

16th Annual Oriental Dragon Boat Race & Festival

SATURDAY, August 8, 2025

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 7:00am – Teams Practicing
- 7:00am – Vendors Arrive
- 7:30am Cars & Golf Carts drop off Supplies
- 7:30am Teams and Attendees Arrive
- 7:30am Vendors Open
- 7:00am – 8:00 Military Teams & NCJROTC Practice
- 8:15am Team Captains Meeting By Pam Am Official
- 9:00am National Anthem:
 - Sung by TammyLynn Melody
 - Pledge of Allegiance Senator Norm Sanderson
 - Prayer: Senator Norm Sanderson
- 9:30am Parade Line-up:
 - Drumming Dragons Playing
 - Minerva the Dragon Leading
 - followed by Oriental Dragon Masters
 - followed by Parade of Teams
- 9:45am Welcome LeeAnne Miller River Dumes
 - Sally Belangia – Oriental Mayor
- 9:55am Dotting the Eye of the Dragon
- 10:00 am First Teams to Marshalling Area
- 10:30 Timed Heats Begin
- 12:30-1:15pm – LUNCH BREAK
 - Announcements & Music
- 1:00pm Dragon Boat Races Continue
- 3:30pm Dragon Boat Races Conclude
 - Announcement of Non Profit Winners of Raffle Items
 - Announcement of Team Winners for Different Divisions
- 3:30pm – 4:15pm Awards Ceremony and Thanks