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**Dallas Down River Club**  
**Presents**



Welcome message -



## Habitat

This documentary takes you through 35 years of the progression of rafting in the Pacific Northwest. Shane Turnbull, John Hall, Doc Loonis, Val Shaul and Jeff Bennett share tales of the evolution from early commercial boating to the private boating scene and into the modern day rush of rafters venturing beyond the guidebooks, exploring territory uncharted for rafts.

## New Zealand Kayak Fishing with Rob Fort – BEST KAYAK FISHING FILM

Discover some of the finest ocean adventure fishing playgrounds New Zealand has to offer. Coromandel has become a hot spot for enthusiasts and local kayak angler, guide, writer and artist Rob Fort captures the essence of the sport with this production, placing viewers right in the seat of the kayak.

## A Hand to Stand

Seven students in the heart of the Great Bear Rainforest build their own wooden standup paddleboards, using traditional knowledge in a modern world. In a nation where the odds are stacked against Aboriginals, finishing school and breaking out of the poverty trap, these kids learn persistence and perseverance.

## Ikkatsu: The Roadless Coast

With the debris from the 2011 Japanese tsunami starting to come ashore on the west coast, a small group of skilled sea kayakers set out to document the flotsam along Washington's remote coast. Ikkatsu translates as "united as one," a concept that the tsunami debris illustrates in a powerful way. No matter how distant something may seem, we are all sharing the same planet.

Intermission -

## White Water Safety - BEST INSTRUCTIONAL PADDLING FILM

White Water Safety is a concise instructional guide on safety and rescue methods suitable for whitewater kayakers and canoeists. Filmed in the Spanish Pyrenees on multiple HD cameras by award winning cameraman Paul Duffley. Written, produced and presented by Bruce Jolliffe and Dougie Shannon, two active White Water Safety and Rescue trainers from Scotland.

## Huck – BEST WHITEWATER PADDLING FILM

Waterfall kayaking has emerged as a dominant subset of whitewater paddling, thrilling audiences and pushing athletes to constantly attempt higher falls. It is consistently glorified and frequently misunderstood by all but the small group of kayakers who make waterfalls their lives. Evan Garcia explores what it means to kayak off of big waterfalls, considering both the risks and rewards of a life driven by freefall.

## Quebec Connection

Quebec Connection showcases some of the best destinations for class V paddlers in eastern Canada. These paddlers put a lot of time and energy into promoting whitewater kayaking and share their love for the sport, giving a taste of what can be done in kayaks around Quebec.

## Rock the Boat - Saving America's Wildest River - BEST ENVIRONMENTAL FILM

In the artificial landscape that is Los Angeles, where even palm trees are imported, nothing epitomizes man's shortsighted efforts to reshape the face of the earth more than the L.A. River. But when an unassuming boater insists on seeing it as a river again, a local controversy takes on national proportions.

Paddling the Rivers of Texas and beyond



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