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Wemmer Pan Rowing Club

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You Know You Are A Rower When...

- you don't mind walking in frozen duck shit barefoot;
- everything you do is "on the next...";
- you need to have a small pushy person around telling you what to do all the time;
- the phrase "cox box" doesn't make you giggle;
- you believe the world wouldn't exist without spandex;
- you only recognize your friends from behind;
- you stick water bottles in your shorts for no reason at all;
- you believe all authority figures carry a megaphone;
- you sit in class leaning to your rigger;
- half your body is bigger than the other;
- you blame bad moods on "the set";
- when your play cricket at the company picnic you pick old people on your team for the age handicap;
- your friends need a rowing translator to decipher your language;
- you can wear the same thing every morning for a week and not think twice;
- you think sleeping late is waking up at 8:30;
- everything's a race: you walk quickly to class, just so you can pass people;
- when you sit down in class, you look for the tie-in shoes;
- you constantly check the tightness of nuts in handrails, chairs, door handles, etc;
- you bring up the beauty of the dawn, and people give you blank stares;
- overhearing people talk about how little sleep they got causes you to smirk;
- your vision of going away for the weekend is other people's vision of hell;
- You admire the man who wears boxers under his spandex much more than a woman wearing a g-string under hers;
- You watch videos together, and it's ok to say "She's looking really long";
- you're giving directions to a friend and you wonder why she's looking at you funny, until you realize you just said "turn to bowside" instead of "take a left";
- every time you sit in a chair you are mildly surprised to discover that it doesn't slide back and forth.

