

MANIFESTO

IN SUPPORT FOR THE COX-REP ELECTION



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Course: (end of) 1st year PhD (Psychology)
Boat Club: Clare Hall
Position: Vice-Captain (Ladies)

Rowing experience: 1 year (W1 - stroke side), 2 sets of Bumps winning blades in Mays 2008

Coxing experience: 1 year, 2 sets of Bumps with Clare Hall W1, sub-cox for the M1

Why do I stand for this position?

Originally a rower I ended up coxing by co-incidence and the mere fact that we had no other coxswain in the women's club. Primarily being afraid that I may never be able to arrange with coxing-English, I pretty soon found myself enjoying it.

Yet, there were also numerous situations, in which I was unsure about how to get the best out of the crew, how to behave in accordance to the rules or situations in which I just got upset with the behaviour on the river, both of my own as well as of other crews.

As a cox-rep I hope to be able to share my experience especially with novice-coxes to help them steering the boat securely and having a good time with their crews. Although by far less experienced than Mark, I hope that I can continue his work for a "safe river".

I have to admit that I will be rather busy next year with my non-rowing-related work. But I hope that I can make the best out of my time on and with the river as part of a team who shares the fun of rowing.

Wishes

Jenny