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## Extravaganza 2000

The GCA Spring Extravaganza 2000 will be held the weekend of May 5, 6 & 7 at Diamond Lure Campground in Ellijay, Georgia. Be sure to mark your calendars. Regina at Diamond Lure has agreed to keep the prices for Saturday barbecue, camping, and Saturday & Sunday biscuits the same as last year. They will also have wood for the bonfire.

See the article in the "Announcements" section of this month's *Eddy Line* for a complete listing of programs and events at the Extravaganza. ✂



## April GCA Meeting Cancelled

Due to the proximity of the scheduled meeting date to both the Spring Extravaganza and the Southeastern Championship Races, There will be no GCA Meeting in April. Look for details on the May Meeting next month. ✂

## The Southeasterns Are Coming!

The GCA's biggest annual event, the Southeastern Slalom & Wild Water Championship Races, are scheduled for April 29-30, 2000, at the Nantahala River in Bryson City, North Carolina. The race is conducted with the help and support of the Nantahala Outdoor Center and the Nantahala Racing Club.

We need lots and lots of volunteers to help with various aspects of the races. Sign up sheets are included in this issue of *The Eddy Line*. Please respond quickly to ensure your choice of volunteer assignments. The Southeasterns weekend is the single biggest social event the GCA has each year. Come out and be part of the fun!

Racing is arguably the best skill building activity a paddler can undertake. In order to encourage new racers to participate in the novice / cruising classes, the race will feature slalom championship classes for both decked and open boats on Saturday, and novice / cruising classes (with less challenging gates) for both decked and open boats on Sunday.

There will be the usual wild water race, as well as a short "Fun Run" down river novice race ending above the falls, day and time to be announced.

To receive a race registration packet (if you haven't raced at the Southeasterns in the past), contact registrar David Martin at 404.351.8208.

See you at the races!! ✂



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- Edward Abbey.



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## Who Ya Gonna Call?

The following list is provided for your convenience:

**For general information about the club** - Call the club telephone

number, 770.421.9729, and leave a message. Someone will get back to you.

**To volunteer to help with club activities** - Call President Brannen Proctor at 770.664.7384 or contact the committee chairperson for your area of interest.

**For information on payment of dues or membership status** - Call Treasurer Ed Schultz at 404.266.3734.

**To sign up for a club trip** - Call the trip coordinator at the number listed on the activity list.

**To sign up to lead a club trip** - Call Cruisemaster Jim Griffin at 770.498.3695.

**For change of address or for *Eddy Line* subscription**

**information** - Call Ed Schultz at 404.266.3734.

**If you didn't receive your *Eddy Line*** - Call Ed Schultz at 404.266.3734.

**For information on GCA clinics** - Call the clinic coordinator listed on the clinic schedule, or call Training Director Gina Johnson at 770.971.1542.

**For information on winter roll practice** - Call Revel Freeman at 404.261.8572.

**For information on placing want ads in *The Eddy Line*** - Call Newsletter Editor Allen Hedden at 770.426.4318, or see "To place an ad" in the Want Ad section of *The Eddy Line*.

**For information on commercial ads** - Call Advertising Director Jim Kautz at 770.321.9826 or Newsletter Editor Allen Hedden at 770.426.4318.

**For information on videos and books available from the GCA Library** - Call GCA Librarian Rachel Gates at 404.296.2280. ✂

## Board of Directors Meetings

The Georgia Canoeing Association Board of Directors meetings are held on the first Thursday of even months (February, April, etc.) from 7:00 to 9:00 PM at the Atlanta Botanical Garden, located on Piedmont Road at the Prado, next to Piedmont Park. All members are encouraged to attend. If you have an item for discussion, please call GCA President Brannen Proctor at 770.664.7384 so he can add your item to the agenda. Attending Board meetings is a great way to become more involved with the GCA. ✂

### GCA Executive Committee

President .....	Brannen Proctor
Vice President .....	Marvine Cole
Secretary .....	Tom Martin
Treasurer .....	Ed Schultz
Member Services Chair .....	Rachel Gates
Recreation Chair .....	Jason Schnurr
Resource Development Chair .....	Debra Berry
River Protection Chair .....	Dan MacIntyre
Training Chair .....	Gina Johnson

## Submitting *Eddy Line* Material

Deadline for material to be submitted for publication in the next *Eddy Line* is the fifth of the month, i.e., for the January issue, material should be submitted no later than December fifth. The editor must receive all articles, trip reports and want ads by the deadline or they MAY NOT be published in the next issue. To submit material via EMAIL, send to [gacanoec@mindspring.com](mailto:gacanoec@mindspring.com). The text of an article can be placed in the body of a message, and photo images can be attached to the message as attached files. To submit material via COMPUTER DISK submit articles or trip reports on a 5-1/4 or 3-1/2 inch IBM/DOS formatted disk as an ASCII text file labeled with a ".txt" file extension, or as a text file on a 3-1/2 inch high density MacIntosh formatted disk, and include a printed copy (Disks returned only if requested). To submit material via U.S. MAIL, send to: **Allen Hedden, 2923 Piedmont Drive, Marietta, GA 30066**. All classified ads will be run for two months unless otherwise requested. Hand-written or phoned in material CANNOT be accepted. Contact Newsletter Editor **Allen Hedden at 770.426.4318** for questions. Thanks for your cooperation. ✂

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## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES



### April

1	Metro Hooch (Note 1)	Class 1-2 Trained Beginner	Debra Berry	404.320.6148
1	Toccoa	Class 1-2 Trained Beginner	Jim Griffin	770.498.3695
1	Nantahala	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Roger Toebben	770.804.9416
1	Ocoee	Class 3-4 Advanced	Jimmy Nipper	770.931.1667
2	Nacoochee Hooch	Class 1-2 Trained Beginner	Tom Martin	770.662.0058
2	Nantahala	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Roger Toebben	770.804.9416
2	Chattooga Section 3-1/2	Class 3-4 Advanced	Keith Taylor	770.956.1767
2-4	Okefenokee Family Outing (Note 2)	Smooth Water	Roger Nott	770.536.6923
6	Board of Directors Meeting	Atlanta Botanical Garden	Brannen Proctor	770.664.7384
8	Broad	Class 1-2 Trained Beginner	Dan & Elise MacIntyre	404.252.9513
8	Hiwassee	Class 1-2 Trained Beginner	Bill Convis	770.751.9258
8	Nantahala	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Sam Blackwell	706.342.0511
8-9	Clear Creek (Note 3)	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Charles Bruce	770.974.2481
9	Leaders Choice	Class 3-4 Advanced	Duncan Cottrell	770.720.6269
15	Etowah Tunnel Section	Class 1-2 Trained Beginner	William Gatling	770.516.0852
15	Nantahala	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Mike Winchester	770.319.8969
16	Cartecay	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Edward Stockman	770.441.9767
16	Chattooga Section 3-1/2	Class 3-4 Advanced	Jason Schnurr	770.422.9962
22	Toccoa	Class 1-2 Trained Beginner	Mike Bilello	770.441.2418
22	Upper Hooch	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Wulf Kuehmstedt	770.394.3558
22	Nantahala	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Tom Ottinger	706.276.2375
23	Upper Hooch	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Becca Brown	404.634.5612
29-30	Southeastern Races	Nantahala River	David Martin, Registrar	404.351.8208

### May

5-7	Spring Extravaganza	Diamond Lure Campground, Ellijay	Denise Colquitt	770.854.6636
14	Cartecay	Class 2-3 Intermediate	Edward Stockman	770.441.9767
18	Club Meeting — Entertainment — Fun	Episcopal Church of the Atonement	Marvine Cole	770.475.3022
20	Hiwassee	Class 1-2 Trained Beginner	Mike Kaplan	404.636.8795

### June

5	Board of Directors Meeting	Atlanta Botanical Garden	Brannen Proctor	770.664.7384
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Note 1. Doug Pratt will lead a gate training trip to prepare paddlers for the Novice class at the Southeasterns. Good for beginning slalom kayakers. Debra Berry will be the contact person.

Note 2. Two night swamp campout. Each adult must be accompanied by a responsible child.

Note 3. Overnight exploratory.

**Signing Up:** Call the trip coordinator listed to sign up for trips. Call early in the week to ensure you get a spot on the trip, and in consideration for the coordinators, PLEASE avoid calling late in the evening.

**Training Trips** are a combination of recreation and training designed to attract those boaters who have completed a formal training clinic and would like some on-the-river time with instructors practicing what you learned in the clinic and expanding your skill level.

**To Volunteer To Lead Trips:** Call the Cruisemaster, Jim Griffin, at 770.498.3695. As usual, we need trip coordinators for all types of trips, from flat water to class 5 white water. Our excellent trip schedule depends on the efforts of volunteers, so get involved and sign up to coordinate a trip on your favorite river today! The GCA needs YOU!

**Chattooga Trips** are limited to 12 boats on ANY section on ANY trip, club trip or private (USFS regulation). Your cooperation in protecting this National Wild and Scenic River is appreciated.

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## GCA Library Items Available

The GCA Library has many videotapes and books available to any GCA member. All you have to do is call GCA Librarian Rachel Gates at 404.296.2280 to find out what is available. The cost is \$3.00 per tape or book for postage and handling.

Any / all donations or loans to the library are welcome. (Please, no bootleg video copies.) Send them to:

Rachel Gates  
PO Box 1485  
Pine Lake, GA 30072

The following items are currently available:

### Videos:

A Second Helping - A Review of Kayak Basics Canoes by Whitesell  
Cold, Wet & Alive  
Faultline (Will Reeves)  
First Descents (North Fork Payette)  
Grace Under Pressure (learning the kayak roll)  
Heads Up, River Rescue  
Introduction to Canoeing  
Kayak 101 (mastering the basics)  
Kayak Handling - The Basic Strokes  
Only Nolan (Canoe Technique)  
Path of the Paddle: Quietwater  
Path of the Paddle: Whitewater  
Performance Sea Kayaking (the basics & beyond)  
Plunge!

Prijon Wildplay Wildwasser Sport  
Solo Playboating!  
Take the Wild Ride  
Tallulah Gorge (Rob Maxwell)  
The C-1 Challenge  
The Kayaker's Edge  
The Open Canoe Roll (Bob Foote)  
Ultimate Canoe (Niagara Gorge & Other Rivers - Whitesell)  
Waterwalker (Bill Mason)  
We Come to Play (Orosi)  
Whitesell  
Whitewater Groove

### Books:

A Canoeing and Kayaking Guide to the Streams of Florida  
A Canoeing and Kayaking Guide to the Streams of Ohio, Vols I and II  
ACA Canoeing & Kayaking Instructors Guide  
A Hiking Guide to the Trails of Florida  
Alabama Canoe Rides  
AMC White Water Handbook  
American Red DCross Canoeing & Kayaking  
A Paddler's Guide to the Obed/Emory Watershed  
Arkansas information (assorted)  
Basic River Canoeing  
Boundary Waters I&II  
Brown's Guide to Georgia  
Buyer's Guide 1993 (Canoe Magazine)  
Buyer's Guide 1994 (Paddler Magazine)  
Buyer's Guide 1996 (Paddler Magazine)  
California Whitewater - A Guide to the Rivers  
Canoe Racing (Marathon & Down River)  
Canoeing Wild Rivers

Carolina Whitewater (Western Carolina)  
Cruise of the Blue Flujin  
Cumberland River Basic Canoe Trail Guide  
Endangered Rivers & the Conservation Movement  
Florida information (assorted)  
Idaho Whitewater  
Indiana Canoeing Guide  
Kentucky Wild Rivers  
Missouri Ozark Waterways  
Northern Georgia Canoe Guide  
Ohio County Maps & Recreational Guide  
Paddle America (Guide to trips & outfitters)  
Paddle to the Amazon - The World's Longest Canoe Trip  
Path of the Paddle  
People Protecting Rivers  
Pole, paddle & Portage  
River Rescue  
River Safety Anthology  
River's End (Stories)  
Sea Kayaking Canada's West Coast  
Song of the Paddle  
Southeastern Whitewater  
Tennessee Canoe Guide  
The Georgia Conservancy Guide to the North Georgia Mountains  
The Lower Canyons of the Rio Grande  
They Shoot Canoes, Don't they?  
White Water Tales of Terror  
White Water Trips (British Columbia & Washington)  
Wildwater (Sierra Club Guide)  
Wildwater West Virginia  
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## Announcements

### GCA Email List

The member response to the GCA email list has been great. We have at this printing about 300 subscribers. Thanks to Mike Kaplan and our friends at Kaplan Communications (an Internet Access Provider) for providing software and server space for the GCA email list.



Here's how the list works:

By sending an email to "gacanoes@kapcom.com" you automatically reach all subscribers to the list with the message. Anyone can use the address — it's just another email address — and all subscribers will get the email. The list is an "open list", i.e., anyone can subscribe to it mechanically by sending an email to "majordomo@kapcom.com" and on the first line of the body of the message type:

subscribe gacanoes

You will receive a verification that you are sub-

scribed and a welcome message with instructions on how to unsubscribe and various other commands available through the service. Be sure to save this information for future reference.

All GCA announcements and forwarded email from other sources concerning new river access issues, late breaking news items of interest to the paddling community, etc., will be sent out via the GCA email list at gacanoes@kapcom.com. If you want to receive any of this information, please subscribe to the list using the above instructions. Also, don't be shy about using the list to send out or to request information about paddling related topics, rivers you're interested in, etc.

By the way, should you change or lose your email ID, please take a minute to "unsubscribe" your old ID and/or to "subscribe" your new one. ✂

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### GCA Web Page

Check it out at <http://www.georgiacanoe.org>. We are adding information and links of value to paddlers with each update. Send your ideas for updates to Allen Sinuefield at [allen.sinuefield@corp.bellsouth.net](mailto:allen.sinuefield@corp.bellsouth.net) ✂

### Need an Internet Service Provider?

If you plan to sign up with an internet service provider for the first time, or if you plan to change providers, and are considering MindSpring as your choice, you can do your paddling club a big favor. When you call to sign up, tell the MindSpring sales rep you were referred by Georgia Canoeing Association and we will receive a \$20.00 credit toward our monthly ISP subscription cost. You will need to give them the GCA email ID — gacanoec@mindspring.com — for us to receive the proper credit. Thanks for your help!

## Weekday Paddlers

There has been good response to the request to develop a list of paddlers available to paddle during the week. We now have 70+ entries on the list, including members who are retired persons, those with variable or non-standard work schedules, those available to paddle weekdays when school is out (students and teachers), and even those who have a lot of vacation time to burn and want to take vacation days for paddling. The list includes members who paddle smooth water as well as all classes of white water

If you would like to be included in the list, please call Allen Hedden at 770.426.4318 and leave your name, phone number, days of the week you are available to paddle, and class of water (flat, I thru V) that you are interested in paddling. You will then receive an up-to-date copy of the list. The list will be re-published quarterly (January, April, July, October). Updates are available by request through the GCA phone line. If you received your copy of the list more than 3 months ago, you should request an updated copy (the April update is out). There have been considerable changes to the list. To receive an up-to-date copy, call the GCA phone line at 770.421.9729 and leave your name and address with a request for the updated list. ✂

## Upcoming Events of Interest

April 6-9 — Olympic Team Trials — Ocoee White Water Center, TN, [www.acecanoekayak.org](http://www.acecanoekayak.org).

April 7-9 — Tennessee Plateau 2000 — Wartburg, TN, 423.909.2622, [info@tennesseepaddle.com](mailto:info@tennesseepaddle.com).

April 14-16 — East Coast Canoe & Kayak Symposium — Charleston, SC, Charleston County Park & Recreation Commission, 843.795.4FUN, [www.ccprc.com](http://www.ccprc.com).

April 22-23 — Canadian Olympic Trials — Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA, Connie Hagler, 770.287.7888,

[ConHagler@aol.com](mailto:ConHagler@aol.com).

April 29-30 — Southeastern Slalom & Wild Water Championship Races — Nantahala River, NC, David Martin, Registrar, 404.351.8208.

April 29-30 — Marathon National Team Trials — ICF Marathon, Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA, Connie Hagler, 770.287.7888, [ConHagler@aol.com](mailto:ConHagler@aol.com).

April 30 — REI Paddling Expo, 11AM-5PM, Perimeter Store, 1165 Perimeter Center West, Ste. 200, Atlanta, 770.901.9200. Will have premier vendors, free clinics, and sweepstakes prizes

May 5-7 — GCA Spring Extravaganza — Diamond Lure Campground, Ellijay, Denise Colquitt, 770.854.6636.

May 13 — Canoe & Kayak Orienteering Race — Lake Marion, SC, Roman Marks 843.766.3274, email [canoefan@aol.com](mailto:canoefan@aol.com).

May 19-21 — Ocoee Rodeo, Upper Ocoee, Ocoee White Water Center, TN, Jayne Abbott (828.645.5299, email [jhabbott@aol.com](mailto:jhabbott@aol.com)).

May 20 — Sea Kayak Races — Tybee Island, GA, Debbie Kearney, 912.786.8732.

May 20 — Dragon Boat Festival — Hong Kong Federation of Atlanta, Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA, Connie Hagler, 770.287.7888, [ConHagler@aol.com](mailto:ConHagler@aol.com).

June 3 — Georgia Games District Sports Festival, Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA, Connie Hagler, 770.287.7888, [ConHagler@aol.com](mailto:ConHagler@aol.com).

June 30 - July 5 — White Water Open Canoe National Championships — The Forks, ME, Paula Cole, 207.285.7356, [www.mackro.maine.org](http://www.mackro.maine.org).

July 22-23 — Georgia State Games — LCKC, Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA, Connie Hagler, [ConHagler@aol.com](mailto:ConHagler@aol.com).

July 23 — NRC Citizen Slalom Race — Nantahala River, Bryson City, NC, NOC Programs Office - 888-662-1662.

July 30 — NRC Citizen Slalom Race — Nantahala River, Bryson City, NC, NOC Programs Office - 888-662-1662.

August 8-12 — USACK Sprint National Championships, Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA, Connie Hagler, 770.287.7888, [ConHagler@aol.com](mailto:ConHagler@aol.com).

September 1-3 — Marathon World Championships — Dartmouth, Nova Scotia.

September 22-24 — Lanier Paddlefest — LCKC, Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA, Connie Hagler, [ConHagler@aol.com](mailto:ConHagler@aol.com).

October 27-29 — NOC Guest Appreciation Festival — NOC, Bryson City, NC, NOC Programs Office - 888-662-1662. ✂

"The fear of the river is the beginning of wisdom."

- Charlie Walbridge, safety editor of *American Whitewater*.

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## Get *The Eddy Line* Via Email

*The Eddy Line* is now available via email as a .pdf (portable document format) file. This format allows subscribers to view formatted text, graphics, page layout — virtually the entire *Eddy Line* — just as it appears in printed form. Plus you can see it at least a couple of weeks before the printed copy arrives via snail mail. You can also print out a paper copy of the .pdf file and it looks just like the snail mail copy (except most of the photos are in living color).

The .pdf version requires only Adobe Acrobat Reader (or some equivalent) software in order to view it. Acrobat Reader is usually present on most PCs running Windows 95 or Windows 98, or can be downloaded for free from the Adobe web site at <http://www.adobe.com>.

To subscribe to the email version of *The Eddy Line*, send a request via snail mail to (& enclose a check for \$5.00 made out to GCA):

GCA  
c/o Ed Schultz, Treasurer  
3060 Pharr Court North #315  
Atlanta, GA 30305

Or on your annual renewal form, just check the block for the *On-Line Eddy Line* and include the extra \$5.00 with your check for your annual dues.

In either case, BE SURE TO INCLUDE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS so we can send *The Eddy Line* to you electronically. ✂

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## **Electronic Eddy Line Email Failures**

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[bartjone@mindspring.com](mailto:bartjone@mindspring.com)  
[jim-ozakie@iname.com](mailto:jim-ozakie@iname.com) ✂

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## **The Xtravaganza Is Coming! The Xtravaganza Is Coming!**

It's the seventeenth or so Annual GCA Spring Xtravaganza 2000 and it's nearly here!

Don't miss out on great food, great socializing, great fun, & great paddling. Sign up now and start the spring paddling season off with a giant splash! Come to Diamond

Lure Campground in Ellijay, Georgia, Friday thru Sunday, May 5-7, 2000.

Jump-start the weekend by attending the free Trip Coordinator Clinic Friday evening, May 5. The clinic is from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at Diamond Lure Campground. If you've never coordinated a trip but always wanted to, or just want to improve your trip coordinating knowledge and skills, this is a great opportunity. Then you'll really be ready for the weekend and the trips that begin on Saturday!

Also on Friday — representatives from some of our favorite boat manufacturers will be on hand with a variety of boats to demo. Craig, with Mohawk Canoes, plans to arrive at Diamond Lure Campground Friday afternoon with a trailer full of white water and touring canoes. Craig plans to be on hand for members to test drive Mohawk canoes Friday through Saturday, and possibly Sunday. For information, contact Craig at: [www.mohawkanoes.com](http://www.mohawkanoes.com).

Jay Finnerty will also be arriving at Diamond Lure on Friday afternoon. He will be bringing an assortment of entry level touring and ocean kayaks and canoes. Jay will bring a trailer full of boats from manufacturers such as Wenonah Canoes, Current Designs Sea Kayaks and Walden Kayaks. His boats will also be available to demo on the lake or a river through Saturday, and possibly Sunday. Jay can be reached at: 770.992.7426.

John Woodruff from Dagger will be stationed at M.O.E. on Friday. He will be bringing a truck load of Dagger kayaks for people to try out on the lake or on the Cartecay River. If you contact him early, you may even be able to request that he bring a specific style of boat. You can get in touch with John by emailing: [Riverright@Ellijay.com](mailto:Riverright@Ellijay.com). Bob at River Right will notify John of your request.

After you've picked out a demo boat or bring your own, look forward to Saturday which begins the main events! We start the day bright and early around 8:00 with homemade biscuits (if you like) and coffee, then

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organize our day! Most people will sign up for one of the many trips on near and not-too-far rivers such as the Cartecay, Nantahala, Ocoee, Hiwassee, Toccoa, and/or whatever is running.

For those who don't wish to paddle, there are other opportunities such as hiking some of the local trails, lazing around the camp with a good book, antiquing in the local shops, or taking part in our Xtravaganza 2000 First Annual Flat Water Races to be held on the Diamond Lure Lake. The competition will be open to all ages in different categories with certificates to be given to winners. This is a great opportunity to show off your style, grace and technique on the water. Or a great way for the rest of us to just have fun egging, I mean encouraging, our friends on or watching participants flip over! It should be a great time for participants and spectators alike.

Saturday evening everyone converges at the picnic area for some of the best barbecue pork and fixin's in the south, catered by Harold and his crew. It's always an excellent meal. Before and after dinner, the GCA Store will be open for members to buy great mementos and practical use items such as GCA hats, T-shirts, throw ropes, gear bags, old-logo pins & more and at superb prices.

Saturday evening is also the time for the second annual Gear Swap. Bring your previous-season(s) gear such as boats, paddles, dry tops, etc. and sell it at the Swap. It's also a fun and convenient way to buy slightly-used stuff at low prices — and all paddlers love low prices!

The Bingo games will begin after dinner. This year promises to be one of our best yet, with great sponsors such as Mohawk Canoes, Dagger, NRS, and River Right Outfitters sponsoring the games with great prizes. Remember, as with all the GCA sponsored Xtravaganza events, the games are free, so come on up to the club house for a challenging game of Bingo.

After visiting the GCA Store, haggling at the Swap and playing some Bingo settle down for a relaxing time around the giant bon fire and listen to or tell of exciting river trips. Some may be a little fishy but they're always terrific fun. Who knows, someone may bring a guitar and strike up a chord of Cum-Bah-Yah. Not!

Sunday starts bright and early with more river trips and more opportunities to have fun. So come join us at Diamond Lure Campground, Friday through Sunday, May 5-7, 2000. For more information, contact me, Denise Colquitt, at 770.854.6636 or email me at: Neiceyc@aol.com. SYOR. ✂

Give a man a fish and you feed him for a day; teach him to use the Net and he won't bother you for weeks.

## The Ocoee Rodeo Needs Your Help!

by Karen V'Soske

Volunteers are needed to help stage another successful Ocoee White Water Rodeo. This year's rodeo, May 19-21, has been designated a US Team Trials event so the action/competition will be intense. It takes nearly 160 volunteers working in a variety of positions to make the rodeo a success — we need you! Jobs available include:

Timers

Scribes

Judges

Safety Boaters

Announcers

People on shore with throw ropes

People to help with the party:

- check IDs at the beer stop
- set up/tear down
- silent auction
- sell tickets

And many more.

As a rodeo volunteer, I can tell you it's fun, gives you the chance to see some of your old boating buddies and meet new ones, and it helps raise money for river conservation. Hey, what more can you ask: great people, great rodeo action, a great party, AND a great cause. To top it off, all volunteers putting in at least 4 hours get a T-shirt, free entrance to the party, and the chance to win great stuff in the volunteer-only raffle.

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day(s) you can work, how many hours, and if you have a job preference. I'm working with Jayne Abbot, AWA, and her stellar corps of seasoned volunteers to help with this event. Jayne sends along her thanks to all those willing to help.

Please pass this along and bring your friends to the rodeo to help. 

## Trip Coordinator Clinic at Spring Extravaganza

A one-evening Trip Coordinator Clinic will be held Friday evening, May 5, 7:00-9:00 PM, at the GCA Spring Extravaganza. This will be a free clinic, and no advance registration is required.

If you have never coordinated a trip, this will be a great opportunity to learn the basics of being an effective trip coordinator. If you have coordinated trips before, this is an excellent opportunity to brush up on your skills.

Come up to the Extravaganza Friday afternoon, set up your tent early, and then sit in on this informative session to learn what you need to know to be a GCA trip coordinator. 

## Canoe & Kayak Orienteering Race

**May 13, 2000, Lake Marion, South Carolina**

**Sponsor:** Bosch Outdoor Club sponsors 5th canoe/kayak orienteering race.

**When & Where:** May 13, 2000, Lake Marion, South Carolina. Start - 1.30 PM. Exact place of the start will be announced on May 6.

**Race Description:** There will be 15 to 20 control points (CP) set up at the lake in the water and on the land. The lake is shallow with a lot of islands and swampy areas.

Each team will have 2 hours to find as many CP's as possible. Each CP will have a different ID code and point value. Point value depends on difficulty and distance from the start. To prove that you have found the CP, you will have to rewrite the ID code on your map.

**New:** Some of the CP will be submerged under the water (about 6" to 12" deep).

Team can finish the race before the 2 hour expiration, but will not be given any advantage, except in case of the tie-breaker. However, for each minute being late to finish, there will be a five point penalty.

Each team will receive the map 2 minutes before the start to study it, plan the route and transfer locations of CP from the master map on to their map.

Start will be staggered — every 2 to 3 minutes per team.

**Judging:** Team who collects the most points (after penalty, if applied) - WINS!! Prize to be announced.

**Award Ceremony:** Approximately 5 PM at the landing. Some free food, fruits and drinks will be available to participants after the race. Minimum 3 boats in the class to receive an award.

**Equipment:** Every team is expected to have its own paddling equipment, including approved PFD. Wearing PFD during the race is MANDATORY. Failing to do so at any time during the race will lead to IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION.

Bosch Outdoor Club has 8 open double canoes for rent — \$20 per boat for participants who do not have their own boats. You will have to request it in application form.

**Fees and Registration:** \$20 for a single boat and \$35 for a double if you register before April 29. After April 29th and race day registration (from 10 am to noon) - \$25 for single and \$45 for double.

Event is sanctioned and approved by American Canoe Association (ACA). To participate you need proof of ACA membership or pay \$5 one time membership.

**Lodging:** There are several campgrounds near by. You can also share hospitality of our club members, you have to list this wish on your registration form. You will receive this information in an acceptance package after you register. If all this is not acceptable, you can always go to hotels and motels in the area.

**Additional Information:** Call Roman Marks 843.766.3274 evenings, 843.760.7465 days, email roman.marks@us.pcm.com, canoe@comcast.net, or write 1141 Southgate Drive, Charleston, SC 29407. 



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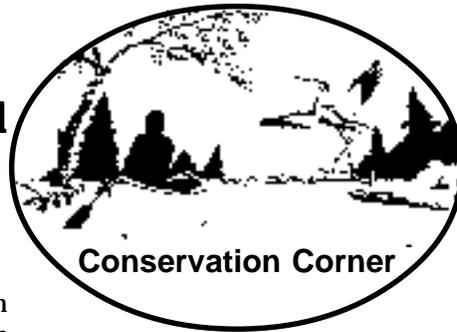
## **Rivers Unplugged**

### **Edwards Dam Removal Completed "On Schedule and on Budget"**

The last pieces of Edwards Dam were removed from Maine's Kennebec River in mid-October, less than four months after the dam was breached. Striped bass and other fish have returned to the 17-mile stretch of river formerly blocked by the dam for the first time in 162 years.

"What a difference a free-flowing river makes!" says Steve Krooke, director of American Rivers' Maine Field Office. "Two years ago, when I paddled on the Kennebec above Edwards Dam, I rarely saw other boaters and anglers and virtually no wildlife. But today the river is alive with paddlers, fishermen, and families, as well as osprey, bald eagles, herons, hawks.... the river is truly coming back to life."

- *From American Rivers, Fall/Winter 1999.* ✂



Cleanup Week promotes the importance of keeping rivers and streams clean and encourages cleanups of local waterways.

In 1999, more than 30,000 volunteers participated in the cleanup experience that helps communities focus attention on neglected waterways and simulates cleanups of blighted areas. Civic clubs, businesses, paddle sport enthusiasts, fishing groups, outfitters, and conservation groups join together in

many areas to organize and execute cleanups of their streams.

America Outdoors coordinates National River Cleanup Week by assisting local groups with information about how to conduct a successful cleanup. Groups that register their cleanups with America Outdoors are also eligible to receive free trash bags if their cleanups fall during the specified week. America Outdoors also provides educational materials and safety tips on waterway cleanups.

For more information, please contact America Outdoors at 423.558.3595 or email [amoutdoors@aol.com](mailto:amoutdoors@aol.com).

#### **NATIONAL RIVER CLEANUP WEEK**

National Coordinator -- America Outdoors

Agency Support -- Bureau of Land Management and US Forest Service

Associate National Coordinators -- American Rivers, American Whitewater, Professional Paddlesports Association, American Canoe Association. ✂

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### **National River Cleanup Week Scheduled for June 3-10, 2000**

The ninth annual National River Cleanup Week will be held June 3-10, 2000. Every year, National River

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### **River Hazards Recently Reported**

There's a pine tree across the main channel of the Upper Hooch just above Buck Shoals. It's readily visible as you



come around the bend above Buck Shoals, but it blocks the main channel on river left. It's possible to work through the rocks right at the top end of the tree and still pass left of the first island, but it's not as much fun without the little S-turn.

- *Doug Ackerman* ✂

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## **Instruction/Training**

### **From the Training Chair**

**by Gina Johnson**

Hi everyone! We'll be holding our First Annual Paddle Gymkhana on Saturday, April 15, at the Lanier Canoe and Kayak Club in Gainesville. This is a chance to get the cobwebs out of your boat and practice your skills. We'll have fun races, paddling drills, safety practice and a great time! We'll start at 12:00 and be ready to pack it up around 4:00. The directions are as follows:

I-85 north to I-985 and go north to Highway 129 exit (this used to be Exit 6, but they've recently changed the numbers! This exit is near Gainesville). Go north on 129 to Highway 284. Turn right on Highway 284 and go approximately one mile. After you cross the bridge over the Chattahoochee River, take the first left and look to your right. This is the LCKC clubhouse. We'll be on the water! Bring water, food and sunscreen. Please register!! If you have questions, please call Gina Johnson, 770.971.1542.

#### **Novice Open Canoe Slalom Gate Mini-Clinic**

If anyone is interested in picking up a few pointers

on negotiating slalom gates in an open canoe before the upcoming Southeasterns, we are scheduling an open canoe slalom gate mini-clinic for April 19 & 20 from 6 PM 'til dark at the Powers Island practice gates. We'll go over some basic principles and strategies for negotiating gates, and do some practice runs with instructors providing coaching and feedback.

This clinic will be very informal. No registration is required and no fees will be charged. You can come out for either the first evening only, or for both evenings (We even scheduled it for evenings so it won't interfere with your weekend paddling). All you need to do is show up with your boat and your gear. And, no, you don't need to have a race boat to come to the clinic. Recreational / Cruising boats are very welcome. If you want to try out a race boat, there will be a couple of them there.

For questions or info, call Allen Hedden at 770.426.4318. Remember, slalom racing is arguably the best white water paddling skill builder you can undertake. Hope to see you there! ✂

## Swift Water Rescue Clinic

May 20-21, 2000

The Swift Water Rescue Clinic was developed by the ACA for the paddling community. The clinic focuses on both personal and group rescue skills for the experienced paddler. Participants spend time on dry land working with equipment and in the water (not in a boat) and should be well equipped for and comfortable with class II water and should have good swimming skills. This is a two-day clinic with an additional evening session during the week before the 20th. Membership in the GCA is required.

To sign up, please fill out the Training Clinic Registration Form at the back of this issue of *The Eddy Line* completely. The cost for the clinic is \$50 per person. Mail this completed registration form along with a check payable to the Georgia Canoeing Association to:

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## Racing Is Fun for Everyone!

by Julie Keller

That is right — for Everyone!!!! Many years ago before my first race, I didn't think that I had the skills to race a slalom course. A fellow paddler said if I could catch eddies and ferry in the water above Nantahala Falls, I would be able to race slalom and have lots of fun. If I was not up for that, the down river race had classes for all types of boats and people.

I decided to enter both events. I kept trying to practice down river and my tandem partner wanted to catch every eddy on the Nanty and a few that were not even there.

First I must warn everyone — getting a boat through a slalom gate without touching or missing it altogether is a lot harder than it looks and much harder than a Sunday



Race Watch

stroll down the river. Maneuvering through those gates takes great boat control and precise paddling strokes. It also takes practice.

Before my first race I enrolled in an NOC citizen race training class. Kent Ford and Eileen Ash were wonderful instructors. I was amazed at how the principles of racing applied to all aspects of paddling and I quickly made great improvements in my boat handling.

If you are going to race for the first time, I would recommend that you get as much practice on the course (with and without gates) as you can without exhausting yourself for your race run. A real good idea is to volunteer to help set up the course. You will be able to study the course while it is under construction and be able to get some practice time on the course, too. Also spend an afternoon running the falls several times. Plan your moves through the various eddies before your run and evaluate what angles, strokes and leans made the moves easier or harder after each run.

The Southeastern Slalom and Wild Water races will be on April 29 and 30 at the Nantahala River. If you want to see how hard the Nanty can be, come to the races and give the slalom course a try. The



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down river race is fun for the whole family.

Call David Martin to register at 404.351.8202. If you are not sure you are up to racing and want to check things out — there are lots of great jobs for volunteers. Call

Virginia Balbona to volunteer for gate judging (get to see all the action close up), course set up (and take down), and many more fun ways to take part in the exciting race weekend. ✂

## River Access

### North Carolina Access Update

North Carolina Senate Bill 368, "Public Access to Rivers and Streams," is still alive. Several attempts to attach "growths" to it were stopped, but a lot of work is still needed.

For paddlers new to the issue, let's give some background. While working to save public access to the Haw River, we found out that the NC Division of Highways had a legal problem with river access. If a state statute were enacted saying that Highways could develop public pedestrian type accesses to rivers and streams, such features could be included in road projects. Then, if Highways were to have this authority, there are federal shared funds (not part of the ISTEA grant-type funds) that can be used to help pay for such accesses. Any 80/20 federal-sharing road project could include a small pedestrian type access with parking area. The need for such a facility

would have to be proved through amount of usage, safety, or other such concerns.

The result was SB-368, which was filed by Senator Guley of Durham in the 1999 spring long session of the state legislature. The bill passed the Senate by a vote of 49-0 and went to the House. There it was sent to a House Transportation Subcommittee. The bill is still alive and can be brought up in the 2000 short session which starts this May.

During the "99" session, two attempts were made by the NC Wildlife Resources Commission to attach regulations for registration/license of small water craft to the original bill. Both of these attempts were stopped. These two efforts were in addition to a bill filed by Senator Hoyle (from Dallas, NC) on behalf of NC Wildlife that included a provision that called for canoe and kayak registration. The canoe/kayak portion of that bill was also defeated.

Now, with the approach of the 2000 short session, we are again working to increase our base of support. You can help. Any organization, group, or individual can help support this bill. If you are a member of an organization, ask for their support. Write your own State Representative if you live in North Carolina.

For you nonresidents, write to the Speaker of the House, Representative James Black, Room 2304 Legislative Building, Raleigh, NC 27601-1096, asking that SB-368 be passed with no changes. Ask that the issue of registration/license of small water craft be left to stand on its own merits and not tagged to SB-368. The registration/license issue, which really is a tax, should be approached through public hearings and not tied to a simple statute change.

Passage of this bill will immediately affect access to the Haw, Mayo, Dan and Watauga Rivers in a positive way. It could also help out on the Narrows of the Green access. Bridges are being replaced and roads improved all over North Carolina right now. But without passage of SB-368 "Highways" lacks the legal authority to develop pedestrian type accesses or use available federal funds for such projects. Without this bill, we have to spend years looking for alternate ways to provide the same accesses.

For more information, contact Cleo Smith at 919.755.1290 or email at clesmith@hotmail.com. ✂



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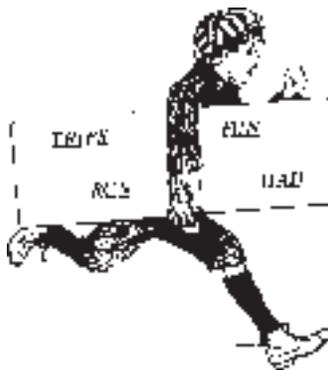
## Upper Chattahoochee

by Doug Ackerman

I was supposed to lead a trip on the upper Chattahoochee on January 29th, but only one caller thought the weather might allow a trip, and we both conceded to the sleet Friday night. When Debra Berry said she might not be able to lead her February 12th trip, I thought it was a great opportunity to make up for my canceled trip, so I offered to take it for her.

At this time of year, the sun is low in the sky and reflected sun glare makes it hard to read the river. We didn't have that problem on the 12th. Luckily, the rain and thunder that accompanied unloading the boats moved along by the time the shuttle was finished and the rest of the day was cloudy and warm. Unfortunately, the level was adequate for a good trip, but not as high as we'd like to see it.

The only surprise was a pine tree that had fallen across the river and blocked the main channel on river left just above Buck Island. We were able to work around the



top of the tree and still go left at Buck Island, but it was harder than making the little S-turn that we usually run.

Even so, 8 paddlers had a good time: Doug Ackerman, Pablo Murphy and Charlie Pirtle (OC-1), Margo Booth (C-1), Bill Lacik, Doug Marshall, Susan Martin and Derek White (K-1). Good paddlers make trip coordination easy. Special thanks to Margo Booth for running sweep and Doug Marshall for shuttle (and everyone else who offered to shuttle). ✂

## Okefenokee Swamp Trip

by Tom Payne

March 1 & 2, 2000. The swamp is experiencing its lowest water level in a decade, and our trip was shortened from two nights to one. Four of us, Barbara Fitzpatrick, Joan Schneider, George Thomas and I left from the Suwannee Canal Recreation Area on the East side of the swamp bound for Round Top platform. The paddle was



- Photos submitted by Tom Payne.

about twelve miles. The weather was mostly sunny, and we saw numerous alligators of all sizes.

Round Top is located on a prairie and seems perpetually windy. This day was a typical tent flapper. There was no moon this particular evening, and the stars were beautiful. Around 9:00 PM, alligators began bellowing in

their low, grunting way. One of them seemed to be moving close to the platform.

The weather next day began as cloudy and overcast, but became sunny and hot by the time we returned to Suwannee Canal Recreation Area. The trip was satisfying, and our only regret was that it was too short. ✂

## Canoeing in La Huasteca Potosina, Mexico

**Part Two — The Rivers**  
**by William C. Reeves (The Hawk)**  
**Cascadas Micos**

*Appropriate for: Intermediate - Advanced*  
*Months Runnable: October-March*

*Difficulty: Class II - IV*  
*AWA Numeric Points: 21*  
*Gradient: 200 feet in one mile over 7 drops*  
*Runnable level - min: 200 cfs, max: 700 cfs*  
*Hazards: Pinning*  
*Distance: 1 mile*  
*Shuttle: 1.8 miles*  
*Time to run: 1 hour to all day*

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Cascadas Micos is a great 1st day warm-up river. Micos is a species of small short-tailed monkey that presumably used to jump playfully in the forest around the river. Through natural selection most have ended up as micos asada.

We put on at 14:00 (after driving 2-1/2 days from Atlanta, arriving in Valles and checking into the hotel) and played until 18:00, when the sun set. Micos is the lowest white water section on the Rio Salto and has been described as a white water Disneyland.

It's hard to describe the surreal nature of this mile-long playground as first seen from the road. In the middle of heavily forested mountains, deep in a gorge, a turquoise blue river cascades over tapestry-like ledges sculpted from travertine and encrusted with ferns, moss and flowers. Parrots shriek overhead and iguanas scurry over the rocks.

Cascadas Micos consists of seven distinct falls rang-

ing from 5 to 25 feet. All seven have at least two runnable lines ranging from class II (the sneak) to IV (the meat). In all cases it's easy to stop on the lip of each drop, walk along it and scope out routes. Each cascade can be re-portedaged, so one can try out multiple routes. On several drops two boats can be run side-by-side.

Micos begins at the base of a spectacular 70-foot



Tommy Price in a Dagger Cascade in the pool at the put-in to Cascadas Micos. - Photo submitted by Bill Reeves.



Brian Postalwaite in a Blue Hole Sequel on Cascadas Micos.  
- Photo submitted by Bill Reeves.

travertine waterfall that looks like it was designed for the set of *Aliens*. Try boating around behind the falls and then exiting through the curtain of water. The first drop is about five feet and successive ones become bigger and bigger. The sixth is the largest and is about 25 feet vertical. From the top, the most interesting looking line is on river right, but scouting reveals the recovery pool to be only 2' deep, because a ledge has grown out from the base of the travertine dam.

No problemo, there are at least four alternate lines. From the recovery pool you can paddle into a series of caves that riddle the travertine and form a maze underneath and behind the falls. The seventh and last drop is the most technical and should be run on river left. The Micos cascades end at an island with a snack shop.

Cascadas Micos is about 30 minutes out of Valles. Leaving Hotel Quinta Mar, turn left on Highway 70 towards San Luis Potosi. At approximately Km 6 a paved secondary road goes off to the right; take it. It is the first paved road past the second Pemex station and has a sign indicting Motel Cabanas. It is the only paved road going off Highway 70 and if you come to the Km 10 marker you've gone too far.

Continue 5 minutes or so on this road and go through

La Loma. About this time you should see the river in the gorge to your right and the powerhouse. The road will cross over a penstock and an open flume will be on your left. Park where the road crosses the flume. Stairs lead down to the powerhouse at the base of a big waterfall. Drag your boat down the stairs and put in at the uppermost pool at the base of the falls.

To get to the take-out, drive back about 1.1 miles and turn left on a dirt road leading down to the river and a parking lot with access to a small local tourist facility. There may be a sign saying Micos.

### **Ojo Frio**

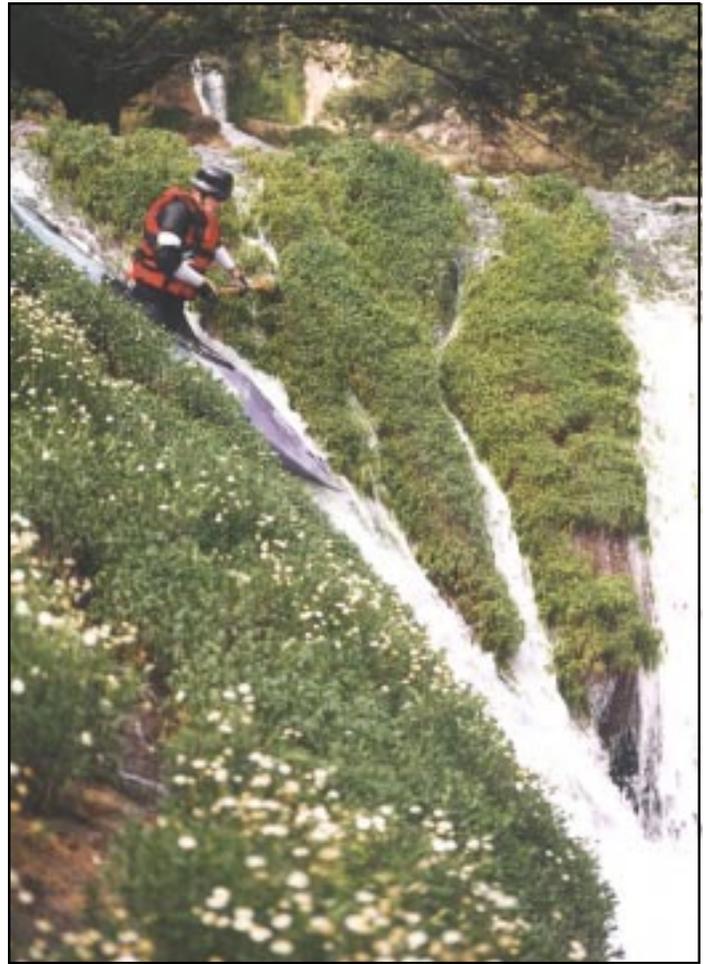
*Appropriate for: Advanced*

*Months Runnable: November - December (before irrigation diversion)*

*Difficulty: Class III - IV*

*AWA Numeric Points: 27*

*Gradient: 40 feet per mile average, extreme drop/pool*



The Hawk in a Wavesport Godzilla C-1 on the Cascadas Micos.  
- Photo submitted by Bill Reeves.

Runnable level min: 200 cfs, max: 500 cfs

Hazards: Pinning, strainers, undercuts.

Distance: 4 miles

Shuttle: 3 miles

Time to run: 4 hours

Put in: Aguacate

Take-out: Damian Carmona

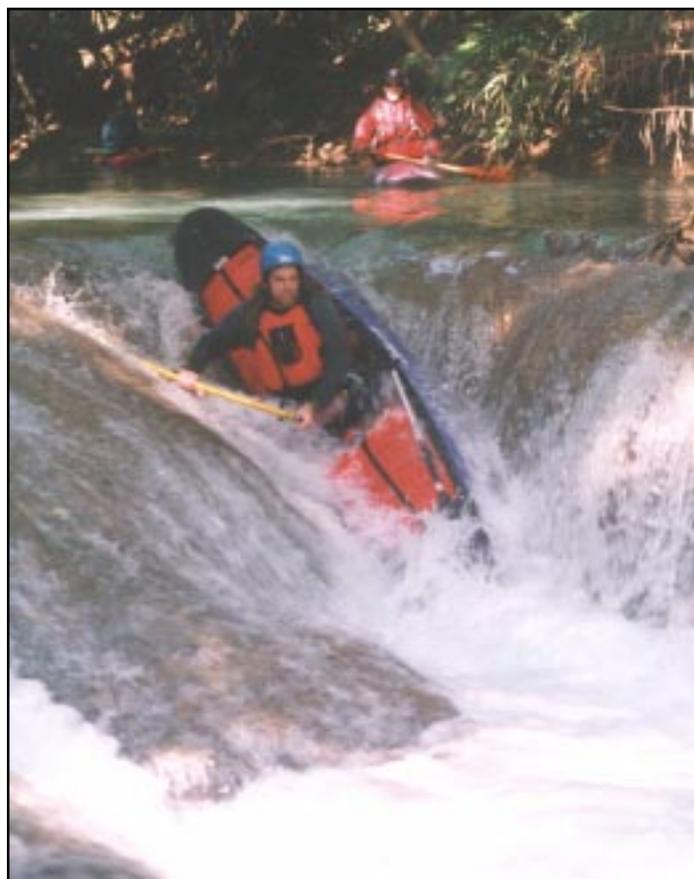
Scenery: Outstanding

Rescue: Varies from near small towns to rural

Scouting: Possible from bank, edge of drops, or eddies

Ojo Frio (Cold Spring) was the most rural and difficult to find of the creeks we paddled and we were probably the first canoes to do it. The Ojo Frio runs through sugarcane country and navigability is determined by how much water is diverted for irrigation. Once on the creek, you'll never know you're boating between cane fields because it traverses a narrow, drop pool, travertine gorge where dense bank forestation creates the atmosphere of a dark remote jungle.

The rapids are formed by travertine dams, which are continuously augmented by precipitation of calcium carbonate. The rapids are short and end in relatively large pools, so the 40 foot per mile average gradient manifests itself differently than similar gradient in the Southeast



Will Reeves paddling a Mohawk Rodeo on Ojo Frio.

- Photo submitted by Bill Reeves.

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(i.e., the white water sections resemble the Cascades section of the Nantahala in terms of gradient).

The first several rapids are not terribly challenging so you should take the time to admire the scenery and wildlife. Don't get carried away because after about a mile an impressive horizon line unexpectedly materializes. The 15-foot drop includes a launching pad over a moss, fern and flower festooned travertine ledge into an absolutely crystalline pool.

Following this, the rapids increase in frequency, size and difficulty. Several have technically challenging entrances and run-outs and several involve multiple steps at different acute angles. One 8-foot vertical chute looks like Second Crack would if it were stuck on-end.

Ojo Frio presents significant pinning potential because some travertine ledges extend underwater. About two miles into the trip, negotiating an S-shaped 6-foot drop, I inverted and pinned the bow under one travertine ledge and the stern under another. This was one of the more interesting pins of my career. The boat was completely submerged and unusual concentration was re-



Tommy Price on Ojo Frio. - Photo submitted by Bill Reeves.

quired to wet-exit. It took about 10 minutes to extract the boat, which was about a foot underwater.

I had taken this particular line, which looked great from the top, because Brian had just broached sideways on a strainer at the top on the left line. Brian suffered a minor vertical pin two drops later. The rapids remain consistently steep and difficult all the way to the take out.

To get to Ojo Frio, turn left from Hotel Quinta Mar onto Highway 70, towards San Luis Potosi. Follow Highway 70 through San Isidro, El Pantano, La Pita, Santa Anita, and El Sauz. About 22 miles out of Valles start looking for a sign indicating Rascon (to the right). Go towards Rascon.

The road will traverse a broad valley planted with



sugar cane, and about 4 miles after exiting Highway 70 you will enter Rascon. Stay on the main street as it bears right and cross the railroad tracks. At the T, go right and then at the end of the block to the left (Almacen Luchadores).

You will soon come to another cusp; a sign indicates Tambaca to the left and Damian Carmona to the right; go right, cross the river and stay left at the Y. Next town is El Chino. Stay right as you leave the town. In another mile or so you will enter Damian Carmona. Just before the paved road begins, take the major dirt road to the left. Pass by three large stone pillars that once supported an aqueduct, cross the creek (Ojo Frio), and park on the first right for the take-out. For the put-in, continue on the road you just turned off of to park to the next town (Aguacate). Just before you enter Aguacate start looking for roads to the right. We found one just proximal to an irrigation ditch. Follow this road a couple hundred meters across a cane field to the river. 



The Paddling "Fashion" Show at the February GCA Meeting. Above: (left to right) Allen Hedden, Jason Schnurr, Becca Brown, Louie Boulanger, Melissa Freeman, Marvine Cole, Dina Franch, Knox Worde, Brannen Proctor. Right: Becca Brown & Louie Boulanger. - Photos submitted by Knox Worde.



# CLASSIFIED ADS

**TO PLACE AN AD** - Want ads of a non-business nature are free to dues-paid GCA members. Business-related ads are \$5.00 for up to 50 words, \$10.00 for larger. Send your type-written ad to: Allen Hedden, 2923 Piedmont Dr., Marietta, Ga. 30066, or email to gacanoe@mindspring.com. PLEASE, NO PHONED-IN OR HAND-WRITTEN ADS. All ads will be run for two issues unless otherwise requested.

**FOR RENT** - House on secluded mountain lake (Appalachia Lake). Surrounded by Cherokee & Nantahala National Forests. Two bedrooms/two baths, sun room could be third bedroom. Sleeps 6 to 8. Completely furnished/all amenities (gas grill, washer/dryer, dishwasher, microwave, satellite TV/VCR, phones, etc.) Lots of decks, gentle slope to lake with swimming/boating area. Close to waterfalls, miles of hiking/jeep trails, white water boating/rafting on the Ocoee, Hiwassee, & Tellico Rivers, quiet water boating on the lake. Located northwest of Murphy, NC. Call Liz Carter or Butch Horn, 770.967.0318 or e-mail mohorn@mindspring.com for a brochure and maps.

**FOR RENT** - Cabin, two bedroom one bath. Sleeps up to 6. Air conditioned, fire place, gas grill. Located on Turtletown Creek, in Turtletown, TN., Close to Ocoee, Toccoa and Tellico. Thirty acres of land to hike and 1/4 mile of creek to paddle in. Relax on covered porch or open deck looking down at the creek. \$85 per night, \$400 week. Proof of membership in the GCA will get you a \$10 per night discount or \$50 for a week stay. Call Laura Rivers 423.496.1851.

**FOR SALE** - Boats & equipment. Coleman camper pop-up - \$3200 (used 10 times-w/queen, reg. and youth beds). Canoe trailer \$1200 (never used/just to show). C-1, Dagger Cascade \$775 (like new/with skirt/air bags). Kayak, Perception Corsica \$825 (with skirt/airbags/paddle-204cm). Canoe, Mohawk Probe 12 \$850 (air bags/team edge out-fitted/floatation bag-bra for storing extras). Stohlquist dry suit (XL) \$375 (never used). Stohlquist dry top (XL) \$195 (used 2 times - made for anyone, but especially for kayakers). Kokatat Gortex dry suit (S) \$475 (used 2 times). Kokatat dry top (M) \$150 (used 6 or 8 times). Kayak paddle travel bag \$60 (never used-padded). Canoe paddle travel bag \$45 (never used-padded). All equipment and apparell in excellent shape with unisex sizing. Thanks for your patience in reading this. Call 912.471.6925. Email: jmurphey@mindspring.com.

**FOR SALE** - Camper, Coleman Cedar XL Pop Up. Rarely used, excellent condition, always stored indoors. Comes with screen porch that has never been used, awning, stove, dinette and extra storage \$3000. Charles Bruce 770.974.2481.

**FOR SALE** - Canoes. Old Town Discovery 158 (Blue). Great boat for class I, II & flat water rivers or lakes. Excellent family boat. \$400. Dagger Caption, 14ft. 2in. (Red). Solo saddle.

Dagger float bags. Well used, \$100. Mohawk Rogue 14ft. (Red). Perception saddle. Great shape. Has seen very little white water. Call Cameron@678.376.5863 or E-mail cppaddle@cs.com.

**FOR SALE** - Canoe & equipment. Mad River ABS Explorer. Very good condition. Garage kept. Includes center float bag and removable cane back seats - \$750. Like new Eureka 12' x 12' family tent - \$350. Hardly used Merrill Wilderness boots, size 9, - \$75. Like new bike panniers - \$50. Kelty backpack - \$40. Kokatat dry top, size large - \$50. Perception saddle - \$25. Slinglite backpacking chair - \$15. Call Dave @ 770.499.9973.

**FOR SALE** - Canoe, 15' Royale hull, private label, excellent condition, 2 years old, black, \$500 OBO. 678.463.6336 or email gwhjr@mindspring.com.

**FOR SALE** - Canoe, Dagger Rival, 1998, purple, brand new, never paddled, with Dagger air bags. \$925. Bryan 770.886.2705.

**FOR SALE** - Paddlers' Paradise - large home (3200 sq. ft.) on 21 acres of land in very private setting; 70 ft. waterfall behind house, swimming pond, garden, meadows, 2-story garage / workshop (boat building materials included), mountain views. Close to many rivers, 2-1/2 hrs. from Atlanta near Franklin, NC. Call 828.369.0153 for more details.

**FOR SALE** - Inflatable tandem kayak. 1999 Air Lynx 11 tandem inflatable white water kayak. Red with air floor. Self bailing. Factory carry bag, pump, repair kit, and video taped owners manual. Two double bladed paddles. Like new (floated 4 times). \$1040 firm. Call Bill at 404.524.1585, or wpperkins@mindspring.com.

**FOR SALE** - Kayaks & C-1. Dagger Crossfire, good condition, w/ air bags and back brace \$325. Pyranha Stunt 300, good condition, w/ airbags and back brace \$350. C-1, Hydra Centaur, great beginners C-1, \$125. Kayak paddle, Perception Horizonline 200cm used 1 year \$75. Spray skirts, Seals (new) medium, fits these kayaks, \$50, Mountainsurf, medium, used 1 year \$45. Call Bill, 770.926.4925.

**FOR SALE** - Kayaks & Equipment. Selling out! Perception Pirouette, purple, very good condition - \$350. Perception Dancer XS, red, very good condition - \$250. Perception Pirouette Super Sport, red, gc, - \$300. New Wave Fit, good traditional-type boat suitable for beginner about 100-160 lbs, rainbow glitter on Kevlar, LIGHT WEIGHT - \$250. Riot '97 Hammer, black, good condition - \$450. All boats come with whatever float bags are in them. Some small Aquaterra spray skirts available. Paddles: old Perception, patched, 202 cm. - \$10. Werner 198, pretty new - \$100. Peter 404.373.7535.

**FOR SALE** - Kayak, Prijon T-Canyon, blue, excellent condition, includes HP5 Rhino paddle (almost like new), float bags, PFD, skirt, helmet. \$849.00 o/b/o..... I used it once, been in storage last 4 years. Eager! Call Rick @ 770

.538.0008 or email Rickterray@aol.com.

**FOR SALE** - Kayak (K-2), Prijon Topo-Duo, purple, excellent condition, stored indoors year round, great play boat and parent/child white water craft. Very stable. Will deliver. \$800. (\$1350 new) Call Don Holden at H:770.339.8527 W:770.513.4442, email: dholden@flash.net.

**FOR SALE** - Kayaks, Dagger Gradient \$525 and Dagger Freefall LT \$350, both in excellent condition. Call Todd 770.818.0960.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE** - Kayak, Perception Pirouette S Proline, purple, includes spray skirt, \$300 or best offer. Willing to trade for Perception Torrent in similar condition. Call Lois 770.592.6421 or email loish@freewwweb.com (note the 3 w's).

**FOR SALE** - Kayak, Noah Stratoquatic AQ11. Great choice for beginner or intermediate paddler. Very comfortable - especially for a larger paddler. Very stable. \$400. Will include large black Protec helmet and medium life jacket. Call Jan @ 770.631.3050 or e-mail @ storbeck@mindspring.com.

**FOR SALE** - Kayak, Savage kayak by Fury, with skirt. \$350.00 or best offer or trade for a bigger kayak. 770.938.5892.

**FOR SALE** - Table saw. Cut your own gunwales & thwarts with this 10" Sears contractor's table saw, fair condition, \$150. Call Jim at 770.498.3695 between 5 and 9:30 pm week nights.

**FOR SALE** - Sea Kayak. Two P&H Capellas' - excellent condition, used only one season. Red polythene, retractable skeg, welded bulkheads, two large hatches. Listed by Sea Kayaker magazine as best plastic sea kayak. \$925. (msrp \$1369). Call Todd 770.818.0960.

**HELP WANTED** - Summer employment. Eagle Ranch is looking for raft guides and a trip leader for the Ocoee River. Must have knowledge of the river and at least three years experience. Also need basic first-aid, and first-responder. Will train right candidate. Call: Hank Baudet or David Scott @ 800.288.3245.

**HELP WANTED** - Summer Job: Kayak instruction assistant for Boy Scout Camp near the Chattooga. Must be 21 and have valid driver's license. Need to be a competent intermediate paddler, but ACA certification is not necessary. Call Jim Ledvinka at 706.353.3027.

**HELP WANTED** - Yes, the GCA needs your help. We need volunteers to serve on committees, label and mail newsletters, etc. Call 770.421.9729 and leave a message.

**WANTED TO BUY** - Canoes. Tandem white water canoes for Boy Scout Troop. Tax deduction available for donated value. Roger Nott 770.536.6923.

**WHITE WATER PADDLING T-Shirts** - Save \$1 off each T-shirt when you order by using discount code GC3. Relive the times when you had more than your share of fun! Wear T-shirts from paddlingtees.com. Visit our web site at [www.paddlingtees.com](http://www.paddlingtees.com). Thank you. 



# WILDWOOD OUTFITTERS BOATER'S BASH APRIL 8, 2000



## WILDWOOD OUTFITTERS DEMO DAY & SPRING SALE

12:00 PM-5:00PM

CHATTAHOOCHEE OUTPOST-DUNCAN  
BRIDGE

FREE DEMOS FROM TOP

MANUFACTURERS:

DAGGER  
PERCEPTION  
OLD TOWN  
MAD RIVER  
LOTUS DESIGNS

FREE CLIMBING WALL

FREE LUNCH

FREE DOOR PRIZE  
DRAWINGS

ALL NEW AND USED BOATS,  
ACCESSORIES, GEAR AND  
APPAREL  
10%-50% OFF

CANOE, RAFT, AND KAYAK  
RENTALS AVAILABLE  
THROUGHOUT THE DAY

## CHATTAHOOCHEE CHALLENGE 22 MILE CANOE & KAYAK RACE

The race will originate from the parking lot of Habersham's Nacoochee Winery across from the Nora Mill on Hwy 75 just south of Downtown Helen, Georgia. Competitors will race on the Chatahoochee River from the Nora Mill down to the Wildwood Outpost on Duncan Bridge Road (GA Hwy 384). The race course consists of class I and I water.

### PRE-RACE MEETING

Competitors must meet at the Winery at 10:00 a.m. on race day for a pre-race meeting. Race will begin at 10:30 a.m.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

CLASSES: Cruising and Championship, Men and Women

Solo Open Canoe (OC-1) Tandem Open Canoe (OC-2)  
Solo Kayak (K-1) Tandem Kayak (K-2)  
Solo Decked Canoe (C-1) Tandem Decked Canoe (C-2)

MUST HAVE 3 L KE BOATS TO FORM A CLASS.

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST WEAR AN APPROVED PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICE (PFD) DURING THE ENTIRE RACE. FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE

### PRIZES

Trophies for 1st Place in each class and division. Free race t-shirt for all finishers.

### REGISTRATION

PRE-REGISTRATION: \$15.00 per paddler. Registrations must be received by April 7 to be guaranteed a t-shirt on race day.

RACE DAY/LATE

REGISTRATION: \$20.00 per paddler. T-shirt will be mailed after race.

ALL REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE

### For Information:

Phone: 706-878-1700 or 706-868-4451 Fax: 706-878-1949 E-mail: paddling@wildwoodoutfitters.net Web: www.wildwoodoutfitters.com

### MAIL REGISTRATION TO:

WILDWOOD OUTFITTERS CHATTAHOOCHEE CHALLENGE, P.O. BOX 999, HELEN, GA 30545

CLASS (circle): Cruising Championship Division (circle): Men Women  
BOAT TYPE (circle): OC-1 OC-2 K-1 K-2 C-1 C-2  
COLOR OF BOAT: \_\_\_\_\_ T-SHIRT SIZE (circle): Large Extra Large Amount Paid (circle): \$15 \$20  
NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

LIABILITY WAIVER: By signing below, I hereby certify that I will abide by the rules of the race, that I am an able swimmer, and that I relieve the sponsoring organizations and its members and all cooperating landowners from all liability for injury or damage to property. I've paid up! I'm on my own risk.

SIGNATURE 1: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE 2: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF PARENT FOR PARTICIPANTS UNDER THE AGE OF 18: \_\_\_\_\_

**The Georgia Canoeing Association and  
The Nantahala Outdoor Center present the  
32nd Annual  
Southeastern U.S. Slalom and Wild Water Championships  
ACA Dixie Division Decked Boat Championships  
Nantahala River, Wesser, North Carolina  
April 29th and 30th, 2000**

Decked Boats and Open Canoes will compete in the following events:

**Championship Slalom and Wildwater Classes: Saturday, April 29**  
**Recreational and Novice Wildwater Classes: Saturday, April 29**  
**Recreational and Novice Slalom Classes: Sunday, April 30**  
**Downriver Fun Race: Sunday, April 30**

Recreational and Novice Classes do not require any specialized boats or equipment. Come and race your plastic playboat and hone your paddling skills. The slalom course for recreational boats on Sunday will be significantly easier than Saturday's Championship course. If you can run Nantahala Falls, come out and give racing a try.

## **Southeastern Championships Gold Sponsors**



Sponsored by Subaru of America



Sanctioned by the  
American Canoeing Association



## **Silver sponsors**

**Mohawk Canoes  
Perception**

**Dr. Rick DeCarlo, Sports Chiropractic  
Chestatee Canoe Co.**

For registration information or a registration form contact David Martin at 404.351.8208.

GCA will also conduct a boat & gear raffle and a silent auction at the Awards Banquet Saturday night. Check out the raffle announcement elsewhere in this newsletter for specific information and sponsors.

# **GCA CANOE AND GEAR RAFFLE**

**Held in conjunction with the**

## **SOUTHEASTERN U.S. SLALOM AND WILDWATER RACES**

**Canoe provided courtesy of:**

### **Dagger and Go with the Flow**

Drawing for a Dagger Caption canoe (July delivery) will be held at the Southeastern Championship Awards Banquet, April 29, 2000, 6:30 PM at the Nantahala Village. We also have some nice paddling and outdoor gear to give away. You do not need to be present to win. Gear contributors to the raffle currently include:

**Mohawk Canoes**  
**kayakstore.com**  
**Lotus Designs**  
**Watershed**

**High Country**  
**Nantahala Village**  
**Extrasport**  
**REI**

**Patagonia**  
**Endless River Adventures**  
**Nantahala Outdoor Center**  
**Salamander**

We expect this list to expand !

To enter, simply fill out the raffle ticket order form below and mail with payment to:

**Chris Bilello**  
**2209 Ranch Trail**  
**Norcross, GA 30071**

We will fill out your tickets and mail your stubs back to you. *You can also help the GCA by selling tickets to your friends.*

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### **GCA Raffle Ticket Order Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Price: \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00, 14 for \$10.00)**

# CANOEING & KAYAKING INSTRUCTION

## PADDLING CLINIC INFORMATION

Clinics will be taught by ACA-certified instructors and qualified assistants. In order to provide individual attention, the maximum student-to-instructor ratio is 4:1. Space is limited.

### COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

#### **BEGINNING WHITE WATER:**

For people who have never had a boat on moving water. Three-hour evening classroom session with videos and lectures covering equipment, safety, river features and paddling techniques for tandem and solo boaters. Full day Saturday flat water session emphasizing strokes, wet exits. Full day Sunday session on a class II river practicing ferries, eddy turns, peel-outs, running rapids, self rescue and assisted rescue. You must attend both the dry and flat water sessions to participate in the white water river portions of the course.

#### **BEGINNING YOUTH WHITE WATER:**

Same course as above, but designed for youths ages 16 and under.

#### **TRAINED BEGINNER WHITE WATER:**

Participants should have had recent beginner level instruction or 5 days of white water experience. Polish-up beginner skills, plus bracing and rolling (kayaks).

#### **INTERMEDIATE WHITE WATER:**

Intermediate clinic participants should be comfortable paddling class II-III white water such as the Nantahala, and wish to master the roll in rapids, and learn how to play confidently in Nantahala-type waves and holes. Intermediate kayakers should have a 100% flat water roll and a 50% reliable combat roll in class II rapids. Saturday morning lake session working on strokes and rolls (kayaks) and an afternoon session on the Nantahala working on turns, surfing, eddy hopping, etc. Full day Sunday trip on a class II-III river.

### ENROLLMENT GUIDELINES

#### **GCA MEMBERSHIP:**

All participants must be current GCA members. To join the GCA, call the GCA at 770.421.9729 or go to the GCA web page [www.georgiacanoe.org](http://www.georgiacanoe.org) for a membership application. Dues are \$25 per year.

#### **REGISTRATION:**

Call the coordinator of the clinic you want to take for more information. You will NOT be registered, however, until the coordinator receives a check for \$50.00 per person payable to GCA. Call early, clinics fill quickly.

#### **CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS:**

If you wish to cancel or switch to another date, please notify the Clinic Coordinator as soon as possible. If you cancel at least 10 days before the first class session your fees will be refunded. After that, refunds will be made only if a replacement is found. Clinics will be conducted rain or shine. No-shows and those not completing the full course are ineligible for refunds.

#### **AGE:**

If you are under 18, all liability releases must be signed by a parent or guardian, who must also provide suitable power-of-attorney for medical care. Except for youth clinics, pre-teens will not be enrolled unless they have had suitable paddling experience in the Training Director's judgment.

#### **SWIMMING ABILITY:**

You must be able to swim and should not panic with your head under water. Beginning kayak clinic participants will spend a lot of time upside down inside their kayaks on the lake. All students will practice swimming & self-rescue skills in rapids.

#### **PHYSICAL CONDITION:**

White water paddling is a physically and mentally challenging activity that requires fitness, flexibility, and a positive attitude in stressful situations. Kayaking is a high-risk activity for individuals with a history of shoulder dislocations. Applicants should discuss potential physical limitations with the Coordinator before signing up.

#### **EQUIPMENT:**

You must furnish all of your own equipment. You will receive a detailed list of required and recommended equipment well in advance of the clinic.

INSTRUCTIONS & REGISTRATION FORM ON REVERSE SIDE

# GCA CANOE AND KAYAK INSTRUCTION

SPRING AND SUMMER 2000

## **PADDLE GYMKHANA FUN & GAMES ON LOCAL LAKE**

SATURDAY, APRIL 15  
\$10 FEE PER PARTICIPANT  
GINA JOHNSON 404.257.3160  
LANIER CANOE & KAYAK CLUB

## **DUCKY DAY**

FOR SIT-ON-TOPS AND INFLATABLE KAYAKS  
JULY 15 \$10.00 PER PERSON  
GINA JOHNSON 404.257.3160

## **CANOEING**

**BEGINNER WHITE WATER**  
JUNE 6 (EVENING), 10,11  
STEVE CRAMER 706.208.8382

## **TRAINED BEGINNER WHITE WATER**

JUNE 3-4  
PAT HAGAN 770.393.1420

## **INTERMEDIATE WHITE WATER**

MAY 20-21  
OREON MANN 404.522.3469

## **TANDEM WHITEWATER CANOE**

JUNE 24-25  
HAYNES AND GINA JOHNSON  
770-971-1542

## **SAFETY AND RESCUE**

**SWIFT WATER RESCUE**  
MAY 20-21  
DAVID MARTIN 404.351.8208

## **FALL SAFETY COURSE**

LATE SEPTEMBER / EARLY OCTOBER  
GINA JOHNSON 404.257.3160

## **KAYAKING**

### **BEGINNER WHITE WATER**

JUNE 15 (EVENING), 17 -18  
REVEL FREEMAN 404.261.8572

### **TRAINED BEGINNER WHITE WATER**

JUNE 3-4  
TBA

### **INTERMEDIATE WHITE WATER**

MAY 6-7 REVEL FREEMAN 404.261.8572  
JUNE 23-24 PATTY CAMPBELL 828.526.9018

## **SEA KAYAKING**

MAY 20-21  
STEVE CRAMER 706.208.8382  
THIS COURSE WILL HAVE A SEPARATE FEE

Registration: to register for one of these clinics you must be a member of the Georgia Canoeing Association. To join the GCA or for an application call 404.421.9729. Dues are \$25. To register for a clinic, call the coordinator of the clinic for more information. You will NOT be registered until the coordinator receives this completed form and a check for \$50.00 per person. Call early because the clinics fill quickly.

CLINIC \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

STREET \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_ SEX \_\_\_\_\_

ALLERGIES OR PRESCRIPTION MEDICINES \_\_\_\_\_

DISABILITIES OR PHYSICAL PROBLEMS \_\_\_\_\_

# **GCA SPRING EXTRAVAGANZA**

**May 5, 6 & 7  
Diamond Lure Campground  
Ellijay, Georgia  
(9 miles from Ellijay)**

**EXCLUSIVELY RESERVED FOR GCA MEMBERS  
HOT SHOWERS, CLUB HOUSE  
FISHING AND BOATING LAKE  
MOUNTAIN BIKING AT M.O.E.**

**CAMPING  
\$6.00/site (2 persons)/night  
\$2.00/night for each additional person**

**PLEASE, ALL DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH!!**

**FRIDAY EVENING FREE TRIP COORDINATING MINI-CLINIC**

**SATURDAY NIGHT CATERED DINNER, BINGO AND BONFIRE  
PRIZES FOR BINGO!!**

**Best Bar-B-Que in North Georgia  
Pork, ribs and all the fixings  
Price \$10.00 (Children 12 & under \$6.00)**

**Homemade sausage & biscuits available Sat. & Sun. morning - \$1.00 each**

**Register early — late fee applies after April 28**

**BOATING SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

**Rivers (water level permitting):  
Ocoee, Nantahala, Cartecey, Toccoa, Amicalola,  
Chestatee, Etowah and Upper Chattahoochee**

**Mohawk Factory Rep is bringing boats for a Demo Weekend — flat water &  
white water**

**For further information, contact:  
Denise Colquitt 770.854.6636**

## GCA SPRING EXTRAVAGANZA Registration Form

**TO REGISTER** — Fill out registration form below and mail QUICKLY (notice late fee below) with your check made out to "GCA" to:

Denise Colquitt  
3794 Glenloch Road  
Franklin, GA 30217  
For questions, call 770.854.6636

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

**Camping:**

Number of tents @ \$6.00 (Incl. 2 people)      Fri \_\_\_\_\_ Sat \_\_\_\_\_  
Extra people @ \$2.00 ea. (Over 2 people)      Fri \_\_\_\_\_ Sat \_\_\_\_\_ Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Saturday dinner:** Number of meals @ \$10.00 \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$6.00 \_\_\_\_\_ Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Sausage & biscuits @ \$1.00 ea.**      Sat \_\_\_\_\_ Sun \_\_\_\_\_ Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

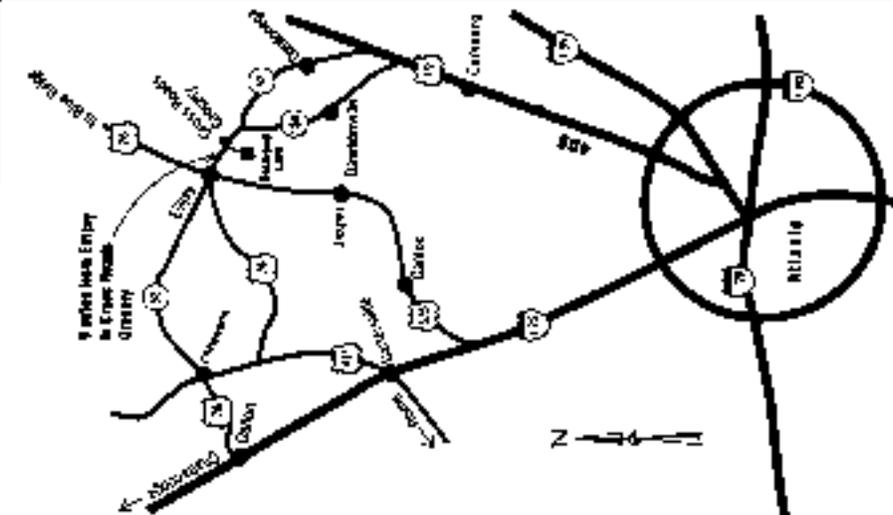
**\$5.00 LATE FEE IF POST MARKED AFTER APRIL 28** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Per registration form)

**Make check payable to GCA for total of:**      Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Willing to lead a trip Saturday or Sunday on:**

Cartecay \_\_\_\_\_ Etowah \_\_\_\_\_ Upper Amicalola \_\_\_\_\_ Chestatee \_\_\_\_\_

Lower Amicalola \_\_\_\_\_ Upper Hooch \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_



Reservations - Information  
J.H. Hefner, Mgr.  
706-273 3075

Harold Hefner, Owner  
706-276-3841

Route 2  
Ellijay, Georgia 30540



# 2000

## GEORGIA CANOEING ASSOCIATION'S 32nd. S.E. US SLALOM & WILDWATER CHAMPIONSHIPS NANTAHALA RIVER, WESSER, NC-APRIL 29-30, 2000

**We need your help for this premier event.**

This is your opportunity to be part of the Georgia Canoeing Association's largest event of the year. Indicate your preference (s) and mail to Virginia Balbona today.

**Every serious volunteer will be awarded a free race T-shirt.**

**Gate Judging**\_\_\_\_\_

If you like power then this position is for you!  
(Training will be available before the race).

**Timing**\_\_\_\_\_

Can you operate a stop watch? Check here if you do.

**Course Setup**\_\_\_\_\_

Ever been close to a construction site?  
Just follow Jason Schnurr's orders on Thursday  
afternoon of April 15, and Friday April 16.

**Safety**\_\_\_\_\_

You can do this if you know how to throw a rope.

**Fund Raising**\_\_\_\_\_

Only if you expect lots of raffle prizes.

**First Aid**\_\_\_\_\_

Doctors, nurses, EMTs check here.

**P.A. + Communications**\_\_\_\_\_

Can you talk? Check this one.

**Site Construction**\_\_\_\_\_

If you have ever moved or pitched a tent,  
this one is for you.

**Course Takedown**\_\_\_\_\_

This is an important job. If you want to be  
important check here.

**Scoring**\_\_\_\_\_

4+4=? If you guessed 8 then you qualify for  
this important job.

**Hospitality**\_\_\_\_\_

If you like munchies and buffets check here.

**Booth Management & Sales**\_\_\_\_\_

If you dream of big bucks and free T-shirts  
check here.

**River Traffic**\_\_\_\_\_

Here is your chance to make them rafters  
do what you want.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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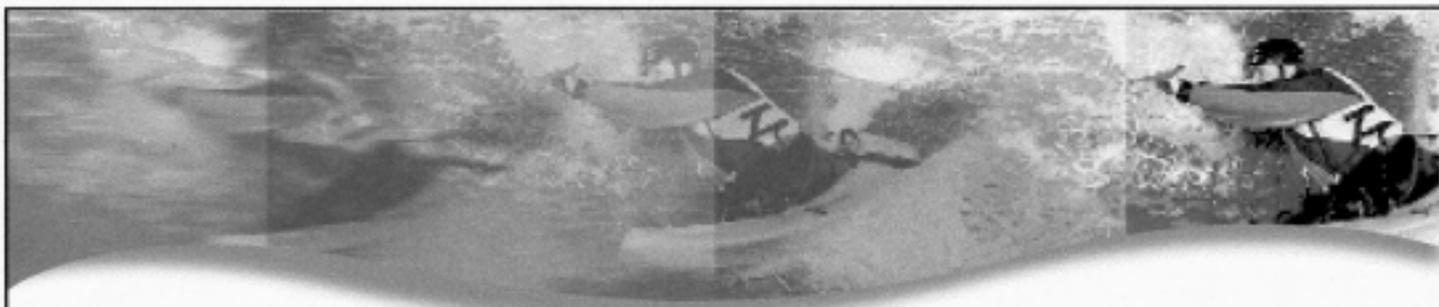
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