

MASKGI Membership Application

The Maine Association of Sea Kayak Guides and Instructors (MASKGI) is a non-profit organization of sea kayak guides, outfitters and instructors who embrace the highest of professional business practices and conduct.

By filling out this application and remitting membership fees, I pledge to practice and promote safe and responsible sea kayaking along the coast of Maine. I pledge to practice and promote low impact travel and camping techniques as promoted by organizations such as Maine Island Trail Association and Leave No Trace. I further pledge that as an outfitter member or an individual operating as an outfitter I will operate under insurance coverage for any activities that I guide, teach, or organize. The exception to this: when an individual is volunteering or donating his or her services.

Name (Print) _____ Guides License # _____

_____ Signature agreeing to code of ethics listed above.

Home Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ E-Mail: _____

Business name _____ Business/Cell Phone _____

I wish to join MASKGI and support safe and responsible Sea Kayaking along the Coast of Maine as:

_____ 1. Honorary 1st year Guide Sea Kayak Member **FREE** Date of original license: _____

_____ 2. Professional Sea Kayak Guide Member **\$30 Annually**

_____ 3. Non-guide Member (Instructor, sales representative, business with no marketing package) **\$30 Annually**

_____ 4. Maine Island Trail Association individual membership for **\$15** for 2011 with paid MASKGI membership.

_____ 5. *Business Member w/ Marketing and Promotion Package **\$130 Annually** (\$100 for rack card, \$30 for individual business owner's membership.) (*Individual Guides may sign up under the Business Member to receive extra Marketing & Promotion)

_____ 6. Maine Island Trail Association Business Member/Outfitter corporate membership for **\$100** for 2011 with paid MASKGI membership. All employees listed on back will also become MITA members for same fee.

_____ Total enclosed with this application. Payable by check only made out to MASKGI.

\$100 Marketing & Promotion Package will have the name/business and contact information printed on the MASKGI rack card & web site and distributed to the Maine Tourism Information Centers. Promotional materials will be distributed at Regional Paddle Symposiums such as the New England Paddlesports Show, the New Jersey Paddle Show, Bangor & Greater Portland Sea Kayak Safety Seminars., and possibly more.

(If doing a Promotion package please fill out how you would like to appear in print below)

Payment due by December 1, 2010.

Name/Business _____ Web Site: www._____

Business Phone _____ E-Mail: _____

Address _____ State _____ Zip _____

Signature

Date

Your MASKGI membership is from January 1- December 31st and needs to be renewed annually. Memberships received from October – December will be for the next year. Memberships that include the promotional package, must have payment received by December 1st each year to make printing cut-off dates.

Please Send Completed Forms to:

**MASKGI Membership, attn: Paul "Stewart" Knight, 21 Roundabout Lane, Portland, ME 04102
phone: 207-831-2482 or paul.knight@biw.com**