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**RHODE ISLAND CHINESE DRAGONBOAT
TAIWAN DAY FESTIVAL**

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7th Annual Rhode Island Chinese Dragonboat Races



Calling all
Corporations
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Organizations!
Race against
your competitors!

Opportunities
for
Vendors

Taiwan Day Festival
Saturday, September 9, 2006
8 am - 5 pm

Pawtucket River, School Street
Pawtucket, Rhode Island

Top Prizes

Dragon Division - \$1,500

Lion Division - \$1,250

Tiger Division - \$1,000

Presented by

The City of Pawtucket

Taipei Economic and Cultural Office, Boston

Rhode Island Chinese Community

Blackstone Valley Tourism Council



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RHODE
ISLAND

GENERAL RACES

The Rhode Island Dragonboat Race and Taiwan Day Festival are modeled after the world famous Dragon Boat Festivals held around the world.

We supply the dragon boats, paddles, drum, t-shirts, hats, training time, personal flotation devices, special awards ceremony and the fun! You supply the paddle power!

THE COURSE

The races will be held on the Pawtucket River starting at the School Street Pier in Pawtucket. It will consist of 3 or 4 lanes. Each team must designate a team captain, and a team representative.

ENTRY FEE

To enter: First, assemble your team and register as soon as possible. Confirmation is made upon receipt of your race entry form and list of team members and alternates as well as the entry fee. Team entry fee includes **t-shirts, team tent, medals, team trophy, pizza lunch and water.** Entry fee is **\$600.00.** Register before **July 1st and save \$50.00!**

Practice sessions are available days and evenings for pre-registered teams so sign up now.

SPECIALTY RACES

• RI CITY & TOWN CHALLENGE (Immediately following the opening ceremonies)

\$1000 prize donated to the charity of your choice plus your team name will be inscribed on this trophy. \$100 registration discount



• PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICIALS RACE

\$1000 prize donated to the charity of your choice
\$100 registration discount

• BREAST CANCER AWARENESS RACE

Compete for the opportunity to win a \$1000 donation for the breast cancer charity of your choice. Teams signed up for this special race are also eligible to race throughout the day. \$100 registration discount

NEW! INSURANCE AGENCY CHALLENGE

\$1000 prize donated to the charity of your choice
\$100 registration discount

Practice sessions available in June, July and August for registered teams

HOW TO REGISTER

dragonboatri.com/dragonregister.htm



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