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Cover photo: Opening Ceremony at the 1995 1st IDBF World Dragon Boat Championships, Yueyang, China. Photo credit: CDBA.

Celebrating 25 years

1ST IDBF WORLD DRAGON BOAT CHAMPIONSHIPS
YUEYANG, CHINA

慶祝25年來首屆國際龍舟錦標賽中國岳陽

Welcome to a very special edition of Longzhou News. We celebrate the 25th anniversary of the 1st IDBF World Dragon Boat Championships held on 13-19 June 1995 in Yueyang, China. The birth place of dragon boating. This edition includes recollections from Mike Thomas who partnered with Zhou Liwei as joint Chief Officials. Liu Yaozong and Zhou Liwei recount the magnificent Opening Ceremony. An International Race Official's 'first trip to China'. Paddlers from 1995 share their fond memories and life in the sport. Enjoy the pictorial highlights of the Championships.



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MIKE THOMAS - JOINT CHIEF OFFICIAL



Thousands of spectators with umbrellas brave the heavy rain at the Opening Ceremony. Photo credit: Robert Turnbull.

It was raining for the opening ceremony of the 1st IDBF World Dragon Boat Championships held in Yueyang, Hunan Province. The hundreds of thousands of spectators sheltered under their umbrellas waiting for the Opening Ceremony to commence. The opening was simply magnificent; a long procession of paddled craft with rows of paddlers, some sitting, some standing and some double banked together with ornately decorated motorised barges representing dragons. The Opening Ceremony concluded with the longest and most amazing firework display I had ever witnessed at that time.

Prior to the Opening Ceremony I met with Zhou Liwei my partner as the Joint Chief Official. We had worked hard through an interpreter, preparing the briefings we would jointly deliver to the team managers and race officials. It was during this preparation time that my respect for Zhou grew, based on the thoroughness of the preparation that had been done to ensure that the Championship was successful. The respect developed into a mutual friendship through our love of the sport. We have remained close friends and colleagues and still enjoy and appreciate the opportunity to work together.



Zhou Liwei and Mike Thomas in 1995 and in more recent times. Photo credit: CDBA and Mike Thomas.

RECOLLECTIONS

Each race official from outside China was partnered with a Chinese official. The bonds and friendships that started in Yueyang between officials from across the world have continued. Working with our Chinese partners, through our interpreters, was a new and learning experience for us all.

The preparations that Zhou Liwei and the Chinese Organisers had done was exceptional and the foundation on which the success of the Championship was achieved.

Teams were allowed to enter both a first and second team and the race distances were 250m, 500m, and 1000m.

After the rain during the Opening Ceremony the racing days were blessed with beautiful weather. We quickly learnt how the centuries of dragon boating in China had enabled them to develop effective techniques to produce speed; the Chinese Open crew gained the Gold medals in all three race distances. We were all fascinated by their technique and Zhou gave us some coaching tips throughout the Championship.

These were the days before Wi-Fi and everything was done on paper. The results were prepared by a team using stop watches and another team of people working on the distribution of results which were all hand written, using carbon paper to produce multiple copies. Carbon paper was something that many of the younger international officials had never used.

第一届世界龙舟锦标赛成绩表
1st World Dragon Boat Racing Championships Results Schedule

公开组 1000M Open Class 1000m 6月15日 15th June

队名 Team	初赛 Group			复赛 Re-semi			半决赛 Semi			决赛 Final			总分 Total Score			
	Group	Rank	Time	Group	Rank	Time	Group	Rank	Time	Group	Rank	Time	Score	Rank		
中国 CHN	1	4'51"9	3	2	4'45"9	2	2	4'58"21	1	2	4'42"9	5	2	4'32"9	6	
加拿大 CAN	1	4'34"4	2	2	4'35"9	1				2	4'35"9	3			7	4'35"9
中国B CHN (B)	1	4'35"9	1							1	4'32"4	2			5	4'32"4
意大利 ITA	1	5'15"6	4	3	4'59"3	3	2	4'55"9	3	1	5'01"9	5	3	4'45"1	5	
南非 SA	1	5'25"0	5	1	5'25"9	4		弃权 Withdraw								
澳大利亚 AUS	2	4'31"0	3	1	4'47"7	2	1	4'45"4	1	1	4'21"7	4	1	4'25"2	7	
印尼 INA	2	4'18"0	1							1	4'10"1	1			3	4'09"9
德国 GER	2	4'21"0	2							2	4'15"9	4			4	4'10"9
日本 JPN	2	4'57"6	4	3	4'45"0	3	1	4'47"2	2	2	4'46"9	5	4	4'45"4	4	

第一届世界龙舟锦标赛成绩表
1st World Dragon Boat Racing Championships Results Schedule

女子组 1000M Women Class 1000m 6月15日 15th June

队名 Team	初赛 Group			复赛 Re-semi			半决赛 Semi			决赛 Final			总分 Total Score			
	Group	Rank	Time	Group	Rank	Time	Group	Rank	Time	Group	Rank	Time	Score	Rank		
加拿大B CAN (B)	1	5'19"21	2				1	5'12"9	3	1	5'05"0	3			5	5'05"0
中国A CHN (A)	1	4'45"9	1							1	4'52"4	1			1	4'38"4
德国 GER	1	5'25"5	3				1	5'21"5	4	2	5'09"4	3			6	5'09"4
中国B CHN (B)	2	4'21"3	1							2	4'58"9	1			3	4'35"9
加拿大A CAN (A)	2	4'22"5	2				1	4'52"9	1	1	4'52"9	2			2	4'32"4
新西兰 NZL	2	4'44"7	3				1	5'06"9	2	2	5'01"21	2			4	4'48"1

Mens and Womens Race Results on rice paper. Photo credits: Julie Doyle.

RECOLLECTIONS

On the other hand, the starting system was the totally innovative. It was an automatic starting system with two pairs of hydraulic clamps that gripped the boat in the starting position. On the command “are you ready” the forward clamp dropped away and on “attention” the rear clamp dropped away releasing the boat for starting. An automatic start system was not used again until 11th Championship in Szeged 2013.

At the conclusion of the Championship, Zhou and I went by boat to the main grandstand where we were to read out the overall results in Chinese and English on live television to an estimated audience of 30 million people.

Nations Championship Points Table

1 st	CHINA	149
2 nd	CANADA	73
3 rd	NEW ZEALAND	61
4 th	GERMANY	60
5 th	SWEDEN	45
6 th	INDONESIA	41
7 th	USA	39

8 th	HONG KONG	32
9 th	AUSTRALIA	20
10 th	JAPAN	16
11 th	MACAU	12
12 th	ITALY	10
13 th	GREAT BRITAIN	9
14 th	SOUTH AFRICA	2

The points table shows the dominance of the Chinese athletes in the racing, with their 'B' teams also scoring highly. Championships have now become much more competitive as other nations have improved their performance to meet this challenge.

Medal Table

	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
CHINA	8		3
CANADA		5	
INDONESIA		2	1
USA		1	
GERMANY			2
NEW ZEALAND			1
SWEDEN			1

The 1st IDBF World Dragon Boat Championship laid the foundations for the future development of championships and built strong bridges between Asia as the historic and cultural home of dragon boating and countries who had taken up the sport in the late 20th century.

This first Championship in 1995 was the event that stimulated the tremendous worldwide growth in dragon boating to become the internationally respected sport it is today.

OPENING CEREMONY

LIU YAOZONG - EXECUTIVE ASSOCIATE SECRETARY & ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE MANAGER; YUEYANG PROVINCIAL DRAGON BOAT OFFICE MANAGER

ZHOU LIWEI - JOINT CHIEF OFFICIAL & ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE ASSOCIATE MANAGER



Tens of thousands of spectators at the Opening Ceremony with a lit torch stand in the foreground. Photo credit: CDBA.

The first IDBF World Dragon Boat Championship was held 25 years ago. I can still remember this event vividly. With the newly formed rules and regulations of racing, dragon boat races became more technical and organised, it was a milestone for dragon boat racing history.

On June 14th, the hosting committee held a great, enthusiastic and warm Opening Ceremony in the Nanhu regatta site, where 400,000 people gathered around the lake.

When the associate president Mr. Qi Shen Qian announced the Opening Ceremony of the first Dragon Boat Championship, the Olympic gymnastics champion, Li Jing, climbed the platform to light up the torch. The Opening Ceremony also included nine dancing dragons in the sky and a seaplane parachuting display.



Chinese Olympic champion Li Jing. Photo credit: CDBA.



Traditional dragon boat. Photo credit: Makoto Shobu.

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There were traditional dragon boat performances consisting of 19 traditional folk boats, including Yunnan Xishuangbanna Dai Ivory dragon boat, GueZhou Bull-head dragon boat, Guangxi Guelin Sanha dragon boat, Hunan YiYang twin-dragon boat, Hunan MaYang PanHu dragon boat, Hunan Xupu GongMu dragon boat and others. All of them were colourful, beautiful and fascinating. People were impressed by the traditional Chinese dragon boat.



Traditional folk costumes. Photo credit: Makoto Shobu.



Traditional dragon boat. Photo credit: CDBA.

There was also lion and dragon dancing by the shore, people carrying lanterns singing and cheering “welcome to the home of dragon boat” and “the first IDBF World Championships”. The ceremony ended with 500 different types of fireworks, the blue sky was blazing with colours. People celebrated at the race site and lingered till midnight.

After four days of keen competition, China Team 1 (Shun De) and Team 2 (Yue Yang) won first place in eight different categories, and became the overall Champion (Nations Cup).



The joy of victory. Photo credit: CDBA.

Immense gratitude to the IDBF, overseas and local friends for supporting Yueyang in the hosting of the 1st Dragon Boat Championship. We wish the IDBF the best of luck in developing the sport even further!

開幕式

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举世瞩目的第一届世界龙舟锦标赛过去25年了，当年盛况仍历历在目，记忆犹新。第一届世界龙舟锦标赛统一规范了比赛规则和赛事规例，使国际龙舟运动走上了科学化、制度化、正规化的渠道，也标志着中国传统体育项目的龙舟竞渡升华为世界竞技体育，成为世界龙舟运动史上一个新的里程碑。

6月14日，大赛组委会在南湖赛场举行了热烈隆重的大型开幕式活动有40万观众聚集沿岸。

当钱其琛副总理宣布第一届世界龙舟锦标赛开幕后，奥运体操冠军李敬登上火炬台点燃熊熊圣火。开幕式活动包括空中九条彩龙腾飞，水上飞机和跳伞表演接踵而来。在南湖赛场上，19支民间传统龙舟进行了精彩表演，如云南西双版纳傣族象牙龙舟、贵州台江独木牛头龙舟、广西桂林三花龙舟、湖南益阳双排龙舟、湖南麻阳盘瓠龙舟、湖南溆浦公母龙舟等。绚丽多彩，争奇斗艳，展示了中国民间传统龙舟的风采，让人耳目一新，一饱眼福。

岸边舞龙舞狮，载歌载舞，灯火通明。沿岸观众手持万盏红灯，欢呼雀跃，摇旗呐喊。傍晚时分，寓意“龙舟之乡欢迎您”和“第一届世界龙舟锦标赛”。500多个品种的焰火相继升空燃放，火树银花，湛蓝夜空，五彩缤纷，蔚为壮观。直至深夜，许多观众游人还游弋赛场，流连忘返。



经过4天紧张激烈的角逐，中国一队（顺德）和中国二队（岳阳）夺得全部冠军，并获得团体总分第一。

感谢国际龙舟联合会和海内外朋友的大力支持，助力岳阳在世界龙舟舞台精彩纷呈的首演！祝国际龙舟联合会创导的世界龙舟锦标赛越办越好！

1ST WORLDS - MY FIRST TRIP TO CHINA

BY JULIE DOYLE, RACE OFFICIAL (SECRETARIAT)

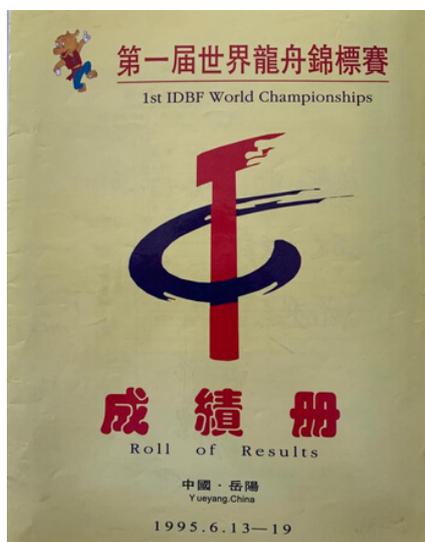
Twenty five years ago, the 1st IDBF World Dragon Boat Racing Championships was held in Yueyang City, Hunan Province, China between 13th – 19th June 1995.

In 1992 at the first meeting of the IDBF, a resolution was passed that the first World Nations Championships should be held in China in 1995. In December 1993, IDBF lead a delegation to Yueyang where the stadium site at Nanhu Lake (part of the larger Dongting Lake) was selected. The lakes sit on the Miluo River, which is considered the birth place of dragon boating and as such held major significance for the first Championships. Along with the 5,000 seat stadium and the ability to accommodate a further half million people around the sports facility, made it an ideal location for the event.

Teams from China, USA, Great Britain, Canada, Australia, Germany, Sweden, Japan, New Zealand, Indonesia, Italy, South Africa, Hong Kong, and Macau took part in a much simplified race program than the ones used today with only open, women and mixed class racing in standard boats in 250m, 500m and 1000m.

Teams raced in wooden Chinese dragon boats with traditional paddles carved from one piece of wood. Although 25 years ago, the racing set up was to a high standard with video cameras on the start and finish lines and an automatic starting gate system, which was well advanced for its time.

The dominant nations of the day were from China and Canada as they still are today, taking first and second place respectively in the Nations Cup. As you would expect, times have improved over the years with a winning time of 1:54.78 (CHN) in the 500m open class, compared to 1:47.823 (CHN) in 2019. 2:10.19 (CHN) in the 500m womens class, compared to 2:00.693 (CAN) in 2019 and 2.01:61 (CHN) in the 500m mixed class, compared to 1:51.380 (THA) in 2019.



Cover of the original Roll of Results.

項目	賽事	賽道	隊伍名稱	名次	時間	備注
Race	Event	Lane	Team	Position	Time	Remarks
1	9:30	1				
公開組 1000米 初賽	Pi	2	香港 Hong Kong			
		3	加拿大 Canada			
		4	中國B China B			
		5	意大利 Italy			
		6	南非 South Africa			
		7				
8						
2	9:45	1				
公開組 1000米 初賽	Pi	2	澳大利亞 Australia			
		3	印尼 Indonesia			

Table of Races printed on rice paper. Photo credits: Julie Doyle.

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25 years is a long time ago, but I hold very fond memories of my first trip to China.

- The many thousands of spectators at the Championships, estimated to be circa 400,000; the largest number of spectators I have ever seen at any championships.
- The Opening Ceremony itself which consisted of every imaginable type of dragon boat in China, enormous dragon balloons in the sky and the spectacular fireworks display.
- The kindness of the local people. In 1995, this part of central China was not used to seeing westerners and were eager to meet and greet us.
- The military precision of transporting the athletes and officials to and from the race venue.
- My first introduction to the preserved/century egg (a Chinese preserved food delicacy made by preserving duck, chicken or quail eggs in a mixture of clay, ash, salt, quicklime, and rice husks for several weeks to several months, depending on the method of processing). I didn't try one!
- My first introduction to the Chinese squat toilet.
- For every English speaking Race Official we had our Chinese equivalent. I was working in the secretariat and my job was to glue the race results up on the board with my trusty assistant who carried the pot of glue and the brush!
- The traditional Chinese cuisine being very different to what is usually served back home at local Chinese restaurants in the UK.



Left: IDBF Race Officials with their Chinese counterparts. Right: Original wooden racing paddle. Photo credits: Julie Doyle.



JAPAN

BY MAKOTO SHOBU

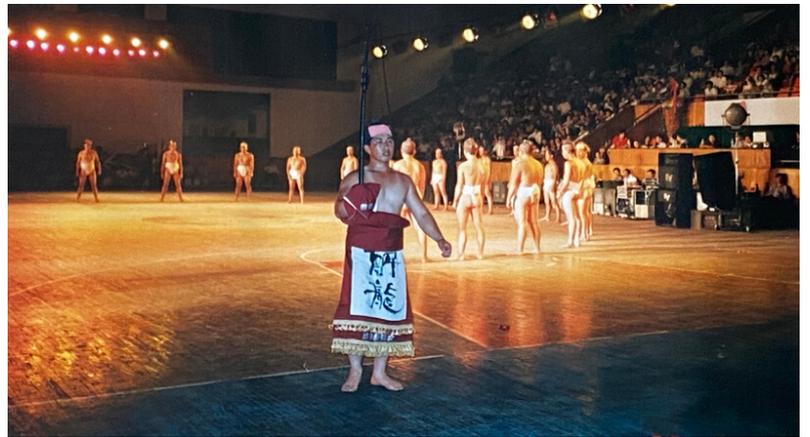
What is your fondest memory from the 1st World Championships?

It was raining heavily at the time of the Opening Ceremony, but I was amazed that tens of thousands of people braved heavy rain to march to the ceremony site. I could see that China held dragon boat sport in very high regard. Performances all mobilized together at such a large scale.

Very old and traditional dragon boats such as 100 paddlers boat, traditional style big wooden dragon head, original inhabitant's dragon boat teams with ethnic costumes paraded at the time of the Opening Ceremony. I did realize that dragon boat sport undoubtedly originated in China.

Tell us about this photo.

I was there in Yueyang as a team leader. Team Japan's performance at the closing party was a 'Sumo' demonstration, Japan's traditional wrestling.



25 years on, are you still involved in dragon boating?

Yes, I am still involved in dragon boating both in IDBF and ADBF.

Any advice for aspiring paddlers?

Dragon boat sport unites people in the world regardless of differences of culture, lifestyle, religion, rich or poor. Especially it seems more important to be united through dragon boating within this politically confused and divided circumstances.



Team Japan in the athletes area.



Team Japan during warm-up. Photo credits: Makoto Shobu.

AUSTRALIA

BY YEN-PO FAN

What is your fondest memory from the 1st World Championships?

This was my first dragon boat trip overseas. The shared experience with my team mates, through all the training during the lead up into the championships, and the championships themselves, is probably my fondest memory. The interactions and general camaraderie between all competitors, despite any language barriers, was also something that I remember.

Tell us about this photo.

Our team participated in the Opening Ceremony. We were lined up at the jetty, side by side with teams from other nations. The Opening Ceremony was held in pouring rain. We knew the weather was going to be bad but didn't want to miss it for the world. Some of us even went shopping beforehand to buy a thick poncho (still have it) that kept us relatively dry. The poncho was also a dark green which matched our green and gold uniform.



25 years on, are you still involved in dragon boating?

My two daughters are heavily involved with dragon boating through their school, Danebank in Sydney. Both have represented the State and Australia at the junior level. I still paddle socially with Sandy Point Dragons in south west Sydney.



Any advice for aspiring paddlers?

Try it out, hopefully you enjoy it and have fun. Dragon boating is a sport you can participate in at any age and at any level. The vast range of people you meet and train with, not just within your club but in the broader dragon boating community, is what makes dragon boating special. Dragon boating will not only give you lifelong memories, but also lifelong friends.

Left: Daughter Ciara (centre) representing Australia in the junior division with proud parents Jenny (left) and Yen-Po (right) at the 14th IDBF World Championships, Pattaya (Thailand) in 2019. Photo credits: Yen-Po Fan.

AUSTRALIA

BY ROBERT TURNBULL

What is your fondest memory from the 1st World Championships?

The lasting memories that come back to me now all relate to the experiences shared with my crew mates. But one of the fondest is taking part in the Opening Ceremony. The scale of it was incredible! Literally, hundreds of thousands of excited spectators cheering as we paddled past, the grand stands alone seating thousands, decorative floats on the water and enormous balloons and creatures floating through the air. I doubt I'll experience anything like it again.

While we were often shuttled around with security (enjoying 'red carpet' like treatment), simpler moments, but equally as memorable was having locals follow us through the streets when we ventured into and around the town with many approaching us to say hello, simply to practice speaking English with 'the westerners'.

Tell us about this photo.

Even on the training days, eager crowds watched our every move, some standing in the water for hours on end. Others outside the security fencing peering through to get a glimpse of anything and everything they could. Protected within the racing precinct by fences, police and the army, it was just amazing to see the crowds who came to watch.

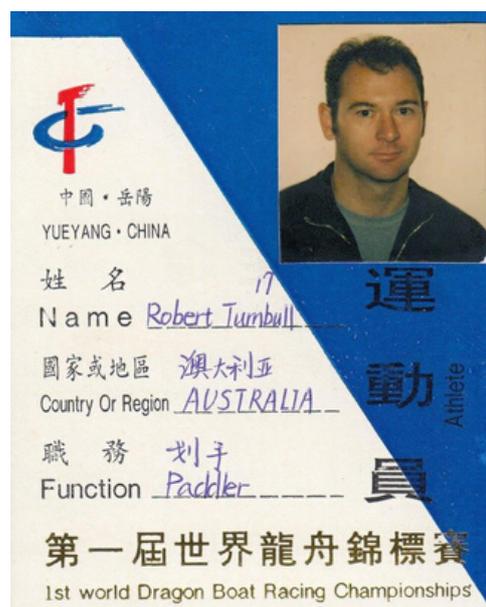


25 years on, are you still involved in dragon boating?

Now in my 28th season, I'm still dragon boating. I'm proud to say I've gone on to represent Australia at IDBF World Championships nine (9) times now ... and can refer to myself as a "World Champion" having won GOLD on multiple occasions as both a paddler and a sweep (steerer/helmsman).

Any advice for aspiring paddlers?

- Stick with it.
- Listen to your coaches.
- Apply yourself.
- Enjoy the journey.
- Believe!



Robert's original Athlete ID tag from 1995.
Photo credits: Robert Turnbull.



NEW ZEALAND

BY FRANS ROOZENDAAL

When did you start dragon boating?

My early history with the sport started in 1989 and my wife and two sons joined in. We joined the NZ teams from 1993 onwards. Mum, Dad and two boys. Later two more of our sons took on the sport. The whole family has represented NZ. My grandchildren also paddle and compete.

Tell us about this photo.

This is the 1995 NZ Mixed Dragon Boat team and the first NZ team to medal at a World Dragon Boat Championships.



NZ Mixed Team. Photo credit: Frans Roozendaal.

25 years on, are you still involved in dragon boating?

I stopped racing last year due to family business commitments.

Any advice for aspiring paddlers?

A great watersport that has taken my family and I around the world.

SOUTH AFRICA

BY NICOLA OSSE

What is your fondest memory from the 1st World Championships?

One of my fondest memories would be the mesmerizing Opening Ceremony. There was a crowd of over 100,000+ people lining the banks and a magnificent flotilla of beautifully decorated boats, paraded past the crowds. The atmosphere and camaraderie was truly electric. The sound of the numerous drums made me feel so ecstatic – I thought I would burst with happiness! And, I was so moved and humbled by the welcome we received.

But most importantly, as we did our paddle past, along with the other representing crews, I was so immensely proud of my team. The ceremony culminated in 88 minutes of spectacular fire-works! 8 being a lucky number of course. And as the fireworks lit up the sky, I remember feeling so honoured and lucky to be a part of history in the making. I will forever treasure and never forget that memory!

Tell us about these photos.

Right: South Africa Team holding 1st World Championships paddles!

Below: My team jacket! Yes – I still have it! Although we didn't win any medals, we were recognized as the team with the most spirit!



Photo credits: Nicola Osse.

25 years on, are you still involved in dragon boating?

Twenty five years on, I am still involved with the sport of dragon boat racing including mentoring dragon boat event organizers, paddling and being a Grade 4 International Race Official. The sport will always have a place in my heart.

Any advice for aspiring paddlers?

My advice for aspiring paddlers would be this: In South Africa in 1995, a couple of years into my introducing and developing the sport of dragon boat racing (with the assistance of a small team and the IDBF), the world then, very much like today, was experiencing uncertain times. My motto then I believe still applies today: If we get in the boat and all pull together - we will go forward, if we don't - we won't go anywhere!



GREAT BRITAIN

BY RACHEL Q SMITH AND MALCOLM BURFITT

What is your fondest memory from the 1st World Championships?

Rachel: The Opening Ceremony was like nothing we'd ever seen with tens of thousands of people. We never realised dragon boating was so huge there. The heat and humidity was oppressive and indescribable. Coming 9th in the mixed 500m final was probably the highlight - we finished in single figures, in the whole world! That was a big moment. And watching the Chinese team coach give us a demo of paddling technique.

Malcolm: The taxi ride from the race course home chasing our team mates!

25 years on, are you still involved in dragon boating?

Rachel: I have retired from the sport.

Malcolm: I paddle the Henley Winter Series, long distance race every year and occasionally other events. The Series comprises of 4 long distance time trials over a circular race course of approximately 7km, with a turn around an island at each end of the course. The turns and staggered start provide exciting racing for the crews and an unexpected spectacle for members of the public enjoying a peaceful Sunday morning stroll along the River Thames.

Any advice for aspiring paddlers?

Rachel: Dragon boat racing is simply an amazing sport. It's one of few where you're all doing the same thing at the same time and generates a true team bond. It has ups and downs, but the lessons learnt can help your success in other areas of life. It literally changed my life, from the people I paddled/worked with, the places I travelled to and the things I went on to do.

Malcolm: Im always offering advice, just no one listens any more.



Team Great Britain. Photo credit: CDBA.



USA

BY DR ROBERT MCNAMARA

What is your fondest memory from the 1st World Championships?

This was no ordinary Opening Ceremony at a Championships. Instead of the simple lion dance we were used to from other races this one featured a water parade of every kind of dragon boat imaginable. There were dragon boats with three tiers of paddlers, steersman 15 feet off the water and all kinds of costumes on the paddlers and, of course, pyrotechnics. Simply, the best ceremony any of us had ever seen.

The racing was simply awesome. Not only were you on a beautiful mountain lake halfway around the world but you were also on a great course. The starting line had two sets of movable metal gates that locked the boats fore and aft from the side and would be retracted in sequence as the race start was counted down.



Tell us about these photos.

The two pictures are of the 1000m race, one right at the finish line (image on left) where we nipped Indonesia for the silver medal and one right after we finished (below). USA in lane 2, Germany lane 3, Indonesia lane 4 and China B lane 8.

Photo credits: Dr. Robert McNamara.



25 years on, are you still involved in dragon boating?

25 years on I am still paddling and have to date raced and coached in every single World Nations Championships.

Any advice for aspiring paddlers?

Take the time to learn the right technique then work harder than everyone else!

STAMPS AND COINS

The 1st World Dragon Boat Championships commemorative card, first day cover and coin set.



Photo credits: Robert Turnbull.

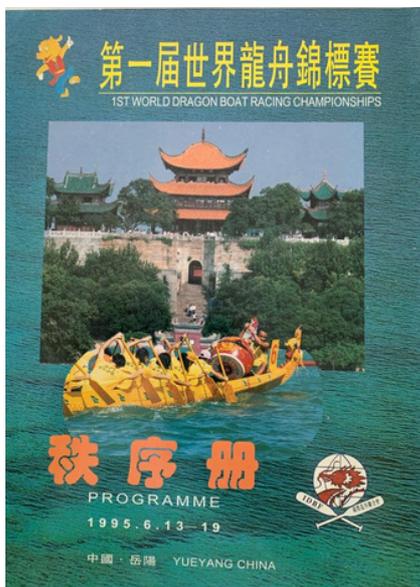


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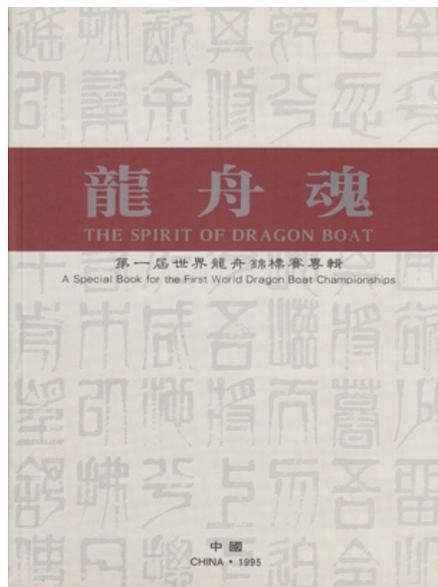


PROGRAMMES, BOOKS, GIFTS

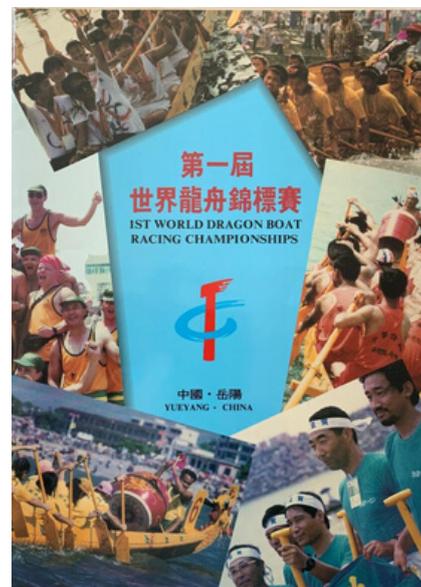
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Souvenir Programme



Souvenir Shirt - Front



Souvenir Shirt - Back



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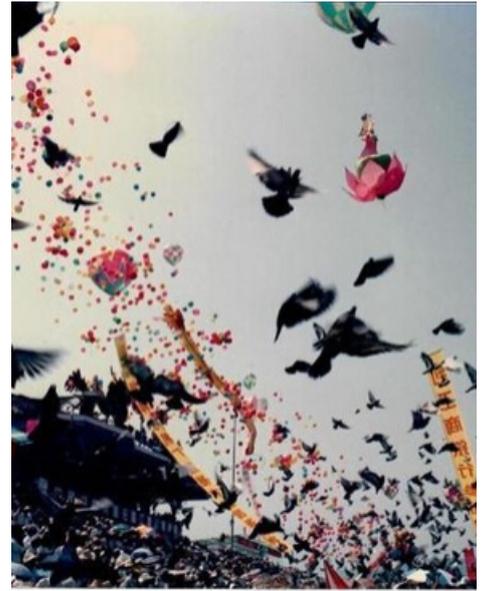


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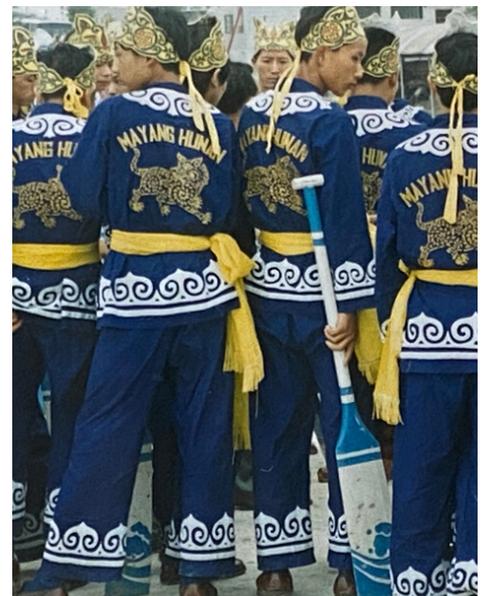


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