



**Upper Valley Rowing Foundation,  
May 1, 2018  
Coldwell Banker, Hanover, 7:00am  
Minutes**

**Present:** Dan, Beata, Michael, Terry, Maria, Tim, Peggy, Liz, Erika, Nat, John

**Absent:** Carin, Rowan, Dartmouth Rowing

1. March and April 2018 minutes approved.
2. Safety (Terry)
  - a) River is fast +22,000 cfs with a lot of debris.
  - b) Water temp currently 42 degrees.
  - c) Oar painting is nearing completion
  - d) Sculling life jackets have been distributed between Fuller and Kendal
3. Programs (Maria, Tim, Peggy)
  - a) Masters program has started with 12 women, 5 men
  - b) Learn to Sweep, has 6 registered, trying to recruit additional students.
  - c) Learn to Scull will hold 3 clinics in one week in June and July, with 3 sessions of 3 people in each month: Thus there will be spots for a total of 18 participants (9 in June and 9 in July). We plan to refer people who can't fit into this schedule to private coaches.
  - d) Sweep to Scull will hold 2 clinics in one week in each of these months: June, July and August -- again the same number of people served: a total of 18 participants (6 in each month, June, July and August).
  - e) (Tim) Several opportunities are available for competitive sculling coached by Linda and Heidi, timing to be determined- 2 sessions each day. Additional logistics need to be worked out, video and where to view.
  - f) Jen Friend will adjust her learn to scull program to two, 2 week sessions, 6 students per sessions- question as to where the club singles will be located, Fuller or Kendal.
4. Equipment sharing between Kendal and Fuller (Erika, representing Carin)
  - a) 55 private boat owners at Fuller
  - b) Motion to move all club boats to Kendal, approved 1 opposed, 2 abstained. Motions approved.
5. Junior Programs (Erika)
  - a) Erika met with the Jr. Reps.
    - i) Separate ability level within junior level clinics, a second coach will be added if the total number of students warrants it, also separate students by gender.
    - ii) Attend 2 regattas- Sweeps and Sculls and Methuen?
    - iii) Sunday Jr. Smack-Down.
6. Rowan will organize LTR day, June 2<sup>nd</sup> is the official day.

7. Keys are available \$25 for Fuller private rack holder.
8. Parking passes will be available as soon as Dartmouth Parking office issues them.
9. Sign-out sheets are now available at Kendal and Fuller
  - a) Add laminated reminder to check sign-out link for team boats.
10. Treasurer (Michael)
  - a) No new business.
  - b) non-profit certificate will be filed.
11. New business
  - a) Wait list for private rack space.
  - b) Revisit pricing of racks at Fuller, load to private scullers is currently 9K. Proposed that rack fees decrease?
  - c) Dock bumpers or other solution for Fuller sculling dock.

**Proposed meeting schedule for 2018 at KAF 5:45p m (unless otherwise noted)**

- Mon June 4
- Mon July 2
- Mon August 6
- Tues September 4
- Mon Oct 1
- Mon November 5
- Mon December 3