



**CONNECTICUT SEA KAYAKERS**

Connecticut Sea Kayakers Association, Inc. ("ConnYak") is registered under section 501(c)7 as a not-for-profit association. Please note, dues and other payments are not tax-deductible.

Club trips are listed by members who want to share their interest in paddling. Remember: members are neither experts nor instructors. You are the captain of your own craft and you alone are responsible for your own safety and well-being. Your decision to launch your kayak from shore and paddle with members of the club is entirely your responsibility and yours alone.

This sport can be dangerous. You can be injured and possibly die from kayak related accidents. As a club, we share information on issues related to kayaking, among them safety and safety equipment, self and group rescues, cold weather paddling and hypothermia, navigation and rules of the road, tidal currents and weather related hazards. Members are alerted to the many skill elements that make up a good paddler and are encouraged to obtain formal training from a qualified instructor.

We urge our members to beware of so-called experts, who may put the inexperienced paddler in a dangerous situation. Know your limitations and remember that it is safer to paddle in a group rather than alone. Always be aware of your surroundings and the conditions.

We urge you to paddle and have fun. Learn as much as you can about our sport and share your knowledge. It will make us all better and safer paddlers.

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## Membership Form

*ConnYak's membership year runs from January 1 to December 31. Memberships taken out after November 1 will automatically be extended to include the entire following year.*

*Please note, dues for individual and household memberships are the same, \$15 per year. Households include up to two adults and their minor children.*

**Please fill out this form and return it with your check for \$15 payable to ConnYak to:**

**Connecticut Sea Kayakers Association, Inc.  
P.O. Box 45  
Norwalk, CT 06852**

**Please check:**    New [  ]    Renewal [  ]

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

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

**City, State Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

Tel. Work \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. Home \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

**I paddle the following boats:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please share your ideas on the back of this form:** I would like to see ConnYak provide \_\_\_\_\_ ...