

Summer 2016

Apple Valley Parks & Rec

Cardboard Boat Regatta



Civic Center Park Aquatic Center

14999 Dale Evans Parkway
Apple Valley, CA 92307

Ages 10 & up

Saturday, July 23
Event starts at 4:30 pm

Registration deadline is July 14

Team Entry Fee: \$15
Spectators: \$1 each

**For more info including boat
building tips, visit:**
AVrecreation.org
760-240-7880



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**Create your boat with just
cardboard, duct tape and a
little bit of elbow grease!**

Cardboard Boat Regatta Registration Form

Make checks payable to: Town of Apple Valley
14955 Dale Evans Parkway, Apple Valley, CA 92307
Phone: 760-240-7880

Regatta Team Name: _____

Team Captain/Main Contact: _____ **Phone:** _____

Sailors:

1. Name: _____ **Race-Day Age:** _____

2. Name: _____ **Race-Day Age:** _____

3. Name: _____ **Race-Day Age:** _____

Approved Materials:

- Cardboard
- Duct Tape or Packing Tape

Race and Design Rules:

- All sailors must sign the Aquatics Program Release of Liability to be eligible for the Regatta.
- All sailors must be at least 10 years of age.
- Sailors will be required to follow all pool rules, including wearing appropriate swim attire.
- Boats are to be made off-site, before the race.
- All Boats and Sailors are to report to the Aquatic Center by 4pm on Race Day.
- Each boat must carry at least 2 sailors, but no more than 3.
- Only the above materials may be used in boat construction. Cardboard tubes are permitted, but cannot have wood or plastic capped ends.
- If any illegal items used in boat construction are discovered during pre-or post-race inspection, the boat and its sailors will be disqualified.
- Boats may not enclose the sailor, no part of the boat shall extend above the shoulders.
- Boats may not exceed 60" (5ft) Wide x 84" (7ft); Long x 96" (8ft) Tall
- Decorations may be made from any material, but may not be used to reinforce the structure of the boat (unless made of "Approved Materials").
- Boat design is builders choice. Let your imagination reign supreme!
- Sailors must provide their own oars. Hand-held oars must be the sole means of propulsion; sails, motors, or any use of the legs to propel the boat will not be permitted.
- Sailors who fall out of the boat must re-enter the boat before proceeding with the race. Boats may not be propelled by the in-water sailor.

Course and Awards:

- A maximum of 4 boats will race in each heat.
- Each boat must stay in their assigned lane for entire heat; any boat that enters a competitors lane will be disqualified.
- Boats will complete one full lap, consisting of 50 total yards.
- Awards will be given for the following categories:
 - 1st - 3rd place overall (Fastest overall times)
 - Pride of the Regatta (People's choice)
 - Most Spirited Team (Judges vote)
 - The Titanic (To best sinker!)
 - Old Ironsides (To the boat in the best condition *after* the race)