



## POUGHKEEPSIE ROW FOR THE CURE®

Dear Coach,

On May 31, 2009, the Wappingers Crew Club will be hosting their second Row For the Cure® Regatta. This regatta will raise money for those suffering from breast cancer as well as national research. 25% of funds raised are used for National Research; 75% of funds raised go to Local Community Health Grants.

We ask that each boat that enters pay a \$10 a seat registration fee. This registration fee will go to offset the expenses of hosting the regatta, but the remainder of the money will go to benefit the Greater New York City Affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure. Registration is NOW OPEN on [www.regattacentral.com](http://www.regattacentral.com).

In addition, although not required, we ask that each rower get friends, neighbors, and family members to sponsor them. All other money raised by rowers will be donated. Sponsor forms will be provided at the boathouse and you will also be able to download the form online at Regatta Central.

Also, we would appreciate volunteers to help officiate the regatta. We are in need of timers, flagmen, dock masters, aligners, chase boats, starters, and a marshalling boat. We plan to provide medals for first, second, and third place finishes in each event. We also plan to provide a plaque for the team that raises the most money for Row for the Cure. The money collected from sponsors and 50% of each team's registration money will be totaled to determine which team raises the most.

The following events are planned:

### **Girls**

HS Novice 8+  
HS Varsity 8+  
HS Varsity 4+  
Women's Open 1x

### **Boys**

HS Novice 8+  
HS Varsity 8+  
HS Varsity 4+  
Men's Open 1x

### **Mixed**

HS Varsity 8+  
Masters 8+  
Open 2x  
Coaches vs. Teams 4+  
Alumni 4+

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