



Puddles



The Newsletter of the Radnor Girls Crew Club

NEWS SPLASH

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HOW I SPENT MY SUMMER, PART 1: LAUREN TURNER MEDALS...AGAIN AND AGAIN

Lauren Turner was fortunate to compete five times in the Philadelphia Youth Regatta this summer within a six-hour span for Fairmount, medalling twice. Her J18 Quad placed first, rowing with Nicole Frederick and Olivia Desalvo from Episcopal Academy and Maggie Dwyer from Conestoga. In addition, the same four athletes took second in the J18 4+. The J18 8+ came in 4th in the 500-Meter Dash to help give Fairmount second place in the overall standings.

More importantly, 2010 marked the 128th Annual Royal Canadian Henley Regatta. Since the "Henley" settled in St. Catharines in 1903, it has grown to become the largest of its kind in North America. (Last year, over 2,800 men and women from over 150 rowing clubs competed for Henley Gold.) Lauren competed in three events at the Canadian Henley for Fairmount: a double; a 4+, where her boat qualified for semi-finals; and a quad, where her boat earned the silver medal behind a Canadian team.

Also competing at Canadian Henley, Carly MacCormick rowed for Crescent Crew Club and Emma Howard (4+, Jr 8+ and the Women's Dash 8+) rowed for the Saratoga Rowing Association.

As previously reported, Lauren's boat also placed first in the Women's Junior 4x Final at the 2010 Independence Day Regatta on July 3. Lauren was rowing with the Fairmount Club.

HOW I SPENT MY SUMMER, PART 2: SOPHIA BLAIR PARTICIPATES IN U.S. CLUB NATIONALS

Sophia Blair participated in U.S. Club Nationals in Oak Ridge, TN and advanced to the semi-finals in the Junior Women's 2x for Sarasota Crew.

HOW I SPENT MY SUMMER, PART 3: CHANDLER LALLY MEDALS AT INDEPENDENCE DAY REGATTA

Chandler Lally competed in the Independence Day Regatta in Philadelphia, rowing for the U.S. Jr. Women's Team in the Women's 8+ and taking first place.

HOW I SPENT MY SUMMER, PART 4: CHANDLER LALLY AND TEAM USA TAKE SILVER AT WORLD ROWING JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

As previously reported, Chandler Lally and Team USA placed second in the JW4- Final A at the 2010 World Rowing Junior Championships in Racice, Czech Republic earlier this month, finishing less than a second behind first place finisher New Zealand.

PUDDLES RETURNING SOON

Look for the first regular Puddles of the fall season to appear shortly. Fall practice for returning athletes starts September 7.