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OKC RIVERSPORT Masters Win 6 Medals On the Final Day of USRowing Masters National Championships

OKLAHOMA CITY – August 14, 2011 OKC RIVERSPORT masters added six medals today, taking their total medal to 16 at the 2011 USRowing Masters National Championships. Athletes raced in men's women's and mixed events racing the 1,000m sprint course in age-bracketed and weight-class groups against crews from across the nation at USRowing's largest event being held this week on the Oklahoma River.

Congratulations to the following local athletes who won medals in their events today:

Mixed E Eight – 1st Place
Terri Barnhart, Nancy Middleman, Dawn Roberts, Elizabeth Eickman, Stan Lewis, Mike Tower, Marvin Quinn, Bryan Burch and Max Blumenthal

Mixed A Quad – 1st Place
Jeff McCanlies, Laura Henry, Tom Driscoll, Ashley Clark

Men's Heavy Weight E Four – 2nd Place
Bill Hobbs, Ray Soutiere, Terran Tidwell, Larry Hansen, Christina Hansen (Coxswain)

Woman's Light Weight A Double – 2nd Place
Heather Mosley, Ashley Clark

Men's Heavy Weight D Quad – 2nd Place
(Composite) OKC's John Sanders and boat mates C. Windeknecht, M. Malone and M. Daemon

Men's Club D Quad – 3rd Place
Jason Burghart, Jim Runyon, Ray Sears, Jerry Lauth

The OKC Boathouse Foundation promotes the use and development of the Oklahoma River as a world-class urban aquatic venue and provides access to rowing, kayaking and fitness programs for people of all ages and abilities. OKCBF programs pursue the highest goals of sports and embrace the principles of the Olympic spirit, which inspire athletes to work toward personal excellence, embrace the power of teamwork, and practice respect for all people and the environment. To learn more or get involved, call (405) 552-4040 or visit okcbf.org.

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