The Greater New Orleans Foundation provided a generous donation of initial seed money through the Payne Family Foundation for Education and Youth that will be crucial to maintaining the program in its first year, and Concept2 has supplied six brand new ErgRowers through its Pulling Together Fund. Club leaders are also actively seeking other external funding sources to take the program to the next level, including support for spring racing travel, uniforms, gear, and intensive training opportunities.

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