



# Hoosier Canoe Club

Each membership will receive one copy of each newsletter and is entitled to one vote on any business issue. Annual dues are \$15. Make check payable to Hoosier Canoe Club, Inc. Dues received in Oct., Nov. or Dec. will apply to the next year.

Membership Name:

New Member   
Renewal

e.g. : "Bill Rivers", "Bill & Joan Rivers", "The Rivers", "Big River Outing Club"

Street Address

City

State

Zip

Home Phone  (Evening)

Work Phone  (Day)

E-Mail

Application Date

	Individual Names	Birth Date
1-	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
2-	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3-	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

	Individual Names	Birth Date
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## Waiver

I recognize and fully understand that canoeing can be a dangerous activity. There can be hidden obstacles in the water, tricky currents, sudden weather changes, and any number of other hazards. In addition, mistakes can be made by fellow canoeists. Despite the mutually supportive group structure, I am ultimately responsible for my own safety, and do assume sole responsibility for my decisions. In consideration for my membership in the Hoosier Canoe Club and/or for the privilege of voluntary participation in its activities and events, I hereby waive and forever release any and all claims and/or demands against the Hoosier Canoe Club, its officers, or any club member for personal injury to myself, including death, or damage to any item of personal property, and/or loss of services, arising from any damages or losses which I may suffer or incur while taking part in any activity of event of the club. This waiver and release shall be binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns. I further agree that if I bring a child or minor to one of the club's activities or event, I alone shall be responsible for the child's health and safety.

## Pledge

- I will support the efforts of the Hoosier Canoe Club to bring together people with a mutual interest in canoeing, camping and other family outdoor activities.
- I will strive to improve skill and safety in canoeing.
- I will act to promote interest in canoeing.
- I will assist with efforts to preserve natural waterways and natural resources.

All adult members are asked to sign here indicating that they have read and agree to both the Waiver and Pledge:

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
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5 \_\_\_\_\_  
6 \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Application & \$15 Check To	Dave Ellis 7650 Poplar Road Brownsburg, IN 46112
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Membership Chairman  
317-858-0963

**PLEASE COMPLETE SURVEY FORM ON THE BACK**

# Hoosier Canoe Club Membership Survey

Membership Name \_\_\_\_\_

Currently owned paddlecraft

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Membership in other organizations with an association to paddlesport

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_  
3 \_\_\_\_\_  
4 \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you hear about the Hoosier Canoe Club? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Who do you know that is a current Hoosier Canoe Club Member? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Please indicate your areas of interest so we can better plan future programs and publications:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Canoeing            | <input type="checkbox"/> Extended Weekends | <input type="checkbox"/> Safety & Rescue Techniques    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kayaking            | <input type="checkbox"/> Cruising          | <input type="checkbox"/> Skills Instructing & Coaching |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sea Kayaking        | <input type="checkbox"/> Weekday Outings   | <input type="checkbox"/> Class II-III Whitewater       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canoe Building      | <input type="checkbox"/> Racing            | <input type="checkbox"/> Class III-IV Whitewater       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kayak Building      | <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation      | <input type="checkbox"/> Class IV+ Whitewater          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Club Newsletter     | <input type="checkbox"/> Camping           | <input type="checkbox"/> _____                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Club Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> Canoe Camping     | <input type="checkbox"/> _____                         |

So, what else would you like to tell us? \_\_\_\_\_  
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HCC is affiliated with both the **American Canoe Association** and the **American Whitewater Affiliation**

The purpose of the American Canoe Association is to serve on a non-profit basis "as a national forum for all paddlers, addressing their needs and promoting the benefits of canoeing and other paddle sports as lifetime recreational activities through safety education and instruction, athletic competition, conservation and public policy, and recreation programs." ACA administers the national paddling instructors program. ACA members receive **2** bi-monthly publications. **American Canoeist** is the ACA newsletter. **Paddler**, endorsed by the ACA, is a commercially published, full color magazine typically 130 pages with 44% ads. **Paddler** articles cover many aspects of paddle sport including cruising, sea kayaking, new products, etc. As a member of HCC, you can join the ACA under the Paddle America Club program for a reduced price. To enroll send \$15 for an individual membership or \$20 for a family membership to: American Canoe Association / 7432 Alban Station Blvd. / Suite B-226 / Springfield, VA 22150. Indicate your membership in the Hoosier Canoe Club - send your HCC mailing label. If you are an ACA instructor, each year add \$15 for your NIC dues and include your ACA Membership Number.



The Mission of the AWA is "to conserve and restore America's whitewater resources and to enhance opportunities to enjoy them safely". You can support AWA's programs and receive their bi-monthly magazine for a \$25 tax deductible contribution. The **America Whitewater** magazine is matte, black & white, runs about 90 pages with 33% ads, and deals with AWA administrative issues, safety, river access and conservation issues, and Class IV+ adventure paddling.



To Join: Send a \$25 check to: AWA / P. O. 85 / Phoenicia, NY 12464