



IRA AND AFFILIATE CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTAS ANNOUNCE LIVESTREAM FOR Intercollegiate Rowing Association National Championship (IRA)

BOSTON, Mass. – The Intercollegiate Rowing Association (IRA) and their affiliates are pleased to announce live web streaming for the 117th Intercollegiate Rowing Association National Championship Friday, May 31 through Sunday June 2, 2019. Viewing this event will be free of charge.

Once again, the IRA National Championships will be streamed via USRowing's video department led by Willie Black. These events will be livestreamed and archived on USRowing's YouTube channel. The channel can be accessed by the following link <https://www.youtube.com/user/usrowingorg/featured>

The three day viewing schedule for the 117th Intercollegiate Rowing Association National Championship:

Friday, May 31, 2019

Morning Heats: 8:00 am-11:50 am
Afternoon Repechages: 1:50 pm-4:10 pm

Saturday, June 1, 2019

Morning Heats and Semifinals: 8:00 am-11:10 am

Sunday, June 2, 2019

Morning Finals: 8:00 am-11:20 am
Awards Ceremonies: 11:30 am – 12:45 pm

IRA ANNOUNCING TEAM:

IRA Lead Announcer *Fred Schoch*, a 1973 graduate of Washington, former Head Coach at Georgetown, and longtime Executive Director of the Head of the Charles Regatta has been the voice of both the Men's Sprints and the IRA Championships for the better part of 20 years. Fred always brings his A-Game on race day and has been a most worthy successor to legendary race voice, Jack Frailey.

Colleen Saville has been a part of the USRowing Collegiate Announcing Team for five years, as lead at the Women's Sprints, and manning the start at Men's Sprints and IRA Championships. Varsity Coxswain at Northeastern University, she cut her announcing chops on the Charles doing Huskie radio and now internet broadcasts, and has broadened her resume to include the World Championships and World Cup announcing for FISA.

Steve Todd, former Hear Men's Coach at Oregon State, won the IRA Announcer contest in 2017 and immediately signed a long term contract to join the announcing team. Steve's on air presence is becoming a staple in the Pacific Northwest, and his insider's knowledge of the teams and coaches is enhancing out commentary team's work!

Former Olympic Silver medalist, national team coach, co-founder of the ACRA Championships, 30+ year coach at Tulane, our resident rowing renaissance man *Bob Jaugstetter* rejoins the broadcasting booth after stints on the IRA Fairness Committee the last two years. Always with a critical but fair eye, Bob's observations are pithy and to the point, and on the money!

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