

**The San Diego Crew Classic has volunteers in six areas. Please review the positions listed and select those that best fit you. You may choose more than one if you wish. You will be contacted by a Volunteer Coordinator. THANK YOU!**

**Hours are from 6:30a.m. to 6p.m. Saturday and 6:30a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday. Morning, afternoon and all-day shifts are available.**

**Must be 16 years old, except finish line runners who must be at least 8 years old.**

### **ZONE 1: Race Operations**

- Announcer - Using heat sheets, announces first and last calls for heats. Check off boats as they are launched.
- Video Production Assistant - assist with various aspects of the video production.
- Staggered Starts – assists referees with staggered starts
- Finish Line – runners to distribute results around the site
- Weigh-In – weigh athletes during scheduled times throughout the weekend.
- Information/Check-in - answer questions about the event, check in the crews as they arrive and orient them to the event.
- Trophies - Organize trophies for presentation; locate presenters; record the distribution.
- Referee – officiate each day of the regatta.
- Beach Master - be part of the team that assures boats get launched and retrieved with all necessary equipment and identifiers including bow numbers and bow balls, race and lane number stickers, etc. Beach Masters are needed Monday through Friday the week before the regatta.
- Scoreboard - post the times for each race.
- Perimeter Boats – Help keep the course secure by patrolling the perimeter

### **ZONE 2: Water Operations**

- Divers are needed during the week before the event to locate anchors on the floor of the Mission Bay for course installation, and on Sunday after the event to pull the course. Race course installation needs small boat drivers and other helpers all of the week before, particularly the Wednesday before the regatta.
- Out-board motor mechanics - to keep motors running on 25 small boats used to follow the races, remove kelp and secure the course.
- Small boat drivers - to drive launches which follow the races and remove kelp from the course.
- Crew - to assist skippers in the small boats; also for course removal on Sunday following the regatta, approximately 10 people to wash and sort gear.

- Operations dock workers – to support the activities of the 25 boats on the water such as loading of equipment and passengers including referees and media.
- Boat Yard assistants are needed before, during and after the regatta to launch, pull, fuel, clean and repair the small boats. Boat Yard is at Campland on the Bay.

### **ZONE 3: Shore Operations**

- Alumni Tent assistant – assist Alumni Coordinators to support hospitality efforts.
- Admissions - Greet spectators and sell tickets at one of three entry gates.
- Admissions supervisor assistant - supervise the activities of the Admissions Volunteers (see above).
- Trash pick up - Keep the shore and sandy beach safe for athletes to launch their boats. Must be at least 18 yrs old to drive a golf cart.
- Volunteer Tent assistant – assist Volunteer Coordinators in administrative efforts, welcome volunteers.
- Security - support the paid security staff at entry gates.

### **ZONE 4: Marketing and Public Relations**

- Merchandise Sales - assist in the Crew Classic Merchandise Tent to organize and sell merchandise. Shifts are available.
- Program sales – sell the official program to the public.

### **ZONE 5: Administration and Development**

- Development assistant to help with various aspects of hospitality throughout the event.
- Pasta dinner - sell tickets for the Friday night Pasta Party, assist with clean-up.
- Raffle ticket sales - at a table in the Trade Show area, sell tickets for the raffle of an ergometer.

### **ZONE 6: Brunch**

- Check-in – assist with Sunday morning arrival of guests.
- Clean-up – assist with Sunday afternoon removal and storage of decorations, etc.
- Silent Auction – work as part of a committee year-round to obtain prizes, create baskets for auction, and oversee sales during the Brunch by the Bay on Sunday.