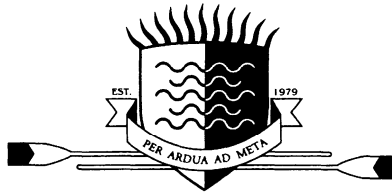


LOS GATOS



ROWING CLUB

November 3, 1999

Dear Parents of Junior Rowers:

Welcome to the year 2000 Junior crew season. We are looking forward to another highly competitive racing schedule culminating with the Southwest Regional Championships and, for the crews that **qualify**, the Junior National Championships. Our Head Coach and Program Director Skip Braatz welcomes back coaches Mike McCoy, Robert Goldsmith, and Gene Knipe.

As in prior years, most fees associated with programs, social events, and regattas are included in program dues. **They** include:

- One racing singlet to be worn during competition
- LGRC membership for 1 year
- USRA membership for 1 year
- Full time coaching and supervision on water and land
- Participation, entry fees, and supervision for all regattas
- Lodging, breakfasts, and lunches while attending the USRA Southwest Championships
- Attendance at various barbecues and social events throughout the season
- Attendance at the annual awards banquet at the end of the season

The total dues for this season are \$950 and are payable in three installments: \$350 with the **membership** application by January 15, \$300 on February 15, and \$300 on March 15. For your and my convenience, I encouraged you to provide credit card information on the application. You will automatically be charged the amount due on these dates. If you pay by check, make it payable to LGRC.

Please fill out the enclosed membership form, waiver, swimming certificate, and zero tolerance drug policy. The forms and payment may be returned to Skip at practice or mailed to the address below. **For** insurance reasons, the forms and payment must be received before your child may row. If you have any billing questions please contact Derek Fohs at (83 1) 426-13 18 or by e-mail at dafohs@cs.com. Skip **Braatz** can be reached at 998-8945.

Thank you for your participation and support.

Sincerely,

Derek Fohs
Treasurer