



**CEDAR CREEK HIGH SCHOOL PIRATES
CREW BOOSTER CLUB
1701 New York Avenue
Egg Harbor City, NJ 08215
501(c)3 #: 83-3629024**

Dear Supporters and Local Business Owners:

On behalf of the Cedar Creek High School Crew Club, thank you for your interest in supporting our young rowers

If you are not familiar with our program, it was established in 2012 just 2 years after our school opened. Because it is considered a club and not a sport, our parent volunteer booster club must raise the funds for most expenses such as racing boats, oars, launch boats and engines, maintenance, trailers, and food/beverages for the rowers on long race days. In 2019 we broke new ground with the help of Jersey Cape Yachts as the owners graciously allowed our club to use their Lower Bank marina as our boathouse enabling more practice time with better water conditions conducive to racing. That year was also the first time in Cedar Creek Crew's history that our Girl's Junior Varsity boat qualified to participate in the Scholastic National Championship. This past season, our Boys Novice 4 boat placed 3rd in their category at Philadelphia's City Championship. Our club has also been exceptionally proud to have had 14 rowers earn college scholarships, and we are proud to hear the successes of our rowers as respected universities such as Stockton, Jacksonville, St. Joseph's, Embry-Riddle, and Drexel.

As we look towards the 2023 season, in which our senior rowers have named it "Redemption Tour 2023" because of the setbacks they faced due to 2 years' of Covid restrictions, we want to make it the best possible for them and all the rowers due to the challenges they have faced. However, we need our local communities' and businesses' help to keep our fees low and attainable for our young students and our equipment in good condition to enable the rowers' success. Where do you come in? Outlined in the attached flyer are the opportunities for local businesses and donors to help Cedar Creek Crew and to be a part of our team. As Cedar Creek Crew is a 501c(3) registered organization, **the donation you make will be tax-deductible**. More importantly, however, your donation will go directly toward the cost of equipment and will help provide our athletes the opportunity to help themselves. If we can eliminate high costs for our athletes to participate and rely on our fundraising efforts throughout the season, as well as your donation, we can get more student-athletes out on the water and help them possibly earn a college scholarship. The value of your donation to Cedar Creek Crew, in whatever amount you are able to give, will grow exponentially over the next several years as you help provide the opportunity for our rowers to further their education through college scholarships. Our rowers need you to be a part of the team.

On behalf of the rowers and parents of Cedar Creek Crew, we thank you in advance for your generous donation and invite you to follow us on Facebook at Cedar Creek Crew Booster Club, Instagram at CCHS_Rowing and on Twitter @Creek_Rowing or you can check out our web page: www.piratesrow.com.

Sincerely,

Robert Ponzetti
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President of Cedar Creek Crew Booster Club



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SPONSORSHIPS

\$50+ - CCHS Crew Supporter: As a Supporter, your company's name will be on our 2023 Donor T-shirt. You'll receive one complimentary Donor T-shirt and one Cedar Creek Crew magnets for your business's vehicle.

\$150 - \$250+ - Green and Maroon Club: As a Green and Maroon club member, your company's logo will be on our 2023 Donor T-shirt. You'll receive two complimentary 2023 Donor T-Shirts and two Cedar Creek Crew magnets for your business's vehicles.

\$500+ - Rower's Club: As a Rower's club member, your business's logo will be on our 2023 Donor T-Shirt, your business will receive four complimentary 2023 Donor T-Shirts, as well as four Cedar Creek Crew magnets for your business's vehicles. We would also love to invite you to our Season Kick-Off Dinner so our team can personally thank you!

\$1000+ - Boat Club: Boat club members receive all the perks as those in the Rower's Club, five complimentary 2023 Donor T-shirts plus an invite to our End of Season Banquet at Smithville Inn. Our club is in the process of purchasing protective boat covers which greatly aid the life of our racing shells against the weather elements and we can add your logo to be displayed on one of them for all to see.

\$5,000-\$25,000+ Coach's Club – Racing shells are expensive... brand new shells are even more expensive! We generally buy used boats and get them refurbished over time when we fundraise enough money, but if you're looking to buy the team a used or new boat you would have absolute naming rights as well as all the perks of a Boat Club Donor!



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Yes! I want to be a part of the 2023 Cedar Creek Crew!

Name: _____

Business: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Please enter affiliated participant's name below as he or she will receive partial credit for your donation to their individual fundraising goals!

Affiliated Rower / Coxswain's Name: _____

_____ I want to be a Supporter! - \$50 Donation

_____ I want to be in the Green and Maroon Club! - \$150 to \$250 Donation
List shirt sizes for 2 shirts _____

_____ I want to be in the Rower's Club! - \$500 Donation
(please include your business card or email your logo)
List shirt sizes for 4 shirts _____

_____ I want to be in the Boat Club! - \$1,000 Donation
(please include your business card or email your logo!)
We'll contact you to get your shirt sizes!

_____ I want to buy the team a NEW BOAT as a Coach's Club Donor!
You will be contacted by the booster club to make arrangements.

Please email your company logo to: ccpiratescrew@gmail.com

All checks should be made payable to: **"Cedar Creek Crew Booster Club"** and mailed to:

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