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Dragon Lion Cultural Sports Association of Canada

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Successful 5th annual Dragon Lion Championships 2026

The Dragon Lion Cultural Sports Association of Canada (DLCSAC) is pleased to announce the successful conclusion of its national competition, held May 8-10, 2026 at the Olympic Oval in Richmond, BC.



32 Competitor Teams vied for top spots

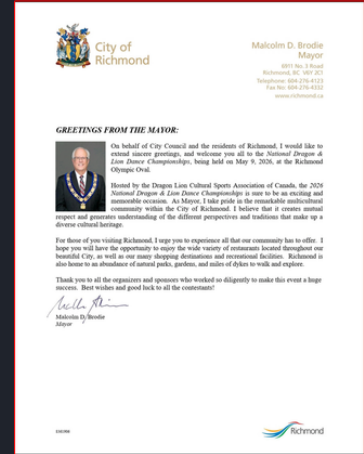
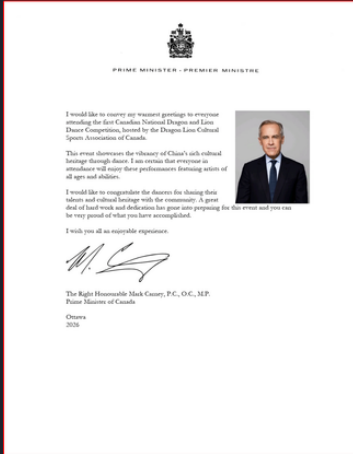
The three-day event brought together 32 competitor teams from across the country and abroad in a celebration of traditional and contemporary Dragon and Lion Dance. The competition featured a full range of divisions, including traditional Southern Lion and Dragon events alongside sport disciplines such as the Southern Lion Obstacle Race – reflecting the association's commitment to both honouring cultural heritage and advancing the sport's athletic evolution.

Beyond competition, the event worked toward athlete and official development. A judges' training program was held alongside a coaches' workshop led by distinguished guest speaker Sifu Chen JianLiang, a National A-Level Coach representing the Chinese Dragon and Lion Sports Association. His participation underscored the strong ties between Canada's dragon and lion community and the international governing body in China.

"This event represents the growth and dedication of our community in Canada," said Josh Pratt, Secretary General, DLCSAC. "We are proud to be advancing the sport while maintaining the highest international standards, and we are grateful for the support and presence of our colleagues from China."

The event received recognition from all 3 major branches of government in Canada; with letters of congratulations from the office of Prime Minister Carney, the British Columbia Premier & Minister of Sport and the local Richmond City Mayor; as well as greetings from the IDLDF.

The DLCSAC serves as Canada's representative association to the International Dragon Lion Dance Federation (IDLDF) and continues to work toward the development of athletes, coaches, and judges at both the national and international levels.





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国际龙狮总会致加拿大龙狮文化运动协会贺函

加拿大龙狮文化运动协会 (DLCSAC):

欣闻贵协会将于2026年5月9日在加拿大哥伦比亚省举办第44届加美国际锦标赛、第5届龙狮竞赛暨首届加拿大龙狮国家正式代表队选拔赛,国际龙狮总会(IDLDF)谨致以最热烈的祝贺与最诚挚的支持!

龙狮运动是中华传统体育文化的璀璨瑰宝,承载着团结奋进、吉祥奋进的精神内涵,亦是连接海内外中华儿女、促进国际民间体育文化交流的重要纽带。长期以来,贵协会深耕龙狮运动推广,积极搭建跨国赛事平台,为推动加美地区龙狮运动普及、传承中华优秀传统文化、增进国际龙狮界交流合作作出了积极贡献,成效斐然。

此次赛事的举办,既为广大龙狮运动爱好者提供了切磋技艺、展示风采的优质舞台,也将进一步深化中加、加美民间体育文化交流,助力龙狮运动在国际范围内实现更高质量的发展。国际龙狮总会始终高度认可贵协会的工作成果,全力支持本次赛事顺利举办,期盼赛事办出特色、办出水平、办出影响力。

最后,预祝第44届加美国际锦标赛、第5届龙狮竞赛暨首届加拿大龙狮国家正式代表队选拔赛圆满成功!祝愿各参赛队伍赛出风格、赛出佳绩,祝愿加拿大龙狮文化运动协会事业蒸蒸日上,祝愿全球龙狮运动薪火相传、蓬勃发展!

