



# Yonkers Paddling and Rowing Club

A Paddle America Club of the ACA

## 2010 Membership Application and Waiver

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**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ *Memberships are from May 1<sup>st</sup> to April 30<sup>th</sup>*

Name _____
Address _____
City _____
State: _____ Zip: _____
e-mail: _____
(YPRC primary contact method)

Telephone numbers
Home: (____) _____
Work: (____) _____
Cell: (____) _____
Emergency Contact _____
Cell Phone _____

Check Membership Type

**Individual Adult- \$75**

**Family \$100**

**We need an application and waiver for each family member!**

**Annual voting ballots are sent to each adult email provided.**

**We encourage our members to join the ACA online at**

**<http://www.americancanoe.org/> Current ACA members # \_\_\_\_\_**

*New Members requesting a boathouse berth at Haverstraw Park Yonkers will be put on a waiting list. Berth fees are collected as spaces become available.*

**Outdoor@\$125 Indoor@\$150**

**Put me on the waiting list:**

**There are *Indoor* berths available *now* at our Kennedy Marina Location  
I have included a \$150 fee for each berth requested at Kennedy Marina**

**Please send completed application(s), signed waiver(s) and a check made out to**

**Yonkers Paddling & Rowing Club**

**P.O. Box 871**

**Yonkers, NY 10702**

*Remember the waivers please!*

*YPRC Us: This app & fee were received by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Amount\$ \_\_\_\_\_*

# Certification, Waiver, and Release of Liability

**In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Yonkers Paddling & Rowing Club, Inc. (here-after referred to as YPRC), the undersigned:**

1. Certify that the participant is in good health and has no conditions or disabilities that prevent their participation in the activities of the Club.
2. Agree to wear an approved personal flotation device when appropriate and observe YPRC's safety guidelines.
3. Will participate in activities that support and improve YPRC.
4. Undertake to uphold the YPRC's Constitution and By-laws.
5. Agree that prior to participating, they will inspect the facilities and equipment to be used, and if they believe anything is unsafe, they will immediately advise their coach, supervisor, or YPRC official of such condition(s) and shall refuse or decline to participate in such activities.
6. Acknowledge and fully understand that each participant will be engaging in activities that necessarily involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death, and severe social and economic losses which might result not only from their own actions, inactions, omissions or negligence, but the actions, inactions, omissions or negligence of others, the rules of play, or the condition of the premises or of any equipment used. Further, that there may be other risks not known to us or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.
7. Assume all the foregoing risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability or death.
8. Release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue the YPRC, its respective administrators, directors, agents, coaches, employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers and, if applicable, owners and leasers of premises used to conduct YPRC events, all of which are hereinafter referred to as releases, from any and all liability to each of the undersigned, his or her heirs and next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses, or damages on account of injury, including death or damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the releases or otherwise.
9. *FOR MINORS*: Agree that the parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s) will instruct the minor participant that prior to participating, he or she should inspect the facilities and equipment to be used, and if the participant believes that anything is unsafe, he or she should immediately advise his or her coach or supervisor or a YPRC official of such condition(s) and shall refuse or decline to participate in such activities.
10. This waiver may not be modified in any way. If any part of this waiver is determined to be invalid by law, all other parts of this waiver shall remain valid and enforceable.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name of Participant \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Name printed \_\_\_\_\_

Witness \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Yonkers Paddling & Rowing Club – Skills Survey

## Paddling & Rowing Background

### Experience in kayaks:

- never paddled  paddled only
- paddled and practiced both self and other person rescues
- have instruction or competition experience

### Experience in canoes:

- never paddled  paddled only
- paddled and practiced both self and other person rescues
- have instruction or competition experience

### Experience in sculls:

- never rowed  rowed only
- rowed and practiced both self and other person rescues
- have instruction or competition experience

Have you ever taken a paddle boat safety course?

Yes  No

Do you own your own

canoe,  kayak, or  scull?

Have you ever paddled *on* the Hudson River before?

Yes  No

## Swimming Ability

- cannot swim  can tread water but not swim 50 meters
- can swim 50 meters without stopping  can swim 200 meters without stopping
- can swim 100 meters without stopping  have lifeguard, swimming instructor, or competitive experience

## Club Interests & Activities

Indicate your goals and interests as a club member. Please note that the club needs the active participation of all its members in activities that support the club,

- Racing
- Day Trips
- Boating classes
- Recruitment
- Touring & Camping
- Boat building
- Work parties
- Safety class

## Other Related Memberships (all members are encouraged to join the ACA)

- American Canoe Association ACA#: \_\_\_\_\_
- United States Olympic Association  International Rowing Association
- American Whitewater Association  Other: (specify) \_\_\_\_\_