



# 2026 CORA Cup OC6 Race Series

## Changes to the CORA Cup OC6 Race Series for 2026:

- the overall CORA Cup to the Member Club with the most points has been eliminated;
- while Spec canoes remain a canoe class under the CORA Long Distance Race Rules, OC6 crews racing Spec canoes in the CORA Cup Race Series will not accrue CORA Cup points;
- only OC6 crews racing Unlimited canoes will accrue CORA Cup points in their respective divisions and age classifications;
- Keiki (16) and Junior (19) OC6 crews will continue to pay no race registration fee (CORA will reimburse host clubs);
- the Junior and Novice Paddle Draw has been eliminated; and
- the Draw Prize Grant for host clubs has been eliminated.

## There are FIVE OC6 races in the 2026 CORA Cup Race Series:

1. Duel in the Desert May 16, 2026
2. Jericho Iron Classic May 23, 2026
3. Island Iron (Victoria) June 6, 2026
4. Lotus Iron July 25, 2026
5. CORA National Championships (Fort Langley) September 19, 2026

## Points System\*

1 <sup>st</sup>	5 points
2 <sup>nd</sup>	4 points
3 <sup>rd</sup>	3 points
4 <sup>th</sup>	2 points
5 <sup>th</sup>	1.5 points
All other crews	1 point

(DNF 1 point; DQ, DNS 0 points)

\*Points awarded for each finish at Canadian National Championships are doubled (i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> place is awarded 10 points).

## Rules

1. To qualify for your respective divisional awards, crews must participate in **a minimum of 3 of the 5 events to qualify**. Participation at the CORA National Championships is required, and can count as one of the three races.

2. Only CORA Member Clubs and crews from those clubs are eligible to accrue CORA Cup points.
3. A crew's TOP THREE results will be used to calculate the final point totals.
4. Crew rosters may change, but the crew MUST race the same distance (short or long course) and use the same crew name, same age division AND same canoe class for each of its races to ensure proper points accumulation.
5. All crew members must be Individual Annual CORA Members.
6. The age division that the crew REGISTERS IN (registered division must be the same for each race) will be used to calculate the points, even if a Race Director combines (collapses) age divisions for the purposes of prizes at a particular race.
7. If it comes to the attention of the Race Director or CORA that any of the above rules have been broken, then club rosters will be checked against the CORA Member Database and potential disqualification from the CORA Cup series may occur.

## Eligible Divisions and Age Classes

1. See eligible divisions on the following page.

## Notice to Race Directors

1. \***NEW\*** For CORA Cup points tabulation, Race Directors must submit race results to CORA in .XLS format on a template form provided by CORA. Race results must reflect the age category that a crew is REGISTERED IN (not combined (collapsed) divisions for prizes).
2. Race Directors must also submit to CORA in .pdf form for posting to the CORA website race results reflecting the prizes awarded at the particular race (i.e. including combined (collapsed) divisions for prizes).
3. Please ensure that all crews understand that their team names, division and age category should be EXACTLY the same for all CORA Cup races if they wish to accrue points for a specific CORA Cup Series crew.
4. Please send all race results to [information@canadianoutrigger.ca](mailto:information@canadianoutrigger.ca)

<b>CORA CUP OC6 DIVISIONS AND AGE CLASSIFICATIONS</b>			
<b>SHORT COURSE – UNLIMITED CANOES</b>			
	<b>Women</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>Mixed</b>
Keiki (16)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Junior (19 and under)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Novice (any age, 1 to 2 year competitors)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Open (any age)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>LONG COURSE – UNLIMITED CANOES</b>			
	<b>Women</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>Mixed</b>
Junior (19 and under)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Novice (any age, 1 to 2 year competitors)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Open (any age)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Masters 40	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Masters 50	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Masters 60	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Masters 70	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>