

# MELBOURNE HIGH SCHOOL FIELD TRIP REQUEST FORM

Teacher Requesting: Amy Kaminski

Date: 12/5/19

Department/Team: MHS CREW, aka Melbourne Rowing Assoc.

Teacher Accepting Responsibility for the Trip: Jon Lothian

Location of Field Trip: Lake Lanier John Hunter Regatta, Gainesville, GA

Desired Date of Trip: 3/20/20-3/22/20

Depart Time: 3:00 AM, 3/20/20 Return Time: 3:00 AM, 3/22/20

Student Cost: approximately \$300.00 Chaperone Cost: N/A

Number of Students: 32 Number of Adults: 5-6

Number of Substitutes Needed: N/A (Cost per Sub is \$100.00)

Will you do a fundraiser to cover expenses:  Yes  No

Desired Method of Transportation:

- School Bus
- Charter Bus – Name of Company: **BTM Transportation**
- Private Automobile (Approved Driver List Must Be Attached)
- Walking

Lunch Arrangements: Provided by MHS Crew.

Please explain the **Educational Value** that these students will gain from attending the field trip: Besides reflecting on what they did well and what they need to improve upon, at least 50 colleges are represented at this regatta. Rowers are educated about the importance of their GPA.

Principal's Signature: 

Date: 12/6/19

Bookkeeper's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Activities Director's Signature: 

Date: 12-5-19

## FIELD TRIP CLARIFICATION

**1- Lesson leading up to Field Trip:** Coach Lothian and Coach Kammerer will discuss strengths and areas of improvement with each rower. Returning rowers will set performance goals.

**2- What the Field Trip will Accomplish:**

- High Level of Competition
- Olympic Course
- Teamwork
- Confidence Building
- College-Level Expectations
- Goal Setting

**1. Follow-up from the Field Trip:** Rowers will reflect on their experience and performance and set new goals. If film is available, rowers will view and offer self-assessments.

## Request for Board Approval of Out-of-State Field Trip

### Documents/information needed by Secondary Leading and Learning:

- Sponsor's application for permission to plan an off-campus field trip/activity (approved by the principal) – **SINCE THIS DOCUMENT IS INCLUDED IN THE BOARD AGENDA ITEM, IT MUST BE TYPED.**
- Name of group/club requesting approval: MHS CREW, aka Melbourne Rowing Assoc.
- Name of activity/conference the students are participating in: John Hunter Regatta, Gainesville, GA
- Copy of invitation and/or letter stating team qualifies to participate in activity/conference: Please see the attached document. There is not a brochure. I've provided a copy of the fees. This is not a qualifying regatta, like States in Sarasota.
- Date of activity/conference (to include date and time of departure and return): Depart on 3/20/20 at 3:00 AM from MHS, Return by 3:00 AM, 3/22/20
- Location of conference: Gainesville, GA (competition held on Lake Lanier Olympic Course)
- Reason for trip and educational benefits: Large Regatta Experience with COLLEGE teams, teamwork, goal setting, OLYMPIC course experience, reflection
- Transportation (provided by): BTM TRANSPORTATION
- Accommodations (name and address): Hilton Garden Inn, 1735 Browns Bridge Rd., Gainesville, GA, 1-770-532-3396
- Number of student participants: 32
- Number of chaperones: 5-6
- Names of chaperones – If male and female students participating, there must be male and female chaperones. Are the chaperones fingerprinted? Jon Lothian, Danielle Kammerer, Dana Edwards, Michele Craig, Michelle Abaira, Amy Kaminski, Darci Neville, Sean Klingler (possibly), ALL ARE FINGERPRINTED
- Cost per participant? What portion of the cost is the student responsible for? The cost is approximately \$300-350 per student. Student is responsible for 100% of cost.
- What does the cost include? (transportation, lodging, food, admissions, etc.) Cost includes transportation, hotel, food, regatta entrance fees, transporting boats
- Is there student fundraising to cover cost of trip? If yes, what type of fundraising? No.
- Will there be any cost to the district? No.

- Please provide a detailed itinerary for the trip (including date/time of departure and return to school)

**Itinerary:**

3:00 AM on 3/20/20: Leave Melbourne High School via BTM Transportation; 5-6 Chaperones and 32 rowers

Arrive at race site: Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA, at 1:00 PM on 3/20/20, Team Registers, Rowers practice for 2-3 hours

At approximately 5:00 PM on 3/20/20: Rowers & chaperones get back on the bus and go to Hilton Garden Inn at 1735 Browns Bridge Rd., Gainesville, GA  
17 rooms are reserved for rowers, coaches, and chaperones, dinner is delivered

At approximately 5:30 AM on 3/21/20, rowers, coaches, and chaperones board bus to compete at John Hunter Regatta on Lake Lanier

At approximately 5:30 PM on 3/21/20, rowers, coaches, and chaperones board the bus to head back to Melbourne High School.

ONE STOP: Chic Fil A (for dinner)

Arrive at MHS at approximately 3:00 AM 3/22/20 (technically)

Parents pick up rowers.

- Dates students will be absent from school: N/A
- Copy of brochure/flyer regarding conference/event: See attached.

# John Hunter Regatta

Mar 21, 2020 To Mar 22, 2020 » sprint » Lake Lanier Olympic Course » Gainesville, GA (USA)  
Hosted By St. Andrew Rowing Club

0 Entries    0 Clubs    58 / 40

## ① INFORMATION

- Overview
- News
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- Clubs
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- Volunteer
- Event List
- Clubs
- Entries
- Heat Sheet/Draw
- Results

## Who was John Hunter?

In 1986, Georgia Tech started a rowing team with used boats and oars purchased through the Student Foundation. The team grew and in 1988, John Hunter became involved in the team. John Hunter was an ardent Georgia Tech supporter and loved the rowing team. He agreed to sponsor the GT crew on St Andrew Catholic Church property and fund a boathouse. Mr. Hunter worked with Reverend E. Peter Ludden to gather support from the congregation to donate the land to start the rowing center we have today. In 1988, the Georgia Tech Rowing Club received permission to build its boathouse on the banks of the Chattahoochee River, behind St Andrew Catholic Church. If you stand at the boathouse and look back at the church, you'll also see John Hunter's name on part of the church building.

One stipulation was that Georgia Tech would start a youth rowing club. The youth team was started in the fall of 1988 with great success. In 1990, the youth team and Georgia Tech separated with the youth team taking the name of the property—**St Andrew Rowing Club**—while keeping the black and yellow colors of Georgia Tech. In 1989, the clubs co-hosted the Atlanta Rowing Festival, now known as the **John Hunter Regatta** in honor of the vision and generosity of Mr. Hunter to build our incredible rowing teams in Roswell, Georgia.



SA girls attack the Chattahoochee in the 1997 Atlanta Rowing Festival, later renamed in honor of John Hunter

## REGISTRATION

- Dates & Deadlines
- Rules & Eligibility
- Registration Form
- Compliance

## TRAVEL & LODGING

- Directions & Parking
- Lodging
- Food & Dining
- Local Attractions

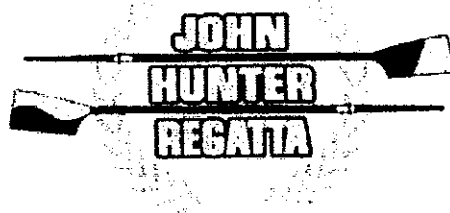
## MERCHANDISE

- T-Shirts, etc.
- Info for Vendors



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## The John Hunter Regatta



The John Hunter is open to all college, scholastic and youth rowing teams and is held at the rowing venue used for the 1996 Olympic Games at Lake Lanier. The 2000 meter course is a 6 lane buoyed course with starting platforms, enclosed finish tower and stadium seating for 3000 fans. This is one of the first sprint regattas of the season for many teams. Because the regatta became so large, in 2016 we moved to a 2-day format with collegiate racing on Saturday and youth racing on Sunday. This allowed for more events to accommodate more rowers each day while making the event more manageable for volunteers.