

Dear Schools and Clubs

In our last communications sent out, Karāpiro Rowing indicated that we would require assistance from each competing entity at a KRI regatta to supply us with a volunteer for the event.

We have worked this this concept further and can provide more detail in this regard.

When completing your entries via rowIT, there is a mandatory field area to complete. In this field, please provide details for the identified volunteer or your volunteer manager.

We will only be requiring between 10-15 volunteers for each regatta. We will therefore randomly select the number of volunteers required and notify your club approximately 8-10 days before the event, should your club have been selected.

Once a club has been selected, you should not need to provide another volunteer later in the season (however this field will still be mandatory to complete your entries – so please add our club's representative's details). Please note, that you may not put forward a current KRI Volunteer – it would need to be a person who is not assisting us already.

We would prefer volunteers to be available for both days as this will reduce the training that we would need to conduct. We will be using your volunteers in easy trainable positions e.g., numbers hut, compliance, etc. so they don't need to worry being out of their depth. For longer regattas, like the Maadi Regatta, we will use volunteers for a maximum of two days and rotate between more clubs.

Volunteers would be required to attend the morning Chiefs' meeting, usually 1 hour before racing commences. There is a light breakfast available. They will also be supplied with morning tea, lunch, an afternoon snack and dinner on most nights.

Should you have any further questions in this regard, please feel free to contact either Lyn Allen or Carol Howard.

The KRI Regatta Committee would like to thank Clubs for assisting us in this regard and "making great regattas happen".

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