



Join us for our annual

Downwind Regatta, Rubber Ducky Race, & BBQ!

Saturday, July 4, 2015, 12pm

2400 block of Grand Canal Court (at the intersection with Court C),
and along Linnie Canal from Grand Canal to Eastern Canal.



Linnie Canal Downwind Regatta

1:45pm

If it floats, it's a boat! Open to the entire community and anyone in a wind-powered boat. Starts at Linnie and Grand canal.

Prizes

- \$150 Most Creative entry to finish the race
- \$100 First Place
- \$50 Second Place
- \$25 Third Place



Rubber Ducky Race

1:30pm

Begins at the Dell Avenue Bridge over Linnie Canal. Winners receive **cash** prizes to be announced at the end of the race at the corner of Linnie and Eastern Canals.

Ducky sales from 10AM - 1:15pm (or until all ducks are sold)

You can also purchase your rubber duckies in advance on **Saturday, June 27, and Sunday, June 28, from 12pm - 4pm** at Dell Ave and Court D (across from the park). We always sell out of duckies, so get yours early!



BBQ

12pm-2:30pm

Hamburgers, turkey burgers, and hot dogs from Mark's Fire Grill. \$5 each, and comes with a bottle of water. Food tickets available for purchase at Linnie & Grand from 10:00am - 2:00pm.

For more information or to volunteer to help contact Sandy Berens at (310) 448-5961 or email contact@venicecanalsassociation.org.

2015 Downwind Regatta

Schedule

- 1:45pm - Entries to the starting line
- 2:00pm - Race begins

Rules

- **All boats must be wind-powered only.** Let your imagination run wild!
- Regatta entry forms are **required** and must be handed to the Race Committee prior to the start.
- All children under 15 years old on boats **MUST** wear life vests at all times during the race, and the release must be signed by their parent/guardian.
- Boats must be prepared prior to race time.
- Sails must be able to fit under the two bridges on Linnie Canal.

Entry Form

Please fill out and turn in completed entry form at the Regatta start.

Boat Name _____

Participant Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

RACE ENTRY AGREEMENT - Please Read Carefully

If you do not agree to these conditions, you must not participate in this activity. In consideration of acceptance of my/our entry by the Venice Canals Association ("VCA") in the July 4th 2015 Linnie Canal Downwind Regatta ("the Activity"), I/we acknowledge and agree as follows:

1. Designing, building, and racing my/our vessel in the Activity is at my/our own risk and I/we undertake the Activity of my/our own free will and am/are responsible for my/our own safety, I/we understand the Activity will not be supervised by any trained lifeguards or safety officers. Those individuals who have volunteered to assist the participant in the Activity will take no action to mitigate these natural risks, and offer no guarantee of safety. All individuals under 18 must have this form signed by their parent or legal guardian.

2. I/we understand children on boats **MUST WEAR** life vests during the Activity. I/we have carefully read and understand the above, and agree to be bound by this agreement.

3. ASSUMPTION OF RISK. THERE ARE RISKS INHERENT IN THE ACTIVITY, AND I/WE FREELY ASSUME ALL RISKS, INCLUDING PERSONAL INJURY OR DEATH TO MYSELF AND MY CREW, LOSS OR DAMAGE TO MY VESSEL AND ITS EQUIPMENT, AS WELL AS UNFORESEEN RISKS.

4. WAIVER, RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION. TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, I/WE WAIVE ALL CLAIMS, FOREVER RELEASE AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE VCA, IT'S MEMBERSHIP, AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS, AS WELL AS ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN SPONSORS OF THE ACTIVITY, FROM LIABILITY FOR ANY AND ALL INJURY ARISING FROM MY/OUR PARTICIPATION IN THE ACTIVITY.

Signature *(parent or guardian if minor)*: _____ Date: _____