







June 1, 2022,

Dear National Team Members,

The Pan American Canoe Federation (COPAC), Canoe Kayak Canada (CKC) and the Atlantic Division CanoeKayak Canada (ADCKC) are pleased to welcome you to beautiful Lake Banook in Dartmouth, Nova Scotia for the 2022 Pan American Canoe Sprint Championships.

This elite competition will also serve as the Pan American Games qualifier. Our goal is to provide all athletes and team members with a one-of-a-kind experience.

The Atlantic Division CanoeKayak Canada will be preparing ongoing communications to ensure all participants have useful information and can best prepare for their stay here in Dartmouth.

We look forward to seeing you all in August.

Sincerely,

Robin Thomson Executive Director - ADCKC

About Halifax / Dartmouth:

During your stay, we hope you take the time to check out some amazing attractions and experience our unique culture and heritage. Nearby attractions include the Canadian Museum of Immigration at Pier 21, Maritime Museum of the Atlantic, Halifax Citadel National Historic Site, Peggy's Cove, Halifax Harbour Water Tours and the Public Gardens.

Click here for more information.

Nelo, Official Boat Supplier:

We are pleased to announce Nelo as our Official Boat Supplier. Visit the Nelo rental portal (http://www.nelorental.com/events/pan-am-championships-2022) to arrange all your boat rental requirements.

Accommodations:

The Host Organizing Committee has pre-arranged preferred rates at Dartmouth hotels to ensure all teams' needs are met.

Please note that August is one of the busiest months for the local hotel industry. It is very important that all teams book their rooms and paid directly. Note that rooms can be cancelled based on each hotel's cancellation policy without penalty. Please note all prices are indicated in Canadian dollars.

Preferred Hotel	Rate	# of Rooms Available	Reservation Information	Dates rooms are reserved	Deadline for Booking and Payment
The Hearth Stone Inn *Includes parking, wi-fi and grab & go breakfast	\$149.49 (includes all tax, based on double occupancy)	20 Double Rooms	Call 1-800-422-8025 or email reservations@m icmachotel.com *Indicate you are booking for Pan Am Championship	August 8 - 12, 2022	August 4, 2022
Doubletree by Hilton * Includes parking and wi-fi	\$182.85 (includes all tax, based on double occupancy)	29 Double Rooms	Click Here for On-Line Reservation	August 9 - 12, 2022	June 9, 2022
Hampton Inn & Suites by Hilton * Includes parking, wi-fi, full hot buffet breakfast & on the run breakfast bags	\$217.35 (includes all tax, based on double occupancy)	30 Double Rooms	Call 1-877-406-770 1 *Indicate you are booking for Pan Am Championship s- code PAN Click Here for Online Reservation	August	July 7, 2022

<u>Click here</u> for a map of where all hotels are in proximity to the racecourse and athlete village.

VIsa Information:

Depending on your citizenship, visitors to Canada may require a visa to enter the country. Processing times for visa applications vary depending on the visa office and the time if year. It is recommended that apply approximately 12 weeks prior to your departure date.

Federations can check to see if they require a visa through this link.

Should you need a letter of invitation, please email robin@adckc.ca and one will be issued for you.

For more information on a visitor visa, please visit the IRCC website.

Processing times for visa applications are encouraged to check the processing times calculator for guidance, but it is recommended to apply 12 weeks this link. Should you or your support of your application. IRCC website.

Transportation Information:

Airport Shuttles can be booked directly with TJ's Transport Services. They are both an able-bodied and para transport company. The cost for a 5-person van is \$55.00 from the Halifax Airport to any of the hotels listed above. To book this service please contact: <u>Susan Landry</u>.

Racecourse Shuttles will happen twice in the morning and twice in the afternoon from August 9 - 12, 2022. There will be able-bodied and para transport provided.

Participation Fee:

The participation fee for the Pan American Championships will be \$35.00 CAD. These fee are due on June 12, 2022. Payment details will follow.

Entries:

June 12, 2022 Numerical Entries Due
July 17, 2022 Nominal Entries Due

Look for Upcoming Announcements and Additional Details!

For More Information / Questions, Contact:

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