



**KIA MOTORS**  
**SA SURFSKI CHAMPS**  
**EAST LONDON 2010**



Join us for an epic downwind Surfski race for Single and Double skis! The hot shots will be there ...  
 but **ALL** paddlers are welcome!

Shirts, goodie bags and much more! Lucky draws! **R55 000 prize money - R10 000 for 1<sup>st</sup> place.**  
 SINGLES AND DOUBLES RACES WILL BOTH BE SCREENED on SUPERSPORT!

[www.bordercanooclub.co.za](http://www.bordercanooclub.co.za)

## ENTRY FORM

Paddler 1	Paddler 2
CSA Number: _____	CSA Number: _____
Surname: _____	Surname: _____
Name: _____	Name: _____
e-mail: _____	e-mail: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
Club: _____	Club: _____
Cell: _____ Emergency _____	Cell: _____ Emergency _____
Date of Birth ____/____/____ Jun / Sen / Ve t/ Mast / GMast	Date of Birth ____/____/____ Jun / Sen / Ve t/ Mast / GMast
SHIRT SIZE: _____ Male / Female	SHIRT SIZE: _____ Male / Female

**INDEMNITY:** I/we, the undersigned, hereby declare that I/we are competent to paddle in the sea and in this race. I/we assume all risks of participation in the Kia Motors SA Surfski Champs race and discharge the organisers, their assistants and the sponsors from all claims for death, **injury**, damage, or loss I/we may suffer, however caused, arising from my/our participation in the race. I/we agree to abide by all the race rules. Sponsors may use photographic or video material from the race in their advertising. I/we certify that the above information is correct.

**Signature:** (Parent/Guardian if a minor)

Paddler 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Paddler 2: \_\_\_\_\_

**ENTRY FEE:**

**First 130 entries** receive a fantastic **shirt and goodie bag** filled with loads of great stuff. Lunch included.

R150 per paddler for the Singles **or** Doubles race, **BUT only R200** per paddler if you enter both the Singles & Doubles races.

Late entries will be accepted on race day at the same price, but availability of shirts and goodie bags cannot be guaranteed.

**Entries close on Friday 29 October 2010.**

	Paddler 1	Paddler 2	Total
Singles Race only – 13 November	R	R	R
Doubles Race only – 14 November	R	R	R
Singles and Doubles Race – 13 & 14 November	R	R	R

**Send PAGE 1 only, with proof of payment to Fax : 086 6497 927 or email: [race@bordercanooclub.co.za](mailto:race@bordercanooclub.co.za)**

**BANKING DETAILS:** Border Canoe Club, ABSA Bank: ACC # 406 4673 916 Branch: East London, Frere Square (632005)

Payment Reference: **Full Name + SA Champs**



# INFORMATION

Points from the KIA MOTORS SA Single Surfski Champs on 13 November count towards the [Cape and PE Discovery Sunglass Hut Series](#)

## HISTORY OF THE PETER MARLIN MEMORIAL RACE:

The Peter Marlin Memorial Race was established in 1988 to honour Peter Marlin who lost his life on the Umkomaas River in that year. He was a dedicated paddler, passionate about water sports. This surfski race has been run every year on a downwind course and in the past has been a qualifier race for the Cape Point and PE to East London races. Please note, however, that in 2010, due to the distance raced, this race will **not** count as a qualifier. It is with great pleasure that the Border Canoe Club and CSA are able to nominate this epic race as the SA Surfski Championships for 2010. The Border Canoe Club and people of East London look forward to hosting you and your families for an exciting event.

## ACCEPTANCE:

On payment. No cheques or telephonic entries will be accepted.

Any paddler with a Surfski Proficiency Test (RPT), or equivalent paddling experience who is a registered, paid up member of an affiliated canoe club may enter this event for points.

## CATEGORIES:

Gold, Silver and Bronze **CSA MEDALS** will be awarded to the following categories:

u18, u23, Overall, Sub-Vet, Vets, Sub-Masters, Masters, Sub-Grand Masters and Grand Masters.

Prize money will be allocated as in the table below.

Your age on 1 January 2010 will prescribe your age category.

Race results and times will be officiated by John Oliver.

## PRIZE MONEY:

### SINGLES

	Overall	Ladies	Junior u18	Veteran 40+	Master 50+
1 <sup>st</sup>	R 10 000	R 5 000	R 1 000	R 1 000	R 1 000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	R 6 000	R 2 500	R 500	R 700	R 700
3 <sup>rd</sup>	R 4 000	R 1 500	R 300	R 500	R 500
4 <sup>th</sup>	R 3 000				
5 <sup>th</sup>	R 2 500				
6 <sup>th</sup>	R 2 000				
7 <sup>th</sup>	R 1 500				
8 <sup>th</sup>	R 1 000				
9 <sup>th</sup>	R 700				
10 <sup>th</sup>	R 500				

### DOUBLES

	Overall	Ladies	Junior	Master	Mixed
1 <sup>st</sup>	R 2 000	R 800	R 800	R 800	R 1 000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	R 1 500			R 600	R 600
3 <sup>rd</sup>	R 1 000			R 400	R 400
4 <sup>th</sup>	R 700				
5 <sup>th</sup>	R 500				

**A total of R55 000 in prize money! PLUS Lucky Draws to the value of R7 000!**

## SAFETY:

Wearing of **lifejackets** (PDF) and **leashes** is compulsory. **Cell phones** and **flares** are recommended.

The NSRI boat will marshal the race.



**RACE RULES:**

1. Personal advertising will be permitted as per the Canoe SA personal advertising rule.
2. Personal advertising may not clash with the main sponsors.
3. All surfskis/paddles must display any sponsor's logo stickers that are supplied.
4. Stickers other than sponsor stickers will not be permitted in the area in front of the pedals to the nose of your ski.
5. Paddlers must display correct CSA numbers on surfski – any incorrect/incomplete numbers will result in disqualification.
6. Any competitor who rides the wake of a motorised craft will be disqualified.
7. Competitors will be allowed seconds to assist them on the beach. They should take care not to infringe on the rules of the race by assisting competitors in the water.
8. Any competitor who receives physical support or assistance or who enters one of the rescue craft, will be disqualified, with the exception of those doing so to repair their craft.
9. The race referee may decide whether a competitor should be prevented from continuing the race at any time. The decision of the race referee is final.
10. A safety mobile phone number for emergencies, as well as for notifying the race referee of withdrawals is 083 447 1500. The onus is on the competitor to notify the race referee of his/her withdrawal. The costs of any search resulting from a competitor not notifying the organisers of his or her withdrawal will be borne by the competitor.
11. The finish will be between two wobblers/flags on the beach.
12. Paddlers must cross the finish line with their craft.
13. Double skis – Both competitors must be with the craft.
14. Competitors must finish the race with the craft they started the race in. Paddles may be changed.
15. Race entry requirements
  1. The surfski section is open to:
    - a. A,B, Grade CSA canoeists
    - b. A, B, C, D Grade Ski 1 Discovery Men's Health Surfski Series paddlers
    - c. A, B, C, D Grade Ski 2 Discovery Men's Health Surfski Series paddlers
    - d. Qualified surf lifesavers.
  2. All surfski paddlers must be current members of Canoe South Africa.

**REGISTRATION:**

Race registration will take place on Saturday & Sunday at the EL Surf Lifesaving Club at Nahoon Beach from 07h00 – 08h00. There will be a race & safety briefing at 08h30.

**STARTING TIMES:**

Scheduled for 10h30, but subject to change depending on sea and wind conditions.

**POSSIBLE COURSES & DISTANCES:**

The race organisers reserve the right to change courses and/or swap the days around should this be deemed beneficial for the event/race.

<b>Conditions</b>	<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>	<b>Distance (Km's)</b>
<b>East Wind</b>	Glen Eden Beach	Nahoon Beach	22
	Cintsa West	Nahoon Beach	25
<b>West Wind</b>	Nahoon Beach	Cintsa	25
	Kidds Beach	Nahoon Beach	30 (good wind required)
	Cove Rock (via Harbour)	Nahoon Beach	25
	Igoda Beach	Nahoon Beach	25
<b>No wind</b>	Nahoon Beach (via Gonubie Bay)	Nahoon Beach	24
<b>Unsafe sea</b>	Orient Beach (harbour/sea circuit)	Harbour	24

**THE FINISH AND PRIZEGIVING:**

We will endeavour to finish at NAHOON BEACH (wind/sea conditions permitting).

All post and pre race activities, as well as PRIZE GIVING will take place at the EL Surf Lifesaving Club at Nahoon Beach.

Prize Giving is scheduled to start at 14h00 on both days, or one hour after the last paddler has finished.

There will be a PARTY on the Saturday night at the EL SURF LIFESAVING CLUB!



**CATERING:**

The EL Surf Lifesaving Club will be organising catering and refreshments. Lunch is included in the entry fee for paddlers. Food will be on sale for supporters and spectators.

**SPONSORS:**

**Kia Motors SA** is the anchor sponsor for the event. Other sponsors are **Dischem Pharmacies, Tourism Buffalo City, Powerbalance and Glaceau Vitaminwater.**

The event is hosted by the **BORDER CANOE CLUB** in East London.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

**Directions:**

Maps to the various start locations will be handed out at registration.

**Accommodation:**

Discounted rates have been negotiated with the following accommodation establishments which are all in close proximity to Nahoon or Orient Beach. Please note that you must state that you are a SA Surfski competitor to qualify for these listed rates:

<b>Establishment</b>	<b>Contact</b>	<b>Tel</b>	<b>Web Site</b>	<b>Discount</b>
Majestic Hotel	Russell	043 7437477	<a href="http://www.majestic-hotel.co.za">www.majestic-hotel.co.za</a>	50%
Bunkers Inn	Lucille	043 7354642	<a href="http://www.bunkersinn.co.za">www.bunkersinn.co.za</a>	50%
Blue Bend B&B	Karen	0826598686	<a href="http://www.wheretostay.co.za/bluebend">www.wheretostay.co.za/bluebend</a>	30%
Blue Lagoon Hotel	Jo-Anne	043 7484821	<a href="http://www.bluelagoonhotel.com">www.bluelagoonhotel.com</a>	30%
Harewood Lodge	Karen	043 7354987	<a href="http://www.harewoodlodge.co.za">www.harewoodlodge.co.za</a>	30%
Hampton Court Guest House	Alison	043 7227924		30%
Nahoon Mouth Guest House	Clifford	043 7351294	<a href="http://www.nahoonmouth.co.za">www.nahoonmouth.co.za</a>	30%
Woodleigh Guest Lodge	Roy	043 7354285		30%
The Tides B&B	Dave	043 7354454		30%

Feel free to browse any other accommodation options and information on [www.tourismbuffalocity.co.za](http://www.tourismbuffalocity.co.za)

**ENQUIRIES:**

Race Convener - Charl van Wyk, contact cell number **083 447 1500**  
Postal: Border Canoe Club, PO Box 8062, Nahoon, East London, 5241

Fax: 086 6497 927

E-mail: [race@bordercanoecub.co.za](mailto:race@bordercanoecub.co.za)

Website (for more details): [www.bordercanoecub.co.za](http://www.bordercanoecub.co.za)



<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=114091935307500&ref=ts>

