

United States Canoe Association

Application for Needs-based Travel Grant from USCA for ParaCanoe Athletes

Date of Application: ____/____/____



The applicant is responsible for:

- (a) completing this form, and
- (b) in the case of an application for travel grant to attend the *International Canoe Federation (ICF) World Sprint Championships*, obtaining written confirmation from the appropriate *United States Canoe/Kayak (USACK)* official that the applicant has been selected to the *USACK* team for which travel funding is sought*, and
- (c) submitting these to the Chair of the *USCA ParaCanoe Paddler Grants Committee* no later July 1st of the year for which funding is sought.

* No such confirmation is required for attendance at the *USCA National ParaCanoe Sprint Championship* at the *USCA Nationals*.

Eligibility and award will be determined by the *USCA ParaCanoe Paddler Grants Committee*.

Submit to:

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West Henrietta, NY 14586

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A. Applicant's Personal Information

1. Name: _____
2. Age: ____ Birthday: ____/____/____
3. Mailing address:
Street: _____
City: _____
State & Zip: _____
4. Phone: (____)-____ Cell: (____)-____
5. Email: _____
6. Employment: please circle – Full Part Not employed
Employer: Company name: _____ Supervisor: _____
Company address: _____
Phone: (____)-____
7. Student: please circle – Full Part Not a student
School name: _____ Supervisor: _____
School address: _____
Phone: (____)-____
8. Other personal information that may influence a decision of whether and how much to fund applicant for this grant.

B. Event Information

1. Name of Championship: _____
2. Date of Championship: ____/____/____
3. Championship event(s) that you are scheduled to compete in:
a. _____
b. _____

C. Event Preparation

How have you prepared (hours on the water, fitness training regimen, lead-up competitions, training camps, etc.)?

D. Funding Information

1. Estimated total expenses for the Championship (Please attach separate detailed budget) : \$ _____

2. Funding from other organization and other non-personal sources. (Please list sources and amount):

Source a: _____ Amount \$ _____

Source b: _____ Amount \$ _____

Source c: _____ Amount \$ _____

Total funding \$ _____

3. Have you applied for other grants to support your participation in the above named championship event?

Please circle: Yes* No

*Please list the names of the other organization, foundations, etc. to whom you have submitted grant applications

a. _____

b. _____

4. Amount of *USCA* grant requested

(Not to exceed \$1000 for *ICF World Sprint Championship*; Not to exceed \$200 for *USCA National Championship*)

\$ _____

E. Please summarize an initiative that you will undertake over the next 12 months to introduce and promote ParaCanoe paddling to the community and any that you have undertaken in the past 12 months.

F. Are you willing to write and donate to *USCA* an account of your experiences for use in *USCA*'s newsletter and/ or website for *USCA*'s use to promote these events and paddling in general? Please circle: Yes No

G. Please include a coach's recommendation if you are applying for the *USCA National Sprint Championship* grant.

Please sign below:

"I am eligible to compete in ParaCanoe events because I have a permanent disability that can be classified according to the ICF or IVF classification system.

"I certify that to the best of my knowledge, the statements contained in this application are true, correct, and complete."

Signature _____ Date ____/____/____

Jan: Not sure what this section is: - Gareth

Budget: (Year) World Sprint Canoe Championships

Accreditation-

Accommodation

Plane ticket –

Boat Rental-

Total: without miscellaneous expenses