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BELITONG GEOPARK INTERNATIONAL KAYAK MARATHON

2018

TANJUNG KELAYANG
 27-29 JULY

ORGANIZED BY:



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SEA KAYAK/ CANOE CLUB INDONESIA

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COMPETITION INFO

Belitong Island or popularly known as Negeri Laskar Pelangi (*The Rainbow Troops - Indonesian Famous Movie*) is a beautiful island that is surrounded by small islands distinguished by the appearance of huge granitic rocks in between.

The beach waves are relatively calm, makes it a perfect '*playground*' for upper surface as well as under water activities, such as swimming, snorkeling, or even scuba diving and of course *kayaking as well as standup paddling*.

Belitong Geopark International Kayak Marathon 2018 is not only a moment for self achievement, but also a moment to explore and enjoy the beauty of nature and its culture.

Belitong Island has one of the most breathtaking views that you will never forget.

Just be there! The New Adventure is calling...

INVITATION



Belitong Geopark
International Kayak Marathon 2018
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Belitong, June 2018

Number : 013/BGKIM2018/VI/2018
Subject : **Letter of Invitation**
Attachment

To:

Dear Sir,

With regard to the **Belitong Geopark International Kayak Marathon 2018** event, which venue to be held on the 27th July 2018 through 29th July 2018 at Tanjung Kelayang Beach- Belitong Island, we cordially invite you to participate in the said event.

Class / Category:

1. K1 Kayak Marathon 21km
2. K2 Kayak Marathon 21km
3. Standup Paddleboard Exhibition Competition

Qualifications:

1. Minimum of 17 year of age.
2. Physically healthy and mentally sound
3. K1 maximum length / dimension of 520cm and minimum 8kg in weight, K2 maximum length / dimension of 650cm and minimum weight of 12kg, all measured in empty load.
4. May be equipped with manually operated Bilge Pump.
5. No foreign substance may be added to boats which give competitors an unfair advantage. The use of hull lubricants is not permitted.

Registration and information are available through the web page <https://kayakmarathon2018.belitonggeopark.com>. For further information and inquiry, please contact the committee through mobile number: Ade Satari +62811183165 or Carles Simson +628137572525

We are looking forward to seeing you in the event.

Sincerely yours,


Ade R. Satari
Chief of Committee BGKIM2018



HOW TO GET THERE



By airplane.

The one and only airport in Beautiful Belitong island is Hanandjoeddin International Airport, Tanjungpandan (TJQ). There are up to 11 flights frequencies in a day that connect Jakarta (CGK), Palembang (PLM), Batam (BTH) and Pangkal Pinang (PGK) to TJQ by various airlines such as: *Garuda Indonesia Airways, Citilink, Sriwijaya Air, Nam Air, Lion Air, Batik air, Wings Air.*

Direct flight from Jakarta takes 45 minutes by airplane. The flight from Palembang and Batam will transit for couple of minutes in Pangkal Pinang. In addition, some charter flights have operates from Singapore and Kuala Lumpur to Tanjungpandan. However, we are waiting for confirmation about the international commercial flight . If it starts in 2018, we will update soon on our website.

HOW TO GET THERE



By ship

Alternatively, visitor can take the sea route by PELNI passenger ship from Tanjung Priok Harbor, Jakarta to Tanjungpandan where the approximately duration takes 16-18 hours.

From the Provincial capital, Pangkalpinang, you can get to Belitung Island by taking Express Bahari speed boats that will take 4 hours. This is by far the most convenient means of Sea transportation and comes complete with air conditioner. Bahari express leaves daily at 14:00 pm from Pangkalpinang, Bangka, to Belitung, and leaves at 07:00 am from Tanjungpandan Belitung to Pangkalpinang. The speed boat serves passenger up to 4 times in a week.

From the airport to Tanjung Kelayang Beach

You can find free shuttle bus in Hanandjoeddin airport that will bring you to Tanjungpandan downtown and Tanjung Kelayang Beach. From airport, it takes 20 minutes to the city and 50 minutes to Tanjung Kelayang beach. The bus operates from 8 am until 4 pm everyday.

Visitors also can take taxi which approximately cost IDR 100,000 to the city and IDR 200,000 to the beach. Reservation can be done on the helpdesk, at the airport. Online transportation including Grab and Gojek have been operating in Tanjungpandan. Car rent is provided by tour and travel with reasonable price as well as the excursion program. Tourism information center in airport opens from 8 am until 4 pm on weekday and will close earlier on weekend.

CATEGORY AND PRIZES

KAYAK K1 MARATHON 21KM FOR MEN/ WOMEN

1ST 7,500,000

2ND 5,000,000

3RD 2,500,000

WOMEN PADDLER AWARD 2,500,000

FINISHER MEDALS

REGISTRATION FEE : Rp. 400,000,-

KAYAK K2 MARATHON 21 KM FOR MEN/ WOMEN/ MIX

1ST 10,000,000

2ND 7,500,000

3RD 5,000,000

FINISHER MEDALS

REGISTRATION FEE : Rp. 550,000,-

TRADITIONAL CANOE 5KM

1ST 4,000,000

2ND 2,000,000

3RD 1,000,000

FINISHER MEDALS

REGISTRATION FEE : Rp. 250,000,-

STAND UP PADDLE BOARD (EXHIBITION)

1ST TROPHY

2ND TROPHY

3RD TROPHY

REGISTRATION FEE : Rp. 200,000,-

TOTAL PRIZE 78,000,000,- (prize money, medals, trophy, certificate)

GENERAL RULES

1. Competitors are minimum 17th years of age or for competitors under 17th years of age require legal guardian signature, but not less than 15th years of age.
2. All competitors are required to wear Life Jacket/ PFD (Personal Floatation Device) during all races.
3. The safety of all participants and competitions are the number one priority of the Race Director. Route, distance and time of race may be changed with regard to weather or safety condition.
4. Paddlers must wear event's BIB with number, outside of their life jackets at all times during the competition.
5. All participants are responsible for her or his own safety and must ensure that they are healthy, fit, and able to meet the demands of the competition.
6. Competitors must be responsible and using their own equipment. Disqualification may be applied to competitors who are tampering and / or disturbing other competitor's equipment
7. Consumption of alcohol or doping is PROHIBITED
8. It is prohibited, under any circumstances, to use and/or reproduce, also in different colors, the Belitong Geopark International Kayak Marathon 2018 logo for any promotion activities, merchandize or any other purpose, only the committee has the right.
9. It will not be allowed to bring your own sponsor branded products or to put sponsors' banners with their brand name on the race equipment (Kayak/ Canoe/ SUP/ Paddle etc) and around the venue of the event without organizer permission.
10. Any Competitor who attempts to compete in a race by any other than honorable means, or who breaks the racing regulations, or who disregards the honorable nature of the racing regulations will be penalized or disqualified for the duration of the race concerned.
11. A later protest shall be referred to the Chief Judge and handed to the Race Director accompanied by the prescribed fee US\$ 100 (the fee will be refunded if the protest is upheld) not later than 1 hour after the result announcement. Only Videos or Photos are considered as evidence.

KAYAK MARATHON RULES

Kayak Marathon is a paddling sport in which athletes paddle a kayak using double-bladed paddle over a long distance to the finish line. All of the competitors are required to bring their own kayak and necessary equipment. A number of tandem kayaks (K2) are available on a first come first serve basis. Please check with the committee for the availability.

Limitation of Kayak

K1 : 520cm Maximum Length and 8kg Minimum Weight

K2 : 650cm Maximum Length and 12kg Minimum Weight

1. All kinds of building materials are permitted. Sections and longitudinal lines of the hull shall not be concave (only horizontally and vertically). Steering rudders are allowed. The maximum thickness of the rudder blade must not exceed 10 mm in the case of K-1 and K-2 if the rudder blade forms an extension to the length of the kayak.
2. The length of a kayak shall be measured between the extremes of the stem and stern. Stern bands or other protection of the stem or stern, if any, are to be included. Any rudder forming a continuation of the length of a kayak is not included in the measurement. The weight of a kayak shall be measured when the boat has been emptied of excess water and may include buoyancy, seats, footrests, steering gear and fixed pumps, but excluding paddles, spray decks and drink containers.
3. Manually operated pumps may be fitted in kayaks. Bailers which interrupt the line of the hull are not permitted. Electrically operated pumps may only be used when the race organizers require it on safety grounds. Automatic or pump bailers may be fitted in both kayaks and canoes.
4. No foreign substance may be added to boats which give competitors an unfair advantage. Hull lubricants is not permitted
5. All of competitor must register on each check point and follow the challenge instruction given by the check point's marshal
6. Start/ Finish on the beach, competitors must cross the Start/ Finish line with their Paddle

TRADITIONAL CANOE MARATHON RULES

Traditional Canoe Marathon is a paddling sport in which people rowing a canoe using wood single-bladed paddle on their foot (the way of local people using their traditional canoe) over a long distance to the finish line.

1. Limitation of Canoe: Free Length and Weight but must be made from wood and Using Wood Single Bladed Paddle (Traditional Canoe of Belitong).
2. All of the competitors are free to bring their own canoe.
3. No foreign substance may be added to boats which give competitors an unfair advantage. The use of hull lubricants is not permitted.
4. All of competitor must register on each check point and follow the challenge instruction given by the check point's marshall.
5. Start/ Finish on the beach, competitors must cross the Start/ Finish line with their Paddle.

STANDING UP PADDLE BOARD RULES

1. Limitation of SUP: maximum of Length – 14' ft (428 cm), No Weight Restriction, No minimum dimensions. All of the competitors are free to bring their own SUP.
2. All of the competitors are required to wear a leash and a Life Jacket/ PFD.
3. A competitor must be standing while paddling once a race has started (prone paddlers excluded) until crossing over the finish line. A competitor is allowed to sit, lay or kneel to rest without making forward progress. If a competitor takes more than five strokes while sitting, laying or kneeling once a race has started the competitor may be disqualified (DNF). The exception with this would be for safety reasons where a competitor needs to avoid or may be put into a potentially dangerous situation that would put them or others at risk of injury and or property damage.
4. A competitor shall only use the paddle, waves and wind to propel the board forward during a race. No outside assistance drafting a vessel not in the race, form of a sail, clothing designed to catch wind, or any other speed device not considered the norm to SUP or paddleboard racing is allowed.
5. The safety of all participants and competitions are the number one priority of the event's committee. Participants shall attend all competitor meetings and race postings to keep themselves informed with the typical conditions for the race and also the day of conditions to be expected. All competitors should be mindful with any persons that may be in danger during the course of the race and should assist or help get safety staff attention.
6. All of competitor must register on each check point and follow the challenge instruction given by the check point's marshall.
7. Start/ Finish on the beach, competitors must cross the Start/ Finish line with their Paddle.

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