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THE WATER SAFARI NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Since the first Texas Water Safari some 60+ years ago, many things have changed. The race is shorter (only 260 miles), the canoes look different and the number of competitors has grown significantly. Today the logistics of planning and hosting the race are significant. Unless you are actively involved in the race, it is difficult to understand the amount of time, energy and money it takes to put on the Texas Water Safari. Aside from the actual costs of site preparation, security, the trophies and awards, printing and postage, T-shirts and the banquet, there are many volunteer hours of watching and waiting that are spent by our officials and communications experts. Without this unselfish dedication, we would not be able to host the race, year after year.

FINANCIAL AID - All of the money that is received for the Safari, whether through donations or entry fees, goes directly toward the actual race expenses; there are no paid officers, or staff members - only volunteers. Due to rising costs of holding the race, the Safari requires more and more funding to maintain the same level of excellence. Because the entry fees alone pay for only a portion of the expenses, the race relies on sponsorship donations to fund the race. See the sponsorship levels below:

Platinum Level (Unlimited Class)	\$5,000—One year ad on T-shirt and website banner at race, booth at check-in and finish, special recognition at check-in and finish; water safari souvenir memorabilia
Gold Level (Tandem Unlimited Class)	\$1300-- Ad on T-shirt and website, banner at race, booth at check-in & special recognition at check-in and finish
Silver Level (USCA C-2 Class)	\$700--Ad on T-shirt and website, banner at race
Bronze Level (USCA C-1 class) -	\$500--Ad on T-shirt and website
TWS Website Add	\$250--One year on the TWS website
Individual Donation -	\$25--Free T-shirt

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A SPONSOR, make your check payable to the Texas Water Safari, send to the above address and we will be back in touch. If you need more information contact us at the above address.
