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Dear Parents,

Saratoga Rowing Association is pleased to be able to offer the Rowing Assistance Program (RAP) again for rowers continuing in our 2009 Jr. Competitive programs. It is a scholarship funded by SRA designed to help offset program fees and is a need based program. Parents may apply for RAP for all Jr. Competitive programs including spring, summer & fall, as well as the Charles R Wood Summer-Learn-To-Row. A first time uniform clothing order may also be eligible. Non-membership programs such as sculling and specialty camps are not eligible for RAP at this time.

The scholarship is set up to cover a portion of each season's fee. SRA's 2009 fee schedule is as follows: spring \$425-\$500, summer \$180 and fall \$300 for a single child. The Learn-To-Row costs are \$195, \$320 & \$420 depending on how many sessions are attended. Though no one will be 100% funded, amounts given will be determined by financial need. Parents may reapply for subsequent years. The parents will be required to send last year's Federal 1040 tax return and fill out a RAP application, which may be obtained by contacting the Business Manager at 587-6697, by email at anneatsra@nycap.rr.com or download it from our website. **For this each season, applications are due 2 weeks prior to the start date**, so an application for RAP should be mailed back to the above address as soon as possible to allow time for processing. All information and inquiries will be strictly confidential.

The RAP is an ongoing commitment of the SRA and will be of help to families that may require financial assistance. Should you want to help sustain this fund, you may make restricted donations directly to RAP at any time. Please contact SRA at 587-6697 for further information about making a donation or for questions on how to apply. .

Sincerely,

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