

APPALACHIAN PADDLING ENTHUSIASTS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Here is your personal invitation to join the region's elite river society - the Appalachian Paddling Enthusiasts.

DATE _____

NAME _____ STREET _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE (_____) _____ WORK/CELL PHONE (_____) _____

Primary Email _____ Secondary Email _____

Important –Please check one; New member _____ Renewal only _____

**Annual Membership Fee: \$10 Individual or \$15 Family (same address).
All memberships expire December 31st**

**Mail form and payment to:
A.P.E. c/o Patrice Riesenberg
6125 Jearoldstown Rd.
Fall Branch, TN 37656**

For couples and families, list additional names if others in the family paddle: _____

SKILL LEVEL (a general, non-binding, self-rating system)

____ Beginner	“New Meat”...sorry, we mean new paddler. No roll. Still on flatwater or Class I rivers.
____ Novice	Knows basic river skills and self-rescue. Can roll, but not reliably. Comfortable up to Class II rivers
____ Intermediate	Can read water and handle chosen craft. Reliable roll. Comfortable on Class III and an occasional IV.
____ Advanced	Comfortable in long class III and IV rapids and can handle complex maneuvers. Nearly bombproof roll.
____ Expert	Proven ability in all aspects of paddling chosen craft; you're the probe, er, the one everyone wants to follow

Years of experience _____ Type of boat(s) you paddle _____

Please list the rivers you are familiar with: _____

In what conditions will you paddle? _____ Warm weather only _____ Warm water only _____ I can take it! _____ Member for prestige only!