

PRESS RELEASE

SCOTIABANK AND UNITED WAY PARTNER IN SUPPORT OF CHARITY

Scotiabank Trinidad and Tobago Limited has joined forces with United Way Trinidad and Tobago to host a Charity Dragonboat Festival carded for Sunday 18th March 2007 at the Kayak Centre in Chaguaramas. The objective of this event is to raise funds for the Scotiabank Women Against Breast Cancer Fund as well as to support non-governmental organizations approved by United Way Trinidad and Tobago.

The official launch of the Charity Dragonboat Festival 2007 took place at the Kayak Centre in Chaguaramas, with speakers including Mr. Richard P. Young, Scotiabank's Managing Director, Mr. Conrad Aleong, Chairman, United Way Trinidad and Tobago and Mr. Franco Siu Chong, President of the Trinidad and Tobago Dragonboat Federation.

According to Richard P. Young, Scotiabank's Managing Director, the partnership between the Bank and United Way Trinidad and Tobago was a natural fit, in the sense that both Scotiabank and United Way have one objective in mind – to assist those in need. Over 50 companies have been invited to participate in this event, which promises to be a day of fun, excitement and friendly competition. Tickets are priced at \$10 and go on sale to the public on January 18th at Scotiabank's 23 branches nationwide.

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