

2015 RIVERHOUSE RENDEZVOUS SLALOM

The Riverhouse race of the Northwest Cup Series is coming up. Make plans to travel to Bend, Oregon for the only "urban" whitewater slalom in the Pacific Northwest. You can stay right at the course at the Riverhouse Resort. Our reservations team has rooms set aside at a rate \$109 plus tax/fees. If you could please let people know to reference "Whitewater Slalom Race" we'll be able to take care of our whitewater guests. The reservations line is 800-547-3928.

Volunteers from the Tumalo Creek Kayak shop will be putting up wires and gates on Friday, March 27 under the direction of course designer Bert Hinkley. If you can help on Friday show up at the river about 10:00 a.m.

Registration will take place on the river side, lower level outside of the Riverhouse Convention Center and racers may sign up Saturday. The entry fee for ACA members is \$20 per person, \$25 for non-ACA members. Any money left after paying for insurance and race equipment and supplies will be donated to the Bend Paddle Trail Alliance. We are also putting together a set of slalom gates.

The course will be open for practice all day Saturday. There will be a competitors meeting at 9:30 a.m. and first runs of the morning session as close to 10:00 a.m. as possible. All racers are expected to gate judge on session and race in another session. There is a limit of racing in two classes. After all competitors have had their two timed runs all are expected to participate in course take-down. Awards will be made after course take-down.

Hope to see a big crowd this year. Maybe we will have warm weather.

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