



# ATTENTION NEW PADDLECRAFT OWNERS



THREE TIPS TO KEEP YOU SAFE ON THE RIVER

## WEAR YOUR LIFE JACKET

**1** Many fatalities involving paddlecraft result from falling overboard and drowning. Always remember to wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved life jacket.

## KNOW THE RIVER HAZARDS

**2** Rocks and trees can be dangerous in moving water. Don't get caught in a strainer or a foot entrapment. Be aware of cold water - it can kill!

## DON'T EXCEED YOUR ABILITIES

**3** Don't head for big water until you have plenty of experience. Respect your limits and be aware that some paddlecraft may not be suitable for rivers.

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