

2023 MILFORD OYSTER FESTIVAL

CANOE & KAYAK RACE REGISTRATION FORM

DATE:

Saturday, August 19, 2023

Race Start Time: 8:30 a.m. Registration 7:30 a.m.

PLACE:

Milford Harbor East Ramp Boat Launch, behind Milford Library

ENTRY FEE:

Pre-registration Entry Fee: \$20.00 per person. Deadline is August 13th. Race Day Entry Fee: \$25.00 per person

Official Oyster Festival T-shirts to the first 60 registrants.

RACE CLASSES: (Please Circle One)

Canoe Classes are mixed men & women. Any size boat acceptable. Competition cruisers and marathon pro boats are not allowed.

KAYAK – MEN	Outrigger-Women
KAYAK – WOMEN	Paddleboard -Men
KAYAK -Tandem	Paddleboard-Women
Outrigger-men	Canoe

OFFICIAL RULES:

1. Race participants must wear a DEEP approved full-vest personal floatation device.
2. Each race entrant must complete & sign application and include entry fee.
3. No extra devices or assistance from any source will be permitted.
4. Each boat will be provided with a number to be attached to the right side of the race participant or boat.
5. No person under the age of 10 years old is permitted in boats.
6. Parent's signature is required for all persons under 18 years of age.
7. Failure to follow these rules may result in disqualification and forfeiture of entry fee and all prizes.
8. Rules questions must be submitted to the race committee whose decisions are final.

WAIVER:

In consideration for allowing me to compete in the 49th Annual Milford Oyster Festival Canoe & Kayak Race ("Race") to be held on Saturday, August 19, 2023, I hereby waive any and all liability that Annual Milford Oyster Festival, Inc., its Officers, Directors, members, participants, agents, and sponsors may have to me arising from my participation in the Race. I warrant that I have read the rules, which govern this Race, and, as an individual participant in this Race, I understand that I do not automatically become the "stand on (privileged) vessel" simply by virtue of participating in this marine event. This understanding of the rules is especially true for meeting, crossing, and overtaking situations between Race participants and vessels constrained by draft or vessels restricted in their ability to maneuver. Furthermore, I hereby agree to hold harmless Annual Milford Oyster Festival, Inc., its Officers, Directors, members, participants, agents, and sponsors for

any and all damage including personal injury or to property which may offer to me, my equipment or property that may arise in relation to my participation in the 49th Annual Milford Oyster Festival Canoe and Kayak Race.

I ATTEST THAT I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE ABOVE WAIVER AND HAVE SIGNED THIS WAIVER FREELY, VOLUNTARILY AND WITHOUT DURESS.

Name (print): _____ Tel: _____
Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Age: _____

T-Shirt Size (Circle one):

SMALL / MEDIUM / LARGE / XTRA LARGE

Signature / Parent's signature is required if under 18 years of age.
Date _____

Email Address: _____

***Best In Show award for best costume/theme boat**

Questions/Information: info@milfordoysterfestival.com

Make Checks Payable To: AMOF

Mail entries to: AMOF Canoe & Kayak Race, P.O. Box 5161,
Milford, Connecticut 06460