

SLOCUM CREEK
SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 23, 2008 at 1:00 p.m.

WHEN: Saturday, February 23, 2008 – 1:00 p.m.

WHERE: Slocum Creek (in Havelock), Starting at the NCWRC ramp along Hwy 70 in Havelock

PADDLE DISTANCE: About 4+ miles

TRIP DIFFICULTY: ** EASY

SKILL REQUIREMENTS: ** ALL WELCOME

** Please consider your paddle abilities and weather conditions when planning for this trip. If you have any doubt, contact your trip leader for advice. TRPC membership is not required; however, applications are available at site.

TRIP DETAILS: Join other paddlers for a relaxing exploration paddle trip on Slocum Creek. We will begin our paddle at the Slocum Creek NCWRC ramp along Highway 70 in Havelock. Our paddle will start in the protected waters of Slocum Creek's West Prong and into the East Prong of Slocum Creek and the Cherry Point Marine Corps Air Station. There are rest-room facilities near the launch site. We are not permitted ashore within the Marine Corps Base.

PROVISIONS NEEDED: All paddlers must wear a suitable and approved PFD. Dress appropriately for weather conditions.

LAUNCH: No later than 1:30 p.m.

TIME ON WATER: 2 1/2 hour max. Off the water no later than 4:00 p.m.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO:

PUT-IN: Slocum Creek NCWRC Ramp

Traveling east on US 70 and just north of SR 101 there is service road and markings to the Havelock Visitor's Center/Hotel. Turn toward Visitor's Center and Hotel but then follow service road to the left. The NCWRC ramp is located to your left near the bridge. You can actually see the parking area from the highway.

TRIP Coordinator: Cal Hansen, (252) 637-3655 or e-mail: paddler@suddenlini.net

Please contact your trip coordinator if you have any questions or wish to RSVP