



## Your Fall '92 Holiday Gift Guide



*For the paddlesports people in your life!*



**Northwest  
River  
Supplies**

Prices are effective through February 15, 1993

### *Great Buys Inside*

Earn "BOATER'S BUCKS" on everything in this catalog

### *10% Off*

*On All Kokatat Items  
in stock!*

**Plus** earn another  
10% in Boater's  
Bucks

### *Special Close out*

on Scout Lace-ins and  
Microcats! See page D.



## BOAT THE MOST

### USE NRS BOATER'S BUCKS FOR YOUR 1993 PURCHASES!

Here's an innovative way to save money

**WHAT ARE NRS BOATER'S BUCKS?** Boater's Bucks are certificates that can be applied to future purchases with Northwest River Supplies, and may be given to friends as gift certificates to use on their next NRS purchase.

**HOW DO THEY WORK?** All orders over \$50.00 purchased on or before Dec. 31, 1992, earn 10% in Boater's Bucks. Boater's Bucks may be applied to purchases made during 1993.

**WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU?** Great savings on any future merchandise purchases for yourself, or gift giving to others.

**"Boater's Bucks valid for purchases from Jan. 1, 1993 through Dec. 31, 1993."**

Our "Boater's Bucks" program is our way of saying thank you for doing business with



Northwest River Supplies



photo by Scott Fischer

RECEIVE GREAT  
DISCOUNTS  
AND EARN  
10% Boater's Bucks  
on all Clearance items  
below!



**Boater's Bucks**

If you have any questions,  
please call our Customer  
Service Reps -- They're  
always happy to help!  
1-800-635-5202

### CLEARANCE LIST: "WE HAVE A DEAL FOR YOU!"

5055	YAK SPRAYSKIRTS	WAS	\$98.50	NOW	\$60.00
5056	PRIJON SPRAYSKIRTS - BLACK	WAS	\$78.50	NOW	\$45.00
5057	PRIJON SPRAYSKIRTS - RAINBOW	WAS	\$98.50	NOW	\$60.00
5058	HARMONY SPRAYSKIRT	WAS	\$84.95	NOW	\$50.00
5065	AMERICA'S CUP CHILD'S LIFEJACKET	WAS	\$20.75	NOW	\$10.00
5064	HI FLOAT LIFEJACKET - NO POCKET	WAS	\$79.50	NOW	\$45.00
5092	STOHLQUIST PARAGON DRYSUIT	WAS	\$272.00	NOW	\$165.00
5104	NRS ZIPPERED WETSHOES - GRAY	WAS	\$31.30	NOW	\$16.00
5105	NRS KICKERS - '91 STYLE	WAS	\$24.50	NOW	\$12.00
5106	3MM WETSOCKS	WAS	\$17.50	NOW	\$10.00
5108	ONE-TOED WETSOCKS	WAS	\$13.50	NOW	\$8.00
5129	WILDWATER SHORT SLEEVE JACKET	WAS	\$39.50	NOW	\$20.00
5130	WILDWATER SEA KAYAK JACKET	WAS	\$77.50	NOW	\$40.00
5131	WILDWATER SEA KAYAK BIBS	WAS	\$79.50	NOW	\$45.00
5147	PROJECT RAFT T-SHIRT	WAS	\$10.00	NOW	\$5.00
5191	SEA STOW BAGS	WAS	\$14.50	NOW	\$7.00

On clearance items, please call us for availability of sizes and colors, at 1-800-635-5202.





**SAVE 15%**  
on **NRS**  
**Microcats and**  
**Scout Lace-ins**



**Special Close Out on Scout Lace-In self bailer:**

Discount offer applies to Lace-in self bailer model only. See page 5 for details on our Scouts. (Glued-in floors are not included in this special offer).

Scout Lace-in's	Retail for	\$ 2,345.00.
	SAVE 15%	\$ ( 360.00)
<b>1010.5 Scout Lace-in Self Bailer</b>	<b>YOU PAY</b>	<b>\$1,985.00</b>



See Microcat in action on page 4 of this catalog.

**A spirited craft for spirited boaters!**

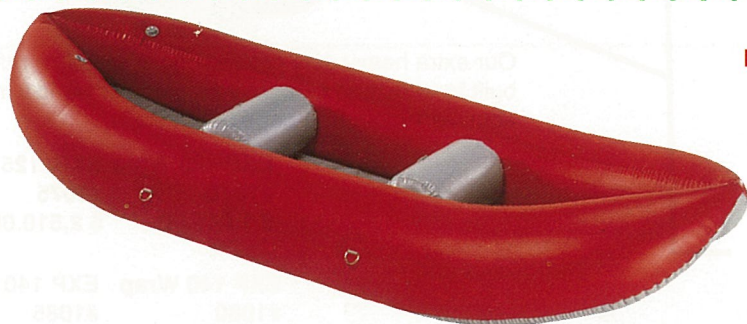
Microcat and Frame - Retails for	\$1,450.00
SAVE 15% ON PACKAGE PRICE	\$ ( 218.00)
<b>1066 Microcat and Frame</b>	
<b>YOU PAY</b>	<b>\$1,232.00</b>

**GREAT BUYS!!!**

**ON USED AND  
DISCONTINUED**

**RAFTS AND CATARAFTS**

PLEASE CALL FOR A PRICE LIST  
1-800-635-5202



Here's your **LAST CHANCE** to buy AIRE inflatables at '92 prices!

**AIRE**  
Made in the U.S.A.

Free Owner's Manual Video with any AIRE purchase!  
For more details on AIRE boats, see pages 8 and 9.

The PUMA is just one inflatable raft of many available from AIRE.



## NRS has 2 great ways for you to purchase your raft: Introducing our NEW Pre-season Purchase Plan!

### Plan #1

**Take Guaranteed, on time delivery by Dec. 31, 1992**

- ✓ Get 10% in Boater's Bucks, automatically receive additional 10% on accessories (when ordered with the raft),
- ✓ Lock in '92 prices now, and avoid next year's price increase



**Beat the '93 Price Increases**

### Plan #2

**Take Guaranteed, on time delivery by May 15, 1993**

- ✓ Put 25% DOWN,
- ✓ Get 5% Boater's Bucks, (order by 12-31-92)
- ✓ Lock in '92 prices now, and avoid next year's price increase
- ✓ Balance due at time of delivery

## Quality Features found in the line of NRS rafts:



1. Durable tube material
2. Wear patch material to reinforce critical areas
3. Armor wrap
4. Tough floor material
5. Raft material used to construct all internal baffles and self-bailing floor I-beams.
6. Loaded with 17 D-rings



Our extra heavy duty professional Expedition rafts are built to withstand extensive trips on the world's most abusive rivers! See page 6 for details.

7. Expedition models have carry handles

SpriteWrap	SpriteSB
#1050	#1060
\$ 1,475.00	\$ 1,995.00

The Scout gives you plenty of room for large groups of paddlers or extra gear space. For more details on our Scout, see page 5.

Scout Wrap	Scout SB
#1000	#1010
\$ 1,720.00	\$ 2,345.00

EXP 125 Wrap	EXP. 125 SB
#1070	#1075
\$ 1,945.00	\$ 2,510.00

EXP 140 Wrap	EXP 140 SB
#1080	#1085
\$ 2,190.00	\$ 2,810.00

Take a LOOK at more specials on the back cover pages!



**Earn Boater's Bucks on everything in this catalog! Page E**

***Got a "hard to buy for" person on your gift list?***

**🌲🌲🌲 GO FOR THE GOLD 🌲🌲🌲**

*NEW NRS STRAPS are improved with our new Cad-2 "Gold" Plated Buckle. See opposite page for details. Order them now at a great price! **5 for 4** (Buy four straps of the same length, get the 5th one FREE)*



**🌲 FREE 🌲**

***Small Dri-Stow with the purchase of \$80 or more of the following dry bags:***

*NRS Bill's Bags (Page 52), Kitchen Bag (Page 53), Paragon Portage Pack (Page 53), NRS Side Duffel (Page 55), System 5 (Page 53).*



**Bill's Bags**  
will outlast  
the look-alikes  
and always keep your gear dry!

**See the entire family of Bill's Bags on page 52.**



Buy any style of NRS Wetsuit, automatically receive \$5 OFF any Neoprene bootie, glove, or Kickers in stock!  
In addition, get 10% in Boater's Bucks!

**NRS Farmer Bill**  
#2219 \$79.95  
page 28

**NRS Farmer John**  
#2215 \$89.95  
page 28

**NRS Aqua Tux**  
#2218 \$89.95  
page 29



For more wetshoes, see page 31

For more gloves, see page 32-33

## Pro-Tec Helmets have gone wild!

New Vibrant Colors, (hot watermelon, teal and purple).  
Please see page 45 to order.



### "Safety is no Accident"

Development of high performance rafts, kayaks, and canoes has allowed us to push our limits and abilities.

While designs enable loftier goals, mistakes still occur and safety should be your top concern.

This responsibility involves equipment, knowledge, and practice. NRS can supply the equipment and knowledge, with readily available information like Les Bechdel and Slim Ray's River Rescue Book, and numerous instruction videos for whitewater enthusiasts (see page 47), as well as the latest product recommendations like Spectra™ rope, carabiners, pulleys, and cleats.

Keep safety in mind with proper training, sound judgement, and good equipment. Have an enjoyable river trip; safety is no accident.

NRS STAFF





At right: Peggy (Accounting) wearing Kokatat Front Entry Drysuit with Polartek Shirt and Pants.

Drysuits are comfortable, and help you extend your boating season. Kokatat has a selection of watersports clothing to protect you from cold weather conditions. Take advantage of stock on hand, and SAVE!

- 🌲 **POLARTEK SHIRT AND PANTS**, on page 30
- 🌲 **FRONT ENTRY DRYSUIT**, on page 29
- 🌲 **MERIDIAN DRYSUIT**, on page 29
- 🌲 **WHIRLPOOL DRYTOP**, on page 34
- 🌲 **SUPER BREEZE PADDLEJACKET**, on page 35
- 🌲 **SPLASH JACKET AND PANTS**, on page 35

**Don't forget Boater's Bucks with \$50 or more purchased from everthing in this catalog!**



🌲 **Introducing Salamander "Sticky Stuff" Wax**

Your paddle stroke is only as good as your grip. Sticky Stuff can also be applied to the rim of your cockpit to secure the skirt in place for big hydraulics.

**1593 Sticky Stuff**

**\$ 3.50**

**Christmas Special**

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Get a great deal on Wenoka Mini Z-Lock Knives:  
Regular price is \$46.50  
**NOW for Christmas \$36.50!**  
**Hurry, limited to stock on hand.**

**Santa's Corner**

"Northwest Whitewater" the video that journeys through some of the best whitewater rivers, canoe trails, and float trips that the Pacific Northwest and British Columbia have to offer.

**Item # 3481 N.W. WHITEWATER VIDEO \$19.95**

(see more videos on page 47 and 48)

**Rapid Shooters Calendar, (SEE BACK PAGE TO ORDER)**

**NEW Sticky Stuff Wax (PICTURED AT LEFT)**

Yakima Rack Systems	pg. 23
Pur Water Filters	pg. 23
Moss Parawing Tarp	pg. 22
Rescue Bags	pg. 27
Air Pumps	pg. 21 & 22
Dipsticks	pg. 47
Foxtail	pg. 47
Juggling Book	pg. 47
Knots Book	pg. 47
Smurf Kayaker	pg. 46
Leatherman Tool	pg. 48
Tenacious Tape	pg. 48
Frost-Pak Soft Coolers	pg. 50
Dry Boxes	pg. 50 & 51
Nose Clips	pg. 41
Any Repair item	pg. 49
Adventure Med. Kits	pg. 27
Shark Watches	pg. 36
Roll-a-Table, Stool, Cot	pg. 22
Insul-A-mat	pg. 22



\*\*\*\*\* Ahh. Shopping from your own comfortable chair. Aren't catalogs great? \*\*\*\*\*



**EARN BOATER'S BUCKS ON  
EVERY ORDER OF  
\$50 OR MORE  
(PURCHASES MUST BE MADE BY  
12-31-92)**

**1993 Calendars -- Get  
psyched for all the good  
times to come!**

These calendars are filled with crisp, colorful and  
exhilarating photos of boating at it's best on the  
California rivers. Buy one for yourself, and give them  
for Christmas.  
**3458 Rapid Shooters Calendar**

**\$ 9.75**

**Are you a late  
shopper?**



**Federal Express and UPS Blue  
& Red Label services are  
available  
We ship the next working day!**

Prices good through February 15, 1993



**From all of us at Northwest River Supplies, we want to wish you a very happy holiday season!**

**May peace be on your mind~~**



**~~and a smile be on your face.**

**CURRENT RESIDENT OR:**



**Northwest  
River  
Supplies, Inc.**

**2009 S. Main Moscow, ID 83843  
1-800-635-5202 - ORDER HOTLINE**

Bulk Rate  
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**Northwest  
River  
Supplies**

**Ricksack**

Fall  
'93  
Holiday  
Gift  
Guide

Earn  
**Boater's Bucks**  
on everything we sell!

Boater's Bucks are  
our gift to you for buying NOW!  
See details on  
inside back cover.

**10% OFF  
CKS & KOKATAT**  
(includes regular stock only)  
drytops, drysuits, pile,  
paddle jackets & pants  
See pages 32-34

**Super Buys on  
NRS SPRITES, SCOUTS,  
SPRINTS AND  
SCAMPS**





Earn Boater's Bucks this Fall and use them for your orders in 1994!



Limited to stock  
on hand

Receive 10%  
Boater's Bucks  
and 10% off  
accessories with  
the purchase  
of a raft.



End of Season  
Raft Clearance prices!!



Super Buys  
on Rafts!

Sprites  
and Scouts  
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NEW  
Sprints  
Page-6

Scamps  
Page-7

NRS Sprite WR	#1050	was \$1800	Save \$450	NOW \$1,350
NRS Sprite SB	#1060	was \$2250	Save \$500	NOW \$1,750
NRS Scout WR	#1000	was \$2100	Save \$525	NOW \$1,575
NRS Scout SB	#1010	was \$2550	Save \$575	NOW \$1,975
NRS Sprint Std	#1020	was \$1245	Save \$185	NOW \$1,060
NRS Sprint SB	#1025	was \$1495	Save \$225	NOW \$1,270
NRS Scamp I	#1650	was \$ 875	Save \$130	NOW \$ 745
NRS Scamp II	#1655	was \$ 995	Save \$150	NOW \$ 845

Raft Prices good through December 31, 1993

Don't forget the AIRE rafts on pages 7,8,9 ~10% Boater's Bucks apply to every item in this catalog

Order Hotline  
1-800-635-5202



Santa's Corner



Crazy  
Creek  
Chairs for ground  
level comfort. Fully  
adjusts and goes with  
you everywhere. The  
Power Lounger (not  
shown) is longer,  
has added insulation,  
and can serve as a 3/4  
length sleeping pad.  
2710 Crazy Creek  
Chair \$41.25  
2711 Crazy Creek  
Power Lounger \$59.50

PUR Water Filters,  
Frost-Pak  
Soft Coolers

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Carabiners,  
Prusik Cord

Pg-40

Whistles,  
Rescue Bags

Pg-41

Videos, Books

Pg-38

Leatherman Tool

Pg-44

Gloves

Pg-26

Dipstiks

Pg-35

Dry Bags

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Paddles

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Lifejackets

Pg-42-43



### Hot New Look from Pro-tec!

An upbeat helmet for the slalom racing fans, the new Pro-tec Side Cut has the same qualities and features found on the original helmet pictured on page 39. The NEW Side Cut offers protection and style with the great look of a winner! **Colors:** Blue, Black, Purple, Red, Teal and White.

2036 Pro-tec Side Cut Helmet \$39.00

### "The Beak" Helmet Visor

The answer to soggy discomfort from wearing a cap under your helmet. The Beak Helmet Visor system installs on your helmet and can easily be removed or attached to meet your changing needs. Shade the sun from your eyes, spot those holes!

**Colors:** Blue, Black, Purple, Red and Teal.  
2025 The Beak Helmet Visor \$12.50

### Gerber Multi-Plier™

A 13-component stainless steel system features pliers, scissors, flat and phillips screwdrivers, lanyard ring, can and bottle openers, drop-point blade, serrated sheepsfoot knife blade, scale and wire cutter. Length 6" opened, 4-3/8" closed.

2762 Multi-Plier™ \$55.00

### Gerber River Shorty

This versatile whitewater/dive knife has a stout blade with a chisel point that handles rugged use. Its serrated edge and thumb grip make it ideal for cutting rope or plastic and its affordable price cuts through your budget. 6-5/8" long.

2763 River Shorty \$29.75

Look for Farmer Bill's for children and new larger sizes for adults in Spring 1994!