

Dirty Avocados Adventure Racing

Ripe for Racing!

Dirty Avocados Adventure Racing enters the 2006 season with the same excitement and enthusiasm that carried us through 2005, our first full season as a team.

Last year saw a 1st place finish at San Francisco's Day & Night Challenge, 1st and 3rd place finishes at the Sea Trek Regatta, and well-placed finishes at several local adventure races.

We are sure 2006 is the year Dirty Avocados will take a major step forward and become a real force on and off the dirt in Northern California's adventure racing circuit.



Who Are These Dirty Avocados?

For us, adventure racing and endurance sports are not simply activities, but instead a lifestyle. Many of us live, breath, eat and sleep adventure racing every day of our lives!

Dirty Avocados is made up more than ten experienced racers from Northern California's Bay Area and Central Valley. As teams and individuals, we compete in local and national adventure races along with various other endurance sports and expeditions.

We are women and men with mixed backgrounds and vocations, including fire-fighting, health-care, high-technology, and finance. Past accomplishments include a collegiate All-American Swimming Championship, a United States National Orienteering Championship and a qualification for the United States Adventure Racing Association National Championships.

Go to DirtyAvocados.com for individual athlete profiles.

A Look Back at 2005.

2005 began with a mock adventure race that tried to break our spirit with several mechanical problems and a broken collarbone. In the face of this, we eventually completed that race!

Soon after, our first official adventure race as a team resulted in a 2nd place finish at the Lake Sonoma Adventure Race. We then fielded two teams for Explore California's Kirkwood Adventure Race and finished 13th and 14th.

The year continued with a 1st place finish at the Day & Night Challenge and 1st and 3rd place finishes at the Sea Trek Regatta.

After various other running, cycling, orienteering, and adventure races our two teams culminated the year finishing in the top ten at Explore California's Gold Rush Adventure Race.

A Look Towards 2006.

Our plans for 2006 start with snowshoe races in the Sierras. We'll then send our teams to race in several spring and summer adventure races throughout the Western United States and Alaska, including the Cal Eco Adventure Series (the nation's largest adventure racing series). We'll also continue to take part in various running, cycling, and orienteering races as well as mountaineering expeditions in the United States and Europe.

Dirty Avocados Support and Needs Support!

As our excitement builds for another year full of fun and racing, so does our commitment to giving back and promoting our supporters. We'll be volunteering our time at local races and we're also researching ways to share our lifestyle and sport with local and national youth organizations.

In order to sustain and grow this excitement and commitment we are seeking sponsorship opportunities. We hope these opportunities will range from merchandise discounts to subsidized race fees. Our commitment to racing and volunteering will provide our sponsors the valuable opportunity to ride our backs and extend their brand's reach to more individuals and groups.

Contact us at info@dirtyavocados.com for more information.

For those unfamiliar with adventure racing, it's a combination of three or more endurance sports, including trail running, mountain biking, paddling, orienteering and navigation, and climbing and rope skills. An expedition race can span ten days or more while most races cover 24 hours.