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Participants in the Carolina Canoe Club Cleanup, from left, are Michael Carter, trip leader; Gil Williams; Brian McPherson; Brent Langston; Nancy Guthrie; Kate Kelleher; Bob Brueckner; and Larry Ausley, club president. Not pictured are Kevin Kizer, Bobby Simpson and Ryan Poling.



Bob Brueckner and Kate Kelleber are pictured as they clean up the river.

Carolina Canoe Club Cleans Up Cape Fear River

Members of the Carolina Canoe Club met at the Wildlife Access near Lillington on Aug. 25 and began the hard work of cleaning up the Cape Fear River.

They Carolina Canoe Club took out at the N.C. 217 bridge in Erwin and collected a total of 34 bags of trash, seven tires, two

lawn chairs, half a barrel, a broken fishing rod, a rusted grill and more.

The group cleaned up the river using five canoes and two kayaks. They started at 8:30 a.m. and worked until 4:30 p.m. They cov-

ered a total of four miles of the

river.

The Carolina Canoe Club coordinates several cleanups each year around the state, donates conservation money to a variety of organizations and is involved in education and safety.

Learn more about CCC at www.carolinacanoeclub.org or www.cleanrivers.org.