

SKOAC

Trailer Policies and Use Information

SKOAC owns two boat trailers that are available for use by club members. The trailers were purchased to allow club members to reduce environmental impacts and costs while car-pooling and transporting gear on club trips. It is the intent of SKOAC that the trailers be used for any practical trip purposes. The more frequent the use, the better.

Eligible Trips and Usage –

- All posted club trips and activities are eligible for trailer use
- Non-posted trips are also eligible provided the trip participants are club members
- Eligible trips should have 3 or more club members participating
- If a trailer is otherwise available, a trip of 2 club members may use a trailer, however if a reservation request is received from a larger group, such group will receive priority

Reservations –

- The trailers are available on a first-come, first-reserved basis
- Reservations can be requested beginning 60 days in advance of a trip
- Reservation requests should be made via email request to board@skoac.org indicating the trip dates, the club member responsible for the trailer and the trip participants
- All trip participants must be current with their SKOAC membership
- The SKOAC board shall decide any issues or disputes regarding trailer reservations

Usage Fees – None!

Use Information –

- Only boats/gear should be transported on the trailer – NO OTHER ITEMS!
- The hitch size is 1 7/8”
- Be sure to hook up the trailer lights and secure the chain link backup to your vehicle
- Use a padlock to secure the trailer and prevent theft when the trailer is unattended
- Properly pad and secure your boats. If gear is transported in the boats please only place light weight items in them (pfd’s, paddles, sprayskirts, sleeping bags and pads...)

Responsibilities of SKOAC –

-SKOAC, ITS BOARD AND MEMBERS, ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE TO BOATS, GEAR, VEHICLES OR PERSONS THAT MIGHT BE INCURRED FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER DURING THE USE OF THE TRAILER

Responsibilities of Reserving Club Member and User(s) –

- The trailer must be returned to its pickup location promptly upon completion of a trip
- The club member signing out for use of the trailer is responsible to return the trailer in the same condition as it was upon pickup
- ANY DAMAGE TO THE TRAILER, VEHICLES OR PERSONS RESULTING FROM ANY CAUSE WHATSOEVER (other than normal wear and tear) IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE RESERVING CLUB MEMBER AND USER(S)
- Any damage must either be repaired in a prompt manner or the trailer replaced by the reserving club member and user(s)

Responsible Member’s Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____