



TWIN RIVERS PADDLE CLUB

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Primary E-Mail Address: _____

Check one: New Membership Renewal

Names of all paddling household members (including applicant)

1. _____ age _____
2. _____ age _____
3. _____ age _____
4. _____ age _____

In applying for membership to the Twin River Paddle Club (TRPC), I acknowledge that paddling has inherent dangers which could involve risks of damage to personal property and serious bodily injury, including permanent disability, paralysis, and death. I accept personal responsibility for myself, my family, and/or my guests at all club activities. I hereby for, myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators waive any and all rights and claims for damage I may have against the TRPC and Craven County Recreation and Parks Department, their officers, employees, and representatives for property damage, injuries, or death suffered during a TRPC Activity.

Dues are \$12.00 per year and are due in June and apply to all members living within a household. Members who join during the year will have their dues pro-rated at \$1.00 per month. Membership dues help to support the newsletter, website, conservation, accesses, and social activities.

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: TWIN RIVERS PADDLE CLUB and Mail application and dues to CRAVEN COUNTY RECREATION AND PARKS DEPARTMENT, TWIN RIVERS PADDLE CLUB, 406 Craven Street, New Bern, NC, 28560.

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE: PARTICIPANT or PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE (only if participant is under the age of 18):

(OVER, SEE OTHER SIDE)

WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW

(Please check box or if multiple individuals, please use a number)

Interests

- Extended trips
- Camping
- Training
- Boat building
- Racing
- Photography
- Birding
- Mapping
- Family Events
- Youth Programs
- Other _____

Volunteer

- Club Officers
 - Nominations
 - Membership
 - Social
 - Safety
 - Training
 - Publicity / Public Relations
 - Conservation
 - Mapping
 - Other _____
- Trip Leader
 - Trip Scheduling
 - News
 - Web Page

Paddle Information:

Skill Level:

___ Beginner (Just learning to paddle, protected water, short trips)

___ Novice (Basic paddle skills with some experience on open water, current or with wind)

___ Intermediate (Good physical condition, experienced with open water, strong wind, currents and greater distance trips up to 10 miles)

___ Experienced: (Excellent paddling experience and physical condition, comfortable in strong winds and currents in open water, greater distances up to 20 miles)

___ Expert: (Formal paddle training or instructor, navigation proficiency, good first aid skills and comfortable in strong winds and currents in open water, greater distances typically 20+ miles)

EQUIPMENT:

Kayak:

- ___ Sit on top
- ___ Recreational
- ___ Day Touring
- ___ Expedition Touring
- ___ Performance

Canoe:

- ___ Recreational
- ___ Touring
- ___ Expedition Touring
- ___ Performance

INTERESTS:

Paddle Trips-Day Preference:

- ___ Saturday
- ___ Sunday
- ___ Weekday
- ___ Week night

Where?

- ___ River/Creeks
- ___ Blackwaters
- ___ Ocean
- ___ Lakes

Type of Trip Preference:

- ___ Easy 1-3 miles trips on protected waters, usually circle type trips
- ___ Easy Trips, 1-3 miles with special interest; ___ Social, ___ exploration ___ instructional
- ___ Moderate Trips, 4 to 10 miles with automobile shuttle, usually on streams or rivers w/ some open water
- ___ Moderate Trips, 4 to 10 miles with special interest; ___ Social, ___ exploration ___ instructional
- ___ Demanding Trips, usually over 10 miles with shuttle
- ___ Demanding with special interests, ___ Social, ___ exploration ___ instructional ___ camping, ___ mapping

OTHER COMMENTS: _____