

PARKING for The Cleveland Rowing Foundation's Head of the Cuyahoga Regatta

CRF Boathouse address:

*1003 British Street
Cleveland, OH 44113*

BRITISH STREET ENTRANCE: Boat trailers will be coming through this entrance. Scullers who are car topping their boat may enter the property to unload their shell. Equipment trailers will also be able to enter to drop off their trailers. After unloading, scullers and tow trucks will be asked to move to offsite parking.

MERWIN AVENUE ENTRANCE (off Columbus Road): After unloading, tow trucks & scullers will exit here. Only referees, VIPs, and those requiring handicap parking may enter here to park; parking passes will be required for entrance.

All athletes, spectators, and visitors should park in designated lot or on street as noted below.

DIRECTIONS TO ATHLETE & SPECTATOR PARKING:

Designated Lot:

The large lot at the corner of Center and Columbus (Sunoco station on corner across from parking lot) is the designated parking lot for spectators and visitors. The address is 1717 Columbus Rd. THERE IS A \$10 CHARGE FOR PARKING. This lot is cash only. Please bring exact change if possible. Regatta volunteers will be staffing this lot. There may be a handful of monthly people who will want to park in this lot during the regatta – they have permission & may just use their key card. This lot is less than a 10 minute walk to the Cleveland Rowing Foundation Boathouse.

Directions to the designated lot from the Cleveland Rowing Foundation Exit at the Merwin Avenue Gate: Turn left onto Columbus Rd. The designated parking lot and entrance will be on your right after you've crossed over the railroad tracks.

Additional Parking Options:

Canal Basin Parking (1519 Merwin Avenue): Posted cost for weekends is \$3. Directions from the Merwin Avenue Gate: Turn left onto Columbus Rd. At the stop sign, turn right onto Center Street. Take the first left onto West. The parking lot entrance will be on your right.

Metroparks Heritage Parking: Posted cost for weekends is \$5, unless there is a special event. There will be a concert and a baseball game later in the day that may drive an increased price for this date. Directions from the Merwin Avenue Gate: Turn left onto Columbus Rd. At the stop sign, turn left onto Center Street. Turn right at Merwin Avenue (Center Street Bridge is closed so you can only go right or left here). Parking is on your left.

Ohio City Bicycle Co-op Parking: Cost to park here is \$20. A limited number of spots are available in this lot. Turn off of Columbus Road into the Merwin Avenue entrance. The Bicycle Co-op lot is on the right.

Street Parking:

There will be limited street parking available on Columbus Road between the Columbus Road Bridge and Center Street (Sunoco station on corner). Parking is at your own risk. Please observe posted signs.

There will also be limited street parking along FRANKLIN Avenue and Carter Road. Parking is at your own risk. Other streets where parking can be found include: Fall St, French St, Leonard Ave, West Ave, & Merwin Ave. There are also metered spots on Center Street. Parking is at your own risk. Follow all street signs and posted parking rates.

Please note: REMOVE or RELOCATE all valuables and LOCK YOUR CAR. DO NOT leave items such as GPS devices, MP3 players, cell phones or anything of any value IN SIGHT. LOCK YOUR VEHICLE. Cleveland Rowing Foundation/Rivergate Park is not responsible for any items lost or stolen from your vehicle.

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION:

There is a Rapid Transit (public transit / light rail system) stop at Settler's Landing (~10min walk to Cleveland Rowing Foundation) and at West 25th St / Ohio City (~ 5 min walk to Cleveland Rowing Foundation).

[Click here](#) for RTA Rapid System Map.

- Take the 66 Red, 67 Blue, or 67A Green Line to the Settler's Landing stop.
- Take the Waterfront Line to Settler's Landing.
- Take the Red Line to West 25th St / Ohio City.

Go to <http://www.riderta.com/schedules/#rail> for RTA Rapid System Timetables (Trains ~ every 20min).

SUGGESTIONS FOR PARKING FOR CRF VOLUNTEERS:

- Plan on extra time to locate parking and walk to the Boathouse. You will want to be at your assigned location at or before the time your shift is scheduled to start.
- If there is a shift at your location after you, please wait until your replacement arrives.
- Wear bright/reflective clothing and bring a flashlight for early shifts.
- Depending on your role, you may want to bring a folding chair to sit in.
- Familiarize yourself with the parking map as people may be asking directions.