



## NEW MEMBER / ANNUAL RENEWAL FORM 2025

Everyone, including Lifetime Members, **must** fill out both this form AND the [Online Waiver](#)

MEMBER NAME(S) (Please print): \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS (Print clearly): \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ MEETUP USERNAME: \_\_\_\_\_

I AM A NEW MEMBER (Y / N); How did you find out about us? \_\_\_\_\_

- Individual** — \$30                       **Family** — \$45 (Two Adults & Children under 18)  
 **Full-Time Student** — \$10            **Active Military & Veterans** — FREE Family Membership  
 **Honorary Lifetime Member** — FREE Family Membership  
 **Business Partner Membership** — \$75 (Ad Placement in our Newsletter) We'll be in touch to confirm.  
 **Club Sponsorship** — \$200 (Ad Placement in our Newsletter & Website) We'll be in touch to confirm.  
 **Add \$5 Donation to the RAY SMITH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND** which helps pay for training for Club Members who will then share what they've learned with the membership

TOTAL: \_\_\_\_\_

### COMPLETING MEMBERSHIP

STEP 1 — If you are new to LIP, open a **Meetup** account and request to join the private LIP Group: [www.meetup.com/meetup-group-lvwrzpdd](http://www.meetup.com/meetup-group-lvwrzpdd). Write your Username on this form so we can recognize you.

STEP 2 — **Check payable to: Long Island Paddlers, Inc. or Zelle to: LIPaddlers.org@gmail.com**  
**(Our username is Www-Vru LongIslandPaddlers) Please write: LIP 2025 in the Note section.**

STEP 3 — **Print, Complete & Mail Form & Check to:** Thomas Auer, 137 Avenue A, Holbrook, NY 11741

STEP 4 — Fill out the **2025 Online Waiver:** [www.lipaddlers.org/membership](http://www.lipaddlers.org/membership)

STEP 5 — Join our private Facebook Group by sending a request through Facebook

STEP 6 — Meetup & Facebook are great for connecting with members & posting kayak-related items for sale  
**When your membership is confirmed, you will receive an email with 2025 password for the Members Page on the website.** NOTE: If you started your membership after September 1, your membership is valid through the end of the year 2026, but you must fill out the 2026 Online Waiver Form to be eligible to join trips.

- I am new to Kayaking!** Contact me about getting matched with an experienced paddler through the **Buddy Program** to learn about proper gear, paddling techniques and water safety.  
 **I would like to volunteer!** Contact me about ways to contribute to LI Paddlers.  
 **I would like to become a Trip Coordinator!** Contact me about how to get started!