

# 2009 US Waveski Surfing Championships Sebastian Inlet Florida

Contest window: October 1,2,3rd 2009

Sign Up by September 15th, 2009 to insure your spot.

The 2009 US Waveski Surfing Championships are to be held at  
Sebastian Inlet in South Melbourne Florida.

This event is OPEN to International competitors and will result in naming a new US Open Champion, as well as the new US Waveski National Champion, Sign up early as the Waveski Open event is limited.

Other Waveski divisions include the various age divisions, and women's division. A high performance surf kayak class will also be included.

Heats will be 15 or 20 minutes in length, and scores will be based on the best 2 or 3 waves depending upon conditions. The format will follow the World Waveski Surfing Association rules and include recharge rounds insuring that everyone surfs at least twice in every division. The top 4 competitors in every division will receive awards.

There will be a competitors meeting at a location and time TBA.

Your Registration Fee of \$125.00 entitles you to compete in the Waveski Open, and one additional category (Age Division, Women's Division, Freestyle Waveski, or Surf Kayak). Should you wish to compete in a third category, an additional fee of \$75 will apply. Categories must have a minimum of 4 persons to be run (Age categories maybe combined to meet the minimum number of competitors).

*While we encourage all competitors to enter the Open event, some competitors may choose not to. For those of you who do not wish to compete in the Open event, we ask that you please indicate so by selecting events from column B or D on the registration form, so that others may compete in the limited number of slots.*

## **Division Definitions**

**Waveski Open** 13 years plus both genders

**Age Categories** (may be combined) include: Cadet 13-16 years both genders; Junior 17-20 years both genders; New Age 21-29 years both genders; Senior 30 – 39 years both genders; Master 40 – 49 years both genders; Grand Master 50-54 years both genders; Veteran 55 years plus both genders

**Women's** 13 years plus - women only

**Freestyle Waveski** 13 years plus (California Finless/Merv style waveski)

**Surf Kayak** 13 years plus (Any Surf Kayak with waveski like performance)

# Registration Form / Competitor Information

**Last Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
**First Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Country** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Telephone Number (Day)** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Telephone Number (Evening)** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sex: M F**  
**Email Address** \_\_\_\_\_

Fee Schedule: (Pick 1 Column (A, B, C or D) and check the division(s) you wish to enter in that column)  
 Column \_\_\_\_\_ and enter that Amount here \$ \_\_\_\_\_

A	B	C	D
Open + 1 Division (Pick 1 division)	1 Division Only <b>Not competing in Open</b> (Pick 1 division)	Open + 2 Divisions (Pick 2 divisions)	2 Divisions Only <b>Not competing in Open</b> (Pick 2 divisions)
Open Waveski X		Open Waveski X	
Cadet	Cadet	Cadet	Cadet
Junior	Junior	Junior	Junior
New Age	New Age	New Age	New Age
Senior	Senior	Senior	Senior
Master	Master	Master	Master
Grand Master	Grand Master	Grand Master	Grand Master
Veteran	Veteran	Veteran	Veteran
Women's	Women's	Women's	Women's
Freestyle Waveski	Freestyle Waveski	Freestyle Waveski	Freestyle Waveski
Surf Kayak	Surf Kayak	Surf Kayak	Surf Kayak
Total Fee \$125	Total Fee \$125	Total Fee \$200	Total Fee \$200

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Send your check or money order to:  
 Watersports Productions LLC  
 Attn: Brian Kuszmar  
 219 Commercial Blvd.  
 Lauderdale By The Sea, FL 33308

Or Credit Card by Phone: 954-821-3232  
 Ask for Brian

Deadline for entries is September 15th, 2009! After September 15, 2009, call to insure that your division is still open. Sign up early! There are no refunds.

## Waiver and Release from Liability

Please Read Before Signing: In applying to enter this surf contest, I promise to personally inspect the contest site and assure myself that the area and the surf conditions on the day of the contest are safe, and further agree that I will not surf in the contest unless I am satisfied that the area and conditions are safe for surfing purposes. I agree that I voluntarily assume all risks arising from the contest and conditions related to the use of the contest site by myself and others. In consideration of your acceptance of my entry, I, intending to be legally bound hereby, for myself, my heirs, next of kin, executors and administrators, waive, release, forever discharge and agree not to sue, *WaterSports Productions LLC, Sebastian State Park and all it's employees, United States Waveski Association, All Sponsors for the U.S. Waveski Championships* or any other officials, employees or personnel connected with the contest, from any and all liability arising from my death, disability, personal injuries and/or property damage whatsoever resulting from my presence or participation in this surfing contest.

I hereby acknowledge that I am fully aware of the possible injury and life-threatening consequences of competitive surfing and am a willing participant in this event despite of the serious risks involved. I certify that I know how to swim, and attest that I am physically fit and have adequately trained for this event. I hereby grant permission to any and all of the foregoing to use any photograph (either still or moving) or any other record of this event for any purpose whatsoever as it pertains to this event. I hereby certify that I understand and agree with the above and agree to comply with all rules and regulations pertaining to this event. The lack of my signature does not render this release void. The fact that I am competing in this contest signifies my acceptance of these terms and conditions.

Additionally, I hereby give permission to arrange to telecast, show, or print and publish any and/or all pictures taken of me (movie, video, or still) in conjunction with the Sebastian Inlet US Waveski Championships without compensation or further consent.

Contestants must surf within the contest area. Surfing outside of the contest area will result in immediate DISQUALIFICATION.

I acknowledge that I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT and understand all of the above.

- I hereby certify that I am 18 years of age or older.
- I have read this form and hereby agree to the terms and liability waiver above

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CONTEST RULES

My signature below indicates I will abide by all competition rules. I will not enter the competition area unless competing, and I will not demonstrate any unsportsmanlike conduct. Any violation of the above will be cause for disqualification. The contest committee reserves the right to adjust the contest to meet the needs of the day.

- I have read this form and hereby agree to the competition rules above

Competitors Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

FOR PARTICIPANTS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the parent or legal guardian of the Sebastian Inlet U.S. Waveski Championships participant named in the attached registration form ("My Participant"), and that I have read and understand the foregoing Release and Waiver. I hereby give my permission to My Participant's entry into the Sebastian Inlet U.S. Waveski Championships, without reservation and with full understanding and comprehension of the foregoing WAIVER AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY, which I agree shall release the parties covered thereby from any and all claims, demands, damages or liability whatsoever arising from My Participant's personal injury, death, disability or property damage resulting from or related to his or her presence at or participation in the Sebastian Inlet U.S. Waveski Championships, including, without limitation, any such claims based on negligent supervision.

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_