



EVENT OVERVIEW

The Oklahoma City Boathouse Foundation (OKCBF) is pleased to host the 2019 ACA Sprint & Para National Team Trials, April 12 to 14 on the Oklahoma River in downtown Oklahoma City.

The Boathouse District is made up of three boathouses, a world-class finish line tower, an 80 foot ropes course, and RIVERSPORT Rapids all located along a 1000 meter stretch of the Oklahoma River that will serve as the stage for the 2019 ACA Sprint & Para National Team Trials.

TEAM LEADERS & SCRATCH MEETING

The 2019 ACA Sprint & Para National Team Trials Team Leader & Scratch meeting will be held on Thursday, April 11 at 3 pm in the Chesapeake Finish Line Tower. NOTE: Only scratches will be allowed.

BOAT CONTROL

All boats are subject to weight and measurement specifications throughout competition. Boat Control will be open on Thursday, April 11 from 9 am to 5 pm for self-controlling. On competition days, Boat Control will open one hour prior to the start of the first event. Teams and athletes must supply their own sprint boat numbers.

REGATTA INFORMATION

The Boathouse District will open to all trailers, participants, and patrons on Wednesday, April 10 at 8 am.

FACILITY USE

Prior to competition, bathrooms are available at the SandRidge Youth Pavilion, located immediately beneath the SandRidge Sky Trail. During competition, athletes and spectators may also enjoy the CHK|Central Boathouse for race viewing.

TRAILER PARKING

Trailer parking will be located on the grounds of the CHK|Central Boathouse. All trailer spots will be pre-assigned. Please contact Event Director Aasim Saleh at (206) 799-4396 upon arrival with boat trailers and adhere to posted signage.

BOAT STORAGE & TEAM TENTS

Clubs may utilize approved areas on the grounds of the CHK|Central Boathouse for boat storage and team tents at the venue beginning 8 am Wednesday morning, April 10. Security personnel will be on duty from 8 pm to 6 am beginning Wednesday, April 10. Please contact Event Director Aasim Saleh at (206) 799-4396 before placing tents.



TIMING & RESULTS

All event timing and results will be posted on www.herenow.com.

RACE COURSE

THE OKLAHOMA RIVER

A seven mile stretch of the North Canadian River has been transformed into a series of river lakes bordered by landscaped areas, trails and recreational facilities and is known as The Oklahoma River. The Oklahoma River is dam controlled and has no measureable current. From the Boathouse District, paddlers can access a four kilometer stretch of water. The Oklahoma River is 10 to 12 feet deep.

TRAFFIC PATTERN

All athletes must use the North shore as a warm up lane during competition.

STARTING GATES

OKCBF plans to install starting gates at the 200m. All other races will use floating starts. Starting gate practice will be held on Friday, April 12 at 3 pm.

REGATTA UPDATES

Please continue to check <https://www.riversportokc.org/events/sprint-slalom-team-trials/> for regatta updates, schedule updates, or racing information.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

The Chief Official and the LOC will work together to monitor the weather continuously during the event. Should it be determined that schedule changes are necessary due to weather concerns, the following communication plan will be utilized.

Teams are responsible for staying updated on announced schedule changes.

- Delay racing later the same day, if time is available.
- Begin racing earlier than previously announced. Announcement will be made no later than three hours before racing or 9 pm the evening before in the case of morning racing.
- Combine events.
- Cancel regatta.

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