

When You Wish Upon a Star Dragon Boat Challenge

Saturday
6 June
2015

*A fabulous day
of fun and
entertainment for
all the family*

Leicester Riverside
Festival
Castle Gardens
Castle View
Leicester LE1 5WN



Act now!

**Form a crew and
enter the challenge!**

No previous experience needed

For further information contact **When You Wish Upon a Star**
Tel: 0115 9791 720 or email: fundraising@whenyouwish.org.uk

Entry form and conditions overleaf



When you wish upon a Star
Registered Charity No. 1060963

Dream making for sick children

Dragon Boat Racing and the Challenge

Dragon Boat racing is an ancient Chinese tradition and the fastest growing water activity in Britain today - as well as the most fun! Up to 10 people paddle each 30' boat with a drummer at the front beating time and a helm at the tail steering a straight course. No previous experience is required, just plenty of team spirit!

When You Wish Upon a Star is working with Gable Events to bring the When You Wish Upon a Star Dragon Boat Challenge to Castle Gardens for the Leicester Riverside Festival. The event is open to everyone and the crews are expected to battle it out over the 200m course, watched by crowds of spectators. Castle Gardens, Leicester offers a superb venue for racing and a fabulous day is guaranteed for spectators and competitors alike.

<http://whenyouwishuponastar.org.uk/leicester-dragon-boat-challenge-2015.html>

Entry includes:

- Dragon boats, qualified helms and all racing equipment
- At least 3 races per crew
- Trophy for the winning crew and medals for the top three crews
- Prize for the crew raising the most money for When You Wish Upon a Star
- Prize for the best dressed team
- Live music & entertainment
- Family Entertainment

When You Wish Upon A Star

When You Wish Upon a Star grants the Wishes of children who are living with a life threatening illness. Each Wish brings the opportunity to look forward to something special, to forget about painful treatments and simply be a child for the day, creating special memories.

For some it is an exciting trip to Disneyland in Florida, for others it is a chance to meet their favourite celebrity or sporting hero. Some children Wish to be a fairy princess or soldier for the day, whilst others would simply like a laptop to keep in contact with their school friends whilst in hospital.

Gable Events

With the benefit of over fifteen years' experience in corporate event management, Gable Events provides high quality, value-for-money activities tailored to the individual needs of our clients. We specialise in events for motivation, team building and fun and offer a full activity portfolio including it's a knockouts, fun days, multi-activity events, human table football, skool sports!, team challenges, krypton maze, target golf, motorised activities, 8-lane giant scalextric, indoor entertainments, archery, shooting, rafting, tank driving, treasure hunts and our ground-breaking new Medieval Days!

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Web sites www.gable-events.co.uk

www.dragonboatfestivals.co.uk

www.itsaknockoutevent.co.uk

www.medieval-days.co.uk

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Entry details

Crews

Crews must comprise 8-10 paddlers plus a drummer - squads may be larger. Crews can be mixed, all female or all male and organisations may enter more than one crew. The minimum age is 16 years and no previous experience of dragon boat racing is required. All crew members must be able to swim in light clothing and in moving water and compete entirely at their own risk. Qualified helms, buoyancy aids and water safety cover are provided by the organizers.

Rules

Gable Events is an approved operator of the British Dragon Boat Racing Association (BDA) and the Challenge will be run under BDA Festival Rules and hold a BDA Race Permit. All crews accepted for entry must abide with the competition rules and the entry details shown on this form. Each crew is guaranteed a minimum of 3 races (subject to weather conditions).

Entry Fees

£400.00 per crew. Crews may have less than 11 people but there are no fee reductions for crews of less than 11.

Entries

Will be accepted on a first come, first served basis with full payment. No refunds will be given once an entry has been accepted and there can be no refund if the event or racing has to be cancelled due to conditions outside the control of the event organizers.

Charity Sponsorship

Official sponsor forms will be supplied with your entry confirmation and all forms and money must be handed in to Race Control before your crews first race of the day. Each individual is encouraged to raise as much money as possible with £50.00 per participant as a minimum requirement.

How to enter

Please complete and sign the entry form below and return it together with your entry fee of £400.00 per crew to:

When You Wish Upon a Star, Futurist House,
Valley Road, Nottingham NG5 1JE

Please make cheques payable to When You Wish Upon a Star or call 0115 9791720 to make a card payment. Following receipt of your completed entry form and correct fee we will send confirmation of your entry, a full set of competition rules, sponsorship forms and a crew manager's information pack.

Closing Date 01/05/2015

Entry form

Crew name

Representing

Crew manager

Address

Postcode

Tel (day)

E-mail

We agree with the entry conditions above. As crew manager I certify that there will be no non-swimmers in my crew and I hereby release When You Wish Upon a Star, Gable Events and their agents, officials and volunteers for any injury or loss caused through our participation in this competition.

We compete entirely at our own risk.

Signed

(crew manager)

Photocopy as necessary



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