

Dear Coach,

My name is AJ Miller and I am the recruiting coordinator for the Bucknell University Women's Rowing. You probably received a letter or email from me during the summer months telling you about our Junior/Senior Days through August and Sept. Well, they were awesome! We've added two dates focused solely on seniors in the days before applications are due.

I would like to invite you and your senior girls to visit the Bucknell campus for one of our Senior Days on November 8th and November 15th. Attending a Senior Day is a thorough introduction to Bucknell and our rowing program. You and your rowers will have the opportunity to attend an Admissions Preview Session, tour the campus, meet some of the rowers, and have a question/answer session with me and Head Coach Steve Kish. The day starts at 9:30am and runs until 2:30pm.

We will also be hosting three Junior Days through winter and spring. Those dates are February 28th, April 4th and June 20th. These will be geared towards the earlier stages of the recruitment process.

See <http://bucknellbison.cstv.com/sports/c-rowing/spec-rel/072408aaa.html> for the full informational flyer for our Senior and Junior Days. There is also a printable flyer if you would like to post the invitation in your facility.

Please contact me to talk about your promising juniors/seniors visiting campus. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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Academically, Bucknell is unique. With 3,400 students and a student-faculty ratio of 11-to-1, Bucknell combines the personal feel and attention of a small college, but has the academic and

athletic resources of a large university. In addition to a broad liberal arts college curriculum with 50 majors and 60 minors, we also offer strong professional programs in engineering, business, education, and music performance. To top it off, Bucknell has one of the safest and most beautiful campuses in the country.

Athletically, our women's rowing program provides one of the most balanced and exciting opportunities available in college athletics. We do quite a bit of sculling during the fall season and during the spring our roster of 60-70 women focuses on openweight and lightweight eights and fours. Our fall schedule is unique in regards to its flexibility, designed to encourage a balanced lifestyle uncommon in Division I athletics. In the classroom, our team is always in the top 2 in the Athletics Department for the highest GPA. In 2006-2007, our first year rowers and coxswains achieved a 3.67 GPA, the best of all 27 varsity sports at Bucknell, a remarkable feat!

In the spring of '07, our team swept the varsity events at the ECAC Metro Regatta as well as the Patriot League Championship. Our Varsity Lightweight 8+ won the 2007 IRA National Championship. We also competed against crews from Princeton, Penn and Dartmouth, coming away with a few victories.

This spring has been another breakthrough season for Bucknell Women's Rowing. We raised the bar by adding top 10 schools like UVA, Ohio, Tennessee, and Michigan to our schedule. We won our 3rd consecutive Patriot League Team Championship and our 2nd consecutive Northeast Regional Team Championship. We also had our first ever experience racing at the Eastern Sprint Regatta, where our Varsity 8 had an incredible stroke for stroke race against Dartmouth. The Sprints ended with Bucknell ranked 8th ahead of Cornell, Syracuse, Northeastern, Navy, and Columbia. Our Varsity Lightweight 8 finished 4th in the 2008 IRA Grand Final. We compete every 4 years in the Henley Women's Regatta, and this year we came back from England with some great racing experience. Bucknell alumni rowers have also gone on to compete at the World Championships and the Olympics.

Please come out to join us on one of our Junior/Senior Days. I look forward to meeting you.