



Canadian Outrigger Racing Association



Hello paddlers,

Want to represent Team Canada at the IVF 2019 World Long Distance Championships?

Event info to date:

Unfortunately, the website has not been updated but it does cover off the location and some general info. <http://www.ivfiv.org/2019-world-distance-champs.html>

Location:

Mooloolaba, Australia

Dates:

August 9-16, followed by the Aussie Aito V1 race August 17th.

Race Distances tbc:

V6 approx 25km

V1 approx 15km

Distances for older categories 60-70's will likely be shorter.

Team Canada entries:

Each IVF Member Nation is eligible for one entry per age category/gender.

Ok, I want to go, now what?

To start off we are asking paddlers that wish to compete for a spot on the team to fill in the attached 'Paddler Intent Form'.

A brief outline of the selection process is on page 1. A more detailed outline will be released in the coming months.

You will notice that the intent form is a little more involved this time around. Please be as thorough as possible when filling out the information. When discussing your paddling history, please focus on the past decade if you feel the need to narrow things down.

The confirmed dates for ROUND 1 will be determined in the coming weeks.

Please note that ROUND 1 is just that, the first round. It will be used to identify potential athletes that the coaching committee would like to see go head-to-head in the final selections, aka ROUND 2. Though athletes may attend more than one location for ROUND 1, trying to get a better time trial time in round 1 will not necessarily guarantee you a spot in ROUND 2.

Also on the intent form that all age categories are represented at the event. Please select the age category you wish to try out for. There may be an opportunity to fill a seat on a different age category (age eligibility depending) based on the registration of participants. (i.e. If you are 70 and we do not have enough 70 year olds we will move you to the 60 year old category).

If you have any additional questions at this time feel free to email us at:

ivf@canadianoutrigger.ca

Stay tuned for additional information, we are looking to recruit coaches to assist the IVF committee and will be sending out information soon.



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CORA is supporting the 2019 IVF Project with \$5000 in funding. At this point in time we intend to make use of that funding by supporting crews with coaching and camp opportunities, hence this will be a 'user pay' event in which paddlers are expected to cover their personal costs for all event expenses in addition to extra travel for training prior to the 2019 event.