

KASK Members Seeking Election to the 2021 Committee



Ian McKenzie

As a Committee Member I hope to bring to KASK:

- Value - by reflecting on whether we achieve what we set out to do each year, maintaining financial accountability required by the KASK constitution
- Kayaking experience - Ian assists with organising the Canterbury Sea Kayak Network weekly paddling/training programme and annual training weekend at Okains Bay.
- Consistency - Ian has been a member of the committee since helping to organise the KASK forum held in Canterbury in 2012 and was president for 2012/13/14.



Paula Renouf

As a Committee Member, in terms of value I hope to bring:

- Enthusiasm for growing the organization and encouraging younger paddlers.
- Loyalty to KASK, its president, committee and members
- The perspective of a paddler with 11 years experience
- A Gisborne/Tairāwhiti perspective
- Some valuable experience with great instructors and paddlers from the States, Canada and Europe



Russell Williams

As a Committee Member, in terms of value I hope to bring:

- 15 years of commercial experience in NZ Kayaking, retail, and instruction;
- A current knowledge and experience of NZ Safety Regulation as relates to kayaking; and
- A passion for safety in kayaking.

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Allen Snowsill

As a Committee Member, in terms of value I hope to bring:

- Self-employment has honed my skills with regards to working with people and problem solving
- I am respectful of another's opinion and will work in the best interests of the committee and KASK
- The ability and experience to promote the benefits of kayaking, safety on the water and KASK
- As the current chairperson/president of BASK I am frequently rubbing shoulders with a number of active kayakers enabling me to become a conduit.



Daniel O'Connor

As a Committee Member, in terms of value I hope to bring:

- Passion for supporting a safe and fun community of paddlers through sharing my experience and knowledge from guiding, instructing and paddling adventures from around the world.
- Enthusiasm for growing the community of kayakers across NZ
- Developing the skills and knowledge of new and existing paddlers through working with others in developing programmes, guidelines and safety tools.
- Bring some youth and an alternative perspective to help continue the momentum and great work of previous committees.



Shaun Maclaren

As President, in terms of value I will bring:

- An understanding and knowledge of the association and the paddling community in general.
- Experience of management and committee involvement.
- Sound strategy.
- I am approachable, objective and impartial.
- I am a strong networker, team builder and be able to delegate.

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- Show interest in member's viewpoints and have an ability to respect their confidence.
- Consideration for succession planning across the Committee.