



The PaddleSurf Committee is a subcommittee of Canoeing Ireland and is responsible for the organisation, development and administration of Surf Kayaking and Waveski Competition in Ireland.

Committee Standing Orders

The Committee will act in accordance with the Canoeing Ireland “Standing Orders for Committees”.

Composition

The Committee consists of a Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer as set out in the standing orders and:

- a) A Public Relations Officer
- b) Waveski Rep/Surfkayak Rep
- c) One (1) Ordinary committee member

All officers to be elected annually at the Annual Committee Meeting and approved by the Board of Canoeing Ireland

PRO

The PRO in conjunction with the CI Communications lead will:

- Obtain publicity for PaddleSurf via Press, Radio, T.V. and other media.
- Prepare programmes for major events.
- Compile PaddleSurf news for Canoeing Ireland communications.
- Work with event organisers and Canoeing Ireland to communicate with clubs, club members, individuals and interested parties in PaddleSurf.

Surfkayak Rep/Waveski Rep

The Surfkayak Rep shall be responsible for:

- Technical input from ‘Surf-kayak & Waveski’ discipline.
- Promoting participation and training opportunities.
- Work with Canoeing Ireland to promote both paddling disciplines through media outlets.

Ordinary Members

The Ordinary Members shall be responsible for:

- Promoting participation and training opportunities
- Work with Canoeing Ireland to promote the sport through media outlets.

Committee Remit/Role.

- Production of a draft fixtures list each year for PaddleSurf competition by 30th Nov each year.
- Production of a confirmed calendar of events in a timely manner.
- The organisation of coaching and training sessions for the squad.
- To promote PaddleSurf throughout Ireland by encouraging and organising ranking and non-ranking events.
- To encourage a broad base of PaddleSurf paddlers in Ireland through the development of introductory training courses and specialised training weekends in PaddleSurf.
- To promote and improve the standard of Irish paddlers through international competition at home and abroad.

- To improve our international image by promoting good Irish International PaddleSurf competition and by sending performance teams abroad.
- To draft rules and make recommendations for the conduct of Canoeing Ireland National PaddleSurf events.
- Selection of international teams or the establishment for a selection committee to do same.
- The organisation and promotion of coaching courses at varied levels.
- Promoting the sport of PaddleSurf (Surfkayak & Waveski).
- Identifying international events paddlers might be likely to attend during the course of the coming year and producing and publishing a Selection Policy to select the optimal team to attend such events, such policy shall be produced and published by the 31st of March.
- Such selection policies shall comply with Canoeing Ireland rules, regulations and guidelines.
- Allocation of Funding for international teams.
- Allocation of funding for equipment/initiatives aimed at furthering the sport.
- Determining the subscription fees to PaddleSurf.
- Presenting a funding application to Canoeing Ireland Board by 30th Sept each year to support the promotion of the discipline for the following year.
- Maintaining good relations with all other Paddlesport disciplines in order to identify potential talent.

Amending the Terms of Reference

The Terms of Reference may be revised by the board of Canoeing Ireland from time to time. The board will consider recommendations from the committee for amendments to these Terms of Reference if the need arises.