

Registration for Raft Guide School 2010

USA Raft French Broad, Nolichucky, Nantahala and Watauga Rivers

USA Raft Guide School is designed for prospective commercial river guides with USA Raft on the French Broad, Nantahala, Watauga and/or Nolichucky Rivers. Learn the basics of raft guiding including, water reading skills, hydrology, raft maneuvers, paddle techniques, river scouting and river rescue techniques.

Attach a recent photo

Preferential consideration will be given to successful graduates of Raft Guide School for employment with USA Raft French Broad, Nantahala, Watauga and Nolichucky Rivers. An offer of employment depends on your progress and attitude, and is not guaranteed.

Raft Guide School Includes

6 full days of training: mix of on the water and classroom
6:1 trainer to trainee ratio
Meals: lunch included each day
Lodging- limited lodging and/or camping is available. No Pets Allowed
Equipment (rafts, paddles, life jackets, helmets, wetsuits and shuttle)
Certificate of Completion

2010 USA Raft: Guide School Dates (please circle preferred course).

Class 1. May 10-May 15 (M-Sat.) French Broad River

Class 2. May 17-May 22 (M-Sat.) Nolichucky River

Class 3. May 24-May 29 (M-Sat.) Nantahala River

ALL COURSES LED BY CERTIFIED INSTRUCTORS

Register for Guide School To apply, (1) fill out the Registration downloaded from our website and mail it together with a check or credit card information, (2) fax the Registration with credit card information, then mail the signed hard-copy, or (3) call with credit card information for immediate application (if you call, you must also fill out and mail the Registration within 7 days). Applications are processed in the order in which they are received. Although there is no final deadline for accepting applications, we encourage early application, as space is very limited per class. **Please Print Legibly**

Name _____ Male ___ Female ___ Date of Birth _____

Fitness? Excellent Good Fair Poor Height _____ Weight _____

E-mail _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone () _____ Cellular phone () _____

Education: _____ Present Occupation _____

Describe your whitewater rafting and/or outdoor experience:.

Do you have any medical or physical conditions, which might limit your participation in strenuous activities? If so, please explain:

Current First Aid, CPR Certifications, and/or other certifications and expirations?

Dates available for work:

() Part-time from _____ to _____ (). Full-time from _____ to _____.

If part-time, what days are you available? _____

Education: HS _____ Location _____ Date Graduated _____

College _____ Location _____ Dates _____ Degree _____

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School Activities, interests, and/or skills:

Previous, recent employment

1. Company _____ Location _____
Phone (_____) _____ Supervisor _____ Duties performed _____
From _____ to _____ Reason you left _____

2. Company _____ Location _____
Phone (_____) _____ Supervisor _____ Duties performed _____
From _____ to _____ Reason you left _____

3. Company _____ Location _____
Phone (_____) _____ Supervisor _____ Duties performed _____
From _____ to _____ Reason you left _____

Please indicate social skills or experiences that you feel are relevant to your employment as a guide.

Please tell us why you would like to work with USA Raft/Mountain Adventure Guides?

How did you hear about us?

Raft Guide Training is Unpaid River guide trainees receive expert, specialized training for which there is a non-refundable \$175 fee. Those who are hired and subsequently work full time through August 9th, 2010 will be given a \$175 bonus to compensate for the training fee. *There will be a \$75 cancellation fee up to 30 days before training class, and no refund or rebate granted for cancellation for any reason within 30 days of the start of guide school; furthermore, no refund or rebate will be granted for late arrival, early withdrawal, or dismissal for cause at River Manager's sole discretion. An offer of employment depends on your progress, attitude and availability, and is not guaranteed. I agree:* **Signature** _____
Date: _____

We require payment in full to register for raft guide school. Payment in full check enclosed Y N

Credit Cards: We accept American Express, Visa, MasterCard and Discover.

Charge my card \$ _____ for payment in full now.

Credit card # _____ Expires _____

Type of card _____ VCODE _____

Full Name on Card _____

Complete billing address and zip code for credit card required for security by CC company _____

In consideration of being allowed to pay for Guide School with my credit card, I acknowledge and agree that there will be a \$75 cancellation fee up to 30 days before training class, and no refund or rebate granted for my cancellation for any reason within 30 days of the start of guide school; furthermore, I acknowledge and agree no refund or rebate will be granted for late arrival, early withdrawal, or dismissal for cause at River Manager's sole discretion. An offer of employment depends on my progress and attitude, and is not guaranteed.

Card Member's Signature: _____ **Date** _____