



CANAL RAPIDS - Paul Barsevskis
(Honorable Mention, Wilderness; WCA 1988 Photo Contest)

1-3 July

ADIRONDACKS HIKING

Organizers: Trudy and Howard Sagermann 416-438-6090
Book immediately.

We will drive to Keene Valley in New York State to begin our hike. Our loop will include the peaks of Hedgehog, Upper and Lower Wolfjaw, the Gothics, Saddleback, Haystack, and Mount Marcy. We will be travelling over a very rugged route; only experienced hikers should therefore consider this outing. Limit six hikers.

9-10 July

MINDEN WILDWATER WEEKEND

Organizer: Bill Ness 416-321-3005
Book before 3 July.

The rapids on this man-made whitewater course are technically challenging and provide a great way for aggressive intermediates to get some experience in difficult rapids. The run-out can be used to advantage by novices for perfecting their ferries and eddy turns. Limit six canoes.

9-10 July

UPPER MADAWASKA RIVER

Organizer: Dale Miner 416-730-8187
Book before 30 June.

We will paddle from Whitney to just above the village of Madawaska, camping out on the river on Saturday night. This section of the Madawaska offers excellent whitewater and attractive campsites. If water levels are too low to run this section, we will go to the Lower Madawaska and run from Aumond's Bay to Griffith. Suitable for intermediate paddlers. Limit six canoes.

16-17 July

LOWER MADAWASKA RIVER

Organizers: Bill Ness 416-321-3005
Doug Ashton 519-654-0336
Book immediately.

The Madawaska makes for a delightful summer weekend river trip, being one of the few rivers in southern Ontario to have good whitewater paddling all season long. Come along with us to soak up the sun and play in the rapids as we canoe our way from Latchford Bridge down to Griffith. Limit five canoes.

24 July

BURNT RIVER

Organizer: Bill Ness 416-321-3005
Book before 17 July.

On this leisurely-paced day trip we will follow the Burnt River from Kinmount down to the village of Burnt River. The Burnt placidly winds its way through attractive mixed forest, here and there spilling over ledges to add a little whitewater excitement to our day. Limit six canoes.

24-30 July

ALGONQUIN PARK

Organizer: Paul Siwy 416-423-1698
Book immediately.

A week of paddling through the scenic lakes and rivers of Algonquin Park. We will start at Magnetawan Lake, travel through Big Trout Lake, and finish at Canoe Lake. This trip will be all flat water and comfortably paced so as to appeal to most skill-levels. As we will be in the heart of the park we will have excellent opportunities to view moose and other wildlife not

30-31 July, 1 August KILLARNEY PARK

Organizer: Howard Sayles 416-921-5321
Book before 14 July.

This will be a leisurely paced canoe trip through the magnificent scenery of Killarney Park. We will canoe a loop to the east of Silver Peak allowing plenty of time for photography, hiking, or just enjoying the scenery. Limit four canoes.

30-31 July, 1 August OTTAWA RIVER

Organizers: Sandy Miller 416-323-3603
Roger Harris 416-762-8571
Book before 22 July.

The Ottawa River offers the experienced paddler the opportunity to paddle the most exciting whitewater available at this time of the year. Depending on water levels, we plan to do the middle channel Saturday, the main channel Sunday, while Monday will be spent on either the middle or main channel. Limit six canoes.

30-31 July, 1 August FRENCH RIVER

Organizer: Garry Walters 416-783-0240
Book before 15 July.

On Saturday we will travel upstream from Wolseley Bay on this wide, lake-like section of the river and camp on one of the many islands. Sunday we reverse direction and paddle down to the Blue Chute via Little Pine and Big Pine rapids where we can, if we so desire, hone our whitewater skills. Monday we play the Blue Chute until lunch and then paddle back to our cars. Limit five canoes.

August

TEMAGAMI REGION

Organizer: Garry Walters 416-783-0240
Book immediately.

The organizer is planning a 7-9 day canoe trip in the region of Lady Evelyn Provincial Park, Maple Mountain. The dates are flexible and can be adjusted to suit interested parties. Suitable for experienced canoe trippers.

13-14 August

PALMER RAPIDS WHITewater WEEKEND

Organizer: Bill Ness 416-321-3005
Book before 7 August.

Just a lazy August weekend at Palmer Rapids on the Madawaska River. Whitewater paddlers from novice to experienced will find interesting spots to play in. Bring along the family. Non-paddlers will enjoy swimming and sunbathing on the beach. Limit eight canoes.

13-14 August

LOWER MADAWASKA RIVER

Organizer: Dale Miner 416-730-8187
Book before 3 August.

The lower Madawaska offers a scenic trip and a mixture of rapids guaranteed to please enthusiastic paddlers. Saturday's put-in will be at Aumond's Bay, Sunday's take-out at Griffith. Camping will be on the river, so participants should be prepared to paddle with all their gear. Suitable for paddlers who have taken a whitewater course. Limit six canoes.

20 August

BON ECHO PROVINCIAL PARK

Organizer: Paul Siwy 416-423-1698
Book before 1 August.

A family oriented day outing combined with a weekend of camping in this largest provincial park in eastern Ontario. We will embark on a leisurely six-hour trip which will include Indian pictographs over 250 years old and a landmark called Mazinaw Rock which is sometimes referred to as the "Canadian Rock of Gibraltar." A great trip on which to bring family and friends you must normally leave behind because they don't share your enthusiasm for beating through mosquito-infested portages. If interest is shown, a trip will also take place on Sunday. Limit seven canoes.

