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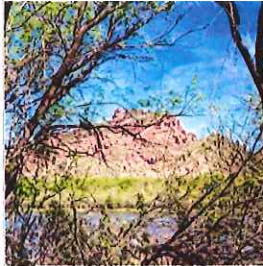
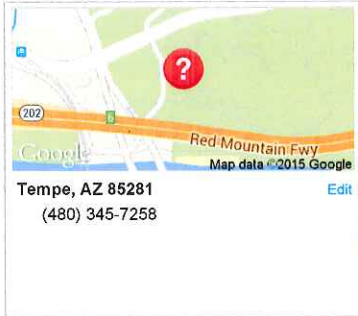


# Salt River Canoe Kayak & Raft Rentals

★★★★★ 7 reviews

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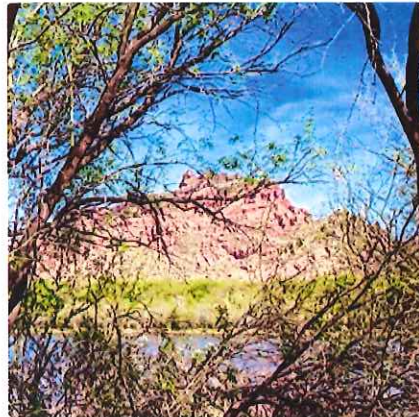


**Erin R.**  
Phoenix, AZ  
0 friends  
4 reviews

★★★★★ 3/15/2015

Captain Ted is great!!! Will definitely rent from him again, call upon his expansive knowledge for advice when I have any kayaking questions, or join up for his weekly paddling group! To say he is friendly is an understatement. Fantastic guy with kindness and a lot of character! We joined the paddle group because we are beginners, and he welcomed us with open arms. Even though it wasn't a tour, he led the way and taught us quite a bit about kayaking. I'll feel much more confident next time when I'm on my own thanks to Captain Ted.

Some tips: cash only and each boat rental requires its own cash deposit! Also, expect to want to spring for a kayak in the \$45 price range. The \$35 are minis and not for beginners. Also, opt for high tops with soles and ankle protection over water shoes or flip flops. DO ask about rent the wheels for transporting the kayaks to/from the water. Plan to get wet and to get some sun!



**Luis S.**  
Tucson, AZ

★★★★★ 7/29/2015

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**Amy C.**  
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We will definitely be back to try the kayaks next.



**Southwest Kayaks**  
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This was so much fun. The owner showed me how to strap in the canoe to my SUV (I'm a nerd, so I would have just paid for the lesson), and we were on the river at no time. So affordable, we could do it every weekend. We've been back twice now, and look forward to doing it every time we're introducing someone new to the river.

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Susan W.  
Phoenix, AZ  
13 friends  
8 reviews

★★★★★ 6/15/2012

Captain Ted and his rental business is the best in town. He's extremely knowledgeable and very helpful. His rates are fair. To keep his inventory fresh, he frequently sells his boats and equipment at a good price. He can modify the seats or practically anything else on the boat to meet your individual needs. For example, I wanted a more comfortable (read padded) seat for my Swifty kayak.

I paddle with the Southwest Outdoor Club down the Salt River about six to ten times a year. I recommend Ted and his rentals to all my friends.



Dino C.  
Chandler, AZ  
12 friends  
3 reviews

★★★★★ 7/17/2013

Capt Ted and his wife were awesome. Their main focus is to make sure you have an awesome experience. These are the types of local businesses that I like to support.



Amy C.  
Washington, DC  
316 friends  
869 reviews  
Elite '15

★★★★☆ 8/28/2009

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The concierge at our hotel recommended this place for us when we asked about renting kayaks for Salt River. I called up to ask for rates and specifics. The owner goes by Captain Ted and he was more than patient in explaining the rates. Despite the short notice, we made an appointment to drop by the next morning to pick up two kayaks. He strapped the boats onto the top of our rental car, went over all the equipment we needed, and took the time to explain which parts of the river we should explore.

Captain Ted works out of his private residence is located 20 minutes from Salt River. His rates are fair and he was a joy to do business with.



Mike J.  
Mesa, AZ  
1 friend  
5 reviews

★★★★★ 6/7/2013 · Updated review

Our troop rented kayaks from the Captain again this year and his service was superb once more! This year he provided us with several brand new kayaks! His equipment is always in great shape. As always he is very easy to deal with and makes sure that we always get what we need. He is a great person to deal with.

★★★★★ 5/21/2012 · Previous review

Captain Ted is awesome!! He is so helpful and efficient. Our Boy Scout Troop has rented kayaks from him for several years and he always gives us great service. He is friendly, helpful, and his equipment is great quality. A pleasure to do business with him! [Read less](#)



Jason H.  
Phoenix, AZ  
82 friends  
29 reviews

★★★★★ 2/13/2012

I've rented from Captain Ted many times, and even gone on one of his guided trips down the Salt River. He is helpful

and very knowledgeable and I would highly recommend renting here.

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