



# Newsletter

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## **MEETING INFO**

**Date:** November 21, 2009

**Place:**

Lake Natoma  
Folsom

**Time:** Call Trip Leaders

Diana & Joe Abrell

**Program Presentation:**

"Paddle and Good Eats"

**Speaker:**

SNCKC Members

## ***SNCKC Annual Pre-Thanksgiving Day Paddle & Pot Luck***

**W**e will not be having a meeting at the Seaman's Lodge in November due to the Thanksgiving Holiday. Instead SNCKC members will gather at Lake Natoma on November 21st for our annual Paddle and Pot Luck. Trip leaders will be Diana and Joe Abrell. Contact them to sign up for the trip, find out what food items to bring and for the time and place to put in. Call them at 273-3095.

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(before the 1st  
of the month)

*Last year's outing broke club attendance records.  
Lets see if we can do it again.*

## 2009-2010 SNCKC OFFICERS

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### **Fall 2009 - Spring 2010 Trip Schedule**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Trip Leaders</i>
November 7	Lake Oroville Forebay	Ron & Lanni Brunmeier
November 21	Lake Natoma Pot Luck	Joe & Diana Abrell
December 12	Lake Wildwood	Bill & Chris Cason
January 9	Snodgrass Slough	TBD
January 23	Lake Clementine	TBD
February 13	Brannan Island	Wendy Thibeault
February 27	Rollins Lake	TBD
March 13	Lake Collins	TBD
March 27	Camp Farwest	Chris Crain
April 10	Slab Creek	Chris Crain
May 8	Elk Horn Slough	Joe & Diana Abrell

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**FOR SALE:** 2008 Activity Trailer. Asking \$1,100.  
See [www.activitytrailer.com](http://www.activitytrailer.com) for manufacturer's web page.  
Ron Wright 432-8991

Members with trip suggestions or who have an additional trip they would like to schedule and lead may contact Ron Brunmeier at (530) 274-9550 or e-mail him at [tigertail@theunion.net](mailto:tigertail@theunion.net)  
Carpool arrangements are between drivers and riders, please coordinate accordingly.  
All events are available to members and their guests. Paddlers not affiliated with SNCKC may attend at the discretion of the trip leader. All paddlers must sign a "Waiver of Release and Liability" before launching their paddle craft and must abide by the safety rules for the paddle.

# Granite Bay Paddle

## ***A Nice Day on Granite Bay***

***by Connie Wright***

**I**n mid-October seven of us enjoyed a fabulous fall day at the Granite Bay entrance to Folsom Lake on a paddle led by the Brunmeiers. The water was smooth as silk for most of the way and there were no powerboats, as they weren't allowed. It was shallow in places but we skirted through with ease. Lots of bird flocks! Tami Wright came with her brand new kayak, which worked out well. Colleen Wirth brought her pal Axel, and he enjoyed it thoroughly. We enjoyed paddling with Laurie Helm, whom we hadn't seen for awhile. Our lunch spot was sunny and warm, although a bit muddy. The wind came up a little toward the end, but provided a nice break in the heat. Finally, we all wondered why others had passed up such a great outing.



*Photos by Connie Wright*

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# Granite Bay Paddle Cont'd



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