

A Day For Speed



SCHOOLS OUT

First day of competition regrettably on Monday. All weekender had left Citarik to get back on their daily routine.

The organizer had not hoped the spectators will fill the river bank. Especially since the schedule was early in the morning coincide with class starts at 7am.

To everyone surprise gradually the river bank filled with school children in their uniform. "No,we didn't skip school," they all replied. "We were given permission to support our school mates."

The West Jawa Youth team consist of children of the national athlete living in Citarik area. This why SMP 2 Cikidang, the school were most of them belongs allowed to skip school.

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First day of heats. Sprint followed by Head to Head. DKI Jakarta, the capital of Indonesia team, won the sprint for male as well as female. On the following Head to Head, the table turns West Jawa male defeated DKI Jakarta.

Head To Head is considered prestigious discipline among rafter. The old rivalry between West Jawa against DKI Jakarta goes back to a couple of years in the national championship, Overall until today, DKI won the tally. West Jawa won by two second.

During their run Jawa Barat athlete had pushed his paddle inside the DKI boat. DKI manager protested. But to no avail, after the video was viewed by the juries, it was decided that the incident was unintentional. The two boats was side by side and the natural paddling move by the athlete resulted the incident.

"This is not a violation," Joni Kurniawan IRF General Judge explained.



Head To Head Race –

Denny Anugerah

TODAY WEATHER

BMKG Weather Prediction:

Light Rain

Temp: 23 - 33 °C; Humidity: 52 - 93 %

Wind Speed : 25 (km/jam) Wind Direction: South

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TOMMOROW PROGRAM

**Tuesday
December 2st 2014.**

0700 - 0900

- **Slalom Race Run 1**

0930 - 1130

- **Slalom Race Run 2**

1400 – 1430

- **Medal Ceremony for Slalom Race.**

1700 - 1800

- **Race Committee Meeting**

1700 - 1800

- **Captain Meeting for Down River Race**

preview.

Slalom where the strength agility team work of rafting teams are measured. Rafting boats must past two hanging tubes some red colored others are green. Red upstream, green downstream.

There are 14 gates in all, nine green and five red. Each team has to pass all the gate in sequences. Penalty will be given if they miss consecutive gates.

Passing the gates is considered a success if all team members head passed between the tubes without any part of the bodies and boats as well as equipement touching the gate.

The worst penalty, not passing through a gate is 50seconds.



Denny Anugerah

DKI Girls Manage to Win on Both Sprint and Head To Head Race.

DKI Girls Rules

The capital Jakarta team won all the Sprint and Head to Head Putri discipline. The all middle school girls succeeded in leaving West Jawa. The opposite of what happened in the mens final.

Aceng Suhendi the coach for the female DKI team explained that these girls started regular training just since September 2014. Approaching the competition, he rises the training each morning and afternoon. Aceng is hopefull that his team can win the overall points and become Indonesia representative in World Rafting Championship 2015.

HAVE TO GO



Buniayu Caves is just two hours drive from Citarik.

The complete Adventure in Buniayu Adventure & Training (BAT), start with exploration of horizontal cave, vertical caves, Bibijilan Waterfalls, spend the night at local homestay, and experience the warmth hospitality, social aspect, culture, around the cave environment, or camping surrounded by pine trees while feel the fresh air. The adventure will be memorable and never be forgotten. Browse: www.buniayucave.com



Hendri Wijaya

Takuya Ikeda

” YES SPYING, TO SEE THE RIVER, THE FACILITIES, WHERE TO STAY.”

Profile

Takuya Ikeda san

Safety and rescue volunteer in Pre World Rafting Championship 2014 comes from foreign country. Australia contributed female rescuer. From Japan, Takuya Ikeda can be seen fully prepared in his kayak during heats.

“I was planning to come for competition,” he explained. Unfortunately three of his team mate can not be reached. “Their missing,” he smiles. So Ikeda san came on his own.

The 35 years old father of two daughter and one son, he is professional racer. Takuya Ikeda said that There are around 10 races in Japan and he also compete abroad. His sponsor is Teikei a guard security company in Tokyo.”One of the biggest security company.”His sponsor also include Japan automotive industry.

Takuya Ikeda confesses he has other purpose than to volunteer his expertise. “Are spying for Japan team?” Ikeda san seems amused and he laugh saying,”yes spying, to see the river, the facilities, where to stay.”

Ikeda san plans to have his team ready for World Rafting Championship 2015.He explained that Japan team was World Champion for 2010 and 2011. But his team placed 4th this year in Brazil, and in WRC New Zealand places 2nd.

Ikeda san agrees that he wants 2015 as Japanese come back to the first rank in whitewater rafting.

Good luck for 2015, Ikeda san.

insight

Pro and Cons Pontoon Start

It is difficult to choose a best starting point for Head to Head race. Just see today result. From all 18 starter from opposite banks of Citarik, only four winner started from the right side.

The section of the river used for Head to Head Race is 300meters in length, turning to the left by the end of the course.

Joni Kurniawan explained that using pontoon to will not matter much as the left side will still benefit from the fast current on its side. Beside that, the left turning course will still benefit the right sided starter, he explained.



Hendri Wijaya

TODAY RESULT

December 1 2014

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HEAT RESULT

Male SPRINT:

1. DKI-1.	total poin 100	West Jawa-1	total poin 200
2. West Jawa-1	total poin 88	DKI-1.	total poin 176
3. DKI-2.	total poin 79	DKI-2.	total poin 158
4. West Jawa-2.	total poin 72	West Jawa-2	total poin 144
5. Banten-3.	total poin 69	Banten-3	total poin 138
6. Central Jawa.	total poin 66	DKI-5	total poin 132
7. West Jawa-4.	total poin 63	Central Jawa	total poin 126
8. DKI-5.	total poin 60	West Jawa-4	total poin 120
9. East Jawa.	total poin 57	Banten -1.	total poin 114
10. Banten -1.	total poin 54	DKI-4.	total poin 108
11. MALAYSIA.	total poin 50	Aceh.	total poin 102
12. Aceh.	total poin 48	East Jawa	total poin 96
13. DKI-4	total poin 45	MALAYSIA.	total poin 90

Male Head To Head

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2. West Jawa.	total poin 88	West Jawa.	total poin 176
3. Banten.	total poin 79	Banten	total poin 158
4. North Sulawesi. T.	poin 72	North Sulawesi.	total poin 144

Female:

1. DKI.	total poin 100	DKI.	total poin 200
2. West Jawa.	total poin 88	West Jawa.	total poin 176
3. Banten.	total poin 79	Banten	total poin 158
4. North Sulawesi. T.	poin 72	North Sulawesi.	total poin 144



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OVERALL RESULT

Male:

1. West Jawa-1	total poin 288
2. DKI-1.	total poin 276
3. DKI-2.	total poin 237
4. West Jawa-2.	total poin 216
5. Banten-3.	total poin 207
6. Central Jawa.	total poin 192
7. DKI-5.	total poin 192
8. West Jawa-4.	total poin 183
9. Banten -1.	total poin 168
10. East Jawa.	total poin 153
11. DKI-4.	total poin 153
12. Aceh.	total poin 150
13. MALAYSIA.	total poin 141

Female:

1. DKI.	total poin 300
2. West Jawa.	total poin 264
3. Banten.	total poin 237
4. North Sulawesi.	total poin 216

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