

SHARED PRACTICES

All boats which are practicing with the secondary program count as secondary program boats, are referred to below as secondary program boats, and are subject to the same rules as the secondary program.

On a practice by practice basis, the primary coach may waive or relax any of these rules except for (A). Absent that, the rules are in force, even if they've been waived or relaxed for prior practices.

A) When two programs are on the water concurrently, the coaches of both programs must be extra diligent about safety and have their boats be extra diligent.

B) The primary program will have priority use of equipment. The primary program will have priority use of the docks. On the water, secondary program boats should make a reasonable effort to avoid compromising the primary program's practice.

C) Both for safety and to avoid a smaller primary program being overwhelmed by a larger secondary program, the table below lists the maximum number of secondary program boats that may practice together as a group, depending on the number of primary program boats that are practicing together.

<u>Grouped</u> primary program boats	<u>Grouped</u> secondary program boats
1	3
2	2
3 or more	1

NOTES to the above table -----

- 1) The table applies only to boats that are practicing together in a group. There is no limit on the number of additional boats, including secondary program boats, that can be on the Lake rowing independently, separate from other boats.
- 2) This table applies to practices which are all or partly in low light (most of which will be when the rowable water is reduced by the log boom). The Coaches' Committee will create a separate table for practices held entirely in daylight.
- 3) Each coach is responsible for non-program boats that are practicing or scrimmaging with their program.
- 4) It is the responsibility of the secondary program coach to enforce the limit on the number of secondary program boats that are practicing as a group.
- 5) For the boat counts in the table, boats which are entirely members of the secondary program have priority over non-program boats which want to practice with the primary program.
- 6) If primary program boats and secondary program boats are practicing together as one group, the total number of boats in that group is not limited, unless for that practice the coaches judge the total group size to be unsafe.