



Nominations are Now Being Accepted for the 2008 International Whitewater Hall of Fame

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The acceptance period for nominations for the 2008 Class of Inductees into the International Whitewater Hall of Fame is now open and will be accepted from Affiliate Organizations through May 15, 2008. The whitewater community is encouraged to contact their affiliates to participate in the nomination process. A listing of the affiliates can be found on the IWHOF website through a link on www.iwhof.com. The website also provides the nomination criteria for the four categories (Pioneer, Explorer, Champion, and Advocate) as well as the bios for the 2005, 2006 and 2007 Classes of Inductees.

About IWHOF and the Paddlesports Industry Foundation

The International Whitewater Hall of Fame (IWHOF) recognizes and honors individuals who have made significant contributions to whitewater related activities. The first class of honorees was inducted in 2005. IWHOF was founded in 2003 by Adventure Sports Center International (ASCI), Inc., of Garrett County Maryland. ASCI is home of the first mountaintop artificial whitewater course in the world. IWHOF is now part of the Paddlesports Industry Foundation.

The Paddlesports Industry Foundation is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit charitable foundation established to improve the quality of the paddling experience for Americans by fostering quality paddling recreation to promote healthy lifestyles and active living; encouraging education for paddlers about paddling skills, environmental awareness, and environmental protection, and honoring the history of paddling participation, athletics, discovery, and stewardship.

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