



## San Luis Obispo Rowing Club and Cal Poly Rowing Club Application for Membership



- NEW
- RENEWAL

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Rowing Experience \_\_\_\_\_

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Skills you can offer to club activities (i.e. coaching, construction, graphic arts, fund raising, etc.)

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Boats owned and storage request \_\_\_\_\_

### Order Form

<u>Item</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Size</u> S,M,L,XL	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Total</u>
Individual Membership			\$200	_____
Family Membership			\$300	_____
Cal Poly Rowing Club Membership			\$50	_____
Shirt, short sleeve, unisex	_____	_____	\$20	_____
Shirt, long sleeve, unisex	_____	_____	\$25	_____

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed

Date \_\_\_\_\_





**San Luis Obispo Rowing Club  
Member Agreement and Rules**

**Please read the following rules and regulations carefully before signing.**

1. The San Luis Obispo Rowing Club is for members only. Under no circumstances will the combination to the boathouse ever be shared or given out to a non-member. This includes family, close friends, and guests.
2. Member guests must always be accompanied by a member when entering the boathouse or using any of the club equipment and/or supplies.
3. Member guests may row two times; after two rows they must join the club, pay their dues, and sign the Member Agreement Rules (this form) and the liability waiver.
4. Scullers may use only club equipment. Under no circumstances may they use private boats, oars, or other non-club equipment.
5. Private boats and equipment must be clearly marked. Club oars will be stored on the left exiting the boat- house and private oars will be stored to the right and clearly marked as private.
6. Single scullers may not row alone and must be accompanied by at least one experience member. No boat shall be removed from a rack or carried to the dock without two people handling it to prevent damage.
7. Boats that are being restored or waiting to be restored are clearly to be marked, DO NOT USE!
8. Rowers must use the logbook to record their rowing activity including time and boat used every time they row. Rowers must log in prior to rowing for safety reasons and log out when they return.
9. Boats and equipment must be maintained as explained in training classes or by an experienced club member. This includes rinsing and wiping down boats paying particular attention to the seat tracks making sure they are clean and dry. Report any damage by noting it in the logbook and clearly mark any equipment "UNUSABLE" if so determined. Oars must also be rinsed and wiped down to remove any water sludge or dirt. Towels must be properly hung to dry.
10. Under no circumstances may any type of cleaning chemicals be used to clean boats or equipment.
11. The boathouse must be left clean, coffee machine and heater unplugged, and any garbage containing food debris placed in the trash outside the clubhouse.
12. The clubhouse must be locked during and after rowing.
13. All members must pass a supervised swim test or complete the Club's test verification form, pass a flip test, the ability to enter a boat unaided from the water; watch the US Rowing Safety Video each year, observe the four oars on the water rule (rowing with at least one buddy), and have a personal flotation device (PFD) available; sign the Club's new waiver.

**As a member of the SLORC, by signing below, I certify that I have read the above Membership Agreement and Rules and will abide by them. I also understand that my membership may be revoked at any time and may result in no refund of membership dues for failure to abide by the above rules.**

**Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_



## **WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

IN CONSIDERATION OF the risk of injury that exists while participating in rowing by and through the San Luis Obispo County Rowing Club, a California Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation, at Santa Margarita Lake in the County of San Luis Obispo, California (hereinafter the “Activity”); and

IN CONSIDERATION OF my desire to participate in said Activity and being given the right to participate in the same:

I HEREBY, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, assigns, or personal representatives (hereinafter collectively, “Releasor,” “I,” or “me,” which terms shall also include Releasor’s parents or guardian if Releasor is under 18 years of age), knowingly and voluntarily enter into this WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY and hereby waive any and all rights, claims, or causes of action of any kind arising out of my participation in the Activity; and

I HEREBY release and forever discharge San Luis Obispo Rowing Club, the County of San Luis Obispo, its affiliates, managers, members, agents, attorneys, staff, volunteers, heirs, representatives, predecessors, successors, and assigns (collectively “Releasees”), from any physical or psychological injury that I may suffer as a direct result of my participation in the aforementioned Activity.

I AM VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATING IN THE AFOREMENTIONED ACTIVITY AND I AM PARTICIPATING IN THE ACTIVITY ENTIRELY AT MY OWN RISK. I AM AWARE OF THE RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH PARTICIPATING IN THIS ACTIVITY, WHICH MAY INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO: PHYSICAL OR PSYCHOLOGICAL INJURY, PAIN, SUFFERING, ILLNESS, DISFIGUREMENT, TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT DISABILITY (INCLUDING PARALYSIS), ECONOMIC OR EMOTIONAL LOSS, AND DEATH. I UNDERSTAND THAT THESE INJURIES OR OUTCOMES MAY ARISE FROM MY OWN OR OTHERS’ NEGLIGENCE, CONDITIONS RELATED TO TRAVEL TO AND FROM THE ACTIVITY, OR FROM CONDITIONS AT THE ACTIVITY LOCATION. NONETHELESS, I ASSUME ALL RELATED RISKS, BOTH KNOWN AND UNKNOWN TO ME, IN CONNECTION WITH MY PARTICIPATION IN THIS ACTIVITY.

I FURTHER AGREE to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Releasees against any and all claims, suits or actions of any kind whatsoever for liability, damages, compensation or otherwise brought by me or anyone on my behalf including attorney’s fees and any related costs.

I FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGE that this Activity may involve a test of a person’s physical and mental limits and may carry with it the potential for death, serious injury, and/or property loss. I agree not to participate in the Activity unless I am medically able.

I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS “WAIVER AND RELEASE” AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THAT IT IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY. I EXPRESSLY AGREE TO RELEASE AND DISCHARGE THE



SAN LUIS OBISPO ROWING CLUB, THE COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, AND ALL OF ITS AFFILIATES, MANAGERS, MEMBERS, AGENTS, ATTORNEYS, STAFF, VOLUNTEERS, HEIRS, REPRESENTATIVES, PREDECESSORS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS OR CAUSES OF ACTION AND I AGREE TO VOLUNTARILY GIVE UP OR WAIVE ANY RIGHT THAT I OTHERWISE HAVE TO BRING A LEGAL ACTION AGAINST THE SAN LUIS OBISPO ROWING CLUB AND THE COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO FOR PERSONAL INJURY OR DAMAGE.

To the extent that statute or case law does not prohibit releases for ordinary negligence, this release is also for such negligence on the part of the San Luis Obispo Rowing Club and the County of San Luis Obispo for personal injury or damage, its agents, and employees.

I agree this release shall be governed for all purposes by California law, without regard to any conflict of law principles. This Release supersedes any and all previous oral or written promises or other agreements.

In the event that any damage to equipment or facilities occurs as a result of my or my family's or my agent's willful actions, neglect or recklessness, I acknowledge and agree to be held liable for any and all costs associated with any such actions of neglect or recklessness.

THIS WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT FOR THE DURATION OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE ACTIVITY, DURING THIS INITIAL AND ALL SUBSEQUENT EVENTS OF PARTICIPATION.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Age if under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18 years of age): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_