

Bock 06

INTERNATIONAL  
WHITEWATER HALL OF FAME  
Nomination Form

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Date Received:

<b>I. NOMINEE*:</b>	<b>II. NOMINATING ORGANIZATION:</b>
Name: <u>Theo Bock</u>	Name: <u>German Canoe Federation</u>
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City: _____ State: _____	City: <u>Duisburg</u> State: <u>NRW</u>
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\* For team nominees, an additional sheet may be added with the names and addresses for of all team members.

**III. PREPARED BY:**

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>IV. CATEGORY:</b>	(Date)	(Date)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PIONEER	Sport: _____ Active From: _____ To: _____ Living: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXPLORER	Sport: _____ Active From: _____ To: _____ Living: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/> CHAMPION	Sport: _____ Active From: _____ To: _____ Living: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<input type="checkbox"/> ADVOCATE	Sport: _____ Active From: _____ To: _____ Living: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

**Individuals or teams may be nominated in any one of the four categories. See Nomination and Selection Procedures (Rev. 02.27.06) for a complete description of the nominating criteria. The following is a brief summary of the criteria:**

**PIONEER**

- Has made a significant accomplishment or contribution made in any area of whitewater activity: e.g. the first or among the earliest.

**EXPLORER**

- Has been engaged in extensive exploration and investigation of unknown regions and areas of whitewater activity.
- Has exemplified superior feats in previously unchallenged whitewater: e.g. an adventurer, scientist or expedition leader.

**CHAMPION**

- Has been/was engaged in any competitive whitewater discipline for at least five (5) years.
- Has a distinguished record of achievement at the highest levels of competitive whitewater sport.

**ADVOCATE**

- Has made outstanding contributions to furthering whitewater activities. May include grassroots activism, environmental stewardship, ensuring river access, innovative manufacturing or course design/development.
- Has performed in a leading role in serving the whitewater community for at least the past twenty (20) years.

All nominees: 1) may be living or deceased, and 2) may be an individual or a team.

**Nominee:** Theo Bock

**V. BASIS FOR NOMINATION:** Provide a brief summary statement.

Insert text here.

Theo Bock, born 1910, was at first explorer in canoeing together with Kurt Siegritz. They paddled as first paddlers in the thirties lot of whitewater. 1935 Stillach, 1936 Jachenklamm, 1938 Fritzbach, Lieser, Inn, 1938 Tocco/Italy, Adda and Dora Baltea, Loisach and the famous Salzachöfen, where he comes through alive as 8<sup>th</sup> person and 1939 Rosanna. After his second place in the Arcansas River Race in the age of 43 he stopped active whitewater paddling and was organizer of the first whitewater racing events in Germany. He organized the first German national championships, the Ammer race and some other events. Unfortunately we don't have additional informations. Perhaps you can find something in the archives of AKC (c/o Holger Machatschek, Stuntzstr. 21, 81677 München), the famous whitewater club in Germany.

**VI. ACCOMPLISHMENTS:** Please list accomplishments pertinent to the nominee's category. Examples: competitions, first descents, expeditions. Coaches and organizers/leaders: years involved, notable events in which he/she was involved, notable associates (e.g. athletes he/she coached) along with relevant information regarding awards received, team placement, etc.

Year	Event	Location	Placement/Award

Additional information here: