

MEMORANDUM



To	Member States		
From	AusDBF on behalf of Rex Tindal / Mary Weaver		
Date	08 January 2020	Document No	M-0025
Subject	Calling for Juniors for JOEYS 2020 - AusChamps, Penrith		

Are you a junior dragon boater coming to Penrith, Sydney with your club, school or state team?? Or would you like to?

We invite you to join the Joeys - an all Junior racing team!

The Joeys were developed in 2016 and endorsed by AusDBF to encourage racing opportunities for our youngest athletes.

What do you need to join the Joeys?

- * Current membership with a nationally recognised Dragon Boat club.
- * Be between 10 and 18 years on April 11, 2020
- * Parental permission
- * Club permission
- * Pay entry to AusDBF:

The cost is \$27.50 per paddler per category and event (opens, women's, mixed, 200m/500m/2000m) entered.

This means.... if you enter both opens/women's and mixed both days it will be \$165. This includes all mixed distances and opens/women's distances.

If you enter only mixed both days or only opens or women's both days, it will be \$82.50. This would be a 2km plus 200m and 500m.

If you enter one full day \$82.50 which covers 2km plus 500m or 200m depending on the day attending.

Why join the Joeys?

- * More opportunities to race at National level
- * Meet like-minded paddlers from around the country
- * Meet and paddle with past and current Auroras

Note: Juniors racing with the Joeys can also race with their club crews. Club racing will be priority and we will work with paddlers and club coaches to enable this.

More details about "The Joeys" can be found in the attached AusDBF Competition Regulations and Rules of Racing, page 40

How do you join?

- * Complete the RSVP form here <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Joeys2020>

"Our Mission: To connect people with dragon boating across Australia"

* You will be sent an email and details of payment once all names and entries are worked out. The amount owed must be paid prior to racing. If you compete in extra events or if paddlers join teams during the event, they will be invoiced by AusDBF for entry.

Deadline for RSVP is 9th February 2020.

If you have any concerns or questions please feel free to contact Mary via maryjuniorauroras@gmail.com or 0410655764.

We look forward to seeing all our Junior paddlers out on the water together again in Sydney 2020.

AusDBF Development Team

