

ROWING CANADA AVIRON

EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN & FIRST AID PLAN 2022 NRC'S REGATTA, NOV 10-13

This event will abide by all safety rules outlined in the 2022 RCA Rules of Racing, and the Event Sanction Application associated with this regatta.

KEY CONTACTS

Regatta Organizing Committee Chair: Matt Draper, RCA

Chief Umpire: Melanie Bryce

As stated in the RCA Rules of Racing (Section 11.11), the Chief Umpire is responsible for the application of the Rules of Racing to a sanctioned regatta and shall uphold the principles of safety, fair competition and good sportsmanship.

Safety Officer: Matt Draper, RCA (250 634 8529)

As stated in the RCA Rules of Racing (Section 8.2), the focus of the Safety Advisor is to ensure that appropriate safety measures have been implemented for the safe running of the regatta and observe any breaches of safety practices during the regatta.

First Aid/Medical Officer: Dr. Mike Wilkinson & when available St. John First Aid officer on site.

As stated in the RCA Rules of Racing (Section 8.3), the Organizing Committee shall appoint a qualified person as the regatta Medical Advisor with specific responsibilities for ensuring that appropriate medical support and facilities are readily accessible to the regatta. First aid facilities on land at the regatta site and a rescue service on the water must be available at all times.

IN THE CASE OF AN EMERGENCY

Charge Person: Matt Draper, 250 634 8529

This individual will take control of the situation and activate other components of the Emergency Action Plan.

Call Person: John Rose (Boat Park Coordinator for the Regatta). jrose@rowingcanada.org
(cell # TBC)

This individual will call for emergency help, provide all necessary information to dispatch, ensure that emergency vehicles will be able to access the required location on site.

Available safety equipment:

6 umpire and 5 safety launches.

Radios for each launch will be provided.

St. John First Aid equipment as provided

There will be an AED on land at the Clerk of course tent and in the Lodge.

All launches will have PFD's and appropriate safety equipment.

In the case of an on-water emergency, the following protocols will be followed:

RCA medical staff will provide guidance to safety launches on the water.

Athletes will be assessed and taken by boat to either the regatta Site, or secondary site.

St. John to assess, and will be called to meet safety launch at appropriate location.

In the case of a medical emergency, the following protocols will be followed:

RCA will have St. John on site, plus Medical Practitioners on hand including RCA's CMO. If additional assistance is required 911 will be called.

First Aid Provider: St Johns Ambulance, Duncan - plus RCA Medical Practitioners

Location of First Aid:

Duncan Community Lodge – main building

Regatta Site:

Duncan Community Lodge – 2244 Moose Road, Duncan BC

Secondary access point (for medical emergencies, umpire change over, TV Drone landing and on water evacuation only) – Art Mann Park – 5990 Indian Road, Duncan BC

Nearest Clinic:

Duncan Family Practice and walk in Clinic – 2763 Beverly st, Duncan BC

Monday – Friday 9:00 – 17:00

Saturday , Sunday 10:00 – 13:00

Nearest Pharmacy:

Shoppers Drug Mart – 361 Trans- Canada HWY, Duncan BC

Monday – Friday 8:00 – 22:00

Saturday, Sunday 9:00 – 19:00

Nearest Hospital:

Cowichan District Hospital: 3045 Gibbins Road, Duncan BC

Emergency – 24 hrs

Monday – Friday 7:30 – 15:30

Saturday , Sunday 9:30 – 15:30