

# GEORGIA CANOEING ASSOCIATION, INC.



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MAY NEWSLETTER DEADLINE IS APRIL 15, 1978. PLEASE SEND TRIP REPORTS AND OTHER ARTICLES OF INTEREST TO MS. BRONWYN FOWLKES, 2870 TWIN BROOKS DR., NE #3, ATLANTA, GA 30319.

## APRIL TRIP SCHEDULE

APRIL 1 - NANTAHALA, CLASS III - JAY SANDERS	321-1047
2 - BROAD, CLASS II - THE ALBITZ FAMILY	296-7041
APRIL 8 - CONASAUGA, CLASS III - ALLEN LEWIS	427-6155
9 - ETOWAH, CLASS II - JOE BLANCHFIELD	284-7645
9 - UPPER CHATTAHOOCHEE, CLASS III - DICK REKAU	451-4598
APRIL 15 - E. FORK LITTLE RIVER, CLASS II - GARY DEBACHER	288-1773
15 & 16 - HELEN RACES	
APRIL 22 - CHATTOOGA, III, CLASS IV - LARRY HOWARD	233-7796
23 - CHAUGA, CLASS III - JACK WEEMS	938-5263
APRIL 29 - CARTECAY, CLASS III - DOUG WILSON	351-2793
30 - AMICALOLA, CLASS IV - RICHARD SCHMIDT	926-3711
29 & 30 - HUDSON & BROAD CAMPING TRIP (20 MILES). RIVERS MAY BE RUN SEPARATELY. CLASS II - GARY DEBACHER	288-1773

## 1978 WHITEWATER TRAINING SESSION

THE ANNUAL TRAINING SESSION FOR BEGINNER AND INTERMEDIATE PADDLERS WILL BE HELD MAY 6 & 7. SATURDAY WILL BE DEVOTED TO INDOOR FILMS AND LAKE INSTRUCTION FROM 9:30 AM TO 3PM. ALL CLASSES OF PADDLERS WILL BE ACCOMODATED BY A VARIETY OF SPECIALIZED INSTRUCTORS: K-1, C-1, C-2, C-1 OPEN, C-2 OPEN. SUNDAY WILL BE A RIVER TRIP IN THE MOUNTAINS. ALL PADDLERS MUST PROVIDE THEIR OWN EQUIPMENT (BOAT, PADDLE, LIFE JACKET, HELMET). BRING A LUNCH EACH DAY. SEND A CHECK FOR \$5.00 (MEMBERS) OR \$7.00 (NON-MEMBERS) PAYABLE TO THE GEORGIA CANOEING ASSOCIATION TO MARK WARREN, 64 GOULDING PLACE, ROSWELL, GA 30075. IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS CALL MARK AT 262-1967 (DAYTIME) AND LEAVE A MESSAGE FOR HIM TO RETURN YOUR CALL. DIRECTIONS TO LAKE: GO NORTH ON ROSWELL ROAD, CROSS RIVER, TURN LEFT IMMEDIATELY ON AZALEA DR. TO DEAD END. TURN LEFT ON WILLEO RD. GO LESS THAN A MILE. SEE ATLANTA RAQUET CLUB SIGN ON RIGHT. GO PAST SIGN, TURN RIGHT ON NEXT DRIVEWAY UP TO LAKE. PARK AT TOP OF HILL.

## RACE INFORMATION

CACAPON WHITEWATER MARATHON CANOE RACE - APRIL 8, 1978. CONTACT: BERKELEY SPRINGS JAYCEES, P.O. BOX 171, BERKELEY SPRINGS, W. VA. 25411

HELEN/CHATTAHOOCHEE CANOE & KAYAK CHAMPIONSHIPS - APRIL 15 & 16, 1978. CONTACT THE WILDEWOOD SHOP, BOX 119, HELEN, GA 30545.

NATIONAL WILDWATER CHAMPIONSHIPS - MAY 29, 1978 - OCOEE RIVER. CALL DAVID JONES TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP: H:355-4061, O:261-6793.

SOUTHEASTERN U.S. CANOE AND KAYAK CHAMPIONSHIPS - NANTAHALA RIVER, JUNE 17 & 18, 1978. CALL ALLEN LEWIS TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP AT 427-6155. APPLICATIONS ARE COMING LATER.

TSRA INSTRUCTOR TRAINING PROGRAM - APRIL 1 & 2, 1978.

THE TENNESSEE SENIC RIVERS ASSOCIATION WILL HOLD AN ACA SPONSORED WHITEWATER CANOEING INSTRUCTORS' COURSE ON THE HIAWASSEE. THE SESSION WILL BE GEARED TO TANDEM OPEN CANOES. CAMPING IS AVAILABLE AT GEE SPRINGS CAMPGROUND. PLEASE GET IN TOUCH WITH LIBBY NAPIER, 10 REDBUD DRIVE, NASHVILLE, TN 37215.

#### OCOEE RIVER STATUS REPORT

HANK KLAUSMAN, RIVER RIGHTS CHAIRMAN, HAS BEEN CORRESPONDING WITH TVA ON THE GCA'S PREFERENCES IN REGARD TO THE REPAIR (OR NON-REPAIR) OF THE FLUME ON THIS RIVER. HE HAS RECEIVED A RESPONSE WHICH STATES THAT ALTHOUGH TVA HAS NOT YET DECIDED ON THE FATE OF THE FLUME IT APPRECIATES THE GCA'S INTEREST AND SAYS THE FOLLOWING: "IF THE HYDRO PROJECT IS RETIRED OR IF IT IS DETERMINED TO BE ECONOMICALLY FEASIBLE TO OPERATE IT BOTH FOR POWER AND RECREATION USE, PUBLIC SANITARY AND PARKING FACILITIES WILL BE PROVIDED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AND A DETAILED RECREATION MANAGEMENT PLAN WILL BE DEVELOPED TO ENSURE THE MOST EFFECTIVE USE OF THIS STRETCH OF THE OCOEE RIVER." KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK, HANK!

#### CHATTOOGA RIVER CLEAN-UP - APRIL 2, 1978.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN A FREE TRIP DOWN THE CHATTOOGA WITH EXPERIENCED GUIDES CALL SOUTHEASTERN EXPEDITIONS AT 404/491-9439 TO VOLUNTEER TO HELP CLEAN UP THIS BEAUTIFUL WILD & SENIC RIVER.

#### WILD AND SENIC RIVERS PUBLIC MEETING, MONDAY APRIL 3, 1978

THE HCRS, FEDERAL AGENCY IN CHARGE OF THE WILD AND SENIC RIVERS SYSTEM WILL HOLD A PUBLIC MEETING TO INFORM THE PUBLIC OF THE PROGRESS WHICH HAS BEEN MADE ON THE SENIC RIVERS INVENTORY AND TO SOLICIT INFORMATION TO AID IN THE SELECTION OF POTENTIAL WILD AND SENIC RIVERS. HCRS WANTS YOUR INPUT. PLEASE COME PREPARED TO GIVE WRITTEN INFORMATION AND DATA ON YOUR FAVORITE RIVERS. THE MEETING WILL BE AT 7PM IN THE URBAN LIFE CENTER AUDITORIUM, ROOM 320, GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY AT THE CORNER OF PIEDMONT RD. AND DECATUR ST.

#### AMICALOLA CONSERVATION

THE GEORGIA HERITAGE TURST COMMISSION HAS SCHEDULED A TRIP ON AMICALOLA CREEK FOR THE WEEKEND OF MAY 20 AND 21 (THE EXACT DAY HAS NOT YET BEEN SELECTED). SINCE THIS TRIP COULD BE VITAL TO THE PRESERVATION OF THE AMICALOLA, THE GCA HAS VOLUNTEERED TO ASSIST THE COMMISSION IN GETTING DOWN THE RIVER BY CANOE. WE WILL PROBABLY NEED FROM 15 - 20 OF OUR BEST OPEN PADDLERS FOR THIS OUTING. PLEASE CALL WAYNE DRUMMOND AT 622-2519 AND VOLUNTEER, AND MARK THIS DATE ON YOUR CALENDAR.

WANT ADS: \$5 PER AD FOR NON-MEMBERS OR MEMBERS SELLING NEW EQUIPMENT. FREE FOR MEMBERS SELLING USED EQUIPMENT.

#### FOR SALE:

KAYAK - MANUFACTURED BY DOUG WOODWARD. FEMAT DESIGN, EPOXY. INCLUDES TWO FLOAT BAGS AND NEOPRENE SPRAY SKIRT. \$190.00. NORSE KAYAK PADDLE, \$25. ALSO SEVERAL WOOD CANOE PADDLES. CALL ROSS WILSON - O:255-1012, H:875-1565.

KAYAK - USED ONCE. PRIJON SLALOM, HARDLY SCRATCHED, EXCELLENT CONDITION. \$195.00. BLACK NEOPRENE SPRAY SKIRT \$15.00. CLYDE WOOLSEY - 432-1823.

KAYAK - DOWN RIVER PRIJON SPRINT DESIGN. WHITE W/ TWO BLACK RACING STRIPES. FLOAT BAGS INCLUDED. EXCELLENT CONDITION. \$225.00. BOB O'CONNOR CALL BETWEEN 8:30 - 4:00 M-F. 894-3209.

CAMERA - OLYMPUS 35 SPN 35MM RANGE FINDER TYPE CAMERA CAPABLE OF MANUAL OR AUTOMATIC EXPOSURE CONTROL COMPLETE WITH CASE AND STRAP. \$75.00. CALL KEN MCAMIS. 321-5000, EXT. 340.

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