



RAFT RACE ENTRY FORM 2026



SUNDAY 16TH AUGUST 2026

JUDGING 3:30PM with a start shortly after

Entry Forms available from the Carnival Facebook page or Geoff King on 07947 167834

Please return a completed Entry Form/Disclaimer and £10 entry fee per raft to The Carnival Post Box outside Presents on the Strand or call Geoff King on **07947 167834** **by 12 noon on Friday 7th August 2026**

Prizes

Racing prizes: 1st prize: £50, 2nd prize: £30,

Best constructed: £20

Best fancy dress: £20

Best effort (you either came last or sank...): crate of beer

Rules

ALL RAFTS MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED PRIOR TO THE EVENT.

We will not accept entries on the day

Conditions of entry:

1. Rafts can have up to 6 persons on them and must be self-propelled.
2. Canoes and Kayaks may be used for flotation but must not be occupied.
3. All entrants to the raft race must be over 18 years of age, understand they are entering at their own risk and are competent swimmers.
4. No entrants must be under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
5. All entrants must wear their own suitable individual buoyancy aid to take part in the race.
6. All entrants understand that Dawlish Celebrates Carnival will not be responsible for any injuries or death that may occur during the event.
7. All entrants agree to take their raft or what remains of it away from the beach after the event.
8. Any entrants who are abusive to marshals or medical or security staff will not be allowed to enter the event.

By adding their name to the entry form/disclaimer individual entrants agree to these conditions and they will take responsibility for any costs - legal or otherwise.

Fancy dress is encouraged and will be judged before taking part in the event. There will be prizes to be won.

As this is a water-based event all reasonable precautions will be taken to ensure the safety of the event and all of those taking part. Various organisations have assisted us with the preparations for the event. If you have any medical conditions, we advise you to seek medical advice before completing an entry form.

Fancy dress theme - what do you intend to dress up as? The theme of Carnival 2026 is 'Once Upon a Time' but you can do a theme of your choice.

This page is followed by the Entry Form/Disclaimer which must be fully completed on application

Entry Form for the 2026 raft Race

Disclaimer

I/We enter the raft race entirely at my/our own risk and am/are over 18 years of age. I/We are in good health and am/are a competent swimmers. We/I will follow all the rules. Entrants are subject to the Dawlish Celebrates Carnival Marshals discretion.

I/We the undersigned agree to all the terms and conditions.

Title of RAFT

Names of ALL people entering (Pseudonyms not accepted)

Name	Signature

Contact mobile telephone number in case event is cancelled due to bad weather:

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More info: Contact Geoff on 07947167834 or email: president@dawlishcelebratescarnival.co.uk

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