ferry Piers on Hong Kong Island provide services to the main Outlying Islands of Peng Chau, Cheung Chau, Lamma Island and Lantau Island, including Discovery Bay.

Trams - The double-decker streetcars travelling through Hong Kong's busiest thoroughfares since 1904. It runs between Western district, Wan Chai, Happy Valley, Causeway Bay and North Point.

Taxis - Taxi Fare in Hong Kong is based on the distance travelled together with any waiting time incurred while the taxi is hired. All taxis are metered and only the meter fare should be paid. Taxi Fare should be paid by cash only.

You can easily plan your trip by using “Citymapper Transit Navigation” App!



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Discovering Hong Kong

Hong Kong Top Attractions

- Star Ferry** - connected 2 sides of Victoria Harbour
- The Peak** - The highest point on Hong Kong Island
- Tramways** - Double-decker streetcars travelling through
(Ding Ding) Hong Kong's busiest thoroughfares
- Lantau Island** - Big Buddha & Ngong Ping 360 (cable car)
- Theme parks** - Hong Kong Disneyland & Ocean Park Hong Kong
- Local Markets** - Ladies' Market, Temple Street Night Market
- Lamma Island** - Enjoy seafood in the old fishing village
- Tai O** - Home to the Tanka people who lived in Stilt Houses on the water
- Stanley** - Murray House and Stanley Market
- Dragon's Back Trail** - Hike up mountains for a great alternative view of Hong Kong Island
- Sai Kung** - Join a local tour and visit UNESCO Global Geopark

To discover more information of the culture & heritage, events & festivals, arts & performance, local tours and outdoor activities in Hong Kong, please visit the website of Hong Kong Tourism Board (<http://www.discoverhongkong.com>)



Our planet depends on clean water

Water is the lifeblood of our planet. But it's not just water it's clean water that is essential in supporting human life, nourishing vital habitats and supplying agriculture and industry. The amount and availability of clean water has become one of the greatest challenges of our time. World Rowing believes that we all have a responsibility to apply environmentally-sustainable practices to our use and management of water.

Rowing is a clean water sport and everyone involved in rowing has reason to protect this vital resource.

In 2011 World Rowing and WWF, the World Wide Fund for Nature, formed a global clean water partnership. This engages all rowers, rowing clubs and national rowing federations to work towards safeguarding their freshwater environments.

A joint action project, the Kafue River & Rowing Centre is a manifestation of this partnership. This project was inspired by the confluence of many pressures and problems in the Kafue River in Zambia and the need to bring all stakeholders

together to discuss and help find solutions.

The development of a multi-purpose facility for water management education and research and the advancement of rowing in the region is underway. The global rowing community is at the forefront of a fundraising campaign to help establish the centre.

Donations are welcome

To find out more: www.worldrowing.com/environment

Because to help Kafue is to help the world.



Filippi Spirit Award

The award for university rowers, the Filippi Spirit Award encapsulates rowing's core values of fairness, teamwork, inclusiveness, timeless and natural. It recognises the achievements of the next generation of rowers.

The award is open to university student rowers worldwide and is given to the rower that best demonstrates the core values of rowing in his/her social, academic and sporting life.

Filippi Boats has been involved with the award since its inception in 2013 and every year the university rowing club of the winner receives a custom-built, top-of-the-range Filippi eight racing shell. The boat recognises the winner's involvement in the club and is designed to help the club develop young rowers.

A call for nominations for the 2019 Filippi Spirit Award will open in September 2019. To qualify, the applicants must have attended university full-time in the 2019 year and row regularly for a university club.

Filippi Lido S.R.L. (also known as Filippi Boats) is a rowing racing boat manufacturer based in Donoratico, Italy. Since 1980 Filippi has produced top Olympic-class rowing boats.

For more information go to worldrowing.com/athletes/filippi-spirit-award

Previous winners:

2018 Amidu Silva
Chemical engineering student at University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka and rowing club captain.

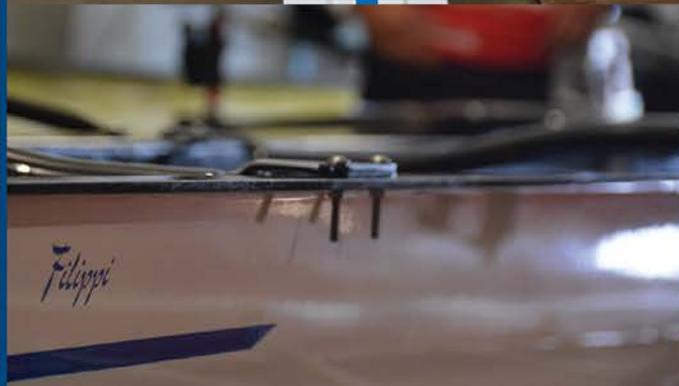
2017 Micheen Thornycroft
Human kinetics and ergonomics student at Rhodes University, South Africa and Olympic rower.

2016 Nils Jakob Hoff
Medical student at the University of Bergen, Norway and Olympic rower.

2015 Kirsten Van Fossen
American PhD student studying engineering at the University of Cambridge, Great Britain.

2014 Franz Gravenhourst
German national team rower and PhD student at Swiss Institute of Technology in Zurich, Switzerland.

2013 James Cook
British student-athlete studying mechanical engineering at the University College of London





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