

American Collegiate Rowing Association

For Immediate Release: Changes for 2019 ACRA Regatta

The ACRA Executive Board is excited to announce the following changes to the regatta for 2019:

- 1. Due to the steady growth of entries over the years, we will be starting the Regatta on Friday, May 24th (no earlier than 12pm). The exact outline of the schedule is still in discussion, but we will need the extra day in order to finish the event by 2pm Sunday.
- 2. We will also be adding a Men's 3rd Varsity 8+ to the schedule this year.
- 3. Finally, we will be updating our timing system for the Regatta this year by adding HereNow timing. This update, along with another day of racing will result in a slight increase in entry fees.

The new fee structure will be as follows:

1x \$80 (up from \$75) 2x/- \$115 (up from \$100) 4+/- \$160 (up from \$150) 8+ \$250 (up from \$225)

We would also like to invite anyone in attendance to an open ACRA meeting at this year's USRowing Conference in San Diego! Join us for a discussion on the Regatta and Club Rowing in general.

Best of luck to everyone with their fall training!

Feel free to contact us if you have any questions regarding these changes or any other inquiries. It's never too early to discuss any eligibility questions anyone may have. Any inquiries can be sent to Kurt Butler (kurt.e.butler.69@gmail.com).