

2024 ICF Dragon Boat World

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Welcome To Zigui, Yichang

Zigui County, located in the western part of Hubei Province, is near the the vital communication line to Sichuan Province and the Xiling Gorge of the Yangtze River. As the hometown of the great patriotic poet Qu Yuan, Zigui is also the birthplace of dragon boat sports. The dragon boat culture in Zigui is not only a commemoration of Qu Yuan, but also an inheritance of traditional culture and sports spirit.

It is a special pleasure that the ICF Dragon Boat World Cup – which is an important year of the World Game qualification - can be hosted here for the second time. It is a great honour for the Chinese Canoeing Association and the Host Organizing Committee to welcome again the world-class competitors of dragon boat, the coaches, sport leaders, media representatives and last but not least, the fans in our country!

We sincerely invite friends from all over the world to Zigui, to participate in dragon boat events, visit the Three Gorges Dam and enjoy fresh oranges together!

HOC of 2024 ICF Dragon Boat World Cup



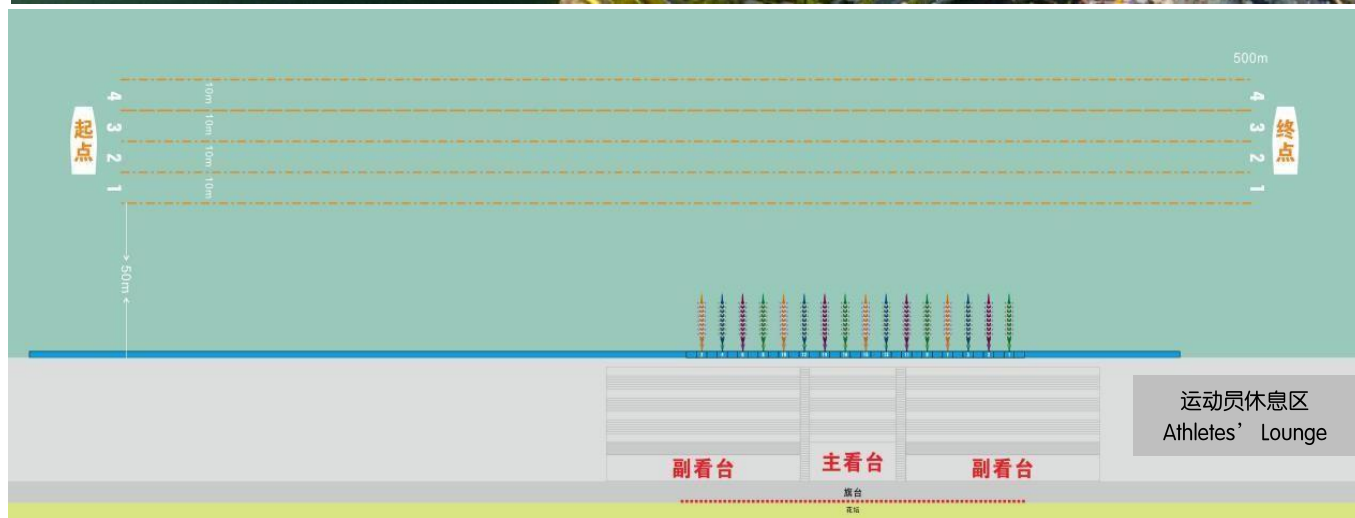
About 2024 ICF Dragon Boat World Cup

Date

October 23rd to 27th, 2024

Venue

Xujiachong Harbor, Zigui County, Yichang City, Hubei Province, China

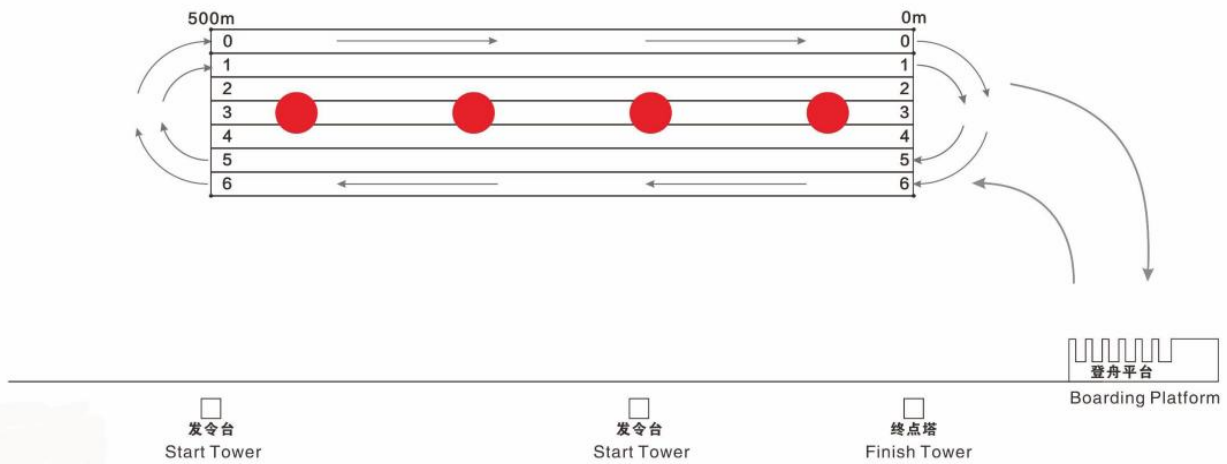


Event Setting

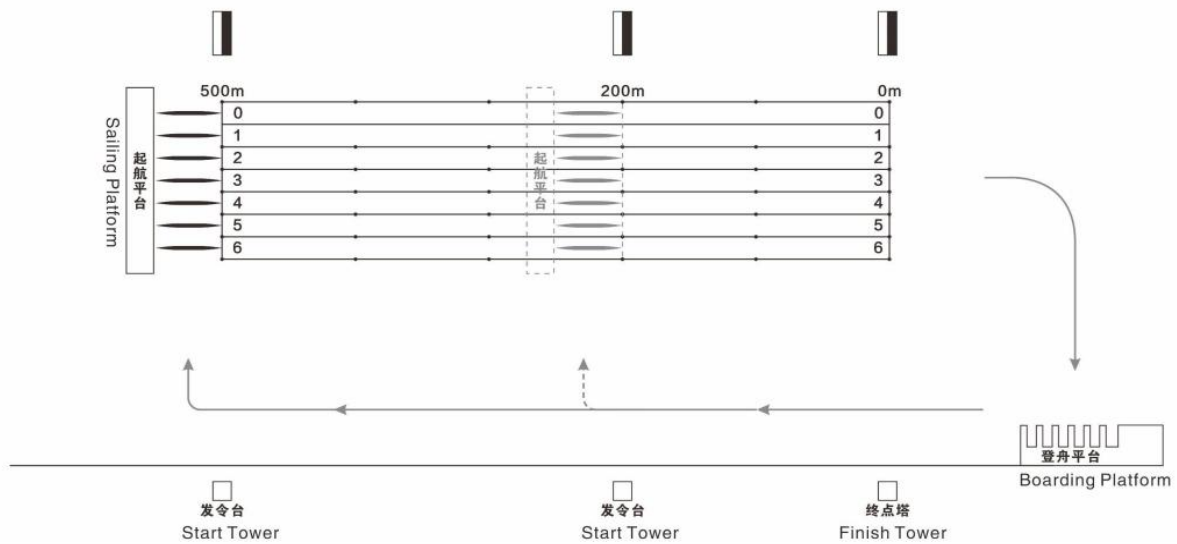
- ◆ 8-seater Dragon Boats (Tokyo2020 Sports Presentation Boats)
 - Group: Open/Women/Mixed
 - Distance: 200m/500m/2000m
- ◆ 10-seater Dragon Boats
 - Group: Open/Women/Mixed
 - Distance: 200m/500m/2000m

Racing Course

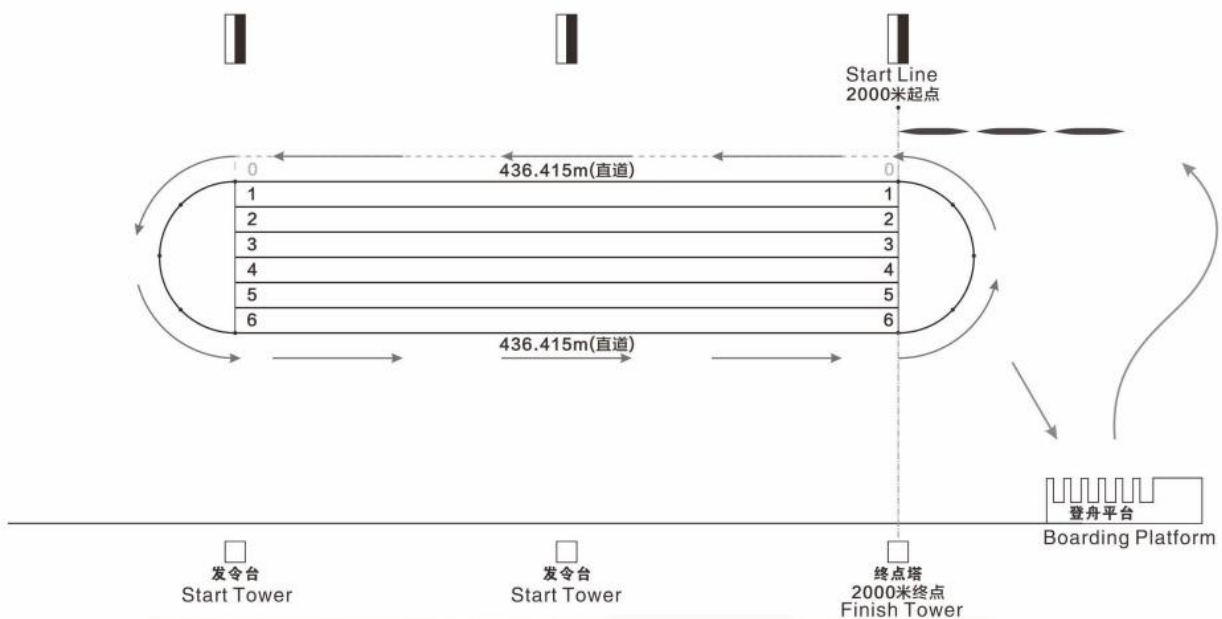
训练航道示意图 Schematic Diagram of Training Course



比赛航道示意图 (直道赛) Schematic Diagram of Competing Course (Straight Race)



2000米追逐赛航道示意图 Schematic Diagram of Competing Course (2000m Pursuit Race)



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Outline Programme

Date	Time	Arrangement
October 22 nd	Afternoon	NTOs check in
October 23 rd	All Day	ITOs and athletes check in
October 24 th	All Day	Course adaptive training and team leaders' meeting
October 25 th	08:00	Opening Ceremony
	09:00	8-seater Boats \ 10-seater Boats, 200m Heats and Semifinals 8-seater Boats, Women 2000m (circular race)
	15:00	8-seater Boats \ 10-seater Boats, 500m Heats and Semifinals 8-seater Boats, Open 2000m (circular race)
October 26 th	09:00	8-seater Boats \ 10-seater Boats, 200m Final C and Final B 8-seater Boats, Mixed 2000m (circular race)
	15:00	8-seater Boats \ 10-seater Boats, 500m Final C and Final B 10-seater Boat, Mixed 2000m (circular race)
October 27 th	09:00	8-seater Boats \ 10-seater Boats, 200m Final A 8-seater Boats \ 10-seater Boats, 500m Final A 10-seater Boat, Women 2000m (circular race) 10-seater Boat, Open 2000m (circular race)
	11:30	Closing and Award Ceremony
	Afternoon	Departure

Ranking and Bonus (total:720,000 ¥)

Event	Group	Ranks	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	Total
8-seater Boats	Open	200m	0.64	0.56	0.48	0.4	0.32	0.28	0.24	0.2	3.12
		500m	0.74	0.66	0.58	0.5	0.42	0.38	0.34	0.3	3.92
		2000m	0.84	0.76	0.68	0.6	0.52	0.48	0.44	0.4	4.72
	Women	200m	0.64	0.56	0.48	0.4	0.32	0.28	0.24	0.2	3.12
		500m	0.74	0.66	0.58	0.5	0.42	0.38	0.34	0.3	3.92
		2000m	0.84	0.76	0.68	0.6	0.52	0.48	0.44	0.4	4.72
	Mixed	200m	0.64	0.56	0.48	0.4	0.32	0.28	0.24	0.2	3.12
		500m	0.74	0.66	0.58	0.5	0.42	0.38	0.34	0.3	3.92
		2000m	0.84	0.76	0.68	0.6	0.52	0.48	0.44	0.4	4.72
10-seater Boats	Open	200m	0.66	0.58	0.5	0.42	0.34	0.3	0.26	0.22	3.28
		500m	0.76	0.68	0.6	0.52	0.44	0.4	0.36	0.32	4.08
		2000m	0.86	0.78	0.7	0.62	0.54	0.5	0.46	0.42	4.88
	Women	200m	0.66	0.58	0.5	0.42	0.34	0.3	0.26	0.22	3.28
		500m	0.76	0.68	0.6	0.52	0.44	0.4	0.36	0.32	4.08
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Regulation & Racing Rules

The World Cup will comply with the “*International Canoe Federation Dragon Boat Competition Rules (2023 version)*” and will be conducted under the ICF Competition Rules.

* **PERSONAL SAFETY:** Crews compete entirely at their own risk and must be “Fit to Race”, as defined in *ICF Competition Regulations*. It is the crew manager’s responsibility to ensure that all crew members are competent swimmers, ideally be able to swim at least 150 meters without assistance and to ensure that weak swimmers wear personal flotation aids.

Entries & Registration

Preliminary Entries closed on August 20th 2024. Nominal Entries deadline is September 20th 2024. Please submit the Entry Form to the Organizing Committee (E-mail: yyslzxh@hotmail.com, Contacts: Ms. Chen [+86 19308617327](tel:+8619308617327)) and make a copy to the Chinese Canoe Association ([E-mail: chncanoe@hotmail.com](mailto:chncanoe@hotmail.com)).

Official entry must be made at the ICF entry system <https://icf.mev.atos.net/icf/main.jsp> (SDP) by **the National Federation** till **20th October 2024** (Club Teams excepted). Needing help with the SDP, please contact the administrator directly at: sdp@conoeicf.sport

* National Teams and Club Crew Teams can participate. If more than one entries are received for one country/region, the National team is of higher priority. The HOC reserve the right to invite additional teams.

* For VISA INFORMATION: <https://www.visaforchina.cn/globe/>

TWG 2025 DBR Qualification System

2024 ICF Dragon Boat World Cup (2 quota places) is one of the Qualifiers of the World Games 2025 in Chengdu. The two teams (national teams ONLY) with the highest overall points across all three events will seal their place at The World Games.

- * The Qualifiers are regulated by the ICF rules.
- * National Teams and Club Teams might compete and rank together for the bonus, but ONLY national teams can participate in the qualifying rankings.
- * The team has to compete all 3 events (the total scores obtained in 10-seater Mixed 200m, 500m & 2000m) in order to be qualified for the NF's quota.
- * One quota place will be allocated to one country. The quota is awarded to the National Federation (not the crew members). The composition of crew for the World Games could be changed.

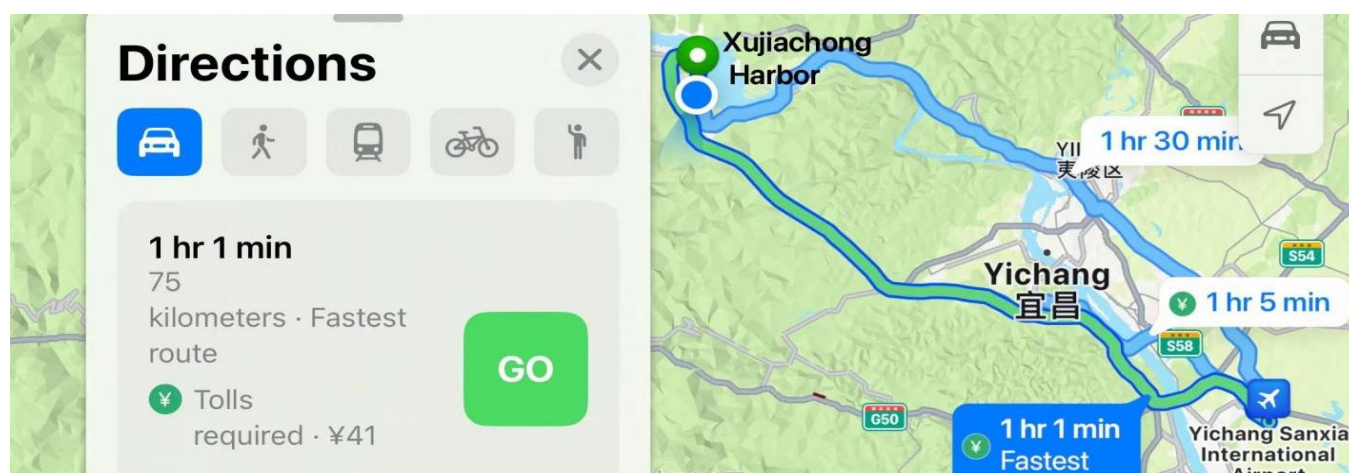
For more information:

[Dragon Boat qualification system confirmed for Chengdu 2025 | ICF - Planet Canoe \(canoeicf.com\)](https://www.canoeicf.com)

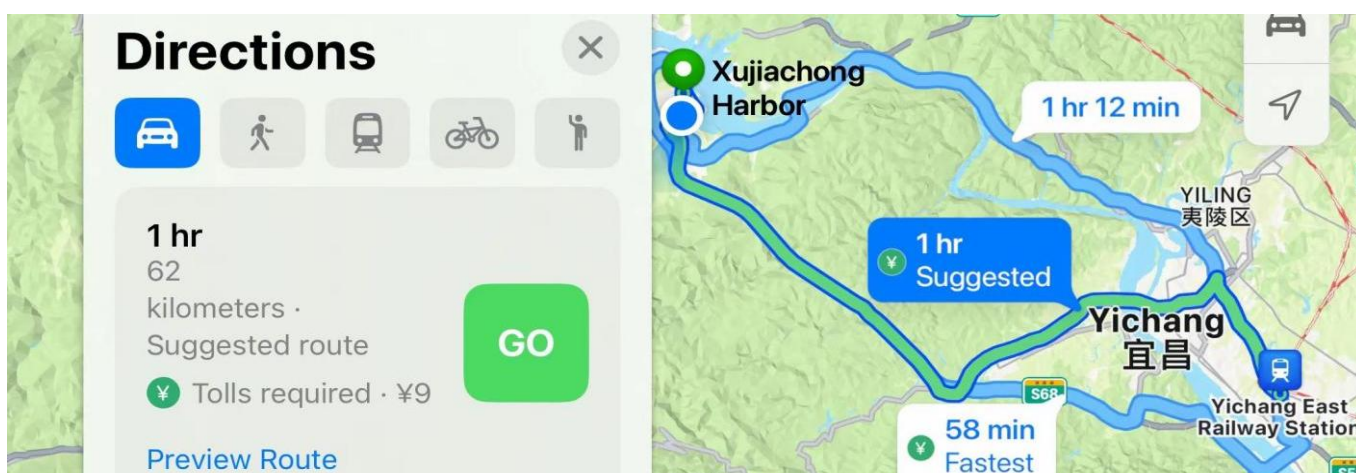
[Click here for Dragon Boat qualification system](#)

Getting to Zigui, Yichang

From Yichang Sanxia Airport(YIH): <https://www.sanyaairport.com/>



From Yichang East Railway Station:



ARRIVAL: upon entering the Arrival Hall, please look for our staff and/or a welcome desk with the event logo.

DEPARTURE: an information sheet on the departure time should be collected 1 or 2 days prior to your departure.

* The shuttle service will be provided freely by the HOC from/to the nearest airport or railway station. For teams participating in 2024 ICF DB World Championships, a charter flight from Yichang to Puerto Princesa (on 28th Oct.) will be arranged. Accurate numbers taking the charter flight shall be stated with the Provisional Entry Form.

Logistics

Accommodation and Catering Service

The accommodation and meals for participating teams will be arranged and provided by the HOC during the event (Possible hotels are listed in Bulletin NO.1). The menu will be made according to the requirements of *the ICF Technical Deliverable*.

The organizing committee will cover the accommodation and local transportation expenses for registered team members (no more than 25 people) during the Event. Each team may register up to 20 participants if not compete in Women Category (10+1 male paddlers, 4+1 female paddlers, 1 drummer, 1 steerer, 1 coach and 1 leader). An additional 5 female paddlers could be included for teams also compete in Women Category competitions.

* Other additional personnel, early arrival and delayed departure are accepted, but they are responsible for their **OWN EXPENSE**.

* **EXTRA CHARGE:**

Single Room with 1 person breakfast: 380 CNY per night

Twin room with 2 people breakfast: 400 CNY per night

Meals charge: 50 CNY per meal (lunch or dinner)

Hotels accept China Union Pay, WeChat Pay, Alipay and cash (CNY ONLY) for extra charge.

Check-in

- ◆ Time: October 22nd -24th, 2024
- ◆ Location: Reception of each hotel
- ◆ Contacts: Ms. Chen, +86 19308617327

Things to do and Places to visit in Zigui, Yichang

