

## Norcal Crew Financial Aid Application

NORCAL CREW seeks to ensure that no rower is deprived of the opportunity to row and compete for want of financial means. The information you provide on this application is confidential and will be reviewed only by our board's Scholarship Committee. The committee grants aid based on financial need, positive attitude and volunteer participation. All grants are subject to certification by a coach that the rower had good attendance and a positive attitude the prior semester (waived for new novice rowers). All grants must be renewed each year.

While each situation is considered separately, this is typically aimed at family incomes below the area's median income of approximately \$100,000/year.

In order to be considered for a scholarship, please submit the following application at the same time as you register for the club. Do not submit a payment at that time. Upon determination of an award, you will be notified by e-mail of the decision and the amount of dues owed, if any. The resulting dues owed will be due within 14 days of that notification.

STEP 1: Register for Norcal Crew. Registration forms and waivers are available at the [norcalcrew.org](http://norcalcrew.org) website.

STEP 2: Complete this form, sign it and attach two documents:

- A statement of need. Written by a parent or guardian, this is your opportunity to tell the scholarship committee anything you'd like them to know about your situation. Please mention whether your financial situation has changed since your latest federal tax return was filed.
- A copy of the first two pages of your most recent federal income tax return (1040) showing your taxable income. If parents or guardians filed separately, please include both returns.

STEP 3: Email your application documents to [scholarships@norcalcrew.org](mailto:scholarships@norcalcrew.org)

ROWER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

### PROGRAM:

High school racing teams:

Novice (1<sup>st</sup> year) Fall \_\_\_\_\_; Novice Winter/Spring \_\_\_\_\_

Varsity (2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> years) Fall \_\_\_\_\_; Varsity Winter/Spring \_\_\_\_\_

Recreational program: \_\_\_\_\_

Summer Rowing Program (specify which): \_\_\_\_\_

CIRCLE HOW MUCH AID YOU ARE REQUESTING (as a percentage of the total membership fee)

25%

50%

75%

100%

OCCUPATION: First Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Second Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

How many children under age 18 are in your rower's household all together: \_\_\_\_\_

### SIGNATURES:

Parent/Guardian #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian #2: \_\_\_\_\_