



2023 Asian Rowing U-19 & U-23 Championships
and
2023 Asian Rowing Masters Regatta

14th - 18th December 2023

Pattaya - Rayong, Thailand

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International Jury

The International Jury will be appointed by the ARF Umpires Committee.

1. General Introduction of Ban Chang, Rayong, Thailand:



Ban Chang district is a city in the eastern of Thailand. The area originally was Tambon Phala of Mueang Rayong District. Neighboring districts are (from the west clockwise) Sattahip, Bang Lamung of Chonburi Province, Nihom Phatthana and Mueang Rayong of Rayong Province. To the south is the Gulf of Thailand. Ban Chang also features three beaches with Phala Beach to the west, Phayun Beach in the center and Nam Rin Beach on the eastern side of the district, with Nam Rin being the longer beach of the three. Coordinates: 12°43'42"N 101°3'59"E

2. Competition Information:

2.1 Competition Dates : 14th – 18th December 2023

2.2 Competition Venue : The Royal Thai Navy Rowing Training Center, Pattaya - Rayong, Thailand



2.3 Provisional Table :

Provisional Table for 2023 ARJC & U-23 & Masters (Version-2)														
		Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	Day 8	Day 9				
		11-Dec-23	12-Dec-23	13-Dec-23	14-Dec-23	15-Dec-23	16-Dec-23	17-Dec-23	18-Dec-23	19-Dec-23				
Team Arrival		Team Arrival	Daily Training Schedule from 07:30 hrs to 30 mins before the first starting each day								Departure			
Training sessions in the afternoon are commenced when daily races are finished until 17:30														
				Junior U-23	Group A Prelim/Heat	Junior U-23	Group B Prelim/Heat	Junior U-23	A&B R/Semi	Junior U-23	Group A Final	Junior U-23	Group B Final	
08:00 hrs	Venue Official Open													U-19 Women & Men 1x 2x
09:00 hrs	Boat Rental Distributed	Training Sessions	Training Sessions											2- 4x 4 -
10:00 hrs														U- 23 Women & Men Open & Lightweight 1x 2x 2- 4x 4 -
11:00 hrs			Rescue Rehearsal											
12:00 hrs														
13:00 hrs														
14:00 hrs			Practice Start	Masters Training Session	Group A&B Training Session	Masters Training Session	Group A&B Training Session	Master Prelim	Group A&B Prelim	Masters Final	Group A Final	Masters Final	Group B Final	AR Masters Women & Men 1x 2x 2- 4x 4 - Age Cate. 27+ 36+ 43+ 50+ 55+ 60+ 65+ 70+
15:00 hrs			Team Manager Meeting											
16:00 hrs			Jury and ITO Meeting											
17:00 hrs														

2.4 Events:

The Asian Rowing U-19 & U-23 Championships will consist of the following

Junior Men : 1x, 2x, 2-, 4-, 4x

Junior Women : 1x, 2x, 2-, 4-, 4x

U-23 Men : 1x, 2x, 2-, 4-, 4x, Lw1x, Lw2x, Lw2-, Lw4x and Lw4 -

U-23 Women : 1x, 2x, 2-, 4-, 4x, Lw1x, Lw2x, Lw2-, Lw4x and Lw4 -

The Asian Rowing Masters Ragatta will consist of the following (Any Ages Categories)

Men : 1x, 2x, 2-, 4-, 4x

Women : 1x, 2x, 2-, 4-, 4x

Event Groupings:

The events will be divided into two Groups, A and B for scheduling purposes.

The Groups are as follows:

U-19

Group A	Group B
JM1x	JW1x
JM2x	JW2x
JM2-	JW2-
JW4-	JM4x
JW4x	JM4-

U-23

Group A	Group B
LM4x	LM1x
LM2-	LM2x
M2x	M4x
M1x	M4 -
M2-	LW4x
LW1x	W4 -
LW2x	W1x
LW2-	W2-
W4x	W2x

Masters

Group A	Group B
M1x	W1x
M2x	W2x
M2-	W2-
W4-	M4x
W4x	M4-

Teams are strongly advised **not to make double-up entries** for athletes or crews or share equipment in the same Group. Teams doing so, make such entries entirely at their own risk and no changes to the race schedule will be made to accommodate these entries.

Note: In case of, there are less than 6 MFs participating, the Championships will be cancelled.

2.5 Entries

Entry by number is due to 20 October 2023 and Final Entry by name is due by 20 November 2023 and must include the events to be entered, the total number of athletes in the team, and the number of officials accompanying the team.

The completed Final Entry must include all necessary information for each crew, including name with date of birth of each athlete, all team members and substitutes and officials.

Entry Forms Final Entries are attached to this Bulletin. These should be filled in and forwarded to the Organizing Committee, with a copy to ARF headquarters, by the stipulated date.

2.6 Weather

The past average weather conditions in Ban Chang in December are as follows:

Average daily maximum air temperature (°C)	30.5	Predominant wind direction	210° SSW
Average daily minimum air temperature (°C)	33.5	Average wind speed	15.3 km/hr
Average relative humidity (%)	80	Maximum wind speed	28.1 km/hr
Average monthly rainfall (mm)	150.5		

3. Boats and Equipment

3.1 All boats and other equipment must comply with FISA Rules of Racing.

3.2 Participating teams will be encouraged to bring their own boats and oars if possible. All Nfs can contact to all FISA official boat suppliers for boats rental to participate the championships. OC may response only the competitions's arrangement.

3.3 If you cannot bring your own boats, ARF and RCAT provide the partnerships for the boats rental. **Please fill the Annex 3 (Boats and Oars Rental Form) and directly contact to the partnerships boat companies no later than 20 October 2023.** After this date, there is no guarantee of boat availability.

- **ARF Partnerships** : Peisheng Boat Company. Contact E-mail : angela@ps-boat.com and please kindly inform OC for acknowledge via: rcatarfevents@gmail.com



- **RCAT Partnerships** : Swift Racing Company. Contact E-mail : cary.wang@swiftracing.com and please kindly inform OC for acknowledge via: rcatarfevents@gmail.com



- The boat rental charges for all partnerships boat companies :

Single scull (1x)	60	USD/boat/day
Double scull (2x) and Pair (2-)	70	USD/boat/day
Quadruple Scull (4x) and Four (4-)	80	USD/boat/day

Please note that all the boat rental must have deposit \$200/boat/event

Official Shipping Agent

If Nfs want to bring own boats by container, please contact to belows,
Official Freight Forwarder: WYNN International Logistics Co., Ltd.
Sirirat Junjirunkul (JOY)
Sales Director
WYNN International Logistics Co., Ltd.
2029/47-49 H.P Tower 3rd, Charoenkrung Rd.,
Wat Phraya Krai, Bang Kho Laem, Bangkok 10120 Thailand
Tel: +66 2125 7837 Ext.456, Mobile: +66 83 496 2897
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4. Oars rental

Each team is highly recommended to bring their own oars and sculls as the blades of all oars/sculls must be painted on both sides in the colors of the respective Federations. **If you need to rent oars and sculls OC may prepare them at the rate \$100/pair of scull, \$120/pair of sweep, for whole event.**

5. Transportation:

OC arranges the round trip from airport – accommodation, local transportation from the venue to hotel and also turn during the event. **The transportation fee is 80 USD per person (with or without oars). The transportations from official accommodation to the venue and return are included in the accommodation fee.**

6. Accommodation and Meals:

6.1 Kantary Hotel, Ban Chang (<https://www.kantaryhotel-banchang.com/>) distance 20 mins to the venue



6.2 Long Beach Garden Hotel & Pavilions, North Pattaya (<https://www.longbeachpattaya.com/>) distance 45 mins to the venue



The both hotels will be the official hotel. OC prepares the fullboard meals and the transportations between the official hotel and the venue. The reservation must be made through OC only no later than **20 October 2023**.

Twins-sharing room 80 USD/person/night
Single room 110 USD/person/night

7. Visa :

All visitors to Pattaya, Thailand require a visa except citizens of countries where an exemption has been granted. An Official Letter of Invitation will be sent via email to each National Federation. Do not delay in beginning your visa process. Official Letter of Invitation requests can be made to the Organizing Committee at visa@rcat.or.th

One invitation letter will be provided for the entire team. Please keep in mind that visa should be obtained before travelling to Thailand.

There are 57 countries that have bilateral treaties with Thailand and their nationalities are granted visa exemption. Under the Visa Exemption Program and Bilateral Agreements, there are 5 countries that are granted 90 days permit to stay and 52 countries are granted 45 days stay in Thailand.

The table below shows and gives details on countries which may enter the country with and without asking for visa. Please check the detail as following picture or further details via the website of Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Kingdom of Thailand or Department of Consular Affairs via website: <https://consular.mfa.go.th>

Summary of Countries and Territories entitled for Visa Exemption and Visa on Arrival to Thailand

Ordinary Passport						Diplomatic/Official Passport			
Passport holders of the following countries/ territories may apply for Visa on Arrival	Passport holders of the following countries/ territories may enter Thailand without a visa					Passport holders of the following countries/ territories may enter Thailand without a visa			
	Tourist Visa Exemption Scheme***			Bilateral Agreement		Bilateral Agreement			
Period of stay	Period of stay			Period of stay		Period of stay			
30 days ***	45 days ****			45 days****	45 days****	90 days	45 days****	90 days	
Bulgaria	Andorra	Norway	Brazil*	Cambodia	Hong Kong**	Argentina	Bangladesh	Albania	Nepal
Bhutan	Australia	Oman	Korea (ROK)*	Myanmar	Laos	Brazil*	(Diplomatic only)	Argentina	Panama
China	Austria	The Philippines	Peru*	<i>(International airports only)</i>	Macau	Chile	Brunei	Austria	Peru
Cyprus	Belgium	Poland	Hong Kong**		Mongolia	Korea (ROK)*	Cambodia	Belarus	The Philippines
Ethiopia	Bahrain	Portugal	Vietnam**		Russia (&VoA)	Peru*	China	Belgium	Poland
Fiji	Brunei	Qatar			Vietnam**		Ecuador	Bhutan	Romania
Georgia	Canada	San Marino					Hong Kong	Brazil	Russia
India	Czech Republic	Saudi Arabia					Indonesia	Serbia	
Kazakhstan	Denmark	Singapore					Kazakhstan	Bulgaria	Seychelles
Malta	Estonia	Slovak					Laos	Chile	Slovakia
Mexico	Finland	Slovenia					Macau	Colombia	South Africa
Nauru	France	Spain					Malaysia	Costa Rica	<u>Spain</u>
Papua New Guinea	Germany	South Africa					Mongolia	Croatia	<i>(Diplomatic only)</i>
Romania	Greece	Sweden					Mozambique	Czech Republic	Sri Lanka
Saudi Arabia	Hungary	Switzerland					Myanmar	El Salvador	Switzerland
Taiwan	Iceland	Turkey					Oman	Estonia	Tajikistan
Uzbekistan	Indonesia	Ukraine					<u>Pakistan</u>	Finland	Tunisia
Vanuatu	Ireland	UAE					<i>(Diplomatic only)</i>	Singapore	Turkey
	Israel	UK					Singapore	Timor-Leste	Ukraine
	Italy	USA					Vietnam	Vietnam	UAE
	Japan							Georgia	Uruguay
	Kuwait							Hungary	
	Latvia							India	
	Liechtenstein							Israel	
	Lithuania							Italy	
	Luxembourg							Japan	
	Malaysia							Korea (ROK)	
	Maldives							Kosovo	
	Mauritius							Kuwait	
	Monaco							Latvia	
	The Netherlands							Liechtenstein	
	New Zealand							Luxembourg	
								Mexico	
								Montenegro	
								Morocco	
								The Netherlands	

8. Accreditation:

All Individuals (Jury, Team Officials & Participants) are requested to email a passport photograph with Entry Forms by name.

9. Organizing Committee:

For all enquiries, submission of entries and other information, please contact the Organizing Committee at the following address:

Secretary (Contact Person) : Capt. Sanitwong Wongsanit

E-mail: office@rcat.or.th, tukky1972@gmail.com, nackkie.ch@gmail.com

Welcome to Thailand for the 2023 AR U-19 & U-23 and AR Masters

Enclosed:

Entry Form by Numbers	Deadline: <u>20 October 2023</u>
Entry Form by Boat & Oars	Deadline: <u>20 October 2023</u>
Hotel Reservation Form	Deadline: <u>20 October 2023</u>
Accreditation Officials	Deadline: <u>20 November 2023</u>
Accreditation Form – Athletes	Deadline: <u>20 November 2023</u>
Arrival & Departure Form	Deadline: <u>20 November 2023</u>
Final Entry Form by Name	Deadline: <u>20 November 2023</u>
Entry Form (Adaptive Event)	Deadline: <u>20 November 2023</u>

