





GUIDE AND RULES - 2020

The **BR4ALL** is an association to promote and organize the events associated to paddle sports, meeting the standards and criteria required in the Brazilian´s competitions.

The goal of association is contributing to growth and integration of Brazilian paddle sports.

The competitions will be opened for all paddle sport loving, from beginners to experts, amateurs or professionals competitors. You will be welcome to join in this event and can contribute with your suggestions and acts to improve the paddle modalities in our country.

Mission:

Promote the paddle sports in the country, contributing to expand the visibility of paddle categories, encouraging, supporting, strengthening and integrating the paddle sports around Brazilian states and other countries.

Vision:

The BR4ALL Competition is an option to promote the sport, encouraging the competitors and lovers of paddle sports as SUP, Paddle Board, Va'a and Surfski can growth in the national competitions.

Values:

The BR4ALL bring an opportunity for practice the sport, integration between participants and change of experiences, seeking the better quality of life with respect of environment and diversity of cultures.



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Rules:

1. The responsibilities of BR4ALL, this document define the participation rules and technical matters for 2020 season. The BR4ALL races will be under the responsibility of the event organizers and promoters, being all their management, organization and compliance with the rules here available. The association have resource conditions, having total freedom to request or support partners or sponsors with the main objective of carrying out the event with quality and within the standards and rules of settings, always using the satisfaction of athletes, supporters, sponsors and users.

2. The Competition

BR4ALL has total responsibility to organize and provide the adequated resources for the event happen within the standards established, the results and action will be clearly shared with everybody involved in the event.

2.1. Season

The season will be open between months July to August , beginning the registration and races on July, 06th to August, 2nd of 2020, The races will be played virtually (online), meeting the definitions, rules and categories described in this document.

2.2. Registration

All competitors who want to participate in official BR4ALL competitions must register on the platforms used by the organizer.

The competitor must be able to practice sports activities, equipment suitable for categories that participate according to rules of the manual and with the required safety standards, maintaining the integrity of the participant.



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2.3. Structure

The event will have activities in the following categories: Stand up Paddle (SUP), PaddleBoard, Va'a (OC1 and V1) and Surfski.

The athlete enrolled in the event must choose only one category per modality (distance and location), which cannot participate in more than one category and thus allowing better framing and opportunity for all participants,

The competitor must define the water place to paddle and complete your activitie, that follow:

- Sea /Ocean
- Lake
- River

The athlete can enroll and participate in any modality described below, where is allowed participate in more than one modality.

- Stand up Paddle
- PaddleBoard
- Canoe OC1
- Canoe V1
- Surfski

The athlete must define the difficult level of your modality choosed:

- Entrant
- Begineer
- Intermediated
- Advanced

The each difficult level has your respective distance defined to meet the purposes of competition and within the technical standard defined for Brazilian competitions and by **BR4ALL** organizer.



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The athlete must register your activities using any app for sports gauges (watches, cell phone, tablet), which will make the participant eligible to know your performance and the **BR4ALL** staff to guarantee the records of timing and route.

Important - The start and finish point must be the same, avoid this way of enjoying the environment with the wind, current in favor, tidal movement

The duly registered athlete must also send the results of their activities to the organizer's email **contatobr4all@gmail.com** with the information listed below:

1. Photo/Print screen of main app screen, with distance and time traveled.
2. Photo/Print screen of Map of the route traveled, reinforced that the point of origin and arrival must be the same..
3. Photo/Print screen of Map with details of the distance covered in order to analyze the fluidity and ensure that there was no pause in timing.
4. Photo of your board, canoe, paddle, etc.
5. Photo "Selfie" the athlete on the day of the race.

With the documents listed above, the organization can technically assess the athlete's participation in the event and guarantee that is true the race completion within the rules applied in this guide and standards defined by **BR4ALL**.



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3. Price and Discount

Children, Teenager (under 18 years old.), PCD and seniors (over 60 years old.) participants, get a 50% discount on the registration fee.

Participants in the Children category with parents or legal responsible must save the registration form in the registration at the event, or send a photo document proving the birth data to contatobr4all@gmail.com.

Other categories will register on the event platform www.ticketagora.com.br

. The price tickets for participation in the event are as follows:

- 1 Modality – R\$ 65,00 (sixty-five reais)
- 2 Modalities – R\$ 80,00 (eighty reais)
- 3 Modalities or more – R\$ 95,00 (ninety-five reais)

Important * - Every athlete duly registered and resident in Brazil will be entitled to receive a kit of participation in the BR4ALL Virtual Paddle Challenge event.

Important ** - For teams registration opportunity by summary, sending email to contatobr4all@gmail.com with the list of athletes, in the appropriate categories and modalities, for every 10 (ten) registered team athletes the club will receive 1 (one) registration via electronic voucher.



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4. Requirements and Media.

4.1. Event Structure

As a virtual event (Online) there is no need structures, as each athlete will do the race where it is most suitable, and can row in lakes, dams, rivers or the sea/ocean.

At the end of the event, we will have a minimum structure due to the time of the pandemic, where we will organize a virtual show and publicize the results and awards.

- Technical team evaluating files sent with the route, timing, distance covered, equipment used from all entries sent to the event email.
- Voiceover team in the publicize of results;

4.2. Integrity

The participant must be able to participate in the event in the chosen category, and the organizer is not responsible for any damage to the equipment, injuries or accidents resulting from his participation.

4.3. Media

Application of the BR4ALL logo in the promotional materials as set out below:

- Insertion of the logo in the official poster of the event
- Insertion of the logo in official photographs, according to the standard established by BR4ALL;
- Insertion of the logo in official video, if any;
- Insertion of the logo on the award Backdrop;
- Insertion of the logo on the event's t-shirts or lycras



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5. Categories, distances e ages

5.1 Categories

The categories that must be present at the event are described below:

Standup Paddle					
Entrants	KM	Equipment Size	Intermediated	KM	Equipment Size
KIDS	1	any type of board	Amateur	6	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6
Entrant	1	any type of board	Amateur	6	Race 14'
Junior	2	any type of board	Master	6	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6
			Master	6	Race 14'
Beginner	KM	Equipment Size	Super Master	6	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6
Geral	3	Fun and Inflatable under 12'	Super Master	6	Race 14'
Amateur	3	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6	Legend	6	any type of board
Amateur	3	Race 14'	Advanced	KM	Equipment Size
Master	3	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6	Amateur	9	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6
Master	3	Race 14'	Amateur	9	Race 14'
Super Master	3	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6	Master	9	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6
Super Master	3	Race 14'	Master	9	Race 14'
Legend	3	any type of board	Super Master	9	FunRace 12'2 and Race 12'6
			Super Master	9	Race 14'
			Legend	9	any type of board

Paddle Board			SurfSki		
Category	KM	Equipment Size	Category	KM	Equipment Size
Entrant	1	Boards more than 12'	Entrant	2	SurfSki
Intermediated	3	Boards more than 12'	Intermediated	7	SurfSki
Advanced	6	Boards more than 12'	Advanced	14	SurfSki

Canoa OC1			Canoa V1		
Category	KM	Equipment Size	Category	KM	Equipment Size
Entrant	1	OC1 Canoe	Entrant	1	V1 Conoe
Intermediated	5	OC1 Canoe	Intermediated	5	V1 Conoe
Advanced	10	OC1 Canoe	Advanced	10	V1 Conoe
PCD		OC1 Canoe	PCD		V1 Conoe

Note: The categories are divided between Male and Female.

ATTENTION:

- Like boards that comprise a SupFun category up to 12', they must have a round spout and a completely flat bottom.
- As boards of measures 12'2 called "FUN RACE", participating in the Race Amateur 12'6 category, competing with equals, as they are equipment that have a format and competitive measures as with "Race".
- As Paddleboard boards must be at least 12 feet or more.



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5.2. Distances

5.2.1. Nomenclature of distances and board length

Follow the standard nomenclatures in the distances

STANDUP PADDLE

- Entrant and Kids 1km (children under 11 years old and adults starting in the sport)
- Teenager / Junior 2km (from 12 to 16 years old.)
- Beginner 3km (leisure, beginners any board)
- Intermediated 6km (Amateur 12'6 and 14' feet)
- Advanced 9Km (Open / Professional 14ft)

PADDLE BOARD

- Entrant and Beginner 1km
- Intermediated 3km
- Advanced 6Km

CANOE OC1 and V1

- Entrant and Beginner 1km
- Intermediated 5km
- Advanced 10Km

SURFSKI

- Entrant and Beginner 3km
- Intermediated 7km
- Advanced 14Km

IMPORTANT - all the races and distances must be covered within the desired category and it is mandatory that the start and finish take place at the same point, this will be evaluated in a race conclusion file sent by the participant.



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5.2.2. Ages

- Kids - till to 11 yeas old;
- Junior from 12 to 16 years old.
- Open AMATEUR from 17 to 39 years old.;
- Open PROFESSIONAL up to 18 years old or more (General);
- Master from 40 to 49 years old;
- Super Master from 50 to 59 years old;
- Legend up to 60 years old or more;

6. Awards

All athletes who send their times by email until the scheduled date, will receive a certificate and medal for participation for their achievement in finishing the race.

If the athlete does not finish the race for any reason, or is disqualified, he / she will not receive the certificate and medal. If he / she still wants to participate in the event, he / she must forward another conclusion according to the rules of the event and being validated by the technical staff, his registration costs will not will be refunded.

Important - The team with the largest number of athletes registered for the event will receive a special award symbolizing this achievement.



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7. Conducts and Ethics of Participants

Any and all physical aggression, verbal offenses to other athletes and organizers, will be responsible for bearing the costs and will be automatically disqualified and punished with the automatic elimination of the event.

8. Right to Images

All athletes, from their registration, give full authorization to the event and the organization has the right to disclose the images and videos collected during the event and giving up indemnities for the right to images

.9. Final Considerations

The rules described and detailed above will be valid and may, if necessary, be updated with prior notice of changes made in media and social networks to all athletes and those directly involved.