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Tappahannock Unveils New Kayak and Paddleboard Rentals at Duke Street Beach

Tappahannock, VA — 29th October 2024 — The Town of Tappahannock is excited to introduce a new kayaking and paddleboarding rental program launching this Fall at Duke Street Beach. Partnering with Rent.Fun, the Town aims to provide both locals and visitors with an enjoyable way to experience the Rappahannock River.

Duke Street Beach, located at the end of Duke Street, is a popular spot known for its scenic views and peaceful waters. Starting this fall, you can rent single kayaks or paddleboards for just \$10 an hour, offering an affordable way to explore the area.

For visitors eager to hit the water, here's a quick guide on how to get started with our kayak and stand-up paddleboard (SUP) rentals:

1. Download the App

Scan the QR code or search Rent.Fun on your App store/Google Play Store

2. Create an Account

Sign up takes just 30 seconds

3. Unlock Your Equipment

Simply scan the QR code at the station to unlock your kayak or SUP. Paddles and life jackets are included for your safety and convenience. Remember to always wear your lifejacket while on the water.

4. Return Your Equipment

When you're done, bring your equipment back to the station. Open the App, select "Unlock" to securely return the equipment.

"Self-service kayaking rentals are a win-win for parks and the public, providing more revenue and less staffing challenges while also promoting public health and wellness," said a representative from Rent.Fun. "This partnership will be a significant attraction for both locals and tourists."

Rent.Fun's easy-to-use system ensures a smooth experience for all. Rentals can be booked on-site at Duke Street Beach, making it convenient for spontaneous adventures.

The Town of Tappahannock invites everyone to take advantage of this exciting new opportunity. Whether you're seeking a peaceful paddle on the river or an adventurous outing, kayaking and paddleboarding at Duke Street Beach has something for everyone.

For more information about the new rental program or to plan your visit, please contact the Town of Tappahannock at (804) 466-4030 or jrigg@tappahannock-va.gov.

About the Town of Tappahannock: The Town of Tappahannock is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for its residents and visitors by providing exceptional public services, fostering community engagement, and promoting sustainable growth and development.

About Rent.Fun: Rent.Fun is a leading provider of recreational rental services, offering a wide range of equipment to help individuals and families enjoy outdoor activities. With a focus on convenience and accessibility, Rent.Fun aims to make outdoor recreation fun and accessible for everyone.