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KNIK CANOERS AND KAYAKERS

MAY 15 MEETING (CORRECTED DATE)

The May 15 meeting is focused on **Trip Planning**. Club members that are able to give this type of advice will offer tips on trip planning for raft trips, sea kayak trips and canoe trips. **Come on out, meet members and arrange trips!!! BRING YOUR SLIDES, CDs, MAPS and INFO on places you've been AND YOUR CALENDAR.**

The May meeting is the last Loussac event for a while, since the club starts hosting its Potluck BBQs at Jewel Lake Picnic Pavilion for the summer months. The potlucks take place at Jewel Lake Pavilion. The club provides burgers, hot dogs, buns, utensils and napkins. Members are asked to bring a side dish. As those of you that have attended these in the past we have lots of fun and members often bring their gear which they may allow people to try out on the lake. This is also the last Newsletter until the end of the summer. I will be sending a reminder for the potlucks.

Volunteers Needed!!!!

As many of you know, Jim Gonski of the Alaska Kayak Academy has volunteered to lead the IK and Sea Kayaking classes. The club is looking for several additional experienced volunteers to help out assisting.

SEA KAYAKING DATES

5/14 6-9PM Safety Talk , AVEC 4831 Eagle St. (off International Airport near Old Seward)

5/16 6-9pm Bartlett High Pool

5/21 6-9 pm Mirror Lake

5/31 7am- 7pm Whittier paddle (depart Huffman Carrs, need to make 8:30 tunnel)

If you are able to assist IK here are the dates:

- THURS 6/5 Mirror Lake, Chugiak 6:30-9:30 pm

- FRI 6/6 Portage Creek, Boggs Visitor Center 6:30-9PM

-SAT 6/7 Knik River Bridge, Mat River Sutton to Palmer 9AM-6PM

-SAT 6/14 Mat River, Glacier Park to Hicks 10AM-6PM for those interested in Class III

The KCK will reimburse you for gas and tolls. Thanks for helping make these classes a success. If you are interested in helping at any session please call Jim Gonski www.AlaskaKayakAcademy.com at 877-215-6600.

2008 Calendar

MAY 2008

6..... KCK Board Meeting 6:30PM
..... BP Energy Center

15 General Membership
Meeting, 7:00PM,
Loussac Library

JUNE 2008

3..... KCK Board Meeting 6:30PM
..... BP Energy Center

26 **POTLUCK BBQ at Jewel Lake
Picnic Pavilion 6:30PM**

**FIX YOUR CALENDAR.
THE TRIP PLANNING
MEETING IS MAY 15!**

Across The Bay Bed And Breakfast

www.TentAndBreakfastAlaska.com

Sits on the south shore of Kachemak Bay near McDonald Spit and 8 1/2 miles from Seldovia. Guests stay in cozy wall tents and take their meals in our comfortable lodge. We offer guided sea kayak tours and have mountain bikes for rent. Mention you are a KCK member and receive a 10% discount. (ADVERTISEMENT)

Another potential trip planning source is the

www.adventurers.meetup.com

website to see the coop (Adventurers meetup group and Alaska Kayak Academy) trips that are currently posted on their website. These trips are NOT sponsored by the KCK and this is merely posted as a site where you may find a trip that interests you.

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5-08 Membership application	BOATING INTERESTS Indicate skill level w = Want to start, B = Beginner, I = Intermediate, A= Advanced																																			
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MEMBERSHIP TYPE: ___ Individual (\$10) ___ Household (\$15) ___ Renewal ___ New Member	<p>WAIVER OF LIABILITY: In consideration of your acceptance of my membership application, I, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, forever waive, release and discharge any and all rights, demands, and claims for damages I may have against Knik Canoers & Kayakers, Inc., its representatives, officers, members, board members, sponsors or outing leaders for any and all injuries resulting from my participation in any of the activities of the Knik Canoers & Kayakers, Inc. That I freely and voluntarily assume all risks as incident to participation in any of the club activities and that I will assume and pay for my own medical and emergency expenses in the event of an accident, illness or other incapacity regardless of whether I have authorized such expenses. I alone shall be responsible for the use of my own judgment in determining whether I should participate in club activities.</p> <p>Signed Person 1 Date:..... Signed Person 2 Date:..... Signed Person 3 Date:..... Signed Person 4 Date:.....</p>																																			
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