



Dear Paddler's Parent/Guardian;

Your young paddler is going to be participating in the 2018 Dream Factory Manitoba School Dragon Boat Challenge. It is one of the largest school activities around. More importantly, it is also a fundraiser for The Dream Factory, a local charity dedicated to fulfilling dreams for Manitoba kids who are battling life-threatening illnesses. We are based in Manitoba and all funds raised stay in the province. Everything we do is focused on helping sick kids and their families.

We are hoping that Manitoba school kids and their families will help us help Manitoba sick kids and their families by raising a minimum of \$75 per paddler.

If that isn't incentive enough to gather pledges, then please read on:

- 1) There is a special recognition race for the Top Eight Fundraising teams, and the fastest three teams each receive a trophy!
- 2) There are special bursaries for the Top Three Fundraising teams!
- 3) There are gift certificates from the Apple Store for each of the Top Three Individual Fundraisers!

How does your young paddler get involved? Easy, they can gather pledges from family, friends and neighbours and record them on the attached pledge form, and/or join their team online (their teacher will show them how) and reach out to friends and family across the country to safely and securely gather online pledges. All individual pledges gathered will contribute to their Team's Total.

To find out more about helping to making a Dream come true and bringing joy into the life of a sick kid, please e-mail dave@thedreamfactory.ca, or phone 204-989-4010. Thank you!

To learn more about The Dream Factory, please visit: www.thedreamfactory.ca

Sincerely,

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**MANITOBA SCHOOL DRAGON BOAT CHALLENGE
2018 WAIVER AND RELEASE**

IN CONSIDERATION OF my acceptance of my entry in the **2018 The Dream Factory Manitoba School Dragon Boat Challenge**, to be held June 3, 2018, and all preceding practices, I hereby waive and release the Manitoba Paddling Association (MPA) and/or The Dream Factory, their directors, officers, employees, agents, representatives, successors and assigns from and against all claims, actions, demands, costs and expense in respect to death, injury, loss or damage to my personal property, howsoever caused, contributed to or occasioned by the negligence of the MPA and The Dream Factory, their directors, officers, employees, agents, representatives, successors and assigns.

This Waiver and Release shall be binding upon me, my heirs, executors and administrators.

I hereby grant permission to any of the above, described persons to use any pictures of myself or my likeness while participating in this program without obligation or liability to me.

By signing this form I am issuing my consent for the following information to be forwarded to The Manitoba Paddling Association for administrative purposes.

This information may be used to contact me with information regarding programs and services offered by The Manitoba Paddling Association, its clubs and sponsors. This information will NOT be distributed to any outside organizations. I may decline receiving further information from the Manitoba Paddling Association by checking the box below.

- I do not want to receive information regarding future programs and services offered by the Manitoba Paddling Association and its sponsors.

PLEASE COMPLETE SECTIONS I and/or II:

I. I acknowledge that I am the full age of eighteen years. If not, I have obtained the consent of my parents to participate in this program.

I acknowledge that I have read this document before signing it and have had and opportunity to obtain an explanation as to its contents.

Dated this..... day of _____, 2018.

WITNESS

PLEASE PRINT NAME

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE

PLEASE PRINT NAME

II. If the participant is under eighteen years of age, the following should be completed by the parent or legal guardian of the participant.

I, being a parent of legal guardian of _____, hereby agree that
(NAME OF PARTICIPANT)
the foregoing Waiver and release shall be binding upon my child.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2018.

WITNESS

PLEASE PRINT NAME

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE

PLEASE PRINT NAME

ADDRESS

POSTAL CODE _____
PHONE NUMBER