

## 2010 REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

Each team should consist of 20 paddlers, 1 drummer. Up to 4 additional alternates are allowed. NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED, for paddlers but drummer should have training. Team members must be at least 15 years of age. The waiver forms require a **LEGIBLE** photocopy of a picture ID (Driver's License, Passport or College ID). Mixed teams must have a **MINIMUM of 8 male and 8 female paddlers**. A women's team must have 20 female paddlers. The drummer can be male.

The Planning Committee of the Dragon Boat Festival reserves the right to determine placement of teams. Before being allowed to practice, teams must complete ALL the following paperwork: the registration form, team roster, and the individual waivers including photos. **Please make sure that all of your team members have filled out the registration and waiver form, including a LEGIBLE photocopy of an official photo ID PRIOR TO THE FIRST PRACTICE.** Practices to any team member will not be granted if this paperwork is incomplete.

Your **registration fee (\$650 for non-profit and \$750 for corporate, and, after April 16, \$750 for non-profit and \$850 for corporate)** must be paid before you are allowed to schedule practices. Please make checks payable to "CDBA" PRIOR TO THE FIRST PRACTICE by mailing to:

CDBA 1339 Baxter Street, suite 200 Charlotte, NC 28204

### 2010 TEAM REGISTRATION FORM

Team name:

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Team Manager:

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Organization:

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Address:

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Phone:

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Email address:

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LIABILITY WAIVER  
READ BEFORE SIGNING

IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to participate in any way in the National Paddling Committee, Inc. dba USA Canoe/Kayak sports and recreation program and related activities ("Activities") I, for myself, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin:

1. ACKNOWLEDGE, agree, and represent that I understand the nature of Paddlesports and related Activities and that I am qualified, in good health, in proper physical condition to participate in such Activity and willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions of participation. I further agree and warrant that if at any time I believe conditions to be unsafe, I will immediately notify the nearest official and discontinue further participation in the Activity.

2. FULLY UNDERSTAND that: (a) Paddlesports and related ACTIVITIES INVOLVE RISKS AND DANGERS OF DAMAGE TO PERSONAL PROPERTY AND SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING PERMANENT DISABILITY, PARALYSIS, AND DEATH ("RISKS"); (b) these Risks and dangers may be caused by my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Activity, the condition in which the Activity takes place, or THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMED BELOW; (c) there may be OTHER RISKS AND SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LOSSES either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time; and I FULLY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS AND

3. HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE National Paddling Committee, Inc. dba USA Canoe/Kayak, its affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, members, volunteers, and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors of premises on which the Activity takes place, (each considered one of the "RELEASEES" herein) FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, INJURIES, DAMAGE TO PROPERTY, OR OTHER DAMAGES ON MY ACCOUNT CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS; AND I FURTHER AGREE that if, despite this RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT 1, or anyone on my behalf, makes a claim against any of the Releasees, I WILL INDEMNIFY, SAVE, AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEES from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim.

I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT AND HAVE SIGNED IT FREELY AND WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR ASSURANCE OF ANY NATURE AND INTEND IT TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW AND AGREE THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD TO BE INVALID THE BALANCE, NOTWITHSTANDING, SHALL CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.

PRINTED NAME OF PARTICIPANT: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

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ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_  
STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ (MM/DD/YY) USACK #: \_\_\_\_\_ CLUB/ORGANIZATION: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (UNDER AGE 18 AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION)**

AND I, THE MINOR'S PARENT AND/OR LEGAL GUARDIAN, UNDERSTAND THE NATURE OF PADDLESPO RTS AND RELATED ACTIVITIES AND THE MINOR'S EXPERIENCE AND CAPABILITIES AND BELIEVE THE MINOR TO BE QUALIFIED, IN GOOD HEALTH, AND IN PROPER PHYSICAL CONDITION TO PARTICIPATE IN SUCH ACTIVITY. I HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, COVENANT NOT TO SUE, AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEE'S FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES ON THE MINOR'S ACCOUNT CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS AND FURTHER AGREE THAT IF, DESPITE THIS RELEASE, I, THE MINOR, OR ANYONE ON THE MINOR'S BEHALF MAKES A CLAIM AGAINST ANY OF THE RELEASEES NAMED ABOVE, I WILL INDEMNIFY, SAVE, AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEES FROM ANY LITIGATION EXPENSES, ATTORNEY FEES, LOSS LIABILITY, DAMAGE, OR COST ANY MAY INCUR AS THE RESULT OF ANY SUCH CLAIM.

PRINTED NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Notes: Captain is required to fill in Contact # and Email Address. It's optional for Paddler.

**Team Name:**

No.	Name	Title	Contact #	Email Address
1		<b>Captain/ Paddler</b>		
2		Paddler		
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16		Paddler		
17		Paddler		
18		Paddler		
19		Paddler		
20		Paddler		
21		Drummer		
22		Backup/Reserve		
23		Backup/Reserve		
24		Backup/Reserve		
25		Backup/Reserve		

**Notes or Comments from the team captain to the DB Festival organizer:**