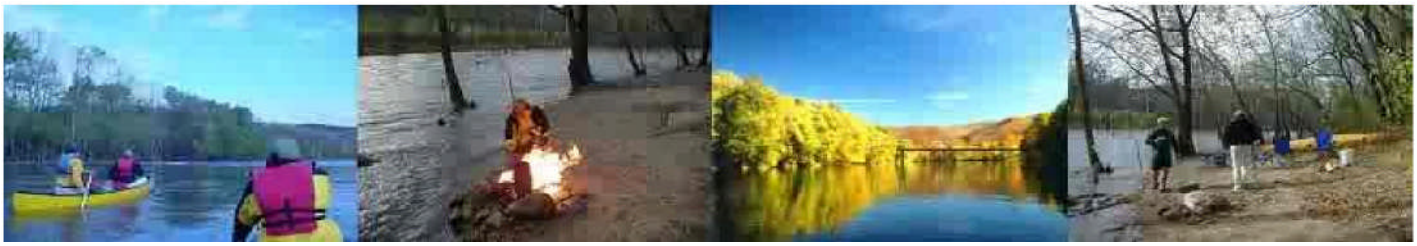
JAME RIVER MINI CANOE TRIP

Spend the first part of your week hiking the trails and experiencing the Goshen Lenhok'sin outposts then finish out your week with a two or three day white water canoe camping trip on the James River as it cuts its way through the heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains. This flyer details the 2 or 3 day canoe trip options available. All trips are run on the James River located a short shuttle from Goshen. The trips include class I - II rapids as well as a class III rapid known as “Balcony Falls” which can easily be portaged.



Three Day White Water Canoe Camping Trip Options

- Paddle the scenic Upper James River over 3 days and 2 nights
- Outfitter arrives at Goshen Wednesday 9AM to pick up the Scout Troops
- We have two different paddle options available depending on how many miles the troops want to paddle each day.

1. Long Version: 48 mile paddle, Eagle Rock to Snowden
   Paddle Lengths - Day 1: 4 hrs / 10 miles, Day 2: 18 miles / 7 hrs, Day 3: 19 Miles / 8 hrs
   Take out time 4 PM at Snowden boat landing only
2. Short Version: 26 mile paddle, Buchanan to Snowden
   Paddle Lengths - Day 1: 2.5 hrs / 7 miles, Day 2: 12 miles / 4 hrs, Day 3: 7 Miles / 4 hrs
   Take out time 1 PM* or 4 PM* at Snowden boat landing

Two Day White Water Canoe Camping Trip Options

- Paddle the scenic Upper James River over 2 days and 1 night
- Outfitter arrives at Goshen Thursday 9AM to pick up the Scout Troops
- We have two different paddle options available depending on how many miles the troops want to paddle each day.

1. Long Version: 26 mile paddle, Buchanan to Snowden
   Paddle Lengths - Day 1: 4 hrs / 12 miles, Day 2: 14 miles / 5 hrs
   Take out time 4 PM* at Snowden boat landing
2. Short Version: 20 mile paddle, Arcadia to Snowden
   Paddle Lengths - Day 1: 4 hrs / 13 miles, Day 2: 7 miles / 4 hrs
   Take out time 1 PM* at Snowden boat landing

*Shuttle times for all trips may be adjusted by outfitter depending on available transportation schedule. Take out times will be discussed during safety orientation.

TRIP LEADER INFO

The Outfitter provides the following specialized gear for the canoe trip:

* Canoes / Life Jackets / paddles (Personal PDF's allowed)
* 5 gallon water containers
* Commercial grade NRS dry bags, (2 per canoe) No need to buy
* 1 dry box per Troop
* 1 complete set of maps per troop
* 1 throw rope per Troop
* Bailers
* Small folding shovel

Specialized troop gear list (In addition to normal camping gear list)

* Sleeping pads (Most of campsite our on gravel)
* Cooler for Ice (not wider than 34") Ice available first day
* Footwear 2 sets, 1 pair for camp, 1 pair for river (River shoes, sandals, etc)
* Folding Camp Chair
* Fishing pole / tackle / license (optional)
* Folding saw (fire wood and strainers)
* Cell Phone (minimum 1 per troop), Verizon and Sprint seem to work the Best, coverage available about 90% of trip

Comments:

* Troops must specify if they want the 2 or 3 day, short or long version of the canoe trip at time of reservation. Outfitter must be notified so they plan accordingly.
* Minimum troop size for the multi-day canoe treks is 8 people for safety reasons.
* At time of reservation Troops must specify if they want the short or long paddle version of the 2 or 3 day canoe trip. The outfitter will need to be notified so they are able to schedule shuttles accordingly.
* See river maps and 5 day trip plan for additional information.
* Troops are welcome to contact outfitter at 540-261-7334 with questions.

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PARTICIPANT RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT
******READ BEFORE SIGNING******

Participant Name

Address **Phone Number**

City, State ZIP **Email**

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the program, related events and activities, I the undersigned, acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant including the potential for permanent paralysi s and death.
2. I KNOWINLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISK, both know and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THR NELIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation.
3. I willingly agree to comply with the terms and conditions for participation. IfI observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately.
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY, RELEASE, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD HARMLESS THE JAMES RIVER BASIN CANOE LIVERY, LTD, its officers, officials, agents and/or employees, other participants, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of land or premises used to conduct the event (RELEASEES), from any and all claims, demands, losses, and liability arising out of or related to any INJURY, DISABILITY OR DEATH I may suffer, or loss or damage or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.
5. I will wear my life jack at all times while on the water and will comply with all Federal, State and Local laws. I understand that consumption of alcoholic beverages is unsafe for any water activity and illegal in public (Which includes on the river and at public boat landings), and not approved by the Livery. The Livery will refuse service to anyone who is intoxicated with NO REFUNDS MADE.
6. I hearby agree to return all equipment at the mutually agreed set time, date, location in the same condition as it was received. I also agree that the boat will only be taken on the waters agreed to prior to the trip.
7. I agree to report all damage or lost items immediately at the end of the trip and pay for them at that time, plus any collection or attorney's fees that the Livery incurs.
8. Adopt-A-Stream Program volunteers shall at all times indemnify and save harmless the Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation, the Commonwealth of Virginia, and all Commonwealth employees, agents and officers, from responsibility, damage, or liability arising from the exercise of the privileges granted under designated programs.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THATIHAVE GIVEN UP SUB STATNTIALRIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

X YES/NO

Participant's Signature DATE 18 Or Older (Circle One)

FOR PARENTS/GUARDINS OF PARTICIPANT OF MINOR AGE (UNDER 18 AT TIME OF REGISTRATION)
This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release as provide above of all the Releases, and for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees fro many and all liability incidents to my minor child's involvement or participation in these programs as provided above, EVEN IF ARI SING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

X

Parent/Guardian Signature DATE