



Pirate's Regatta RULES

Pirate Ship Regulations

- The Pirate Ship must be carried by Captain and Crew to the starting area.
- Only the Captain will be allowed sail the ship.
- Pirate Ship must be made with the supplies provided, including, but not limited to cardboard, duct tape, shower curtain liner, fabric, and markers.
- No use of fasteners, sealers or any other materials will be allowed.
- Trading materials is allowed between teams.
- Pirate Ship must be no longer than 6 feet and no wider than 3 feet.
- Pontoons are not Pirate Ships. Participants must build a Pirate Ship to participate.

Race Rules

- Construction Zone
 - Participants will have building materials at the Gaylord Palms Resort, lawn area, by 5 pm on the event date. Captain and Crew will have a total of 3 hours to construct their Pirate Ship. Unauthorized materials will result in disqualification.
- Means of Propulsion
 - Hand paddling is recommended.
 - Use of feet in the water to kick will result in disqualification.
 - No taping of hands.
 - No using the pool edge to propel the Pirate Ship.
- Horseplay
 - No holding on to other Pirate Ships causing them to take on water or preventing them from going forward.



- Additional Rules
 - Participants who have been disqualified are to remove their Pirate Ships from the water immediately upon being notified of disqualification.
 - Participants are to get out of the pool immediately after completion of the race and carry their Pirate Ship from the pool area.
 - All participants entering the pool must wear appropriate swimming attire.
 - All participants are required to remove the remains of their Pirate Ship from the pool area immediately after their race. Pirate Ships are not to be left in the water to see how long they will float.
 - Participants waive their right to sue due to drowning. Participate at your own risk.

Race Procedures

- Race will start at designated end of the pool.
- Participants will set their Pirate Ships in the water once the whistle blows and board.
- Participants are to paddle only down to the other end of the pool, touch the side of the pool and return to finish at the starting end.
 - Participants who fail to touch the side of the pool at the shallow end will be disqualified.
- Participants are not allowed to travel down the side of the pool using the edge of the pool to propel the Pirate Ship.
 - Using the edge of the pool to propel the Pirate Ship will result in disqualification.
- If enough Pirate Ships are present, multiple heats will be run.

Pirate's Regatta Entry Form

2021 IFMA Foundation's Pirate's Regatta's Cardboard Boat Competition

Boat Name: _____
Sponsoring Chapter/Council/Business: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Email Address: _____
Crew Members Building Pirate Ship (Up to 3 Ship Builders, including the Captain, print names):

Captain _____
Crew #1 _____
Crew #2 _____
Crew #3 _____

Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk, and Parental Consent Agreement ("Agreement") In consideration of participating in the IFMA Foundation's Pirate's Regatta, I represent that I understand the nature of the event and that I and/or my minor child am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such event. I acknowledge that if the event conditions are deemed to be unsafe, I and/or my minor child will immediately discontinue participation in the event. I am aware that event officials reserve the right to remove any participants from the line-up for any reason. I fully understand the event involves risks of serious bodily injury, including permanent disability, paralysis and death, which may be caused by my own actions, or inactions. Those of others participating in the event, the conditions in which the event takes place, or the negligence of the "RELEASEES" named below, and that there may be other risks either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time; and I fully accept and assume all such risks and all responsibility for losses, costs, and damages I incur as a result of my negligence as a result of my participation in this event. I hereby release, discharge, and covenant not to sue the IFMA Foundation, IFMA, their respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable owners and lesser of premises on which the Activity takes place, (each considered one of the "RELEASEES" herein) for all liability, claims, demands, losses or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the "RELEASEES", I will indemnify, save, and hold harmless each of the negligent rescue operations; and I further agree that if, despite this release, waiver or liability, and assumption of risk I, or anyone on my and/or my minor child's behalf makes a claim against any of the "RELEASEES", I will indemnify, save and hold harmless each of the "RELEASEES" from any loss, damage, liability, or cost which any may occur as a result of such claim. I have read this release and waiver of liability, assumption of risk, and indemnity and fully understand it.

I agree to participate in a fair and fun cardboard ship race to benefit the IFMA Foundation.

Captain Signature: _____ Date: _____

Registration Fee is \$500 donation to the IFMA Foundation, payable at <https://app.etapestry.com/onlineforms/IfmaFoundation/2021PirateRegatta.html>

Registration deadline: October 1, 2021

Email entry form to Christina.gonzales@ifma.org

