

Registration Information & Instructions



Alabama Cup Series 2017

Presented by: *ACRA, Friends of the Locust Fork River,
Birmingham Canoe Club, Huntsville Canoe Club and
Alabama Kayak Club*

New for this year-

We will no longer have 3 races in the Alabama Cup Race Series. The Locust Fork Classic will be converted to a river festival. Additional information will be posted on the website and Facebook

From Last Year-

We need racers to help with scoring (gate judging, timing, etc.) Race classes are listed by day and session. Once you register, you will know when you are racing and when you are available to help with scoring. Please volunteer to help with this important aspect of the races.

Race Schedule for all races is as follows:

- Friday** 9am until done-Course set up. Course is closed until all gates are in position. Your help is appreciated.
6-8pm Registration open for Saturday and Sunday races
- Saturday** 8am Racers meeting.
9:00-11:30am Championship first session
11:45 Boatercross
12:00-2:30pm Championship second session
3pm Downriver
4-6pm Registration open for Sunday races and bib return
Awards – after registration closes
- Sunday** 8am Racers meeting
9:00-11:30am Cruising/Novice first session
11:45 Boatercross
12:00-2:30pm Cruising /Novice second session
- Course and site take down
Gates, banners, tents all need to be packed up on Sunday afternoon.
Awards will be presented after the course has been taken down.

Racers please assist with taking down the race course and packing up the gear. The more participants we have the quicker we can present awards and wrap it up

Registration Information

To Register:

1. Complete and sign the race registration form below. If you are an ACA member include a valid and current ACA member number. Proof of membership will be required on Race Day, bring your ACA Membership Card or pay the fee!
2. **Complete the online ACA waiver** no later than Noon on Wed. prior to the race weekend. Only submit a hard copy of the ACA waiver if you cannot complete the online waiver.
3. Enclose payment. Registration forms received without payment will be assessed the late registration fees.
4. Mail early to avoid late registration fees

Registration forms with payment must be postmarked no later than **7 days prior** to the race to avoid paying late registration fees. Failure to complete registration will result in late fees at the race. Tandem classes require both racers to register.

Registration will be open from 6:00 to 8:00 PM Friday night. No entry forms will be accepted and no changes will be made after registration closes for Saturday races. Registration will be open Saturday night from 4-6pm for Sunday races. This policy will be strictly adhered to, NO EXCEPTIONS!!! So Register Early.

Race Classes offered are listed on the last page of the Registration Form. Each racer may participate in **up to three slalom classes per day plus downriver and boatercross**. Classes with fewer than three entries will not make. **Recruit your friends to insure your class will make.** Racers in classes that do not make will be put into another class or given a refund. No changes will be made on race day.

Boatercross is a Dead heat event that will occur between slalom sessions. No gender or type restrictions. No classes

Downriver will be about 3 miles of class 1-2+ ending at the slalom finish

	Pre-registration	Late Registration
Entry Fees: First Class	\$15.00	\$25.00
Each additional	\$10.00	\$15.00

ACA fee is \$5.00 for each two day event for non-ACA members

Event and camping fees will be collected on site. These are not included in your race registration fees.



Registration Form

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Select Only One Race from those listed-A separate registration form must be submitted for each race in the series

- Locust Fork Invitational** Feb. 4 & 5, 2017 at King's Bend
Send Registration forms to: Friends of the Locust Fork River P.O. Box 638 Cleveland, AL 35049
For Info contact friends@flfr.org
- Mulberry Fork Canoe and Kayak Race** March 4 & 5, 2017 at Race Course Rapid
Send Registration forms to: Registrar MFCKR, 2436 Bell Rd., Montgomery, AL 36117
For Info contact Registrar e-mail bethmarra@aol.com
- Paddlefest 2017** April 1 & 2, 2017 at King's Bend
No Registration. Details will be posted on the website and Facebook

Last Name		First Name	
Address			
City	State	Zipcode	
Birth Date	Age	Gender	
Phone #	E-Mail Address		
Fax #	ACA #	Exp Date	

In consideration of and through my involvement with the Mulberry Fork Canoe and Kayak Races, Locust Fork Invitational, and/or Paddlefest, I acknowledge and agree that:

I have signed, or am signing currently herewith, and agree to be bound by the AMERICAN CANOE ASSOCIATION ADULT WAIVER & RELEASE OF LIABILITY or the AMERICAN CANOE ASSOCIATION MINOR WAIVER & RELEASE OF LIABILITY.

I acknowledge and agree that the "RELEASEES" referenced therein includes, as fully as if they were specifically named therein, the following: Alabama Cup Racing Association, Mulberry Fork Canoe and Kayak Races, Locust Fork Racing, Birmingham Canoe Club, Huntsville Canoe Club and Friends of the Locust Fork River.

Dated this the ____ day of _____, 2017.

Signature of Paddler

Parent/Guardian (if paddler is a minor)

Name (print clearly) _____

ACA event fee if not an ACA member \$5

ACA Event Fee _____

OR

Join the ACA now

ACA Membership Fee _____

Membership information and pricing is at the top of the ACA waiver form. Fill out the waiver, select membership option and enter the fee here

Saturday Racing

Racing Class (select from list below) & partner for OC2 & K2

Slalom First Class _____ Fee _____

Slalom Second Class _____ Fee _____

Slalom Third Class _____ Fee _____

Down River _____ Fee _____

Boatercross Yes _____ No _____ Fee _____

Volunteer to help with scoring on Saturday..... Session 1 _____

Session 2 _____

Sunday Racing

Slalom First Class _____ Fee _____

Slalom Second Class _____ Fee _____

Slalom Third Class _____ Fee _____

Boatercross Yes _____ No _____ Fee _____

Volunteer to help with scoring on Sunday..... Session 1 _____

Session 2 _____

Total _____

SAVE! SAVE! SAVE!

Early registration Fee is \$15 for your first class & \$10 for each additional class. Late registration is \$25 for your first class & \$15 for each additional class.

Make Checks payable to ACRA and indicate the race on the memo line (LFI/Mulberry)

Mail Locust race forms to:

Friends of the Locust Fork River
P.O. Box 638
Cleveland, AL 35049

Mail Mulberry race forms to:

Registrar MFCKR
2436 Bell Rd.
Montgomery AL 36117

Race Classes

Please use these descriptions when registering

Slalom Champ	Slalom Cruising	Slalom Novice	DownRiver Championship	DownRiver Cruising	DownRiver Novice
<u>Sat. Session 1</u>	<u>Sun. Session 1</u>	<u>Sun. Session1</u>			
Ch-K1 Men Ch-K1 Women Jr Ch-K1 Women Mstr Ch-K2 Ch-OC1 Women Ch-OC1 Men Med Ch-C1 Men	Cr-K1 Men Mstr Cr-K1 Women Cr-K1 Men Jr Cr-OC1 Men Cr-OC1 Women Cr-K1 Women Mstr	Nov-K1 Men	DR-Ch-K1 Women DR-Ch-K1 Men	DR-Cr-K1 Men DR-Cr-K1 Men Mstr DR-Cr-K1 Women DR-Cr-K2 all	DR-Nov-K1 Men DR-Nov-K1 Women
<u>Sat. Session 2</u>	<u>Sun. Session 2</u>	<u>Sun. Session 2</u>			
Ch-K1 Men Mstr Ch-K1 Women Ch-K1 Men Jr Ch-OC1 Men Short Ch-OC2 Mixed Ch-OC1-Open Ch-C1 Women	Cr-OC1 Men Mstr Cr-C1 Men Cr-K1 Men Cr-K1 Jr Women Cr-OC2 Mixed Cr- Women C1	Nov-K1 Women			

OC=Open Canoe 1 or 2 person

Jr=18 and younger

Mixed=1 Man and 1 Woman in OC2 class

Ch=Championship

Cr=Cruising

Nov=Novice

DR=DownRiver

K=Kayak 1 or 2 person

C1=Decked Canoe 1 person

Mstr=40+ Master