

## Sculling/Small Boats Committee

2016 COMMITTEE COVER SHEET

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Member	Jim Field	

**Mission of WRRRA:** Western Reserve Rowing Association provides and promotes adult competitive and recreational rowing for the Northeast Ohio community through quality programming.

**Primary Purpose of Committee: Develop recommendations for, and facilitate quality sculling experiences for WRRRA members**

**Scope – Responsible for:**

1. Spearheading communication with WRRRA members and WRRRA Board of Directors related to sculling and small boats (defined as the doubles/pairs and quads)
2. Continue to work on sculling programming based on sculler surveys and feedback
3. Mentoring new and existing scullers through formal (coached) and informal mechanisms
4. Monitoring the independent sculling/small boats program and recommending WRRRA members for independent status.
5. Monitoring use of WRRRA sculling/small boats and related equipment; making recommendations related to equipment acquisition and decisions related to use of current WRRRA equipment by both WRRRA members and other CRF member organizations.
6. Give input to program standards committee r/t evaluation of WRRRA sculling program(s)
7. Monitor incidents involving WRRRA equipment and make decisions regarding disciplinary action.

**Goals – For 2016:**

1. Work with expert scullers within Cleveland Rowing Foundation and/or guest sculling coaches to offer summer sculling clinics; reach across various levels/spectrum interests.
2. Further develop the process for new scullers working toward independent sculling with a focus on experienced scullers new to WRRRA, CRF member organization experienced collegiate, and scholastic rowers
3. Update and improve the sculling information presented on the WRRRA website and in welcome packet.
4. Review sculling bylaws to reflect changes in WRRRA committees/responsibilities and processes
5. Other goals as determined by the committee as work progresses

**Authority – Specifically Authorized to:**

1. Operate as primary voice representing WRRRA sculling community to the WRRRA Board of Directors and the WRRRA Program Standards Committee.

2. Develop and Implement WRRRA independent sculler criteria, testing and monitoring
3. Negotiate with other programs for sharing sculling equipment c/w goals of programs
4. Make recommendations to the board and equipment committee related to sculling equipment.
5. Make recommendations to the programs standards committee related to program evaluation