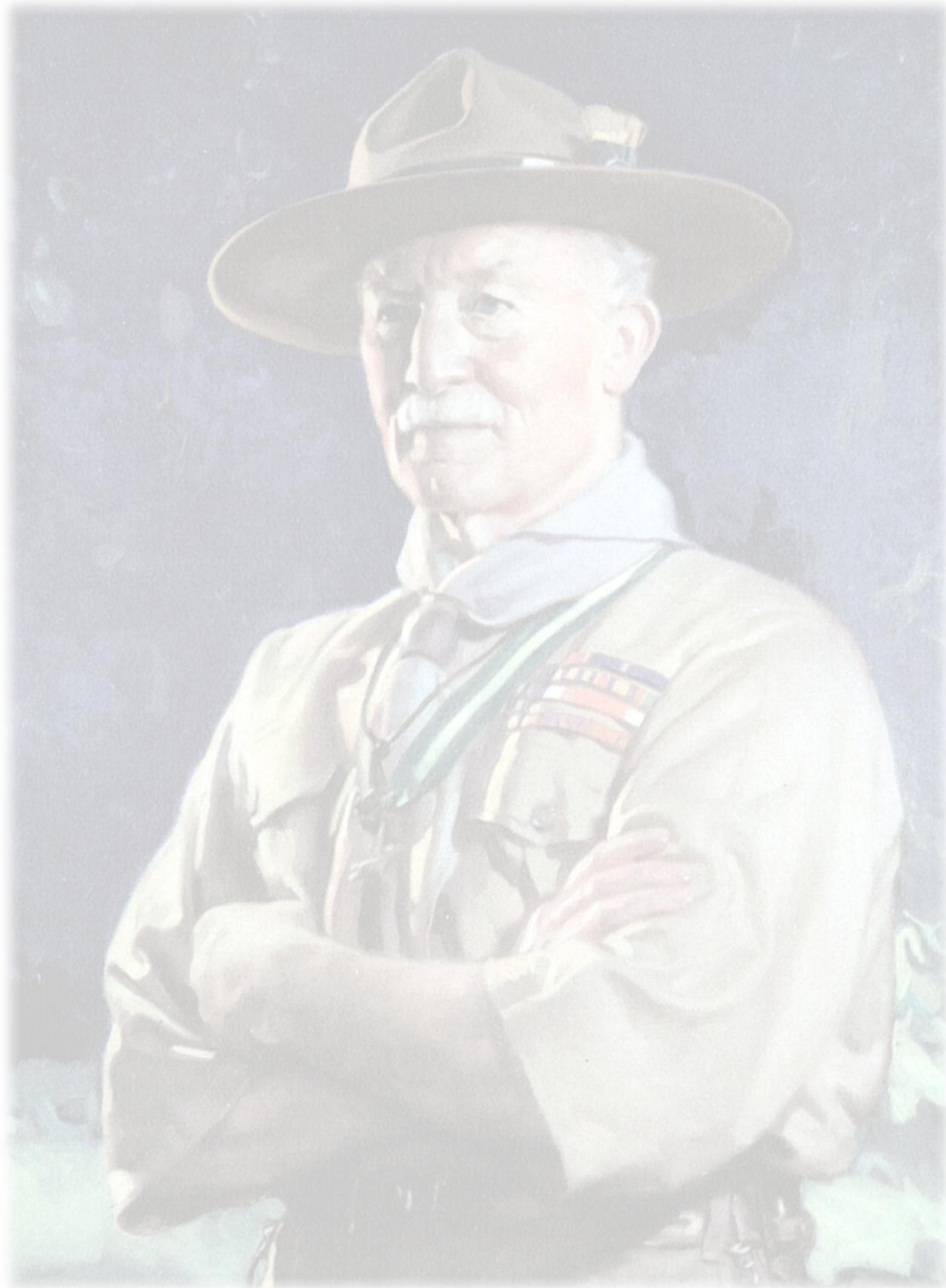




## 18x month Calendar Planning



**Mid and High Adventure is critical for retaining Scouts by providing challenging, memorable, and adventurous outdoor experiences.**





## Why This Order Works

It builds:

- Physical endurance gradually
- Increasing independence
- Progressive leadership demand
- Anticipation (“earn your way up” culture)

**“High Adventure is what we do here.”**

- Building confidence, leadership, and resilience through progressive high adventure.
- Not just trips — **INTENTIONAL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT.**

## Retention Impact Strategy

At each Court of Honor:

- Publicly announce next 2 years of HA
- Let younger Scouts see the path
- Recognize HA alumni

Create culture:

“High Adventure is what we do here.”

## Adult Planning Timeline

- **24 months out:** Reserve Philmont
- **18 months out:** Reserve Sea Base / Northern Tier
- **12 months out:** Begin physical prep
- **6 months out:** Monthly HA skill sessions



| Months  | Event                                                                 | Merit Badges                                   | Cost                |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| DEC-FEB | Snow Camping                                                          | backpacking + Camping* completes a Requirement | ---                 |
| DEC-FEB | PA or WV Skiing                                                       | Snow Sports + Camping*                         | \$100-300           |
| JAN     |                                                                       |                                                |                     |
| March   | Backpacking GW+TJ Nat Park                                            | Backpacking, Camping, Nature, Orienteering     | \$30                |
| April   | Wilderness Survival                                                   | Wilderness Survival + Backpacking              | \$30                |
| April   | Guided <i>Fly</i> Fishing                                             | Fly Fishing, Camping, pioneering               | \$175               |
| May     | Canoeing + Camping                                                    | Camping + Canoeing                             | \$25                |
| June    | Scout Camp (Raven Knob)                                               | 3-5 Merit Badges                               |                     |
| July    | Adventure Camping event<br><i>(Sea base, civilian vic, Summit Ex)</i> | None // Camp Boddie / Pamlico                  | TBD/<br>\$2800-1300 |
| July    | White water rafting                                                   | Backpacking/camping                            | \$100               |
| AUG     | Indian Lore camping                                                   | Backpacking + Indian Lore, cooking             | TBD                 |
| SEPT    | Rock Climbing / Rappelling camping                                    | Climbing + backpacking, pioneering             | \$150               |
| OCT     | Bicycle Camping                                                       | Cycling + Camping                              |                     |
| NOV     | Mountainous strenuous backpacking                                     | Backpacking + Camping                          |                     |
| NOV     | Orienteering /                                                        | Backpacking, Camping + Orienteering            | TBD                 |
| DEC     | Northern Tier Winter                                                  | Camping, Snowshoeing, ice fishing              | \$1500              |





JAN

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OCT

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DEC

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Merit Badge University Season

Local

w.Va

WVa

NOVA

'27

Snow / Skiing  
/ Snowshoes

WVa

James River  
State Park

West VA

OR

Wva

Whitewater Rafting

NOVA

Merit Badge University Season

'28

Snow / Skiing  
/ Snowshoes

Torry Ridge Hike  
See next slide

West VA

W.VA

Whitewater Rafting

W.Va

Merit Badge University Season

'29

Snow / Skiing  
/ Snowshoes

WVa

PHILMONT

w.Va

West VA







Northern  
Tier

Philmont  
Scout  
Ranch

Summit  
Bechtel  
Reserve

Sea  
Base





| <u>Base</u>             | <u>Pure Fun</u> | <u>Challenge</u> | <u>Wilderness</u> | <u>Adrenaline</u> | <u>Prestige</u> |    |
|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|----|
| Sea Base<br>\$\$\$\$    | 2<br>★ ★ ★ ★ ★  | ★ ★              | ★ ★               | ★ ★ ★             | ★ ★ ★ ★         | 16 |
| ★ Philmont<br>\$\$\$    | 5<br>★ ★ ★ ★ ★  | ★ ★ ★ ★ ★        | ★ ★ ★ ★           | ★ ★               | ★ ★ ★ ★ ★       | 20 |
| Northern Tier<br>\$\$\$ | 4<br>★ ★ ★ ★    | ★ ★ ★ ★          | ★ ★ ★ ★ ★         | ★                 | ★ ★ ★ ★         | 19 |
| Summit<br>\$\$          | 3<br>★ ★ ★ ★    | ★ ★ ★            | ★                 | ★ ★ ★ ★           | ★ ★ ★ ★         | 18 |
| Raven Rock<br>\$        | 1<br>★ ★ ★      | ★ ★ ★            | ★ ★ ★             | ★                 | ★ ★             | 12 |



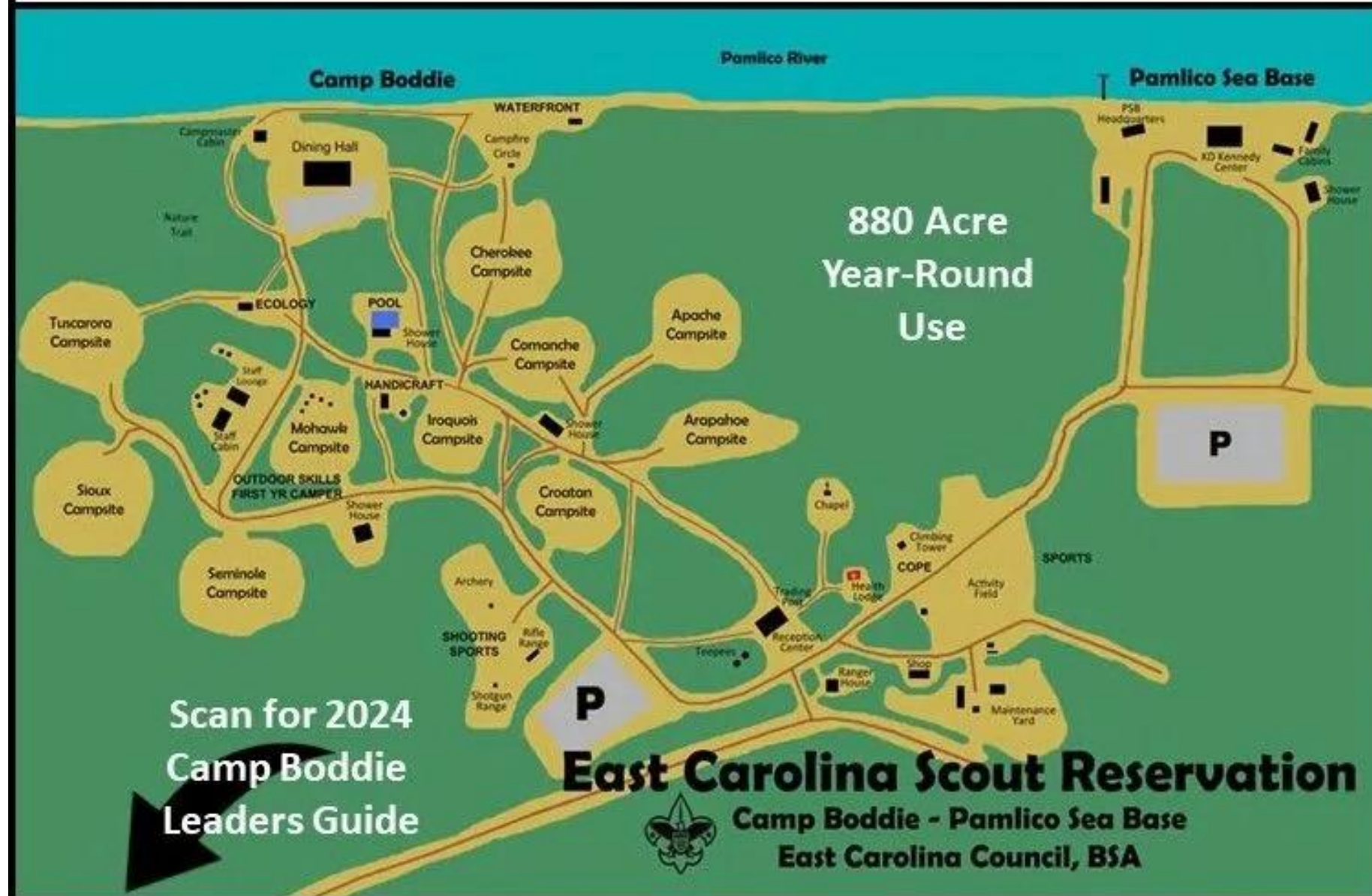
Higher is Better for adventure over cost





# A non-Expensive and Local High Adventure Sea Base

## Camp Boddie -- Pamlico Sea Base "A Premier Camping and High Adventure Experience"



Learn More at [www.eccbsa.org](http://www.eccbsa.org)  
Camp Boddie and Pamlico Sea Base  
419 Camp Bonner Boy Scout Rd  
Blounts Creek, NC 2814



Waterfront



CAMP BODDIE 2022 LEADERS GUIDE



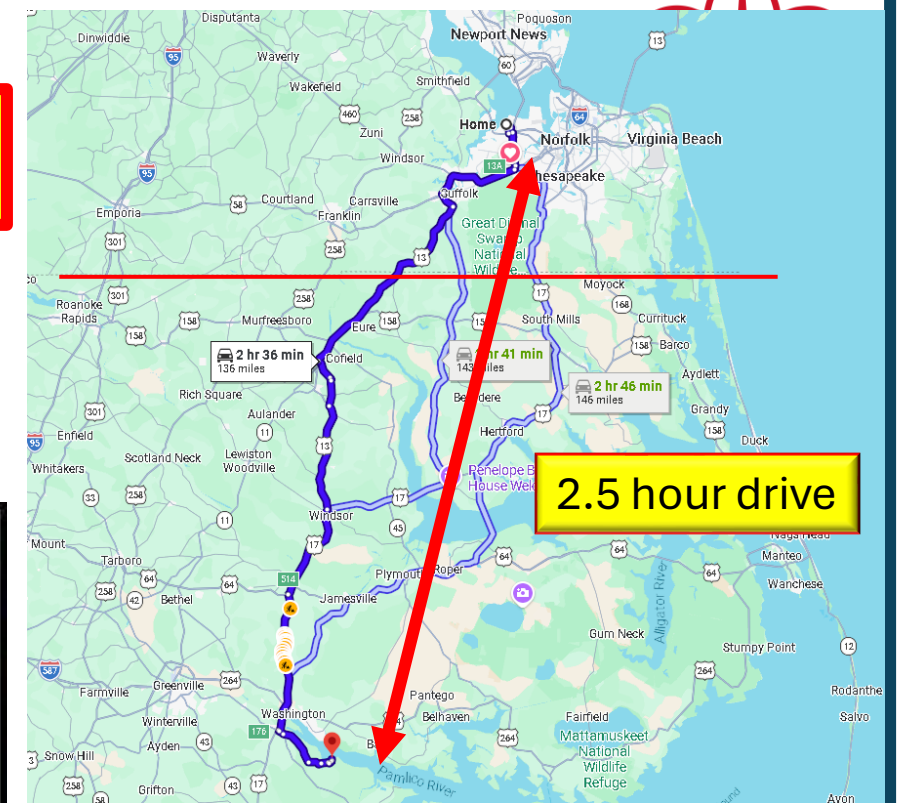
Leaders Guide



Merit Badges

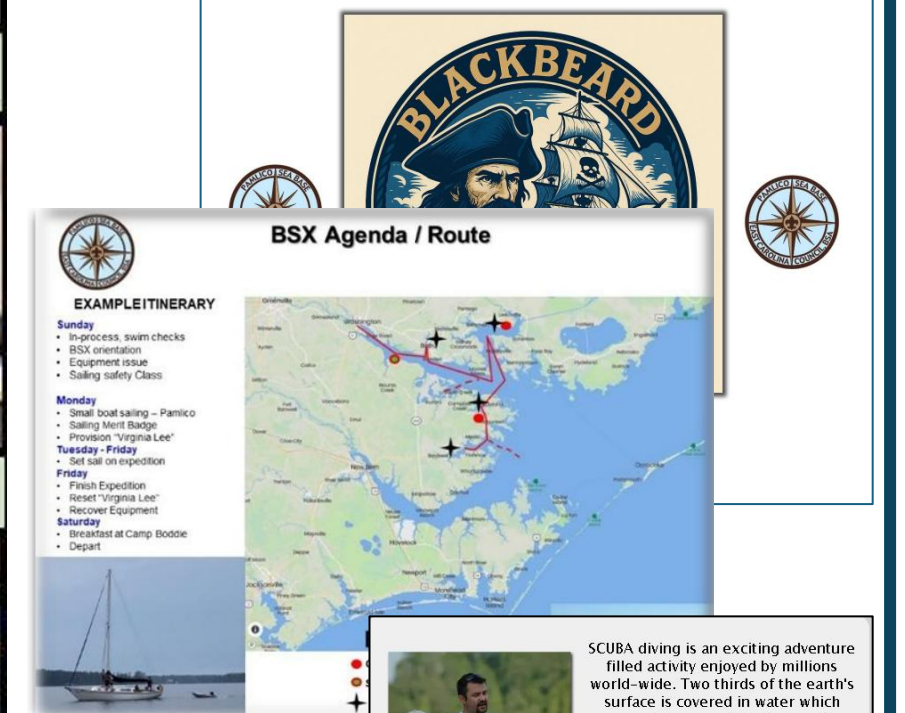


High Adventure



2.5 hour drive

## Pamlico Sea Base Blackbeard Sailing eXpedition (BSX) Leader's Guide



**BSX Agenda / Route**

**EXAMPLEITINERARY**

**Sunday**

- Supercross, swim checks
- BSX orientation
- Equipment issue
- Sailing safety Class

**Monday**

- Small boat sailing - Pamlico
- Sailing Merit Badge
- Provision "Virginia Lee"

**Tuesday - Friday**

- Set sail on expedition
- Finish Expedition
- Reset "Virginia Lee"
- Recover Equipment

**Saturday**

- Breakfast at Camp Boddie
- Depart

SCUBA diving is an exciting adventure filled activity enjoyed by millions world-wide. Two thirds of the earth's surface is covered in water which means there are lots of places to explore. SCUBA certification is for life so you can learn to dive now and dive for many years to come.

Week-long and weekend programs can be organized to fit your unit's needs. Program focuses on participants earning SCUBA Certification and SCUBA Merit Badge

Our instructors are fully certified dive professionals providing a complete open water SCUBA course.

We require participants to be at least 14 years old, be able to pass a simple swim test and have no significant medical problems.

Certain medical conditions exclude a participant from diving, these include seizure disorder, certain types of asthma, history of pneumothorax, diabetes and certain types of heart disease. The SCUBA medical form and questionnaire can be downloaded here:





2026 Pricing  
\$1,225/Person



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## Program Details

The Summit Experience is designed to be an incredible introductory or capstone high-adventure experience! Scouts and Scouters, while engaging in an array of thrilling activities, will interact with our top-notch staff and create memories that will last a lifetime. The Summit Experience includes the following activities:

- **Aerial sports (full day)**, including climbing, rappelling, and the Leap of Faith at the Rocks; the exhilarating Alexander's Eagle Flight (formerly known as the Big Zip); and the incredible canopy zip line tours
- **Mountain biking (half day)** on some of the hundreds of miles of mountain-biking trails on the property
- **Crafton Hunter's Hall (half day)**, an enlightening experience, where hunter education and conservation training and laser shot (simulated shooting range) in the Crafton Skills Center are offered
- **Range and target activities (full day)**, at Bows and Barrels, the high-adventure range and target venues at SBR, including archery, action archery, rifle, shotgun, and more, under the supervision and coaching of an expert staff
- **Wheeled sports (full day)**, including skateboarding and BMX activities at the Park and the Trax, some of the best venues for those activities in the country
- **Whitewater rafting (full day)** on the New River, the fourth-oldest river in the world, navigating and negotiating challenging rapids in the gorgeous setting of the New River Gorge







### Sample Scheduling Sequences for the Summit Experience 2026 season, updated 3 September 2025

Each troop or crew will be placed into a **program patrol**—a group of units that participate in the Summit Experience together under the guidance of a Summit staff member (Mountain Rover). Program patrol assignments are determined by factors such as registration date and unit size. Please note that we cannot accommodate most requests for specific scheduling or activity sequences.

## Registration Requirements

- Minimum five participants required.
- Two registered adult leaders required.
  - There must be a registered female adult leader 21 years of age or over in every unit serving females.

BY CREW SUMMER 13 YEARS + OPENS 18 MONTHS PRIOR TO TREK

## Skill Level

The Summit Experience is designed to be an incredible introduction to all the Summit Bechtel Reserve has to offer. There are no specific prerequisites or skills requirements for any Scout or Scouter (beyond health and safety considerations), and each program area has staff available to instruct and coach individuals at all skill levels.

| Monday                         | Tuesday                        | Wednesday        | Thursday          | Friday                |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Hunter Ed./<br>Mountain Biking | Range and Target<br>Activities | Aerial<br>Sports | Wheeled<br>Sports | Whitewater<br>Rafting |

Sequence II:

| Monday                | Tuesday                        | Wednesday                      | Thursday         | Friday            |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Whitewater<br>Rafting | Hunter Ed./<br>Mountain Biking | Range and Target<br>Activities | Aerial<br>Sports | Wheeled<br>Sports |

Sequence III:

| Monday            | Tuesday               | Wednesday                      | Thursday                       | Friday           |
|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Wheeled<br>Sports | Whitewater<br>Rafting | Hunter Ed./<br>Mountain Biking | Range and Target<br>Activities | Aerial<br>Sports |

Sequence IV:

| Monday           | Tuesday           | Wednesday             | Thursday                       | Friday                         |
|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Aerial<br>Sports | Wheeled<br>Sports | Whitewater<br>Rafting | Hunter Ed./<br>Mountain Biking | Range and Target<br>Activities |

Sequence V:

| Monday                         | Tuesday          | Wednesday         | Thursday              | Friday                         |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Range and Target<br>Activities | Aerial<br>Sports | Wheeled<br>Sports | Whitewater<br>Rafting | Hunter Ed./<br>Mountain Biking |

Other scheduling notes:

- Units check in on Sunday and depart on Saturday of the camp session
- There is an orientation and an opening ceremony on Sunday evening
- A variety of open evening program are offered throughout each session
- There is a closing ceremony on Friday evening

Please contact Onsite Programs Manager Johnny Tracy, at [johnny.tracy@scouting.org](mailto:johnny.tracy@scouting.org) or 901-489-6027, with any questions.

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\$1,225/Person**

## 2026 PROGRAM DATES

The Summit Experience sessions for 2026 are listed here. Each session begins on Sunday and ends on Saturday.

| SESSION | DATES (START AND END) |
|---------|-----------------------|
| Week 1  | June 7-13             |
| Week 2  | June 14-20            |
| Week 3  | June 21-27            |
| Week 4  | June 28-July 4        |
| Week 5  | July 5-11             |





Northern Tier is the premier high adventure for wilderness canoeing and winter camping offered by Scouting America, providing a unique experience in the rugged wilderness of the Great North American Canoe Country. Our programs are renowned for their challenging and rewarding wilderness canoeing and winter camping expeditions.



# Welcome To Northern Tier!

Explore The Wilderness







BRITISH COLUMBIA

Edmonton

Calgary

Vancouver

Canada

MANITOBA

SASKATCHEWAN

Winnipeg

ONTARIO

QUEBEC

NORTH DAKOTA

SOUTH DAKOTA

MINNESOTA

WISCONSIN

MICHIGAN

NEBRASKA

IOWA

ILLINOIS

INDIANA

KANSAS

MISSOURI

OHIO

WEST VIRGINIA

KENTUCKY

VIRGINIA

Washington

PENN

NEW YORK

Montreal

MAINE

VT

NH

MA

CT

RI

Boston

New York



Ely

- Located twenty miles outside of the **town of Ely, MN.**
- Available for **7 and 10 nights.**
- Ages of **14+.**
- Crew size **less than 8.**



Atikokan (**Canada**)

- Located an fifteen miles from the **town of Atikokan, Ontario.**
- Available for **8 and 10 nights.**
- Ages of **14+.**
- Crew size from **6 to 11.**

International  
Sprit Award



International Scouters  
Award



Interpreter Strip







## Treks At The Northern Tier

### Summer & Autumn Canoe Treks

#### Crew & Individual Treks Available

Northern Tier offers both crew and individual during the summer. Crew treks are group-oriented, providing a shared experience for Scouts from the same or different troops. Individual treks offer more independence, as Scouts are matched with existing crews that align with their interests and experience level. Both types of treks provide opportunities for Scouts to experience the wilderness, develop skills, and create lasting memories.

**CANOEING**

**WILDERNESS EXPLORATION**

**CAMPING**







## Winter Options

**\*\* no Bugs \*\***



## Interpreter Strip



**Lots of Summer BUGS**

**Summer Options**



**International Scouters Award**



**International Spirit Award**





## Winter Adventure Treks

### Crew & Individual Treks Available

Northern Tier winter treks offer a unique and challenging experience for Scouts. These treks involve winter camping in extreme temperatures, and learning the skills to do so safely while having fun. With a focus on learning skills for winter environments, scouts learn to thrive in the cold and take advantage of all the fun winter opportunities.

#### CROSS-COUNTRY SKI



#### SNOWSHOE



#### ICE FISH







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# Welcome To Sea Base!

## Dive Into Adventure

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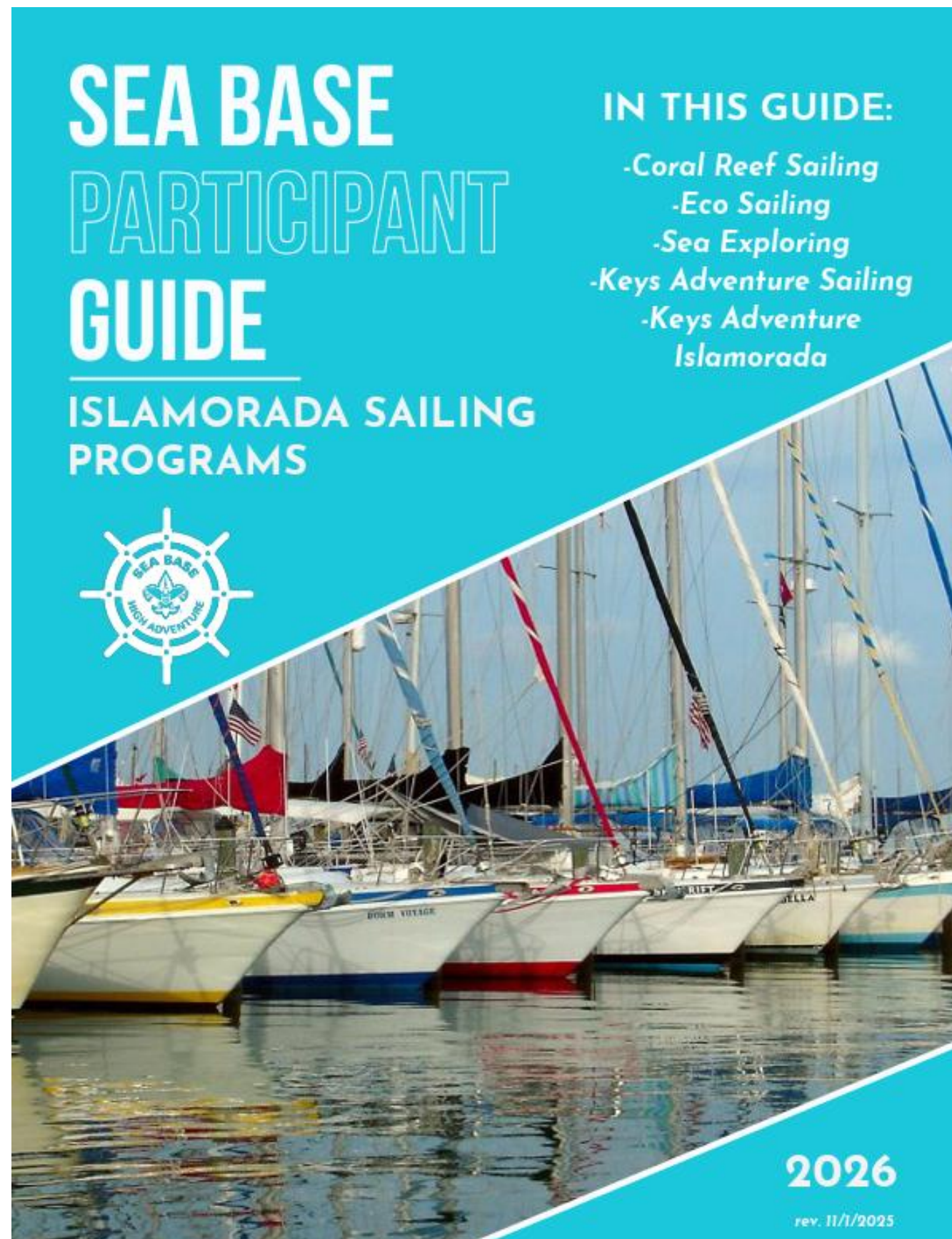
## NON-SCUBA High Adventures

Sailing, kayaking, snorkeling, and fishing

# ISLAMORADA SAILING QUICK REFERENCE

### PROGRAMS IN THIS GUIDE:

| Program                   | Max Crew Size | # of Days         |
|---------------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Coral Reef Sailing (CR)   | 8             | 6 days - 5 nights |
| ECO Sailing (ES)          | 12            | 6 days - 5 nights |
| Keys Adv. Islamorada (KI) | 8             | 6 days - 5 nights |
| Key Adv. Sailing (KS)     | 8             | 6 days- 5 nights  |
| Sea Exploring (SE)        | 20            | 7 days- 6 nights  |







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## **NON-SCUBA High Adventures**

### **Sailing, kayaking, snorkeling, and fishing**

OVERVIEW Sea Base Coral Reef Adventure participants will set sail into the most diverse ecosystem in North America. The Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary is home to thousands of underwater species including dolphins, sea turtles, fish, and Florida's Coral Reef. Setting sail from beautiful Islamorada, Florida crews will embark on the adventure of a lifetime. **We make every attempt to have sailing, snorkeling, and fishing a part of every day.**

### CORAL REEF SAILING SCHEDULE

| CORAL REEF SAILING SCHEDULE |                         |                                                                                                       |                   |                   |                   |                                                                                 |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                             | Day One<br>(Arrival)    | Day Two                                                                                               | Day Three         | Day Four          | Day Five          | Day Six<br>(Departure)                                                          |
| AM                          |                         | Breakfast on boat                                                                                     | Breakfast on boat | Breakfast on boat | Breakfast on boat | Breakfast on boat                                                               |
|                             |                         | Days at Sea: sailing, fishing, snorkeling<br>*Midweek stop is variable, but will be one of these days |                   |                   |                   | Return to dock between 8:30-9:30am<br><br>Depart Sea Base no later than 11:00am |
| Noon                        |                         | Lunch on boat                                                                                         | Lunch on boat     | Lunch on boat     | Lunch on boat     |                                                                                 |
| PM                          | Check in: 1:00pm-3:00pm | Days at Sea: sailing, fishing, snorkeling<br>*Midweek stop is variable, but will be one of these days |                   |                   |                   |                                                                                 |
|                             | Dinner on boat          | Dinner on boat                                                                                        | Dinner on boat    | Dinner on boat    | Dinner on boat    |                                                                                 |







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## Sailing, kayaking, snorkeling, and fishing

**OVERVIEW** Eco Sailing participants will set sail from Islamorada for John Pennekamp State Park located in Key Largo. En route, participants will **snorkel, fish, and kayak** while discovering the most diverse ecosystem in North America. The Florida National Marine Sanctuary and Florida's Coral Reef are home to thousands of underwater species, birds, and mammals. Crews for Eco Sailing Adventure will be split between two 40-to-45-foot vessels that will follow a joint float plan throughout the course of

### ECO SAILING ADVENTURE SCHEDULE

| ECO SAILING ADVENTURE SCHEDULE |                         |                                                                                                                               |                   |                   |                   |                        |                                                                                 |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                | Day One<br>(Arrival)    | Day Two                                                                                                                       | Day Three         | Day Four          | Day Five          | Day Six<br>(Departure) |                                                                                 |
| AM                             |                         | Breakfast on boat                                                                                                             | Breakfast on boat | Breakfast on boat | Breakfast on boat | Breakfast on boat      |                                                                                 |
|                                |                         | Days at Sea: sailing, fishing, snorkeling & an eco-kayak tour<br><br>*Midweek stop is variable, but will be one of these days |                   |                   |                   |                        | Return to dock between 8:30-9:30am<br><br>Depart Sea Base no later than 11:00am |
| Noon                           |                         | Lunch on boat                                                                                                                 | Lunch on boat     | Lunch on boat     | Lunch on boat     |                        |                                                                                 |
| PM                             | Check in: 1:00pm-3:00pm | Days at Sea: sailing, fishing, snorkeling & an eco-kayak tour<br><br>*Midweek stop is variable, but will be one of these days |                   |                   |                   |                        |                                                                                 |
|                                | Dinner on boat          | Dinner on boat                                                                                                                | Dinner on boat    | Dinner on boat    | Dinner on boat    |                        |                                                                                 |







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## NON-SCUBA High Adventures

### Sailing, kayaking, snorkeling, and fishing

OVERVIEW Keys Adventure Islamorada participants, led by a Sea Base Mate, can expect to explore the Florida Keys through a few different mediums. Crews will fish from one of our 28 ft. fishing vessels, spend time sailing the beautiful Florida waters, spend two full days snorkeling, and paddle among protected mangroves. Crews participating in Keys Adventure Islamorada will be **spending their nights in air-conditioned dormitories at Sea Base Islamorada**. If you're looking for a sampling of what the Keys have to offer, look no

| KEYS ADVENTURE ISLAMORADA SCHEDULE |                            |                             |                             |                             |                             |                                                                                        |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                    | Day One (Arrival)          | Day Two                     | Day Three                   | Day Four                    | Day Five                    | Day Six (Departure)                                                                    |
| AM                                 |                            | Flags                       | Flags                       | Flags                       | Flags                       | Flags                                                                                  |
|                                    |                            | Breakfast                   | Breakfast                   | Breakfast                   | Breakfast                   | Breakfast                                                                              |
| Noon                               |                            | Activity 1<br>8:45am-4:30pm | Activity 2<br>8:45am-4:30pm | Activity 3<br>8:45am-4:30pm | Activity 4<br>8:45am-4:30pm | Crews may leave Base as early as travel dictates, but must leave no later than 11:00am |
|                                    |                            | (Packed Lunch)              | (Packed Lunch)              | (Packed Lunch)              | (Packed Lunch)              |                                                                                        |
| PM                                 | Check in:<br>1:00pm-3:00pm |                             |                             |                             |                             |                                                                                        |
|                                    | Flags                      | Flags                       | Flags                       | Flags                       | Flags                       |                                                                                        |
|                                    | Dinner                     | Dinner                      | Dinner                      | Dinner                      | Luau                        |                                                                                        |
|                                    | Orientation                | Evening Program             | Evening Program             | Evening Program             | Luau Dinner                 |                                                                                        |

**Summer & Spring:** Please plan to arrive between 1:00pm-3:00pm to take full advantage of your adventure.







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## NON-SCUBA High Adventures

### Sailing, kayaking, snorkeling, and fishing

OVERVIEW Keys Adventure Sailing begins with **days snorkeling, kayaking, fishing, and learning about sailing**. During the first part of this adventure, crews will be housed in *our glamping-style tents with bunk beds and air conditioning*. *On day 4 of the adventure, crews will embark on their adventure at sea*. During this portion of the adventure, **crews will sail, snorkel and fish** in the beautiful

| KEYS ADVENTURE SAILING SCHEDULE |                         |                           |                           |                                                    |                                           |                                                                                   |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                 | Day One (Arrival)       | Day Two                   | Day Three                 | Day Four                                           | Day Five                                  | Day Six (Departure)                                                               |
| AM                              |                         | Flags                     | Flags                     | Flags                                              | Breakfast on boat                         | Return to dock between 8:30am-9:30am<br><br>Depart Sea Base no later than 11:00am |
|                                 |                         | Breakfast                 | Breakfast                 | Breakfast                                          | Day at Sea: fishing, sailing & snorkeling |                                                                                   |
|                                 |                         | Activity 1 8:45am-11:45am | Activity 3 8:45am-11:45am | Assigned Cleaning<br><br>Board sailboat by 10:30am |                                           |                                                                                   |
| Noon                            |                         |                           | Lunch                     | Lunch                                              | Lunch on boat                             | Lunch on boat                                                                     |
| PM                              | Check in: 1:00pm-3:00pm | Activity 2 12:45pm-4:30pm | Activity 4 12:45pm-4:30pm | Day at Sea: fishing, Sailing & snorkeling          | Day at Sea: fishing, sailing & snorkeling |                                                                                   |
|                                 | Flags                   | Flags                     | Flags                     |                                                    |                                           |                                                                                   |
|                                 | Dinner                  | Dinner                    | Dinner                    |                                                    |                                           |                                                                                   |
|                                 |                         | Orientation               | Evening Program           | Evening Program                                    | Dinner on boat                            | Dinner on boat                                                                    |

**Summer Crews:** This adventure is only offered in the summer. Please plan to arrive between 1:00pm-3:00pm to take





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**Captain's Club:** Available to both Scuba Live Aboard & Reef Trek Participants. limited number of Florida Sea Base participants will have the opportunity to earn the Captain's Club Award. Patches are available for purchase at the [Sea Base Ship Store](#). Learn more here: [Captain's Club Award](#).



## NON-SCUBA High Adventures

### Sailing, kayaking, snorkeling, and fishing

Setting sail from Key West, Sea Exploring participants will discover waters **once inhabited by the native Calusa, Pirates and Privateers**. In addition to sailing aboard a large schooner, participants will fish and snorkel the waters of the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary and Florida's Coral Reef teeming with thousands of underwater species including dolphin, fish, manatee, and sea turtles. *Crews may also visit Key West to explore one of the most unique cities in America*

#### SEA EXPLORING SCHEDULE

|      | Day One (Arrival)       | Day Two                                                                     | Day Three                                  | Day Four          | Day Five          | Day Six                                                                                             | Day Seven (Departure)                                                                               |
|------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| AM   |                         | Flags                                                                       | Breakfast on boat                          | Breakfast on boat | Breakfast on boat | Breakfast on boat                                                                                   | Flags                                                                                               |
|      |                         | Breakfast<br>Load gear & provisions<br>Sea Base transports crew to Key West | Days at Sea: sailing, fishing & snorkeling |                   |                   | Return to dock, clean boat<br>Sea Base transport picks up crew around 11:30am to return to Sea Base | Breakfast<br>Crews may leave Base as early as travel dictates, but must leave no later than 11:00am |
| Noon |                         | Lunch on boat                                                               | Lunch on boat                              | Lunch on boat     | Lunch on boat     |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                     |
| PM   | Check in: 1:00pm-3:00pm | Days at Sea: sailing, fishing, snorkeling                                   |                                            |                   |                   | Time for showers, laundry & to visit Ship Store                                                     |                                                                                                     |
|      | Flags                   |                                                                             |                                            |                   |                   | Flags                                                                                               |                                                                                                     |
|      | Dinner                  | Dinner on boat                                                              | Dinner on boat                             | Dinner on boat    | Dinner on boat    | Luau Dinner                                                                                         |                                                                                                     |





# SCUBA High Adventures

## SEA BASE PARTICIPANT GUIDE SCUBA PROGRAMS

### IN THIS GUIDE:

- SCUBA Adventure
- SCUBA Certification
- SCUBA Advanced Marine
- SCUBA Liveaboard
- Reef Trek



## HEALTH & SAFETY

### Absolute Medical Contradictions for Scuba Diving

#### Absolute medical contradictions for scuba diving:

- Asthma
- Epilepsy / Seizures
- Insulin dependent diabetes
- Anxiety requiring medication
- Narcolepsy
- Spontaneous pneumothorax
- Exceeding the weight limit of 295 pounds
- Multiple (more than one) medication for ADD, ADHD or depression
- Blood thinners
- Migraines with auras
- Hearing loss in one ear

#### Risk factors include, but are not limited to:

- Ear and sinus problems
- Sickle-cell disease
- Recent surgery
- Pregnancy
- Chemotherapy
- Panic disorders
- Leukemia
- Active psychosis
- Certain medications
- Migraines requiring medication
- Blood thinning medication
- Pacemakers

**NOTE:** For additional information read the detailed description on the following pages. Not every disqualifying medical condition for Scouting America scuba diving is listed. If you require further clarification regarding an unlisted medical condition and scuba diving with the Scouting America, please contact the Sea Base Scuba Department.







# HEALTH & SAFETY

## SCUBA High Adventures

### Asthma & Reactive Airway Disease:

Diving as part of an official scouting activity is prohibited for persons being treated for asthma or reactive airway disease.

- Persons with a history of asthma who have been asymptomatic and have not used medications to control asthma for five years or more may be allowed to scuba dive if resolution of asthma is specifically confirmed by their physician and includes provocative pulmonary function testing conducted by a pulmonologist.
  - o Provocative testing can include exercise, hypertonic saline, a hyperpnea test, etc.

**Participants, youth or adult, with asthma will not be cleared to scuba dive. The predisposing factors, severity of attacks or intermittent asthma does not change this Scouting America policy. Those that are currently scuba certified or have a physician's approval for scuba diving will not be cleared to scuba dive at Sea Base. There are no exceptions, exclusions or waivers to this policy.**

### Psychological and Emotional Difficulties (ADD, ADHD, anxiety and depression):

Any condition should be well controlled.

- Diving as part of an official scouting activity is prohibited for:
  - o Participants taking more than one medication for any of these conditions.
  - o Participants with anxiety disorder requiring any medication.

**Several medications are NOT COMPATIBLE with the hyperbaric stresses of scuba diving. All medications MUST be listed on the Scouting America Annual Health and Medical Record. Those participants on multiple medications (more than one) for ADD, ADHD, Depression or any psychological condition will not be cleared for scuba diving. Those participants requiring medication to control Anxiety will not be cleared for scuba diving. There are no exceptions, exclusions or waivers to this policy.**

### Concussions:

Those participants who have suffered a concussion and any side effects from the concussion should contact DAN and Sea Base to discuss this issue. Please provide the following information on the Scouting America Medical:

1. When did the injury occur?
2. Was there any loss of consciousness, inability to recollect events?





# SCUBA High Adventures



## SCUBA QUICK REFERENCE

### PROGRAMS IN THIS GUIDE:

| Program                    | Max Crew Size   | # of Days         |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Scuba Adventure (SA)       | 8               | 7 days - 6 nights |
| SCUBA Certification (SC)   | 8               | 7 days - 6 nights |
| Scuba Advanced Marine (SM) | 12              | 7 days - 6 nights |
| Scuba Liveabaord (SL & LA) | LA- 6<br>SL- 12 | 6 days- 5 nights  |
| Reef Trek (RT)             | 8               | 6 days- 5 nights  |

The Scuba Adventure program is an exciting diving adventure. **Focused on improving your crew's scuba diving skills** and learning about our ocean environment, crews will spend their days diving on the only living coral barrier reef in the continental United States. Diving from one of our Newton Dive boats, crews will board the vessel in the morning after breakfast, dive and eat lunch out on the water and return just before dinner is served on Base. Provided optimal conditions, your crew will participate in as many as **11 open water dives** while at Sea Base, including one night dive.

### Scuba Adventure Tentative Schedule

|         | Day 1                                                                                         | Day 2                                                  | Day 3                                              | Day 4                                              | Day 5                                              | Day 6                                              | Departure |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|-----------|
|         |                                                                                               | Breakfast                                              | Breakfast                                          | Breakfast                                          | Breakfast                                          | Breakfast                                          | Breakfast |
| AM      |                                                                                               | Pool Skills Review (if necessary)<br>Navigation Skills |                                                    |                                                    |                                                    |                                                    | Depart    |
|         |                                                                                               | Lunch                                                  | Open Water Dives 3 & 4                             | Open Water Dives 5 & 6                             | Open Water Dives 8 & 9                             | Open Water Dives 10 & 11                           |           |
| PM      | Check In<br>1-3 PM<br>Room Assignment<br>Issue Equipment<br>Pool Skills Review<br>Swim Review | Dives 1 & 2                                            | Scouting America Snorkel<br>Lunch onboard the boat | Scouting America Snorkel<br>Lunch onboard the boat | Scouting America Snorkel<br>Lunch onboard the boat | Scouting America Snorkel<br>Lunch onboard the boat |           |
|         | Dinner                                                                                        | Dinner                                                 | Dinner                                             | Dinner                                             | Dinner                                             |                                                    |           |
| Evening | Orientation                                                                                   | Presentation:<br>Dive Against Debris                   | Presentation:<br>Fish Identification               | Night Dive<br>Dive 7                               | Presentation:<br>Shark Awareness                   | Luau                                               |           |







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The Scuba Live Aboard Adventure is a well-rounded scuba diving adventure. As one of the more diverse scuba programs offered at Sea Base, **crews will spend their days sailing, fishing and scuba diving on board one of Sea Base's Scuba Live Aboard sailing vessels (crews will be split onto two boats)**. During this adventure crews can expect to learn about our ocean environment and dive on the only living coral barrier reef in the continental United States. Scuba Live Aboard boats are working vessels. Your crew, youth and adults, will learn what it is to crew aboard a vessel. The elected Youth Crew Leader will assign duties to youth and adult crew members, which will include preparing meals, cleaning the boat- including the head, anchor watch, and any other duties assigned by the captain.

### Scuba Live Aboard Tentative Schedule

|         | Day 1                                                                             | Day 2            | Day 3                                        | Day 4            | Day 5            | Day 6     |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------|
|         |                                                                                   | Breakfast        | Breakfast                                    | Breakfast        | Breakfast        | Breakfast |
| AM      | Check In<br>9:00-10:00 am<br>Issue Equipment<br>Pool Skills Review<br>Swim Review | Open Water Dives | Open Water Dives<br>Scouting America Snorkel | Open Water Dives | Open Water Dives | Departure |
| PM      | Provision Vessel<br>Load Vessel<br>Depart Sea Base                                | Open Water Dives |                                              |                  |                  |           |
|         | Dinner                                                                            | Dinner           | Dinner                                       | Dinner           |                  |           |
| Evening |                                                                                   | Presentation     | Presentation                                 | Night Dive       |                  |           |

**Captain's Club:** Available to both Scuba Live Aboard & Reef Trek Participants. limited number of Florida Sea Base participants will have the opportunity to earn the Captain's Club Award. Patches are available for purchase at the [Sea Base Ship Store](#). Learn more here: [Captain's Club Award](#).





# SCUBA + Snorkelers High Adventures



## SCUBA QUICK REFERENCE

### PROGRAMS IN THIS GUIDE:

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| Scuba Advanced Marine (SM) | 12              | 7 days - 6 nights |
| Scuba Liveabaord (SL & LA) | LA- 6<br>SL- 12 | 6 days- 5 nights  |
| Reef Trek (RT)             | 8               | 6 days- 5 nights  |



**\$1,400 per person + travel costs**

| Reef Trek Adventure Tentative Schedule |                                                                                               |                                                                              |                                                                              |                                                                      |                                 |                                          |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
|                                        | Day 1                                                                                         | Day 2                                                                        | Day 3                                                                        | Day 4                                                                | Day 5                           | Day 6                                    |
|                                        |                                                                                               | Breakfast                                                                    | Breakfast                                                                    | Breakfast                                                            | Breakfast                       | Breakfast                                |
| AM                                     |                                                                                               |                                                                              |                                                                              |                                                                      |                                 |                                          |
|                                        |                                                                                               |                                                                              |                                                                              |                                                                      |                                 |                                          |
| PM                                     | Check In<br>1-3 PM<br>Room Assignment<br>Issue Equipment<br>Pool Skills Review<br>Swim Review | Open Water Dives 1 & 2<br>Scouting America Snorkel<br>Lunch onboard the boat | Open Water Dives 3 & 4<br>Scouting America Snorkel<br>Lunch onboard the boat | Board Vessel and depart Sea Base for sailing, snorkeling and fishing | Sailing, snorkeling and fishing | Arrive back to Sea Base<br><br>Departure |
|                                        |                                                                                               |                                                                              |                                                                              |                                                                      |                                 |                                          |
|                                        | Dinner                                                                                        | Dinner                                                                       | Dinner                                                                       | Dinner                                                               | Dinner                          |                                          |
|                                        | Orientation                                                                                   |                                                                              |                                                                              |                                                                      |                                 |                                          |

**2x Adults + 6x Scouts**

**Combined SCUBA + Snorkelers**

**Best  
Options**

Reef Trek! **Serving both certified SCUBA divers and snorkelers**, this *trek is perfect for units looking for the best of both our sailing and diving adventures*. The first two full days will be spent on a Sea Base Newton Dive Special **either scuba diving, if certified, or snorkeling** alongside the 6,000 other organisms and sea life in the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary! After that, your unit will set sail aboard one of our 40 ft sailing vessels to spend the rest of your week, sailing along as the wind blows (there will be no scuba option available aboard the sailboat). Three nights will be spent in air-conditioned dormitories. Two nights will be spent camping at sea, learning what it takes for overnight sailing aboard with your crew. **8 individuals. This number includes both youth and adult participants. Crews may not exceed the maximum number allowed.**

Accommodations: All Reef Trek participants will spend the **first two nights in the Sea Base dorms**. The **remaining nights** they will be **sleeping on board the sailing vessel**. Most participants choose to sleep under the stars instead of below deck. There may not be enough bunks below deck for everyone. It is a good idea to bring a sleeping pad and a light blanket. *Do not bring hammocks.*



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# 2026 Sea Base Adventures



## 4 Payment Schedule

Crews registering later than these due dates are required to become current with payments within 30 days of registering.

| Arrival/Check-in Location                                                                                                   | Code | Adventure                 | # of days       | Max Crew Size* | Total Fee per crew | \$350 Deposit per crew due upon making reservation | "30 Day Payment" per crew 10% of remaining balance due March 1, 2025 | "Half Payment" per crew 50% of remaining balance due November 1, 2025 | Final Payment per crew Remaining balance due 90 days prior to arrival date | Minimum Age Required | Seasons Offered        | Spring Arrival Days<br>Estimated Date Range<br>2/7/26- 4/21/26 | Summer Arrival Days<br>Estimated Date Range<br>5/11/26-8/19/26 | Winter Arrival Days<br>Estimated Date Range<br>12/27/26 - 12/29/26 | Crews Scheduled per day  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <br>The Florida Sea Base<br>Islamorada, FL | CR   | Coral Reef Sailing        | 6 days-5 nights | 8              | \$10,800           | \$350                                              | \$1,045                                                              | \$4,703                                                               | \$4,703                                                                    | 12                   | Spring, Summer, Winter | Sun, Mon, Tue, Sat                                             | Sun & Wed                                                      | Sat, Sun, Mon                                                      | 6 - Spring<br>8 - Summer |
|                                                                                                                             | KS   | Keys Adventure Sailing    | 6 days-5 nights | 8              | \$10,800           | \$350                                              | \$1,045                                                              | \$4,703                                                               | \$4,703                                                                    | 12                   | Summer                 | No Spring Crews                                                | Mon, Tue, Fri, Sat                                             | No Winter Crews                                                    | 6                        |
|                                                                                                                             | KI   | Keys Adventure Islamorada | 6 days-5 nights | 8              | \$10,800           | \$350                                              | \$1,045                                                              | \$4,703                                                               | \$4,703                                                                    | 12                   | Spring, Summer         | Sun, Sat                                                       | Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri, Sat                                   | No Winter Crews                                                    | 2                        |
|                                                                                                                             | RT   | Reef Trek                 | 6 days-5 nights | 8              | \$11,200           | \$350                                              | \$1,085                                                              | \$4,883                                                               | \$4,883                                                                    | 13                   | Summer                 | No Spring Crews                                                | Sun & Thu                                                      | No Winter Crews                                                    | 3                        |
|                                                                                                                             | ES   | Eco Sailing               | 6 days-5 nights | 12             | \$16,200           | \$350                                              | \$1,585                                                              | \$7,133                                                               | \$7,133                                                                    | 12                   | Spring, Summer         | Sun                                                            | Sat & Mon                                                      | No Winter Crews                                                    | 1                        |
|                                                                                                                             | SE   | Sea Exploring             | 7 days-6 nights | 20             | \$28,000           | \$350                                              | \$2,765                                                              | \$12,443                                                              | \$12,443                                                                   | 12                   | Spring, Summer, Winter | Sun                                                            | Sun                                                            | Sat                                                                | 1                        |

## Payment Due Dates

| Deposit Due Upon Registration                                                          | "30 Day Payment" Due Date                                         | "Half Payment" Due Date                                                | Final Payment Due Date                                                              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Non Refundable \$350 deposit per crew To "Lock-in" an adventure- due upon registration | The 30 Day Payment is 10% of remaining balance, due March 1, 2025 | The Half Payment is 50% of the remaining balance, due November 1, 2025 | The Final Payment is the full remaining balance, due 90 days prior to arrival date. |

Submit payments via electronic check at [www.bsaseabase.org/reservations](http://www.bsaseabase.org/reservations)

Units registering after the listed payment deadlines are required to become current with payments within 30 days of sign up.

\*Each crew must include a minimum of 2 adult leaders over the age of 21. Majority youth recommended, maximum adult to youth ratio is 1:1. Coed crews must have at least one female adult leader. Maximum crew size includes both adult leaders and youth members.

For minimum age requirement and other eligibility requirements, visit [www.bsaseabase.org/scouts/register/eligibility](http://www.bsaseabase.org/scouts/register/eligibility)

Disclaimer: BSA National High Adventure Bases set baseline pricing 12-24 months prior to attendance. Additional fuel, food, utilities or other surcharges may be required based on economic conditions, increased costs, and other factors.







# Cost Management Plan

- 18–24 month notice
- Monthly payment plans
- Fundraising options
- Transparent cost tracking
- No surprise deadlines





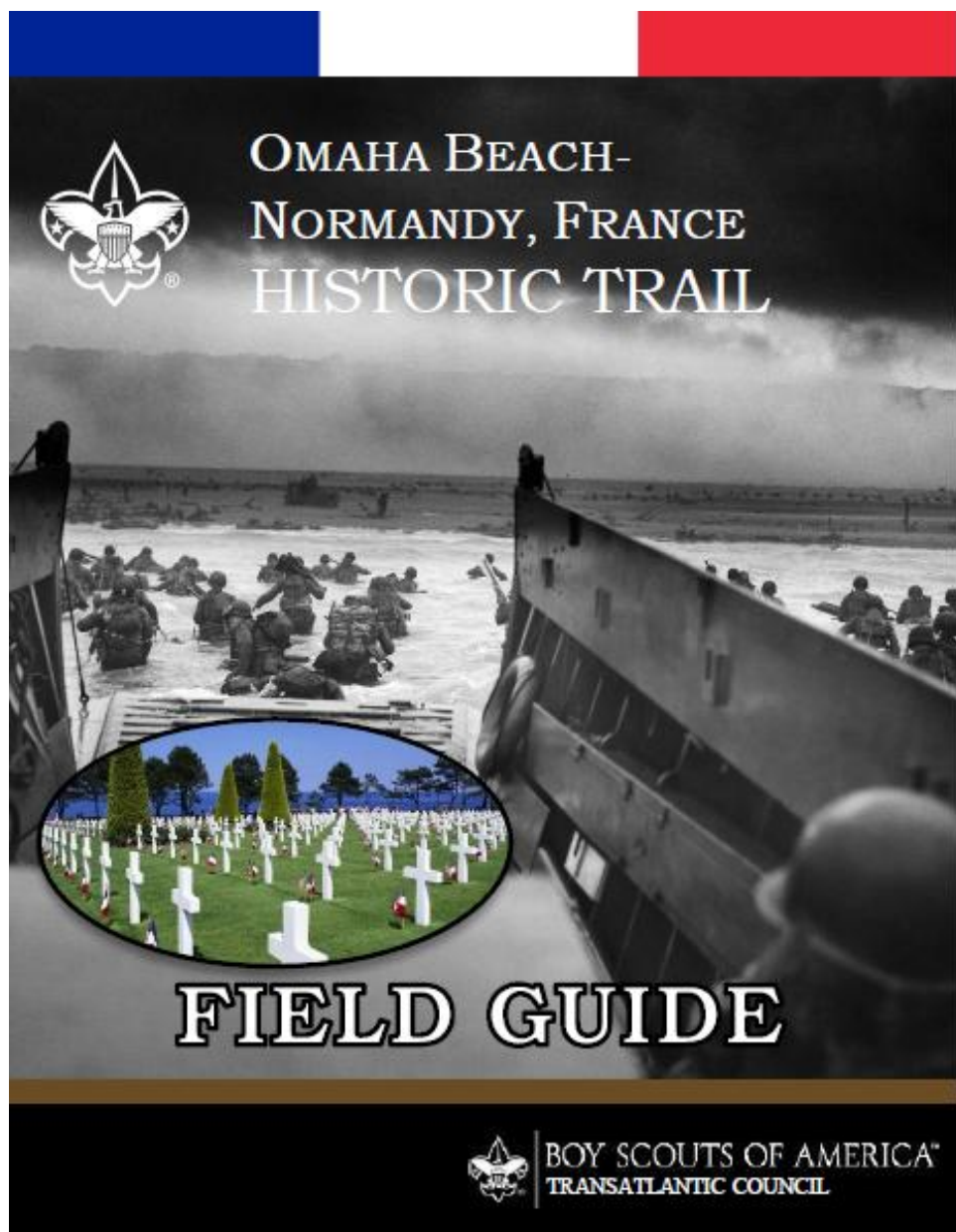
## What We Ask: Committee, Scout Adult Leadership, and Parental Support

- Encourage participation
- Support preparation
- Communicate early
- Coach the Scout-led model of Leadership

High Adventure builds capable young adults.







| Sun                               | Mon                 | Tue                 | Wed                  | Thur                    | Fri                                   | Sat          |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Fly                               | Travel to Normandy  | Day-long D-Day Tour | Travel to Versailles | Arc de Triomphe         | Basilique du Sacré-Cœur de Montmartre | Fly          |
| Land 0830                         | Arrive Bayeux       |                     |                      | Thomas Jefferson's home |                                       | Land 2000hrs |
| Eiffel Tower                      | Tour Tapisserie     |                     |                      | Louvre                  | Notre Dame                            |              |
| Napolean Tomb<br>Musée de l'Armée |                     |                     | Travel to Paris      |                         |                                       |              |
| RON Hotel Ibis                    | RON Hotel Churchill |                     | RON Churchill        | RON Ibis                | RON Ibis                              | RON Ibis     |

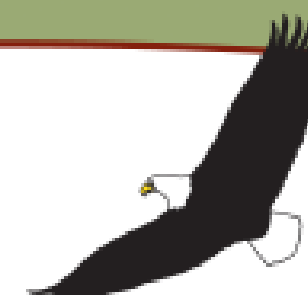






## Crow Pass Trail

Part of the Iditarod National Historic Trail in Chugach State Park



### Trail Description:

Trail ascends from the Crow Creek Trailhead through talus fields and mine ruins on its way to Crow Pass. As it descends from Crow Pass, the trail meanders through snowfields until the Clear Creek ford (no bridge). Brush and forest characterize the trail to the Eagle River ford site below Glacier Lake. The trail then follows Eagle River through forest on its path to the Nature Center. The full length of the trail generally takes two or more days, and can be traveled in either direction. Shorter day trips from either trailhead are possible.

### Special Features:

Trail follows historic Iditarod supply route. Mining ruins. Alpine lake near pass. Panoramic views of peaks and glaciers. Abundant wildlife. Established backcountry campsites with distances from Eagle River Nature Center: Rapids Camp (1.7 miles), Echo Bend (3 miles), Heritage Falls (5.5 miles), Icicle Creek (6 miles), Twin Falls (9 miles)

### Park Rules:

Fires are allowed in portable camp stoves, metal fire rings provided by the park, and on Eagle River gravel bars only. Camping is only allowed at designated sites, or over ½ mile from trailheads. Camping in an undeveloped area of a state park is limited to 10 consecutive days. Visit <http://dnr.alaska.gov/parks/units/chugach> for a complete set of park rules.

**Access:** Eagle River Nature Center or Crow Creek Trailhead in Girdwood

**Allowable Uses:** Hiking

**Distance:** 21 miles one way

**Elevation Gain:** 2,100 ft from Crow Creek Trailhead; 3,100 ft from Eagle River Nature Center

**Difficulty:** Easy to Difficult

### Safety and Considerations:

Crossing Eagle River can be dangerous and river temperatures are extremely cold! Know proper river fording techniques. It is recommended that you cross at the marked ford sites (white posts). Test depth with a walking stick. Choose your time; glacial rivers swell under hot sun or heavy rains, and are usually lowest during the early morning hours. Unfasten waist and chest straps, and loosen shoulder straps. When in doubt turn back the way you came. Be prepared for emergencies, carry a satellite phone, and file a trip plan with a friend. Use water purification techniques for drinking water to avoid contracting Giardiasis (beaver fever).

**Flight: \$400-900**

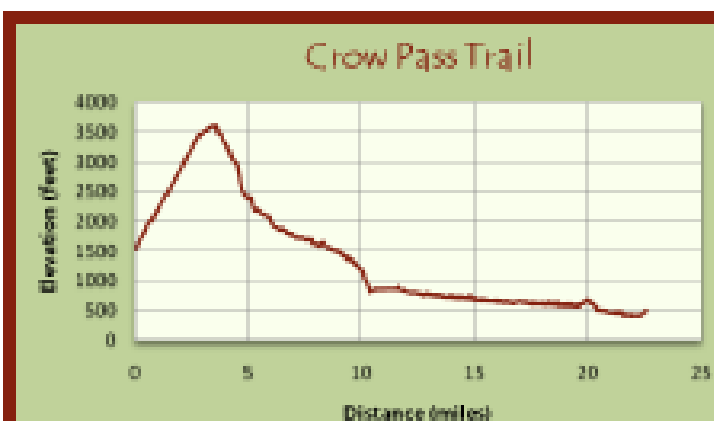
**Hotels: \$200**

**Vans: \$200**

**Food: \$ 300**

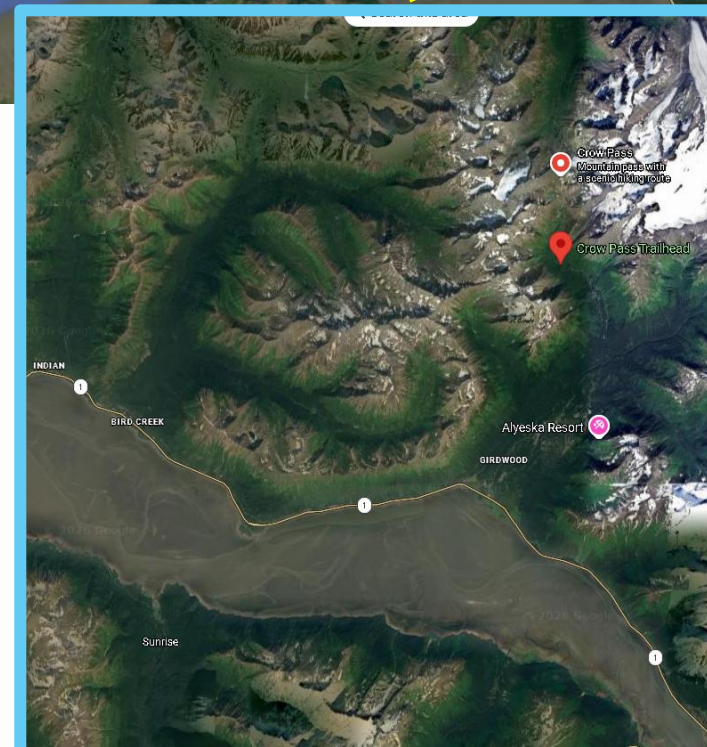
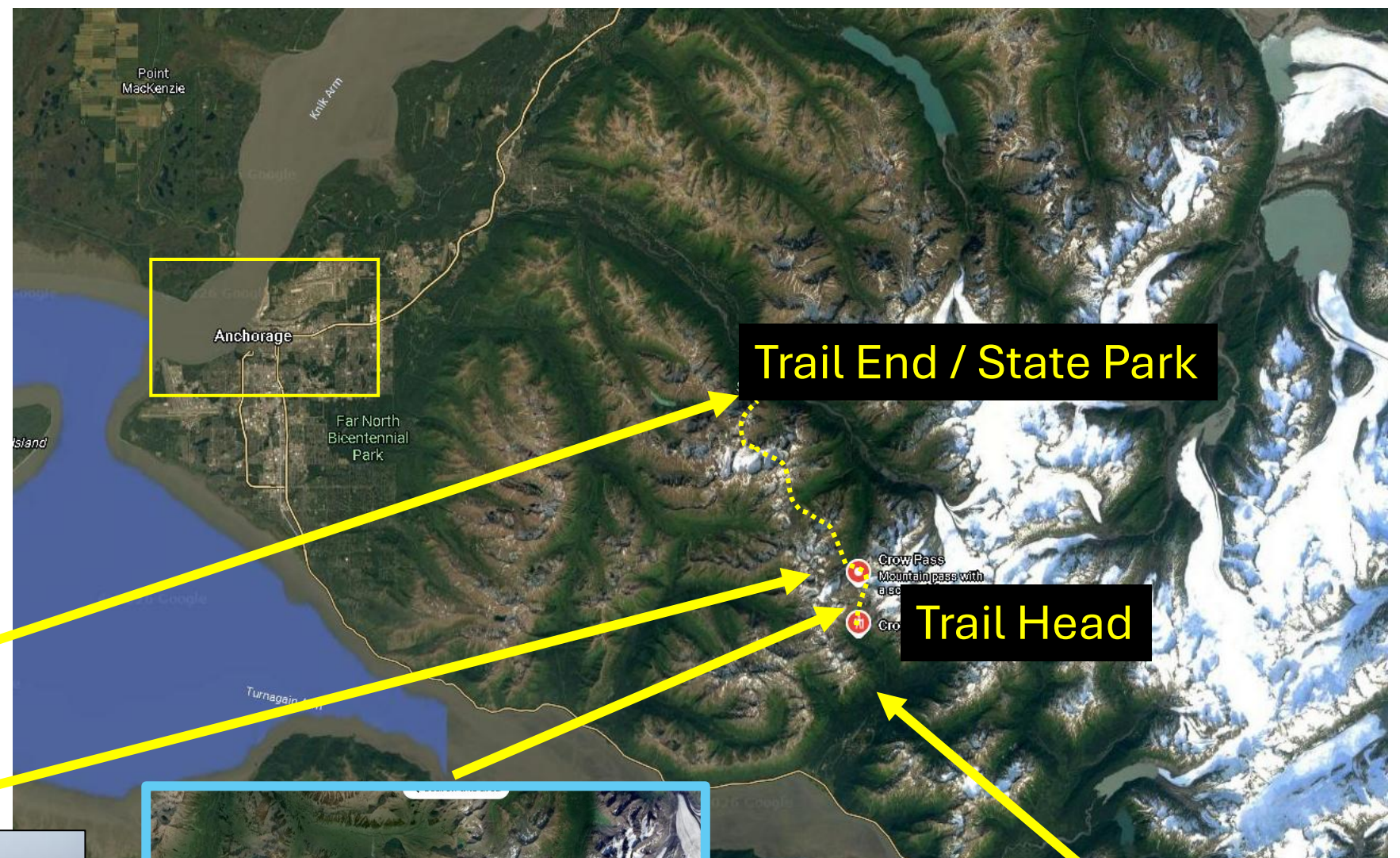
**Fishing: \$70**

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~ \$2,000

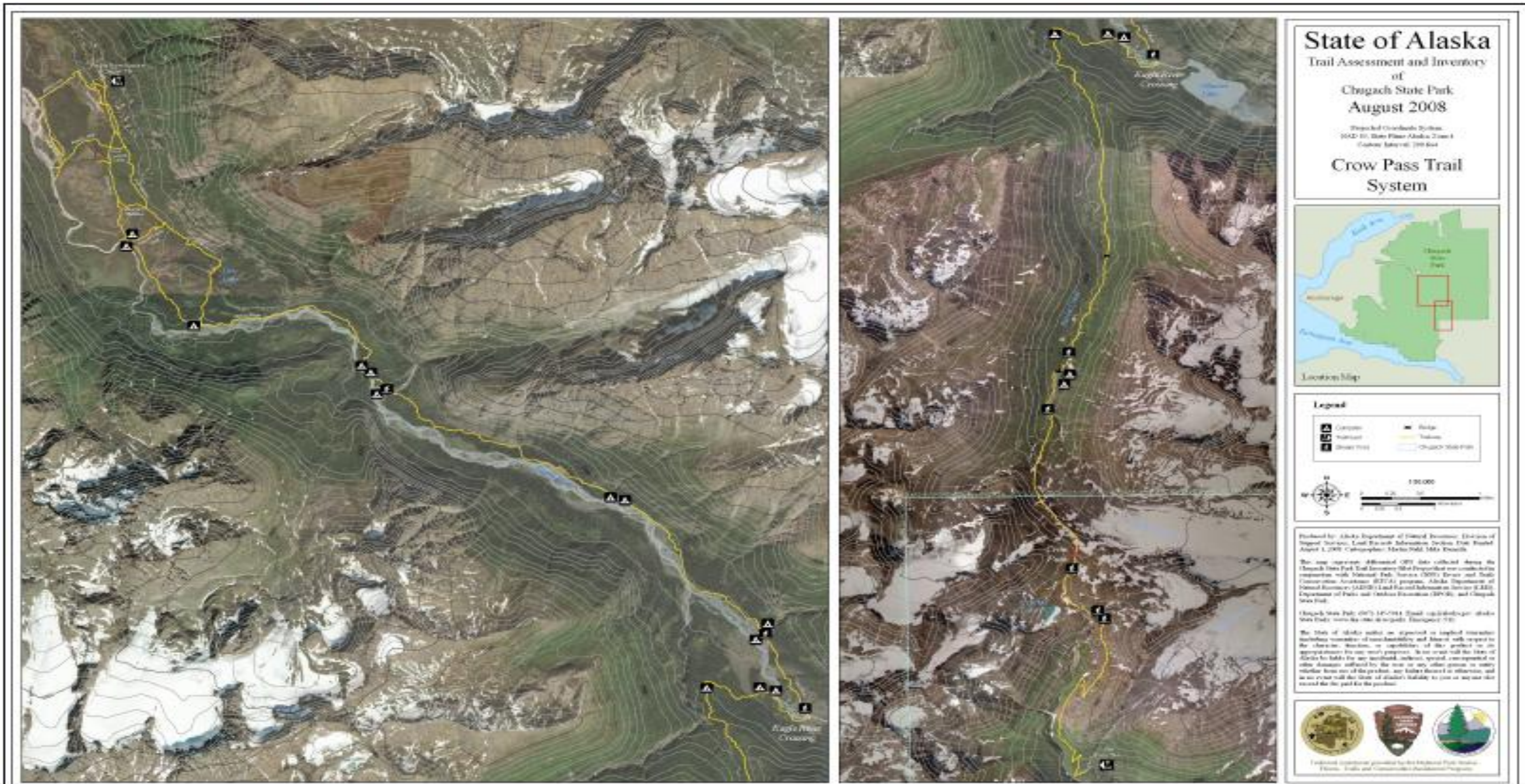


| Sun                               | Mon                                         | Tue                          | Wed                    | Thur                   | Fri                             | Sat                  |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|
|                                   |                                             | Move Vehicles                |                        |                        |                                 |                      |
| Fly                               | Hiking local State Park<br>(shopping- food) | <b>Begin Crow Pass Trail</b> | <b>Crow Pass Trail</b> | <b>Crow Pass Trail</b> | Salmon Fishing on Russian River |                      |
| Land 1500hrs                      |                                             |                              |                        |                        |                                 |                      |
| Dive to Eagle River               |                                             |                              |                        |                        |                                 |                      |
|                                   |                                             |                              |                        |                        |                                 | Fly home with Salmon |
|                                   |                                             |                              |                        | Finish Crow Pass       |                                 |                      |
|                                   |                                             |                              |                        | Drive To Russian River |                                 |                      |
| <b>RON Eagle River Campground</b> | <b>RON Camping</b>                          | <b>RON Camping</b>           | <b>RON Camping</b>     | <b>RON Camping</b>     | <b>RON Hotel</b>                |                      |









## Contact Information

Chugach State Park Headquarters  
Mile 115, Seward Highway  
(907) 345 - 5014  
[www.alaska.gov](http://www.alaska.gov)

Eagle River Nature Center  
Mile 12 Eagle River Road  
(907) 694 - 2108  
[www.alaska.gov](http://www.alaska.gov)



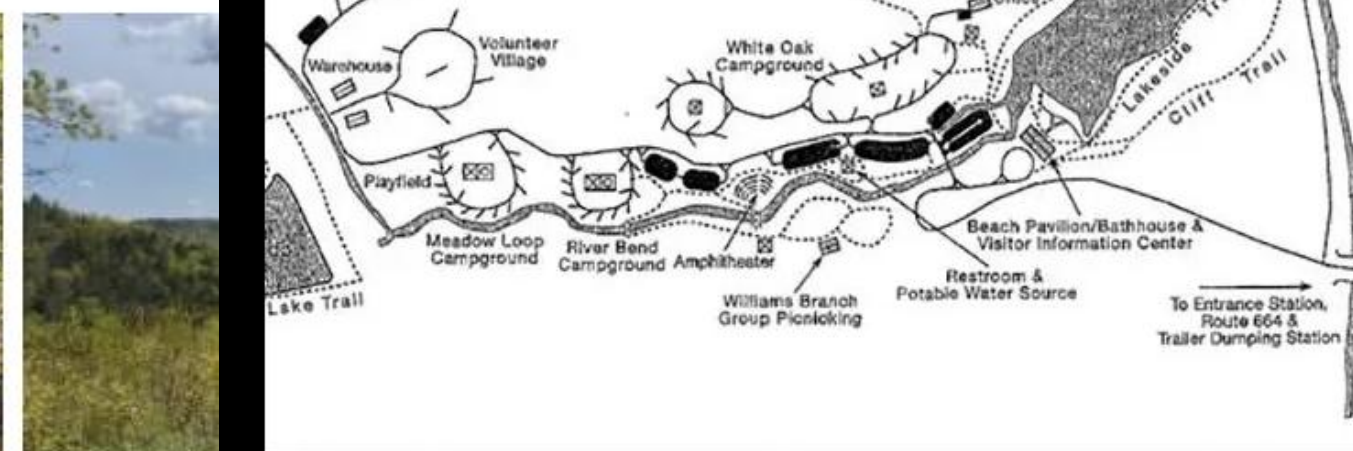
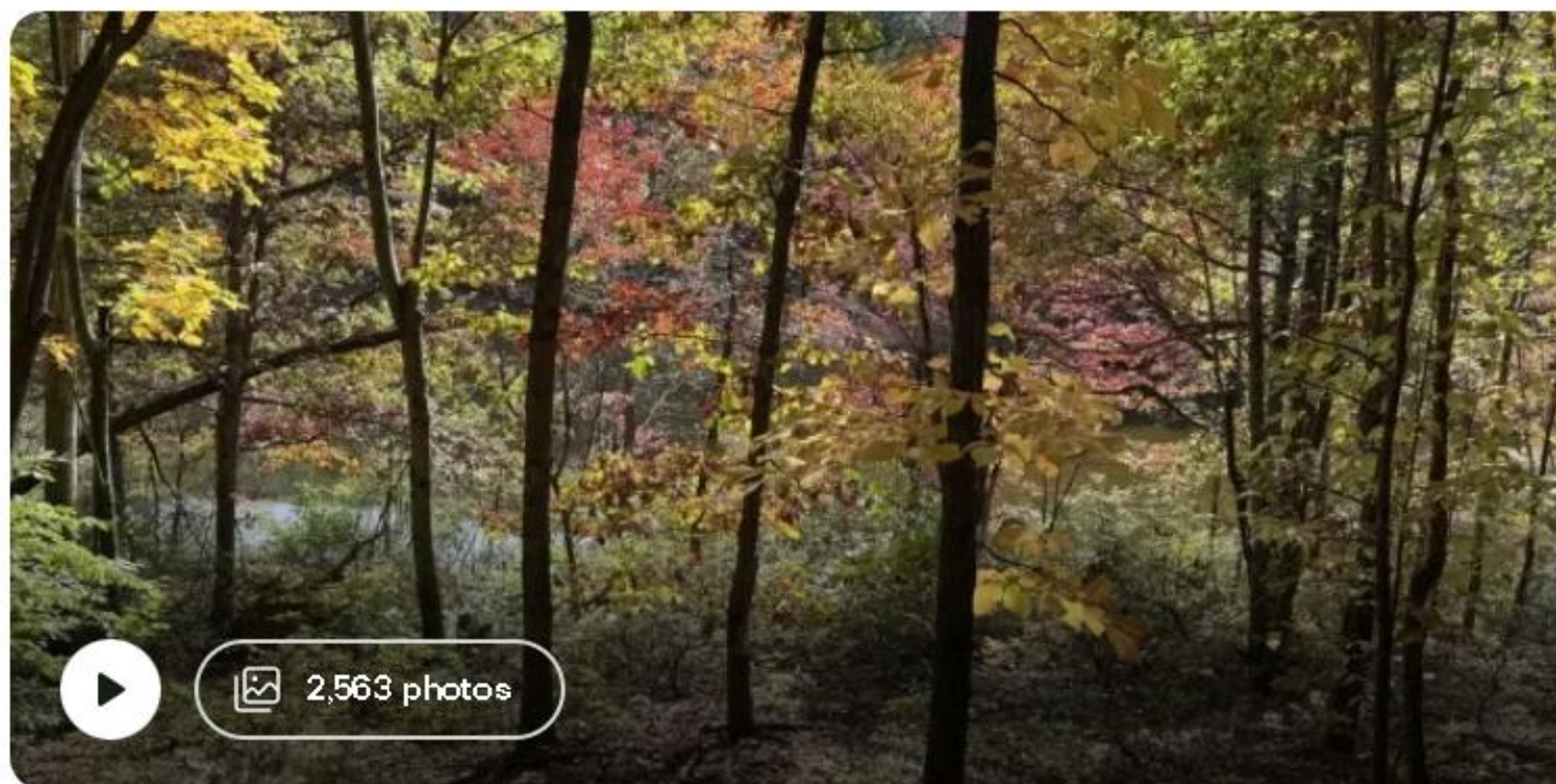


# Torry Ridge Hike- Lower Sherando Lake via White Gap Trail

## West Virginia

⚠ Caution 1 alert · ★ 4.6 (387 reviews) · 🟡 Moderate · George Washington and Jefferson National Forests

Overview Conditions Reviews Hit the trail Nearby



**9.5** mi   **1,755** ft   **5–5.5** hr   

Length   Elevation gain   Estimated time   Loop

The Torry Ridge Hike to Lower Sherando Lake via the White Gap Trail leads to a lake featuring an artificial beach. As you hike, you'll encounter a steep section and a creek crossing. You'll be rewarded with pleasant Bald Mountain and Kelly Mountain views along the way. The trail is well-maintained and offers opportunities to observe local flora and fauna, offering opportunities to observe you go to the lake.



Save

Get directions

Send to phone

### Top sights



**White Rock Falls**

Waterfall



**The Slacks Overlook**

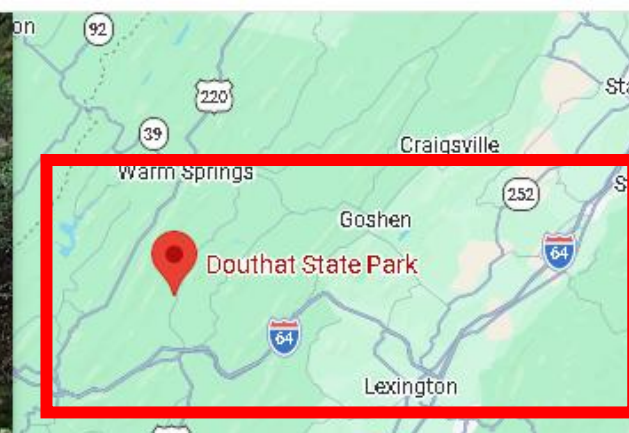
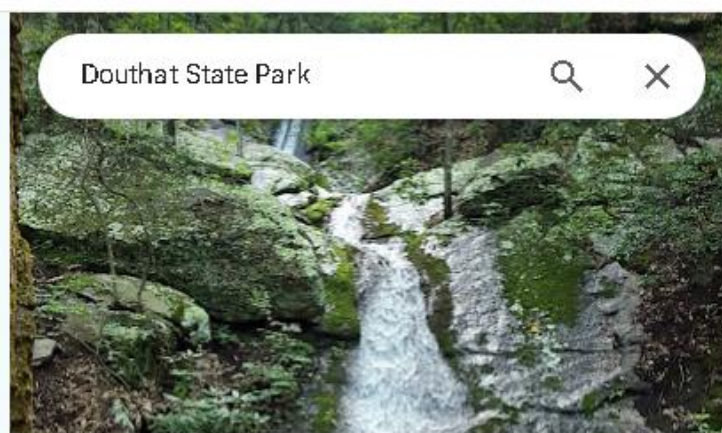
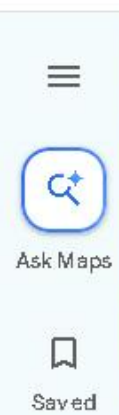
Viewpoint



**Sherando Dam**







# Virginia

## Douthat State Park

- **Drive time:** ~3.5-4 hrs
- **Elevation:** ~1,000-3,000 ft (perfect gain available)
- **Water:** 50-acre lake + mountain streams
- **Camping:** Established Scout-friendly campground + backcountry sites

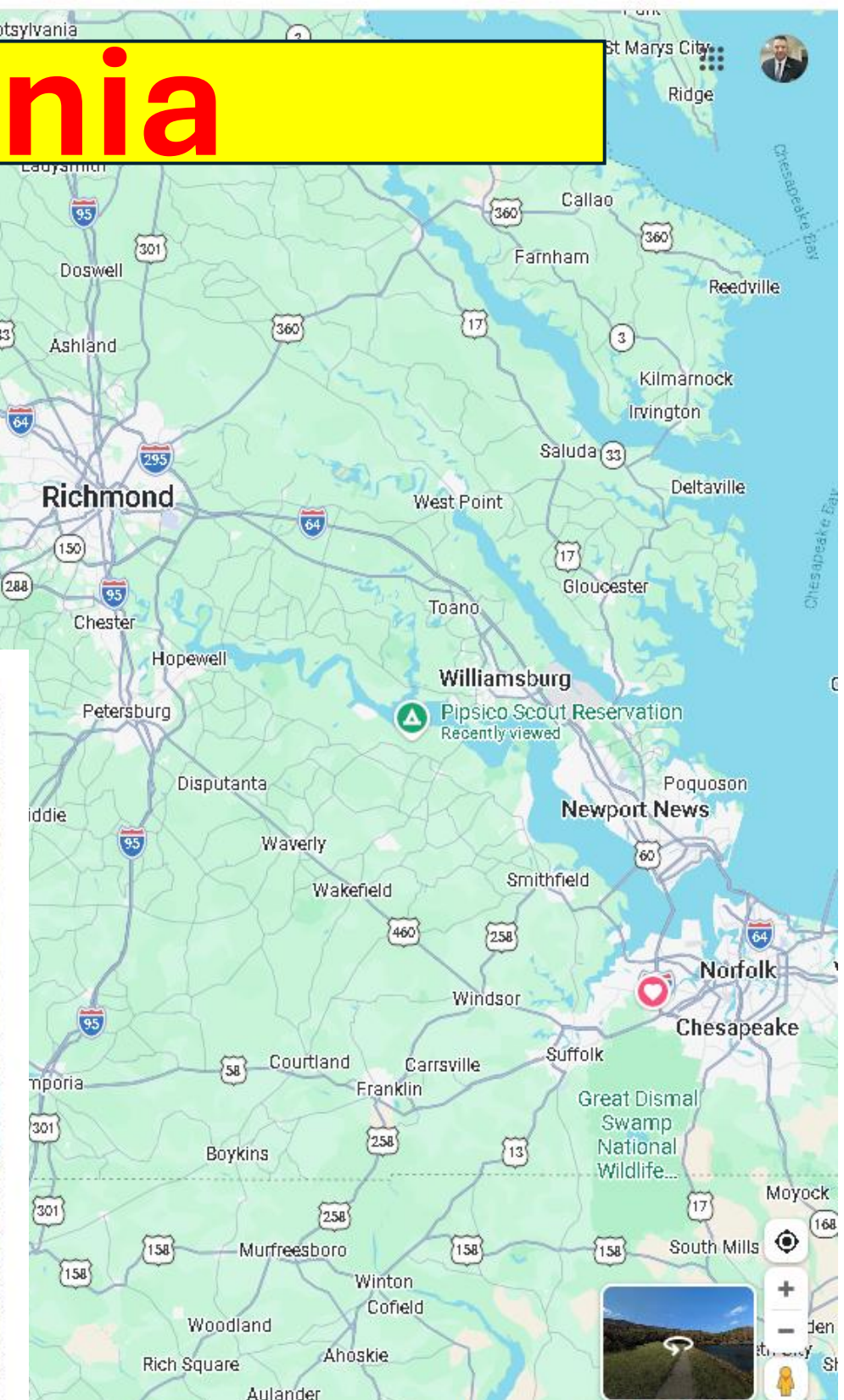
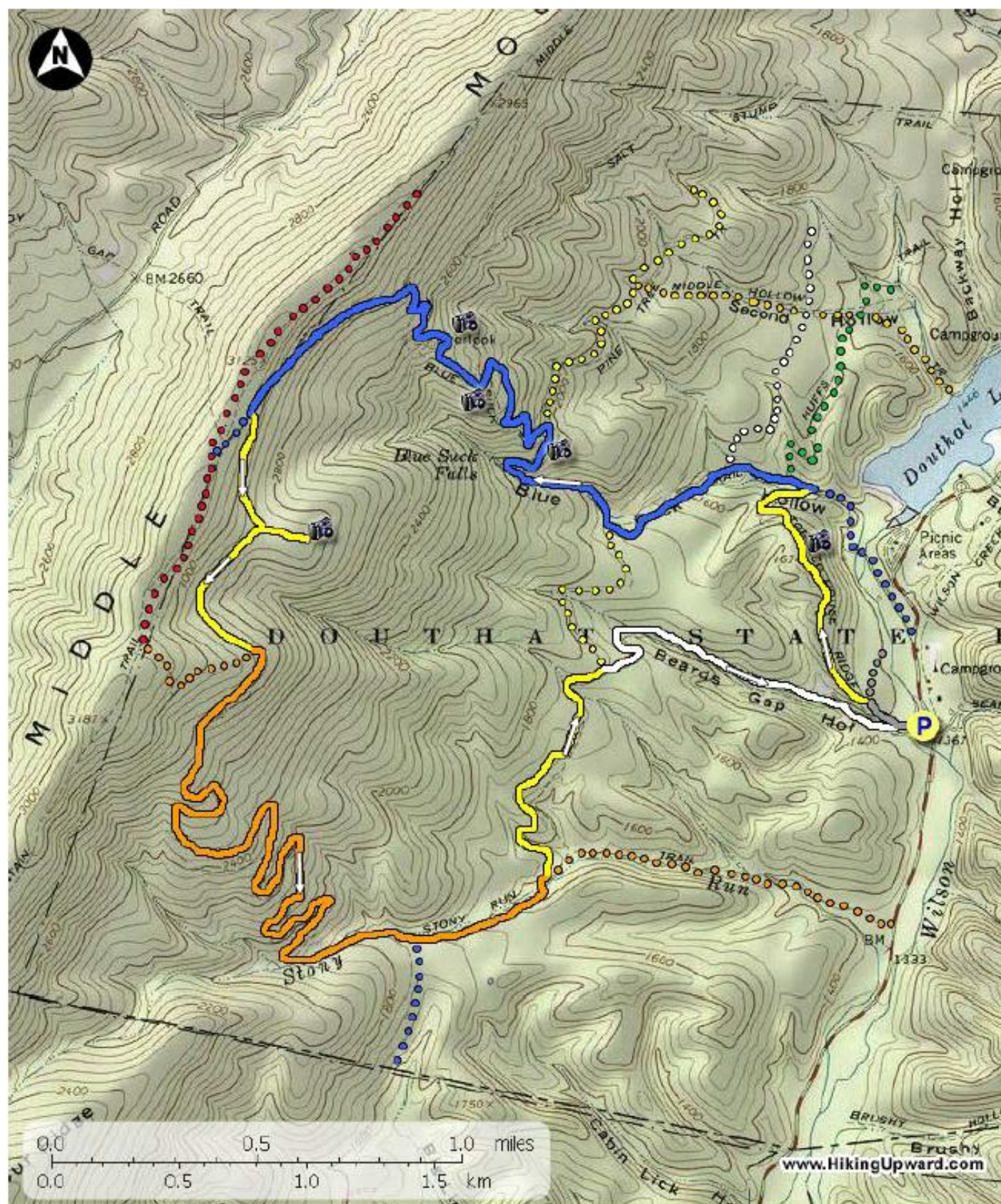
## Ideal Scout Route:

### Blue Suck Falls Trail → Mountain Ridge Loop

- Gain: ~1,000-1,500 ft
- Distance: **9.5 miles** depending on loop
- Features:
  - Waterfalls
  - Ridge views
  - Lake at basecamp

### Why it's great:

- Cooler temps (often 10-15° cooler than Norfolk)
- Low tick pressure early spring
- Structured + safe for troop leadership





# White water Rafting & New River Gorge National Park Camping





# 2026 Youth/Scout/School Group Rates

| RAFTING                                          |               |                     |                         |         |         |          |       |                   |                      |                                                                                                                                                                   |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|----------|-------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                  | Standard Rate | Sat Discounted Rate | Sun-Fri Discounted Rate | Length  | Min Age | Season   | Min # | Max Per Trip Time | Trip Times           | Notes                                                                                                                                                             |
| <a href="#">Upper New River</a>                  | \$169.00      | \$139.00            | \$109.00                | 5-7hr   | 6       | May-Sept | 4     | 40+*              | Between ~8:30-10:30a | Includes lunch. Watercraft is 1-2 person inflatable kayaks.                                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">Lower New River Rapid Run</a>        | \$139.00      | \$109.00            | \$84.00                 | 2-3.5hr | 12      | Apr-Oct  | 4     | 40+*              | ~8:00a, ~1:30p       | NO lunch. Watercraft is 8-man raft.                                                                                                                               |
| <a href="#">Lower New River</a>                  | \$169.00      | \$139.00            | \$109.00                | 5-7hr   | 12      | Apr-Oct  | 4     | 40+*              | Between ~8:00-10:30a | Includes lunch. Watercraft is 8-man raft.                                                                                                                         |
| <a href="#">Gauley River (Upper &amp; Lower)</a> | \$219.00      | Calendar (2nd tab)  |                         | 6-8hr   | 15, 12  | Sept/Oct | 4     | 40+*              | Between ~8:00-10:30a | Includes lunch. Watercraft is 8-man raft. Recommend wetsuits. Fri-Mon starting after Labor Day.                                                                   |
| New River Overnight                              | \$350.00      |                     |                         | 2-Days  | 12      | May-Sept | 12    | 32                | ~9:45a               | Excludes Saturday rafting. Upper/Upper or Upper/Lower. Inflatable kayaks on the Upper New, 8-man raft on Lower New. Includes lunch, dinner, breakfast, and snack. |

| Raft Trip Video |            |              |               |               |               |               |                           |  |  |  |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| New River       | 1-8 = \$49 | 9-16 = \$89  | 17-24 = \$129 | 25-32 = \$169 | 32-44 = \$199 | 45-80 = \$250 | 81+ = Contact Group Sales |  |  |  |
| Gauley River    | 1-8 = \$59 | 9-16 = \$104 | 17-24 = \$149 | 25-32 = \$194 | 32-44 = \$229 | 45-80 = \$300 | 81+ = Contact Group Sales |  |  |  |

| Whitewater Photography Pricing                                                          |            |                                                                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| YSS: Youth/Scout/School = majority of reservation is made up of youth coming as a group |            |                                                                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12-19 people                                                                            | \$15.50/pp | Each person gets an 8x10 print chosen by WWP. The group leader recieves digital-download link with all trip photos (avg 45-65 photos) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20-29 people                                                                            | \$6.50/pp  |                                                                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 30-39 people                                                                            | \$6.00/pp  |                                                                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 40-50 people                                                                            | \$5.50/pp  |                                                                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

| AERIAL                       |               |                      |                          |        |         |                  |       |                   |                      |  |
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|                              | Standard Rate | Sat Rate w/ Discount | Sun-Fri Rate w/ Discount | Length | Min Age | Season           | Min # | Max Per Trip Time | Trip Times           |  |
| TreeTops Canopy Zipline Tour | \$114.00      | \$74.00              | \$74.00                  | 3hr    | 10      | All*             | 4     | 6                 | Between 8:00a-11:00a |  |
| Gravity Zipline Tour         | \$124.00      | \$109.00             | \$99.00                  | 3hr    | 12      | Apr-Oct          | 4     | 16*               | Between 8:30a-11:00a |  |
| TimberTrek Adventure Park    | \$74.00       | \$29.00              | \$29.00                  | 3hr    | 4       | Apr-Oct          | 4     | 20*               | Between 8:00a-11:00a |  |
| MoonTrek                     | \$54.00       | n/a                  | \$34.00                  | 2hr    | 6       | Memorial Day-Oct | 4     | 20*               | 8:00p, 9:00p         |  |
| Bridgewalk                   | \$79.00       | \$79.00              | \$79.00                  | 2hr    | 8       | All              | 2     | 13 per guide      | 9a, 11a, 1p          |  |

| ADVENTURE ACTIVITIES |               |                          |  |  |        |         |        |       |                   |            |
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|                      | Standard Rate | Any Day Rate w/ Discount |  |  | Length | Min Age | Season | Min # | Max Per Trip Time | Trip Times |

| HIKING                           |         |         |     |    |         |   |      |                     |                                                         |  |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|-----|----|---------|---|------|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <a href="#">Hike</a>             | \$79.00 | \$49.00 | 3hr | 8  | Apr-Oct | 4 | 20+* | 8:00a, 1:00p        | 5:00pm or 6:00pm 2hr hike for \$39/person               |                                                                                       |
| TACTICAL/BATTLE GAMES            |         |         |     |    |         |   |      |                     |                                                         |                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">Ambush Paintball</a> | \$69.00 | \$49.00 | 2hr | 10 | Apr-Oct | 4 | 18*  | 9:00a, 1:00p, 6:00p | Goggles & masks provided. Recommend adding extra paint. |                                                                                       |
| <a href="#">Laser Tag</a>        | \$49.00 | \$39.00 | 2hr | 10 | Apr-Oct | 4 | 18*  | 9:00a, 1:00p, 5:00p |                                                         |                                                                                       |

| STAND UP PADDLEBOARDING         |         |         |     |     |         |   |             |                     |  |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|-----|-----|---------|---|-------------|---------------------|--|
| <a href="#">SUP</a>             | \$89.00 | \$69.00 | 3hr | 10  | May-Oct | 4 | 12*         | 8:00a, 1:00p, 5:00p |  |
| KAYAK                           |         |         |     |     |         |   |             |                     |  |
| <a href="#">Flatwater Kayak</a> | \$89.00 | \$69.00 | 3hr | 10  | May-Oct | 4 | 12*         | 8:00a, 1:00p, 5:00p |  |
| NEW RIVER JET BOAT TOUR         |         |         |     |     |         |   |             |                     |  |
| <a href="#">Jet Boat</a>        | \$39.00 | \$25.00 | 2hr | n/a | Apr-Oct | 2 | 13 per boat | Between 9:00a-7:00p |  |
| Tour the Gorge                  |         |         |     |     |         |   |             |                     |  |



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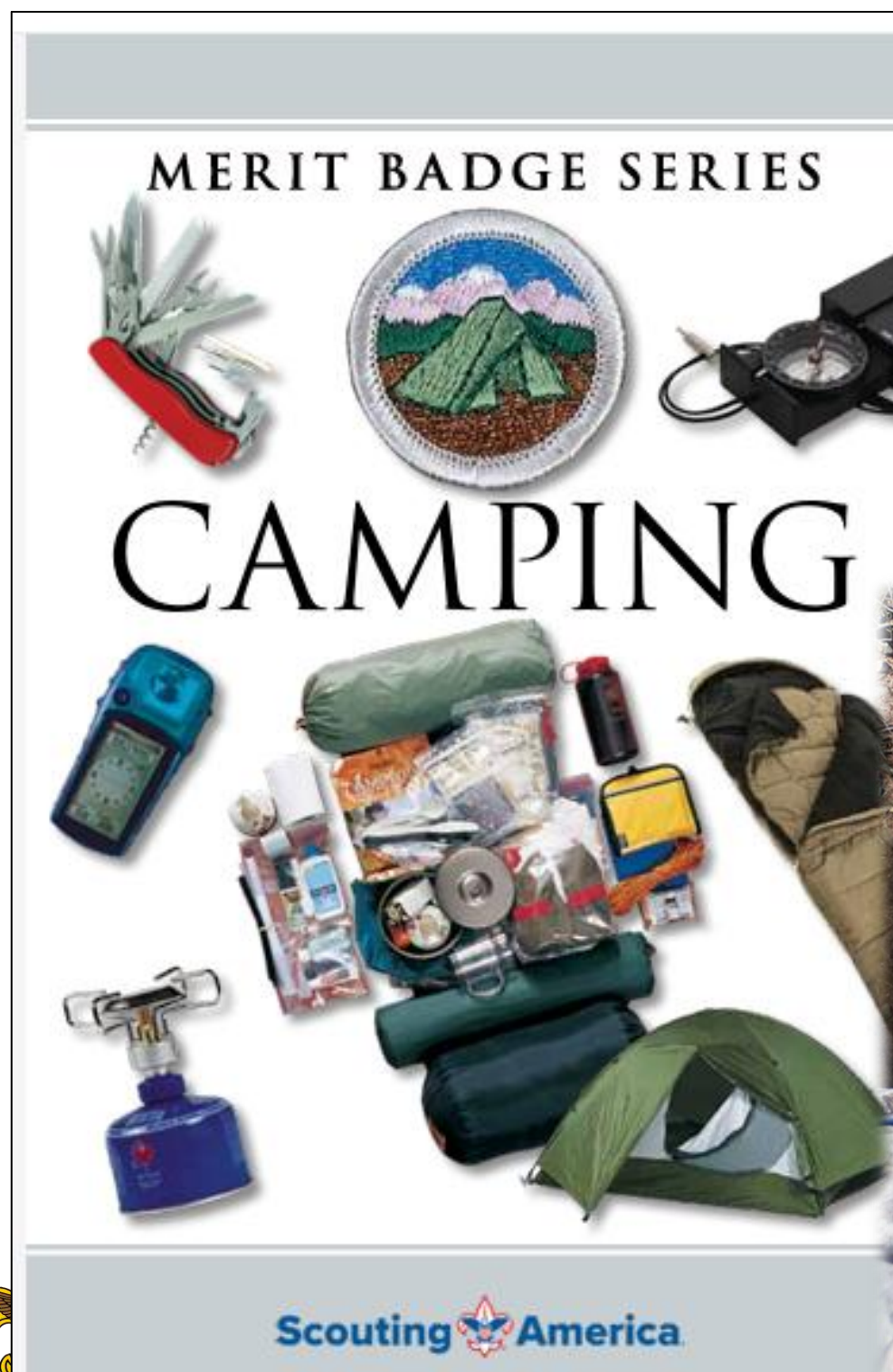
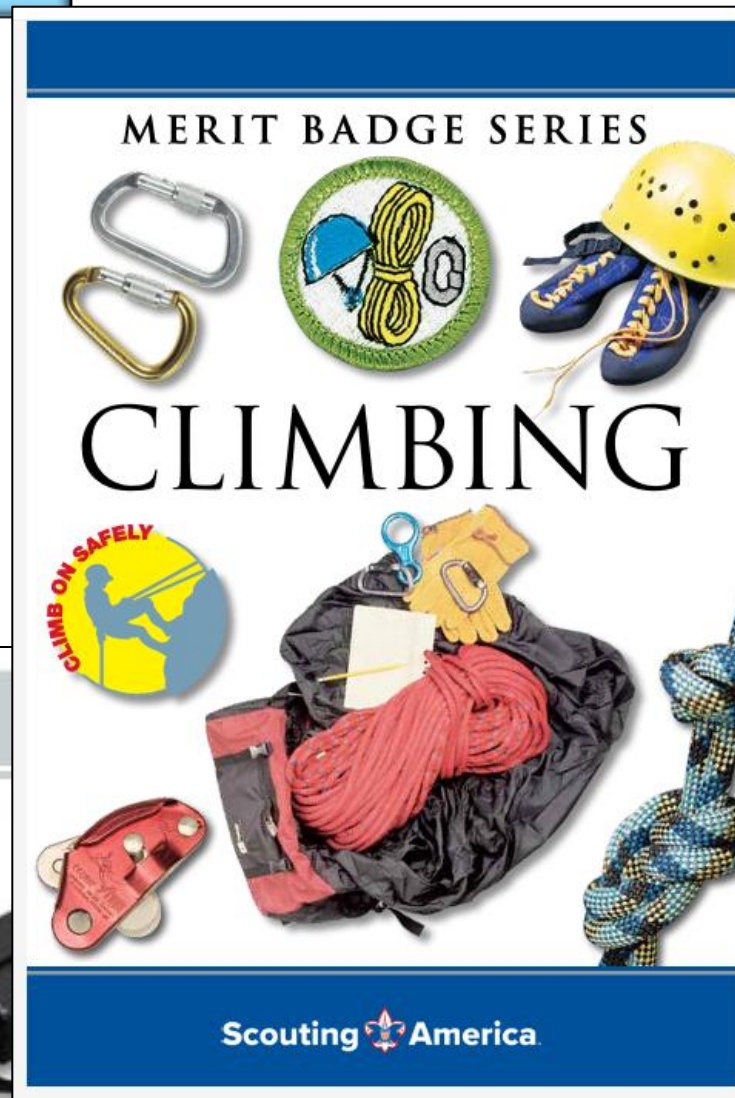








Merit Badge Counselor: XXXXXXXX



## Camping & Climbing Merit Badges



POC Mr. Robert Bertrand: cell: 910.9160755





## Camping Requirement

### 1. Do the following:

- (a) Explain to your counselor the most likely hazards you may encounter while participating in camping activities and what you should do to anticipate, help prevent, mitigate, and respond to these hazards.
- (b) Discuss with your counselor why it is important to be aware of weather conditions before and during your camping activities. Tell how you can prepare should the weather turn bad during your campouts.
- (c) Show that you know first aid for and how to prevent injuries or illnesses that could occur while camping, including hypothermia, frostbite, heat reactions, dehydration, altitude sickness, insect stings, tick bites, snakebite, blisters, and hyperventilation.

### •2. Learn the Leave No Trace Seven Principles and the Outdoor Code and explain what they mean. Write a personal and group plan for implementing these principles on your next outing.

### •3. Make a written plan for an overnight trek and show how to get to your camping spot by using a topographical map and one of the following:

- (a) Compass; (b) GPS receiver; (c) Smartphone with a GPS app

### •4. Do the following:(a) Make a duty roster showing how your patrol is organized for an actual overnight campout. List assignments for each member.(b) Help a Scout patrol or a Webelos Scout unit in your area prepare for an actual campout, including creating the duty roster, menu planning, equipment needs, general planning, and setting up camp.

### •5. Do the following:(a) Prepare a list of clothing you would need for overnight campouts in both warm and cold weather. Explain the term "layering." (b) Discuss footwear for different kinds of weather and how the right footwear is important for protecting your feet.(c) Explain the proper care and storage of camping equipment (clothing, footwear, bedding).(d) List the Scout Basic Essentials necessary for any campout and explain why each item is needed. (e) Present yourself to your Scoutmaster with your pack for inspection. Be correctly clothed and equipped for an overnight campout.

### 6. Do the following:(a) Describe the features of four types of tents, when and where they could be used, and how to care for tents. Working with another Scout, pitch a tent.(b) Discuss the importance of camp sanitation and tell why water treatment is essential. Then demonstrate two ways to treat water.(c) Describe the factors to be considered in deciding where to pitch your tent. (d) Tell the difference between internal- and external-frame packs. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of each.(e) Discuss the types of sleeping bags and what kind would be suitable for different conditions. Explain the proper care of your sleeping bag and how to keep it dry. Make a comfortable ground bed.

### 7. Prepare for an overnight campout with your patrol by doing the following:(a) Make a checklist of personal and patrol gear that will be needed.(b) Pack your own gear and your share of the patrol equipment and food for proper carrying. Show that your pack is right for quickly getting what is needed first, and that it has been assembled properly for comfort, weight, balance, size, and neatness.

### 8. Do the following:(a) Explain the safety procedures for:(1) Using a propane or butane/propane stove; (2) Using a liquid fuel stove; (3) Proper storage of extra fuel; (b) Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of different types of lightweight cooking stoves (c) Prepare a camp menu. Explain how the menu would differ from a menu for a backpacking or float trip. Give recipes and make a food list for your patrol. Plan two breakfasts, three lunches, and two suppers. Discuss how to protect your food against bad weather, animals, and contamination. (d) While camping in the outdoors, cook at least one breakfast, one lunch, and one dinner for your patrol from the meals you have planned for requirement 8(c). At least one of those meals must be a trail meal requiring the use of a lightweight stove.

### 9. Show experience in camping by doing the following:(a) Camp for at least 20 nights at designated Scouting activities or events. One long-term camping experience of up to six consecutive nights may be applied toward this requirement. Two nights may be counted toward the total for each additional long-term camping trip. Each night must be spent either under the sky, in a tent you have pitched yourself (if a tent is provided and already set up, you do not need to pitch your own), in a hammock that is safely strung outdoors, in a lean-to, or other three-sided shelter with an open front. Nights spent in indoor lock-in events, cabin camping, hotel stays, or other covered accommodations do not count toward the 20 nights.(b) On any of these camping experiences, you must do TWO of the following, only with proper preparation and under qualified supervision.(1) Hike up a mountain, gaining at least 1,000 vertical feet.(2) Backpack, snowshoe, or cross-country ski for at least 4 miles.(3) Take a bike trip of at least 15 miles or at least four hours.(4) Take a nonmotorized trip on the water of at least four hours or 5 miles.(5) Plan and carry out an overnight snow camping experience.(6) Rappel down a rappel route of 30 feet or more.(c) On any of these camping experiences, perform a conservation project approved by the landowner or land managing agency. This can be done alone or with others.

### 10. Discuss how the things you did to earn this badge have taught you about personal health and safety, survival, public health, conservation, and good citizenship. In your discussion, tell how Scout spirit and the Scout Oath and Scout Law apply to camping and outdoor ethics.



You can get a lot of these completed !





## Climbing Requirements

### 1. Do the following:

- (a) Explain to your counselor the most likely hazards you may encounter while participating in climbing and rappelling activities and what you should do to anticipate, help prevent, mitigate, and respond to these hazards.
- (b) Show that you know first aid for and how to prevent injuries or illnesses that could occur during climbing activities, including heat and cold reactions, dehydration, stopped breathing, sprains, abrasions, fractures, rope burns, blisters, snakebite, concussions, and insect bites or stings.
- (c) Identify the conditions that must exist before performing CPR on a person.

**You can get all of these completed !**

### 2. Learn the Leave No Trace Seven Principles and the Outdoor Code and explain what they mean.

### 3. Present yourself properly dressed for belaying, climbing, and rappelling. Explain why you are wearing each piece of gear and discuss qualities of easy movement, entanglement free and good weather protection and comfort

### 4. Location. Do the following:

- (a) Explain how the difficulty of climbs is classified and apply classifications to the rock faces or walls where you will demonstrate your climbing skills.
- (b) Explain the following: top-rope climbing, lead climbing, and bouldering.
- (c) Evaluate the safety of a particular climbing area. Consider weather, visibility, the condition of the climbing surface, and any other environmental hazards.(d) Determine how to summon aid to the climbing area in case of an emergency. Discuss what medical training is needed for your group when climbing and rappelling in remote areas.

### 5. Verbal signals. Explain the importance of using verbal signals during every climb and rappel, and while bouldering. With the help of the counselor or another Scout, demonstrate the verbal signals used by each of the following:(a) Climbers; (b) Rappellers; (c) Belayers; (d) Boulderers and their spotters

### 6. Rope. Do the following:(a) Describe the kinds of rope acceptable for use in climbing and rappelling.(b) Show how to examine a rope for signs of wear or damage.(c) Discuss ways to prevent a rope from being damaged. (d) Explain when and how a rope should be retired. (e) Properly coil a rope.

### 7. Knots. Demonstrate the ability to tie each of the following knots. Give at least one example of how each knot is used in belaying, climbing, or rappelling.(a) Figure eight on a bight; (b) Figure eight follow-through (c) Water knot (d) Double fisherman's knot (grapevine knot) (e) Prusik hitch applied to rope

### 8. Harness, Helmet & Gloves. Explain the purpose of each of the following and demonstrate how to put them on correctly: (a) Commercially made climbing harness(b) Climbing helmet (c) Climbing or rappelling gloves

### 9. Identify the elements of the CHECK system and describe the meaning of each one to your counselor.

### 10. Belaying. Do the following:(a) Explain the importance of belaying climbers and rappellers and when it is necessary.(b) Belay three different climbers on three different routes.(c) Serve as a backup belayer on three different climbs. (d) Belay three different rappellers on three different routes.(e) Serve as a backup belayer on three different rappels.

### 11. Climbing. Do the following:(a) Show the correct way to directly tie a belay rope to your harness.(b) Climb at least three different routes on a rock face or climbing wall, demonstrating good technique and using verbal signals with a belayer.

### 12. Rappelling. Do the following:(a) Show the correct way to directly tie a belay rope to your harness.(b) Using a carabiner and a rappel device, attach a rappel rope to your harness.(c) Rappel down three different rock faces or three rappel routes on a climbing wall. Use verbal signals to communicate with a belayer and demonstrate good rappelling technique.

### 13. Demonstrate ways to store rope, hardware, and other gear used for climbing, rappelling, and belaying.







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## Rappelling

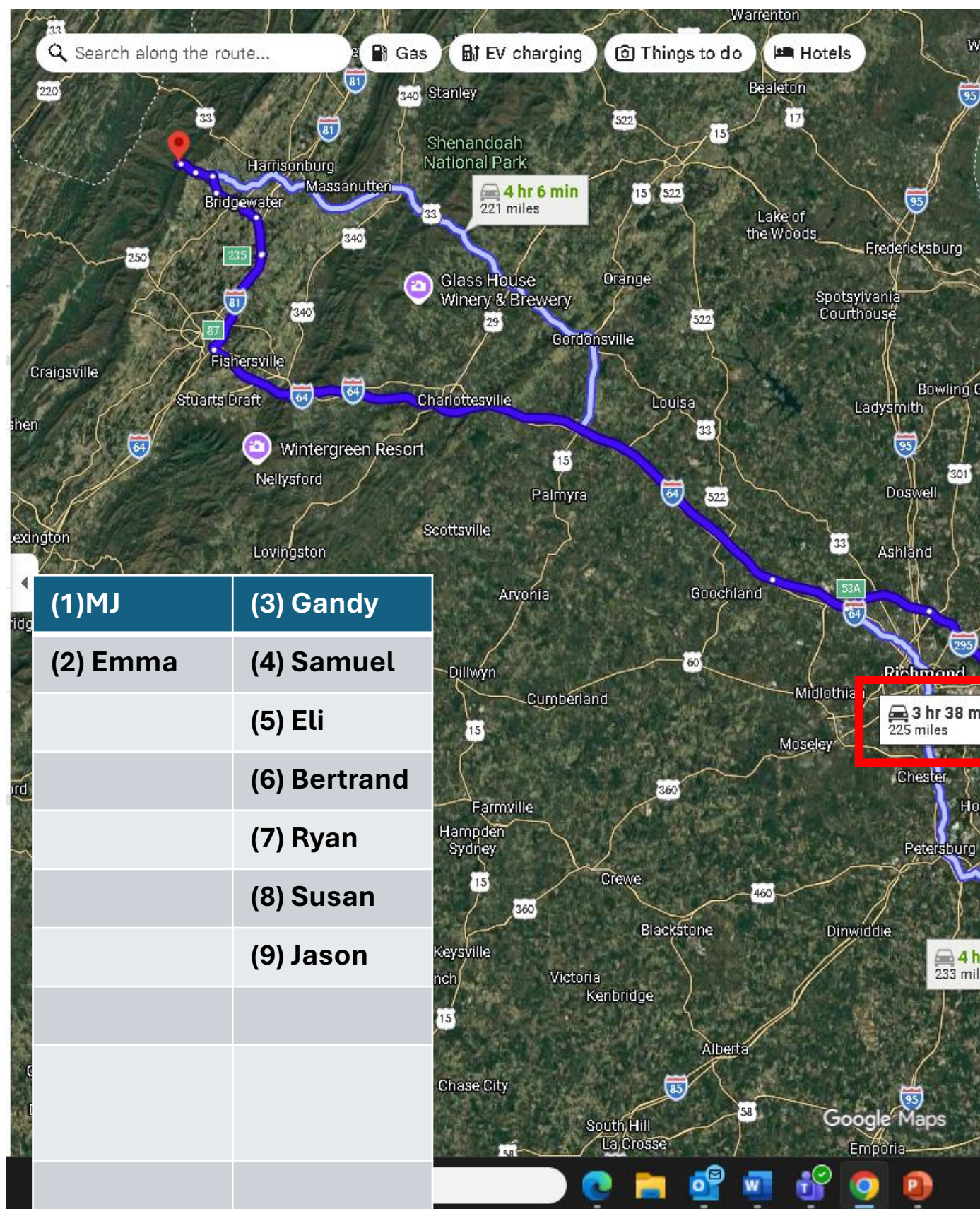
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Half Day 1-4 Participants - \$210  
\$50 Each additional

8x people for 1.5 days = \$120 person







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| (1) MJ   | (3) Gandy    |
| (2) Emma | (4) Samuel   |
|          | (5) Eli      |
|          | (6) Bertrand |
|          | (7) Ryan     |
|          | (8) Susan    |
|          | (9) Jason    |
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| Friday               | Saturday              | Sunday                |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|                      |                       | Climbing & Rappelling |
|                      | Camping               | Camping               |
| Depart at 1pm        | Climbing & Rappelling |                       |
| Arrive Camp site 5pm |                       |                       |
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Climbing Trip for Scouts



Casey Tucker <info@vividearthadventures.com>  
To: Bertrand, Robert Kenneth CIV JS J7 (USA)

You replied to this message on 5/14/2026 3:05 PM.

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Hi Robert,

Thanks so much for reaching out about a climbing trip to help your scouts earn the climbing merit badge! I have a few questions to help get an idea of the trip.

- How many scouts do you anticipate attending? Meeting all of these requirements will likely take 1.5 days, and will probably take 2 days with a larger group.
- Your plan is to camp in the national park. Are you okay with a longer drive to the climbing site or to consider a different camping location? The best site I have in mind that would meet all your requirements is Hidden Rocks about 30 minutes west of Harrisonburg. The drive from any of the National Park campgrounds are over an hour away.
- When are you hoping to book a trip?

The hike to Hidden Rocks (camping nearby at Stokesville Campground or Hone Quarry Campground) takes 20-30 minutes. The walls are 30-60', so we could meet all the requirements there, most likely over two days.

There are a couple of options I can think through that could facilitate meeting the requirements.

Skidmore Wall (North River Gorge with camping at Stokesville or North River Gorge Campground) is a great beginner area. The wall, however, is 18-25', so it wouldn't meet the requirement of doing at least one 30' rappel (if I read that correctly). However, due to the shorter walls, climbs and rappels would go more quickly. Depending on group size, we might be able to meet all the requirements necessary on day one, and utilize a different location on day two for a final rappel (Hidden Rocks up to 60' or Raven's Roost with a 90' rappel).

There is a possibility we could meet all the requirements at Ravens Roost (camping nearby at Sherando Lake). 2 of the 3 rappels would likely be accomplished by climbing to the top of the route and rigging in to a separate rappel line (while still on top rope belay). Once rigged in with the device confirmed, the belayer would give lots of slack while the participant rappels. A second backup belayer could be on the fireman's belay on the rappel line. This may sound confusing as written, but I have facilitated a switchover to rappel from top rope previously. The climbs at Raven's Roost are 30-90' tall with big exposure and the climbs and rappels would probably take a little longer.

Let me know what new questions you have and please share any other information that might be helpful in setting up this trip.

Thanks and be well,  
Casey

Casey Tucker  
Owner, Chief Adventure Officer  
[Vivid Earth Adventures](http://VividEarthAdventures.com)  
540-569-8128

Email from Casey on Thursday Night:

**Pricing for a full day of climbing is \$65/participant and half day is \$50/participant, so we're looking at \$115/climber. With 10 scouts I am happy to comp 2 of the leaders.**

With a group that size, Raven's Roost would be off the table as my permits on the Blue Ridge Parkway specify 12 as the max group size, including guides. We can talk through the specifics of the location, but it would be one of or both Nat'l Forest locations (Skidmore Wall or Hidden Rocks).

Stokesville Campground is a full service campground. You may need to check weekends as there is a big mountain biking race and event in the fall out there every year. The other campgrounds (Hone Quarry & North River) are National Forest Campgrounds with a pit toilet. I think they have water, but you would need to verify that.



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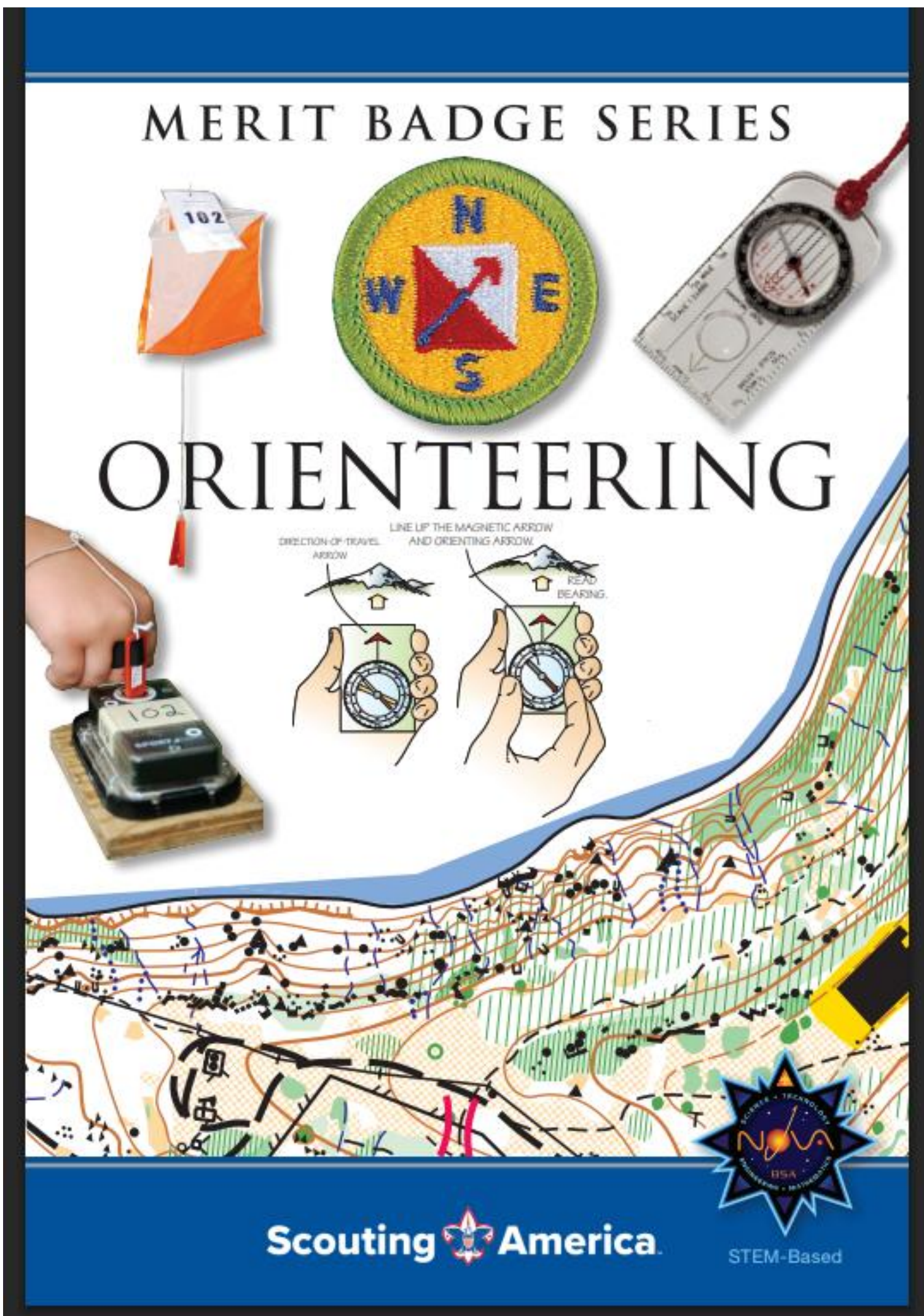




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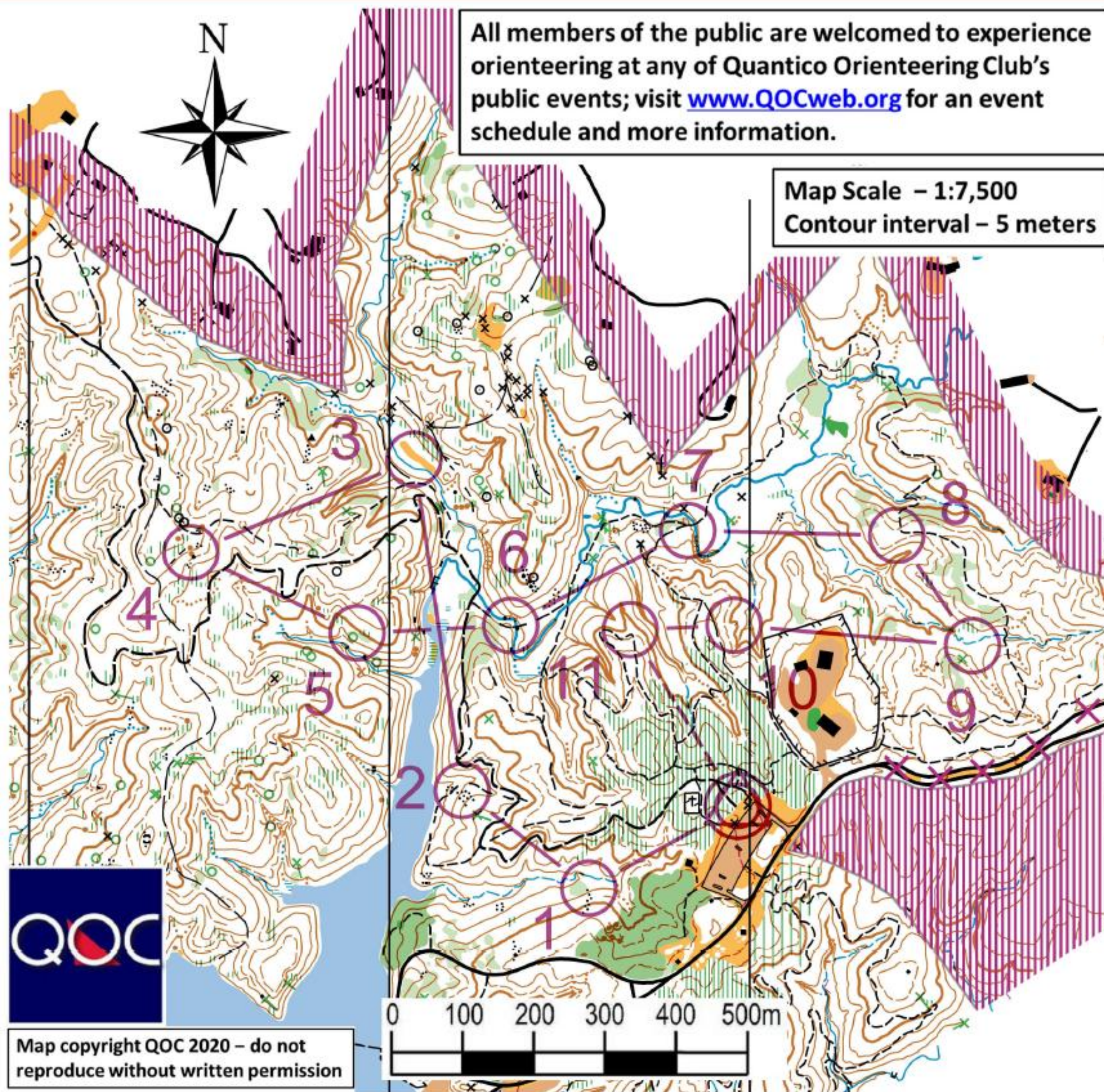


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| 2                    | 28 | Boulder field, North edge               |
| 3                    | 32 | Open land Marsh                         |
| 4                    | 34 | Knoll                                   |
| 5                    | 40 | Prominent tree, Northeast side          |
| 6                    | 18 | Path Watercourse Crossing               |
| 7                    | 19 | Small erosion gully                     |
| 8                    | 17 | Hill                                    |
| 9                    | 24 | Minor water channel Re-entrant Junction |
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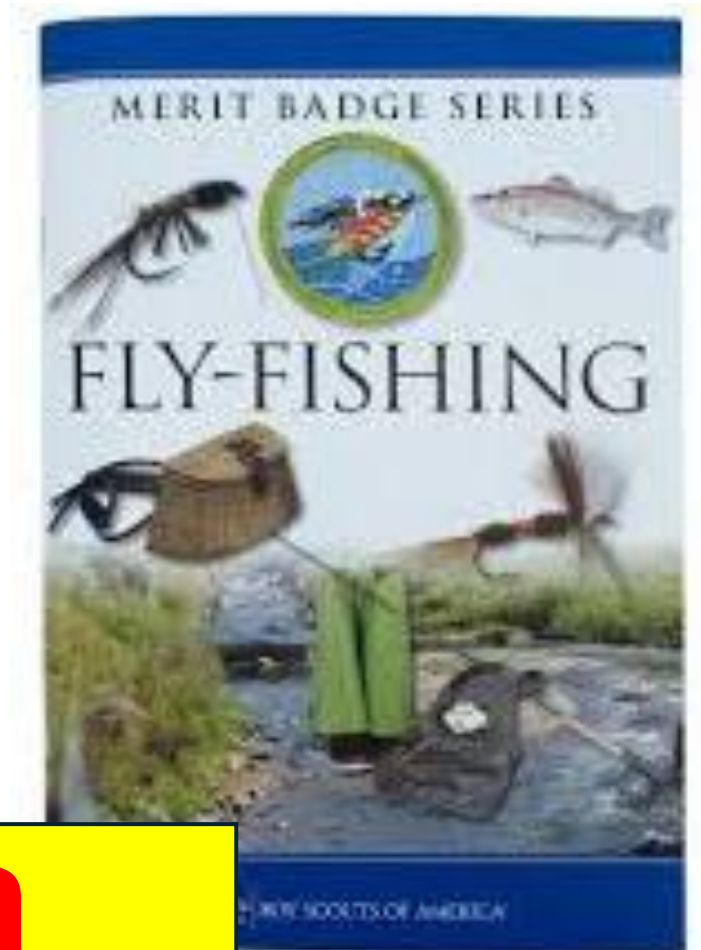






# West Virginia High Adventure Fly Fishing

Scout-Friendly 3-Day Camping & Guided Fishing  
Plan (May)



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# Adventure Mission

**Who:** Tenderfoot or higher Scout

**What:** Guided Fly fishing in WV + Rustic independent  
Camping

**When:** May 2026 or Fall 2026; 3-days; 2-nights of Camping

**Where:** WV; Elk Spring area

**Why:** Adventure and world-class Fly fishing: 3-days; 2-  
nights of Camping

**Cost:** ~\$400 or less





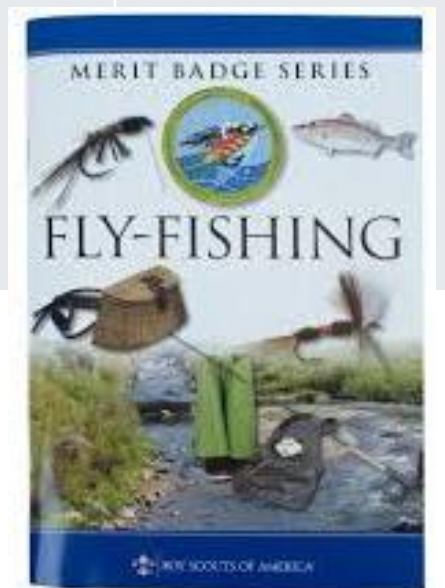
# Scheme of Mission Execution Timeline



| 1x year out | 6x months out                            | 2-months out                          | 1x month out   | 2x weeks out | Thursday               | Friday            | Sat                             | Sun                            |
|-------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|--------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Vote        | Rosters developed<br><br>Date Chosen     | Paid up                               | Local prep     | TM MTGs      | Final Condition Checks |                   | Guided Fishing all day 6x hours | Local hiking trek till 1300hrs |
| Yes or No   | Cost ~<\$400                             | Begin MBs                             | MB Saturday    | Packing List |                        | Depart at 1300hrs |                                 |                                |
|             | Schedule w/ Guide + State park (Camping) | Review Plan w/ Troop Scout Leadership | GO/NG Decision | MVT Planning |                        | Arrive 1900hrs    |                                 | Return to Church 2000hrs       |
|             |                                          | DD                                    | DD             | DD           |                        |                   |                                 |                                |

**Following Thursday:** Historian presents pictorial overview of Trip with Lessons Learned

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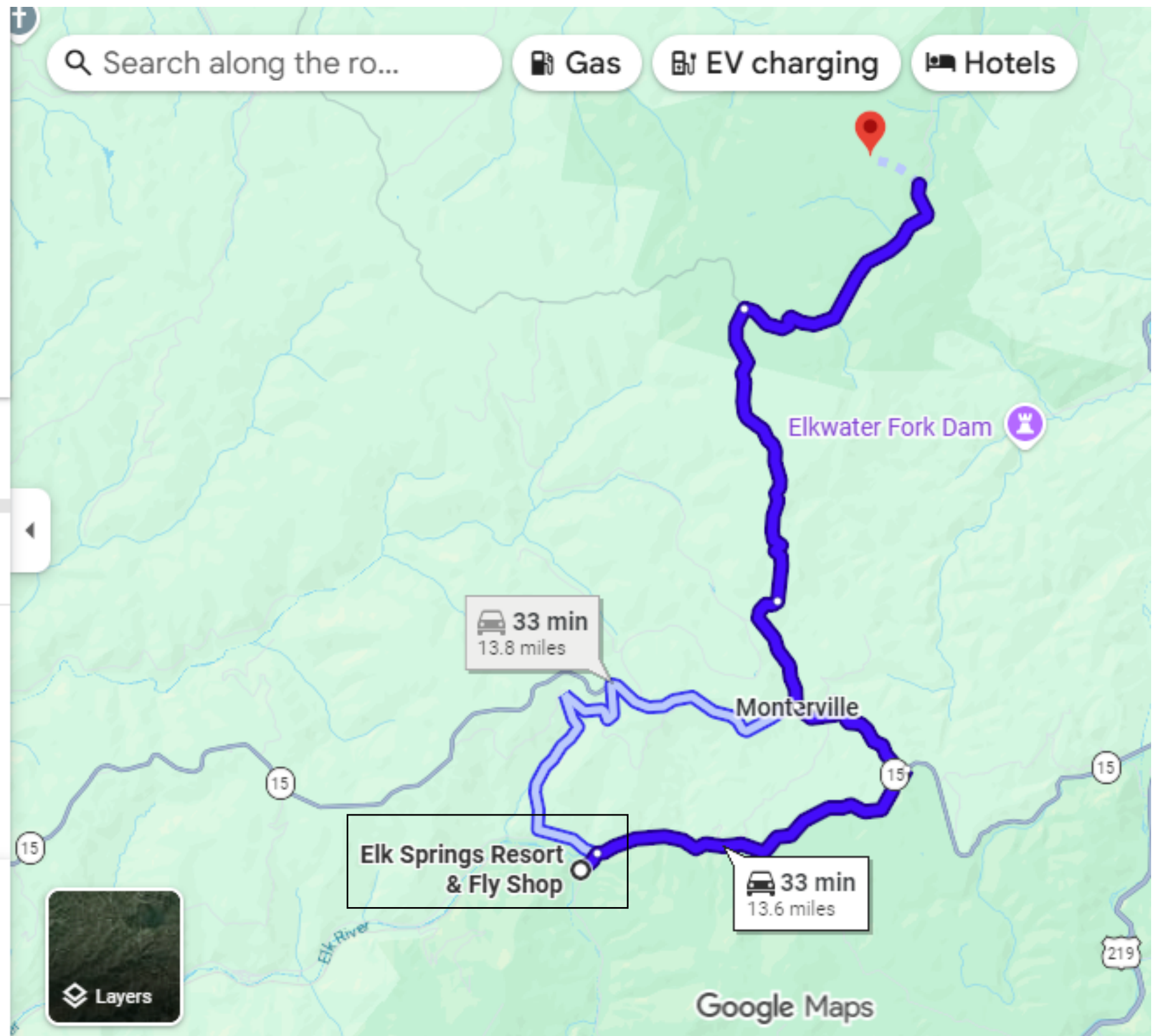
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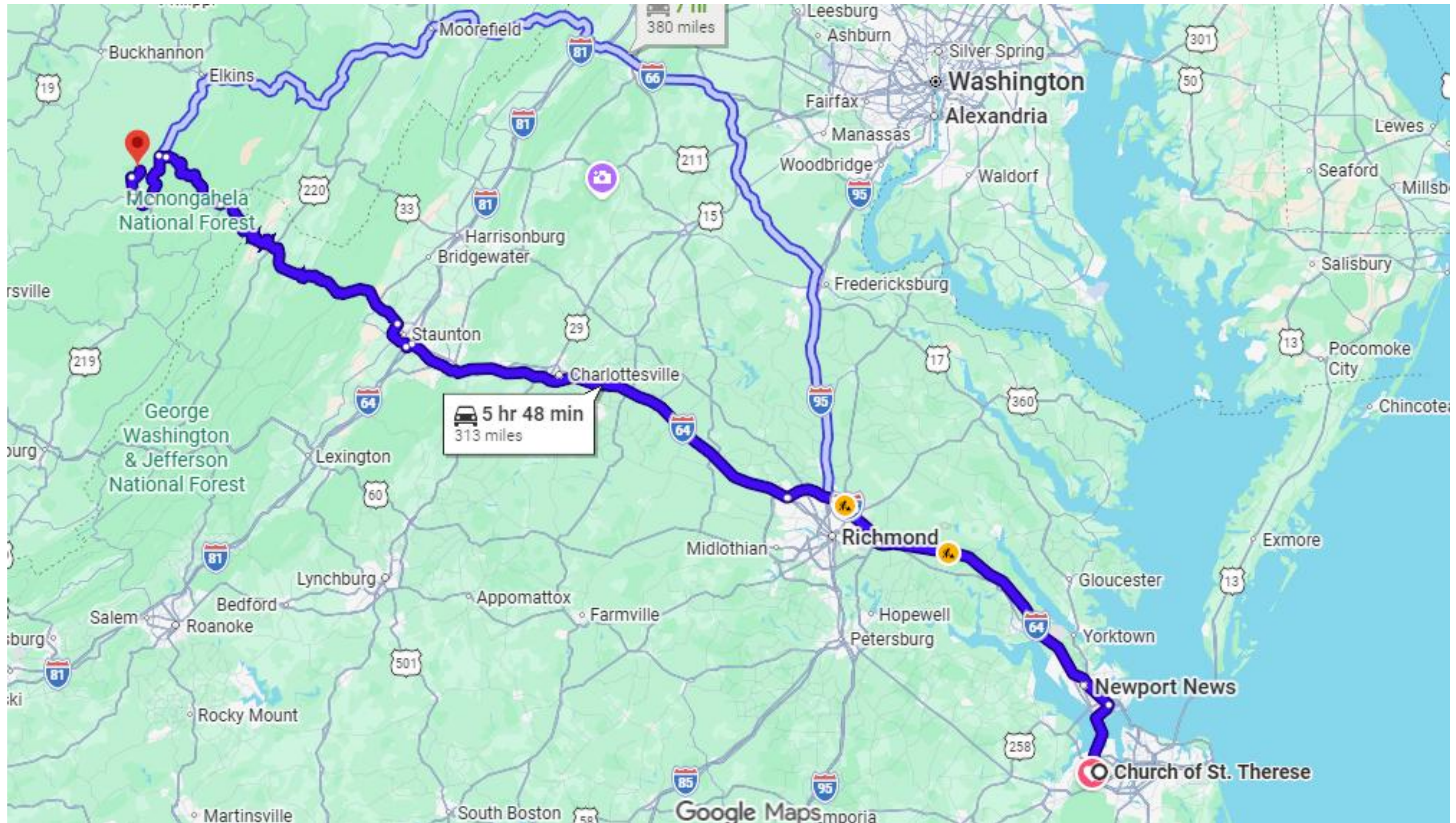
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# Fly Fishing Guide Services

*If you have wondered what all the fuss is about here during sulphur season, it is time to quit wondering and get in the game! If fogs of mayfly spinners and pods of rising trout sound like something you'd like to experience, give us a call and we will put you in the middle of the action!*

## 1 Person Trip

6 Hour Trip \$325

4 Hour Trip \$275

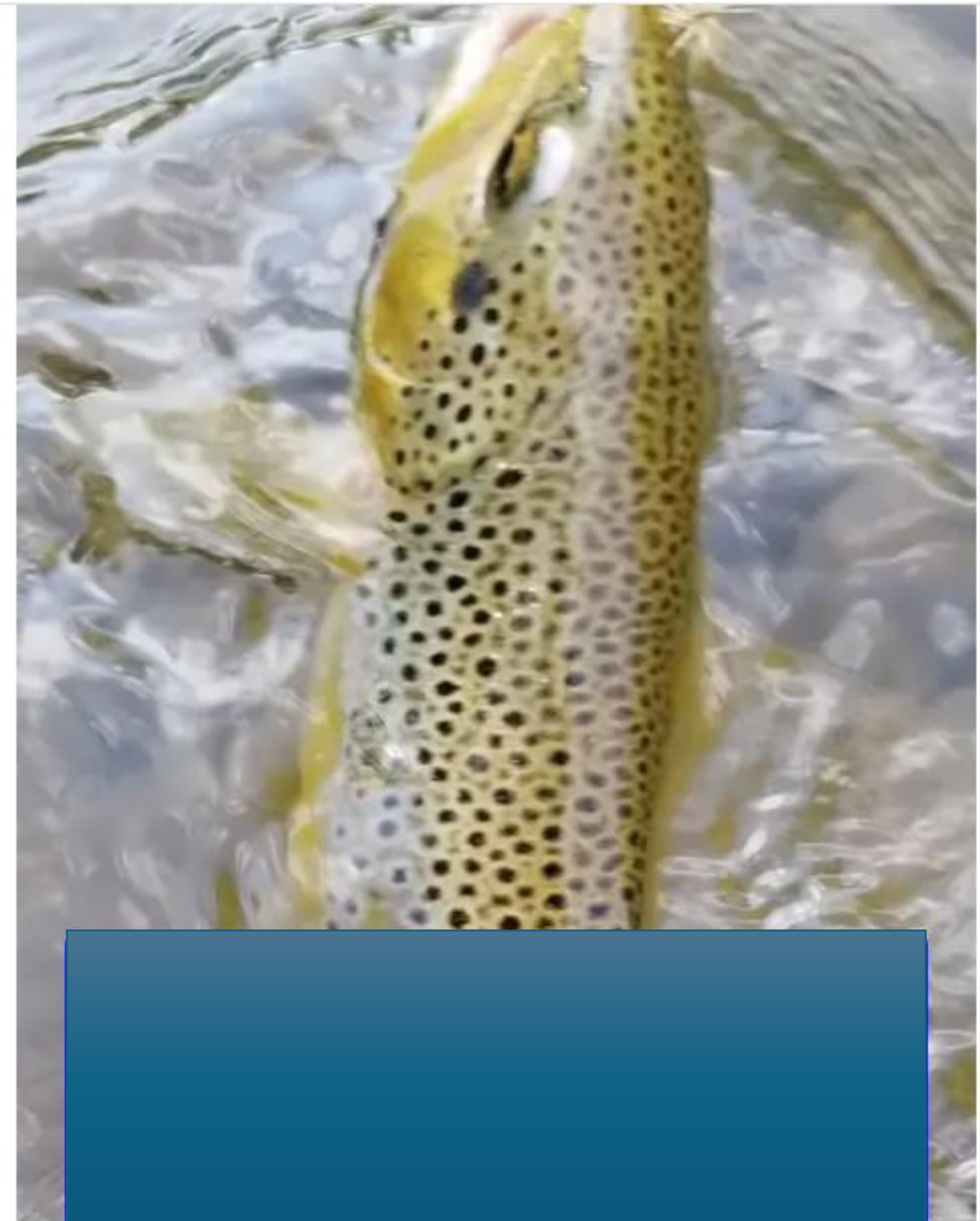
## 2 Person Trip

6 Hour Trip \$425

4 Hour Trip \$375

Guide trips include waders, boots and rod

\* Maximum two clients per guide\*







# Estimated Budget (Per Person)

- Guided Trip (1 day): \$250
- Fishing License: ~\$25
- Individual Food: \$75
- Gas/Travel Share: \$35
- Estimated Total: **<\$400 for 3.5 day event**





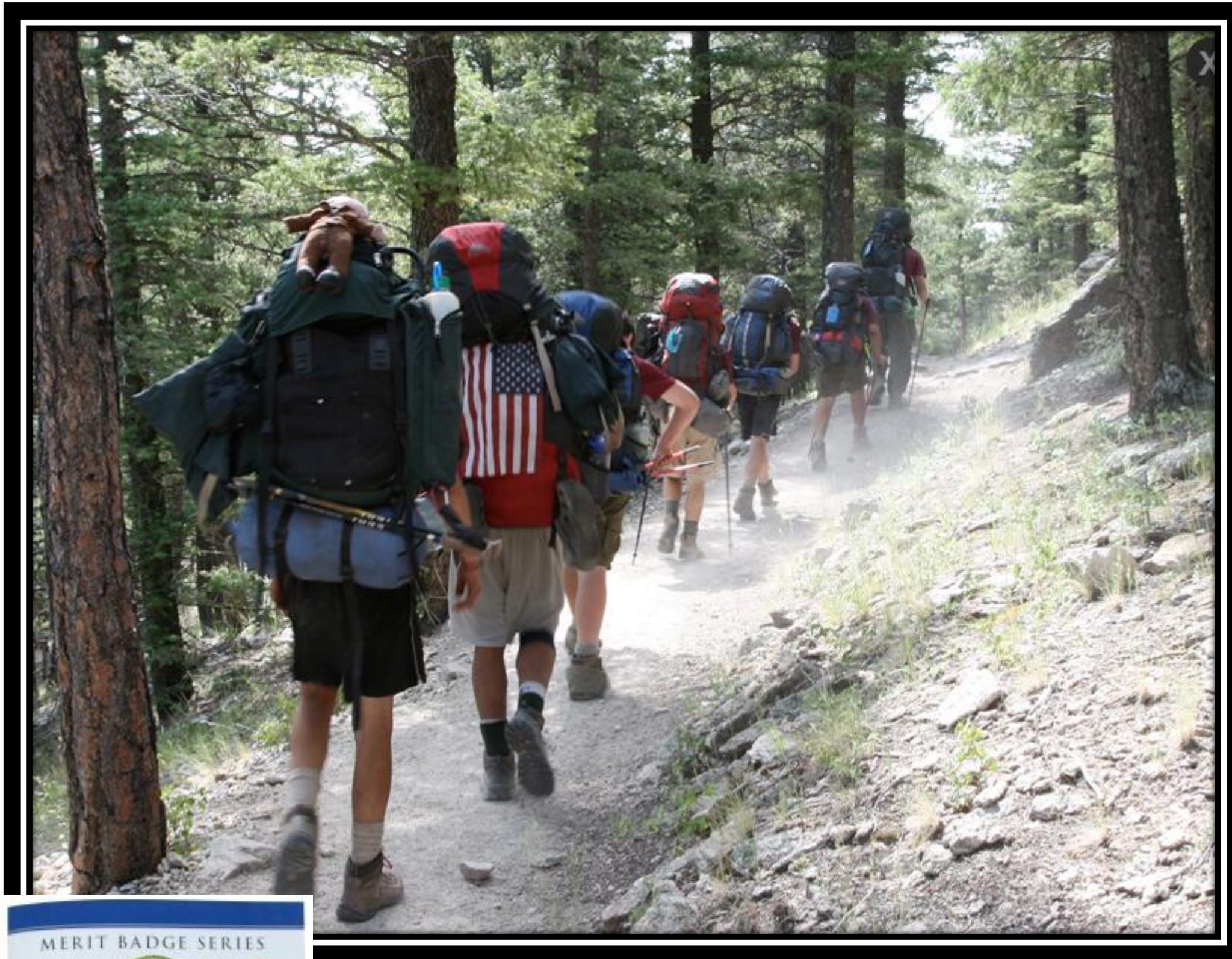


# Scout Gear Checklist

- ~~Fly rod & reel (5wt recommended)~~
- Waders & boots
- ~~Fly box (mayflies, caddis, nymphs)~~
- Rain jacket & layers
- Camp tent & sleeping bag
- Headlamp & water bottle
- Fishing license



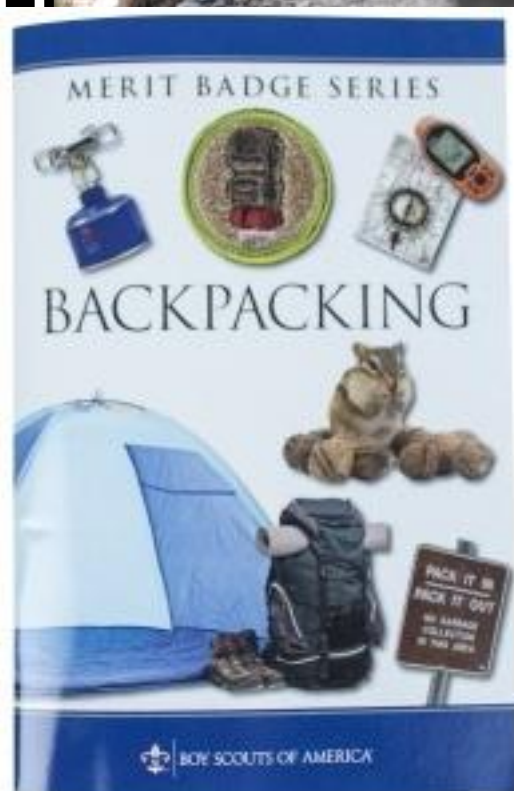




# High Adventure Backpacking Trip

George Washington  
And  
Thomas Jefferson  
National Forest

Fall / Winter  
2026



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Scout Leader OIC:

SM MJ + ASM Jonathan Gandy





# **“Backpacking in Scouts BSA Advancement”**

## **Where backpacking fits in Scouts BSA**

- 1.Tenderfoot** – How backpacking supports early skills
- 2.Second Class** – Camping, cooking, navigation, hiking
- 3.First Class** – Why backpacking is ideal for this rank
- 4.Star & Life** – Leadership, participation, service
- 5.Eagle Scout** – Not required, but highly beneficial
- 6.Merit Badges** – Backpacking, Camping, Hiking, Cooking, etc.
- 7.Why Backpacking Matters** – Fitness, life skills, independence, resilience







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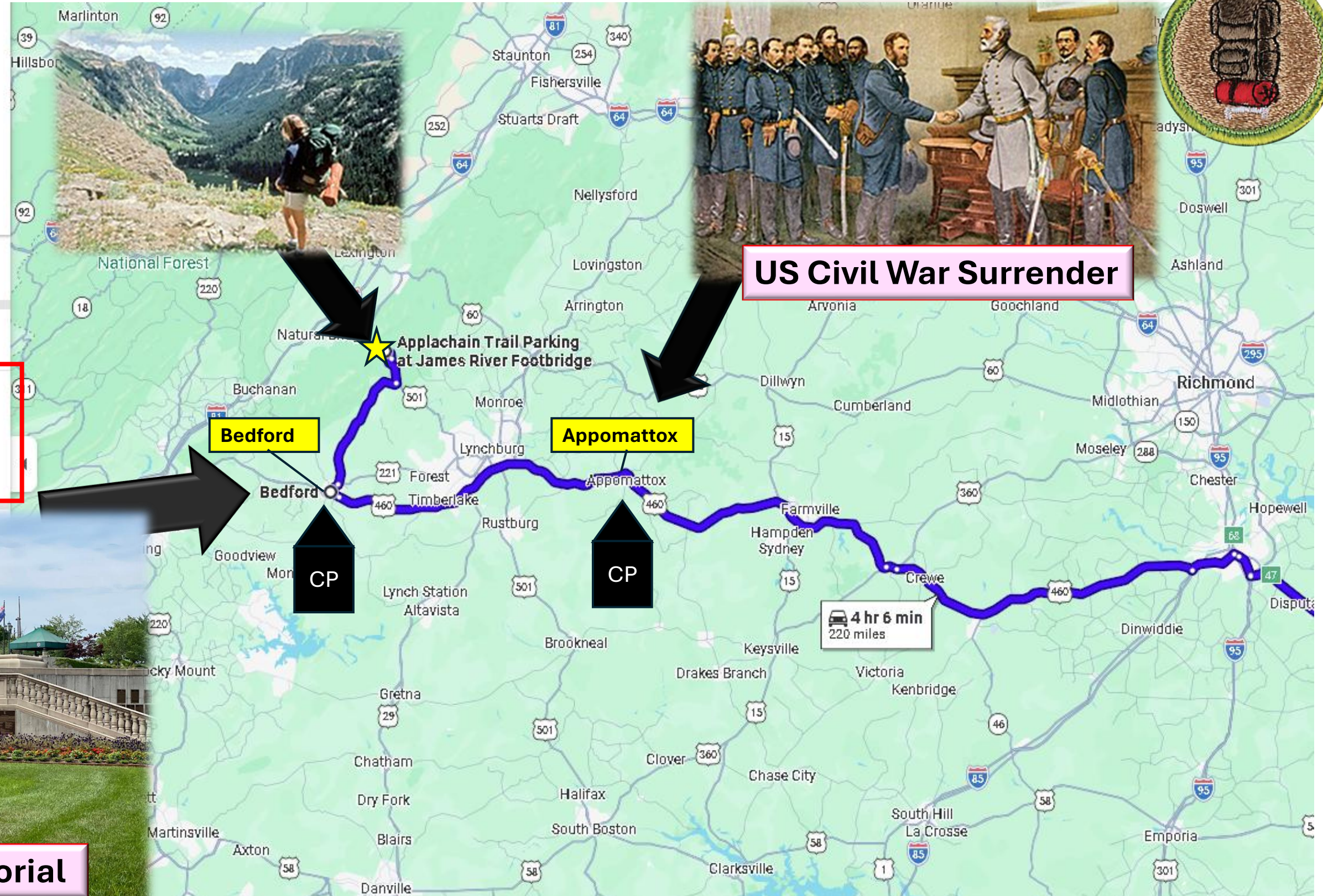
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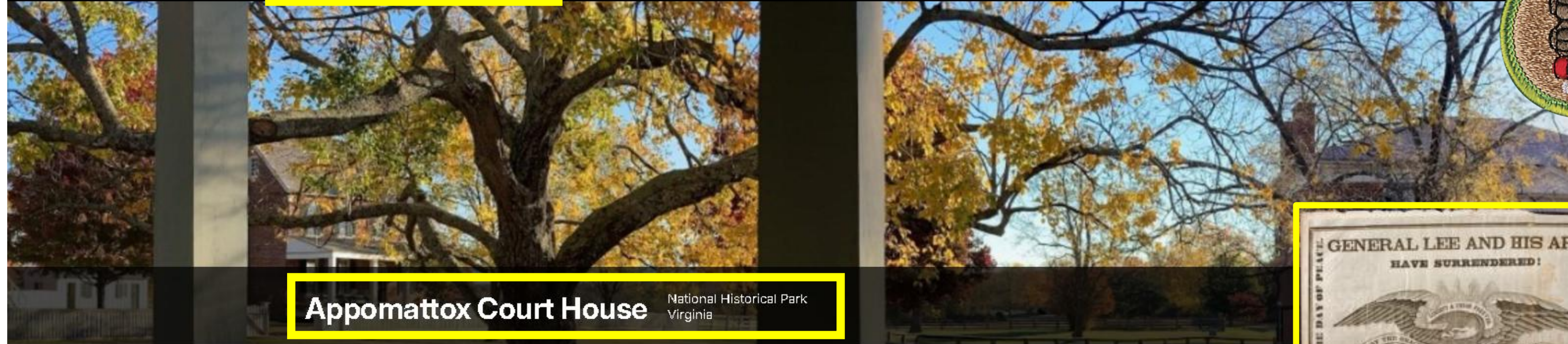




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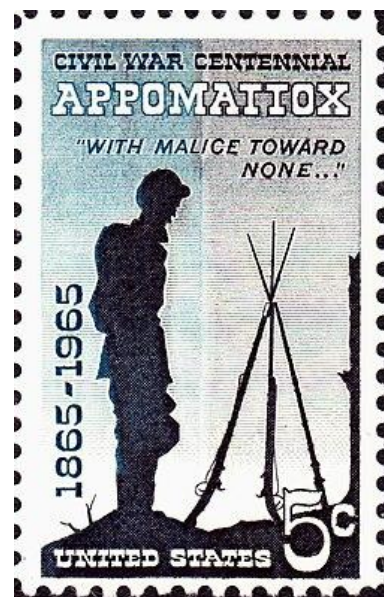
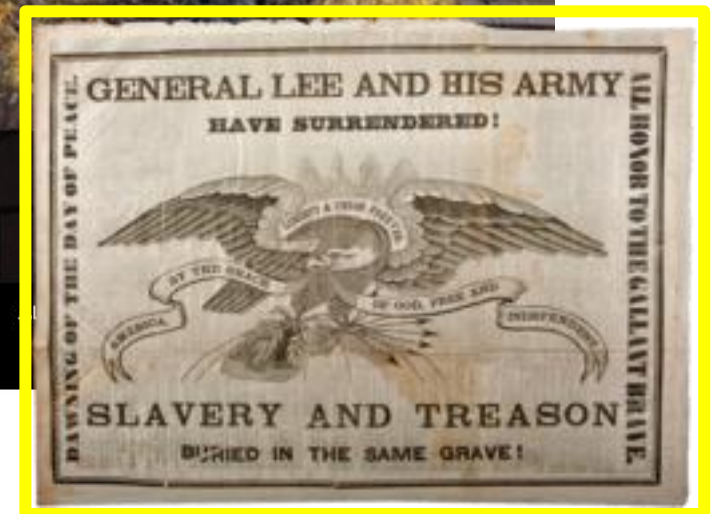
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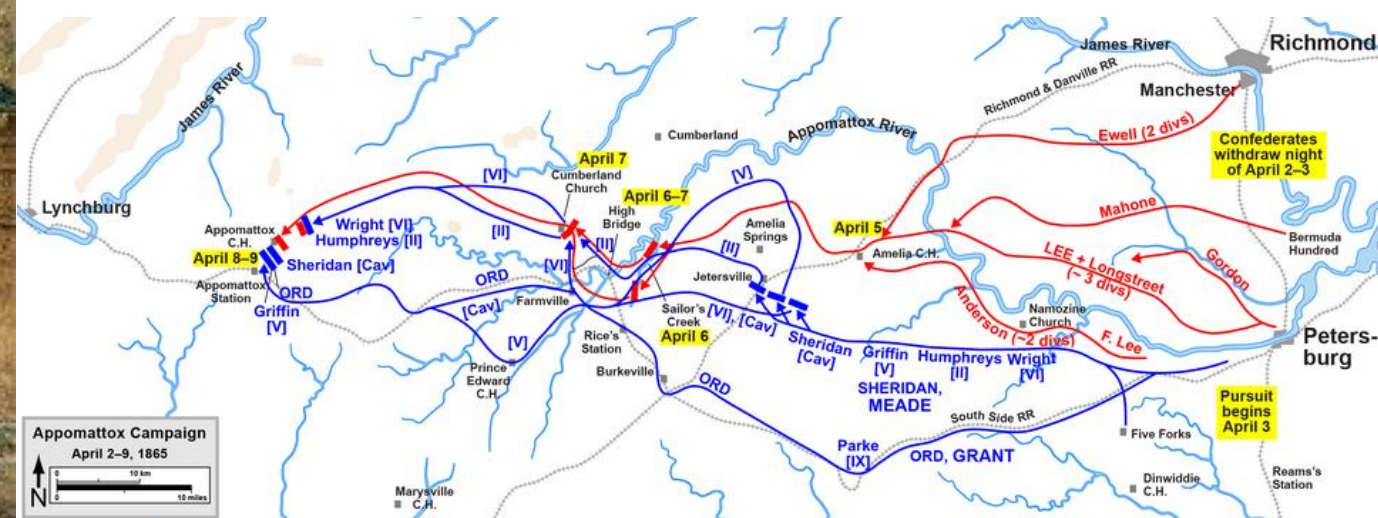
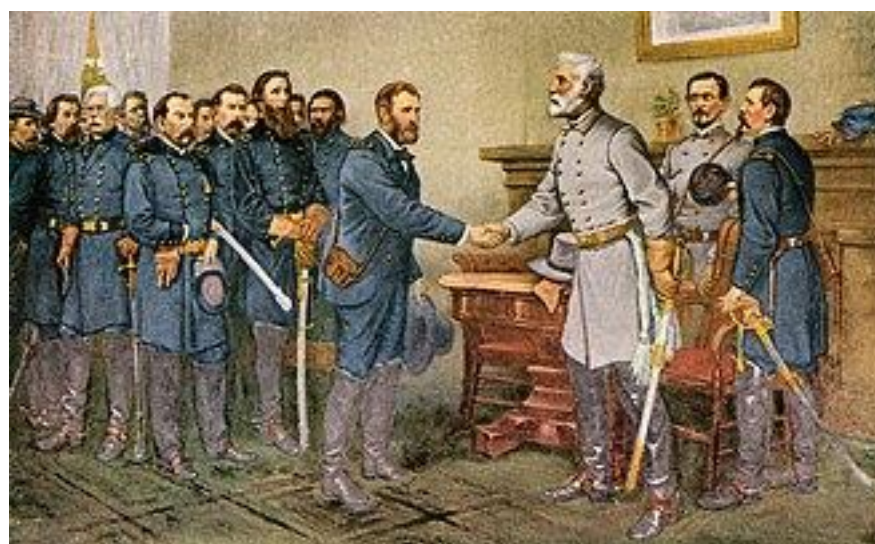
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## Beginning Peace and Reunion

On April 9, 1865, the surrender of the Army of Northern Virginia in the McLean House in the village of Appomattox Court House, Virginia signaled the effective end of the nation's largest war. Questions remained: could the nation reunite as one? How would emancipation be realized?





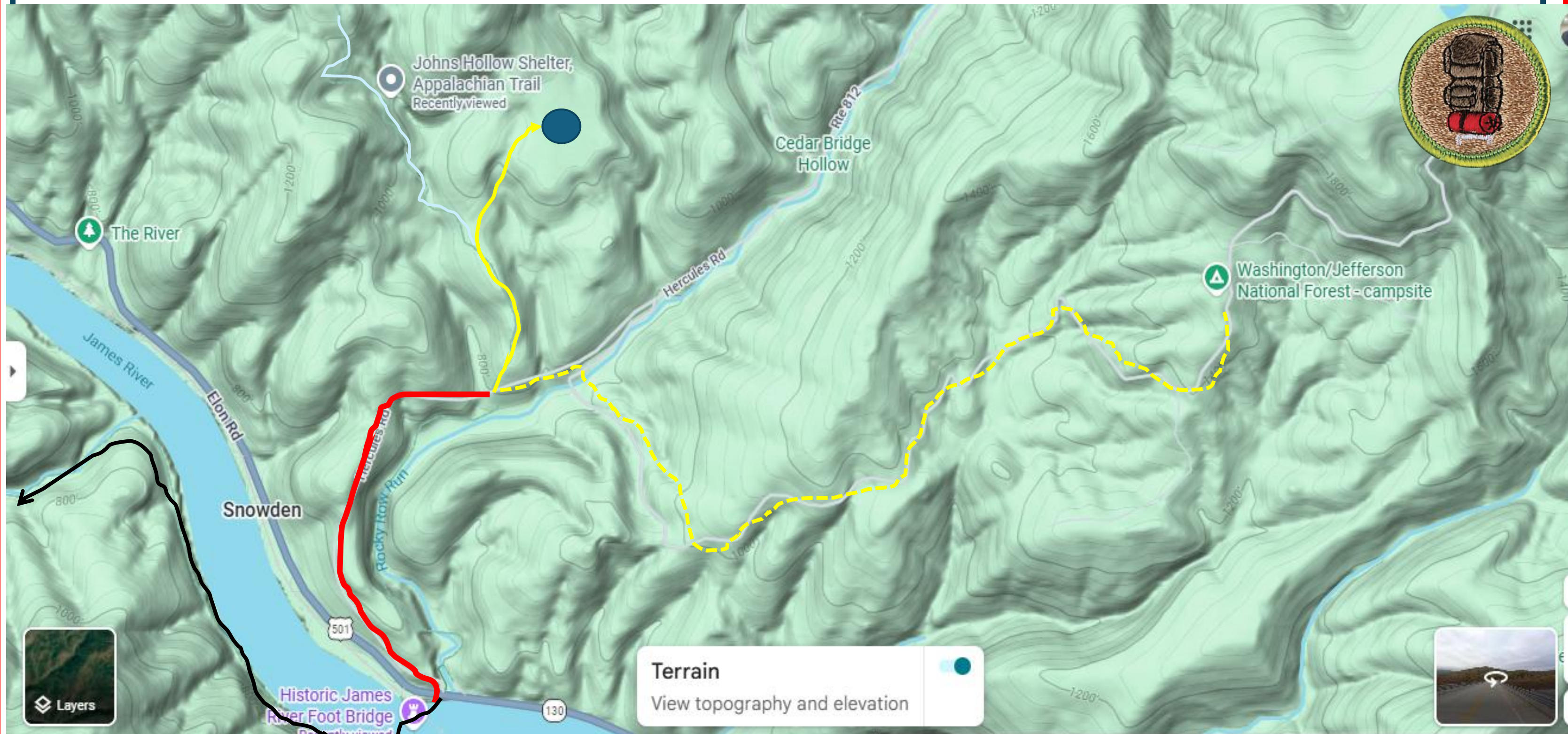






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|---------------------------|-------------|------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| A                         | Sheppe Pond | 1.5                    | Yes (pond)   | Yes                       | Hills          | Fishing, H2O, tough   | Brush Beating     |
| B                         | Camp site   | 3.0                    | UNKN         | Yes                       | Tougher hills  | Long hike on trail    | No adventure      |
| C                         | Matt Creek  | 2.0                    | Yes (creek)  | some                      | Flat walk      | Cross river, on creek | No vertical climb |





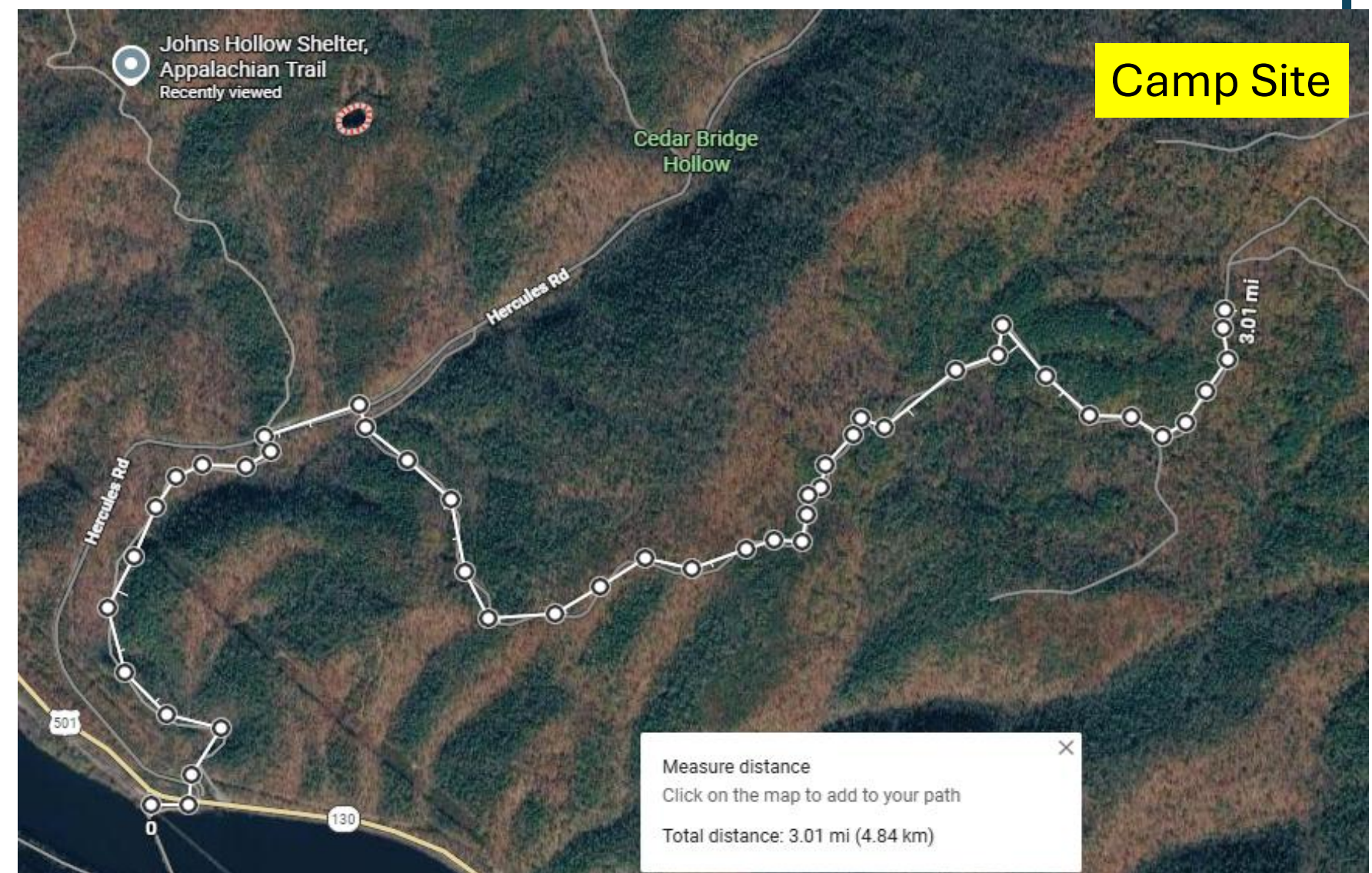




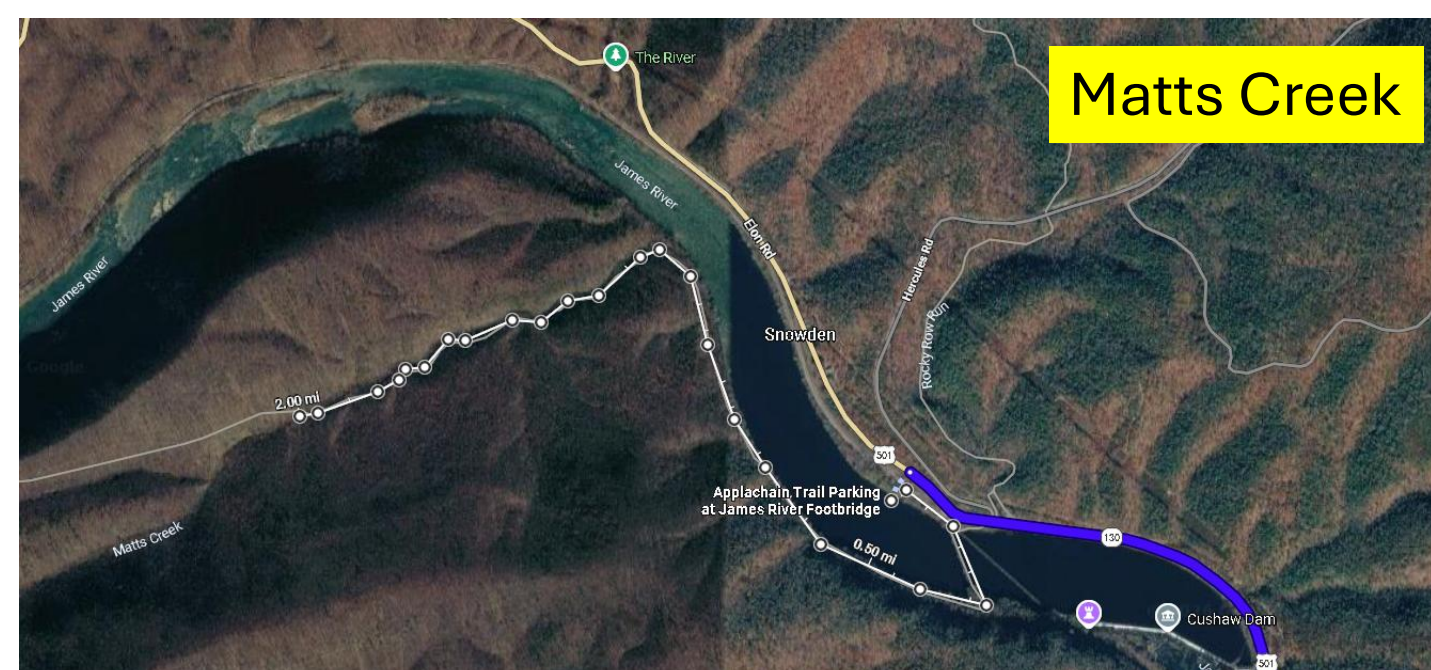
## Sheppe Pond



## Camp Site



## Matts Creek







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## James River Foot Bridge | Virginia Trails

The James River Foot Bridge carries the Appalachian Trail over the James River in Snowden, Virginia, approximately 20 miles northwest of Lynchburg. [Read more](#)



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# James River Foot Bridge

Virginia

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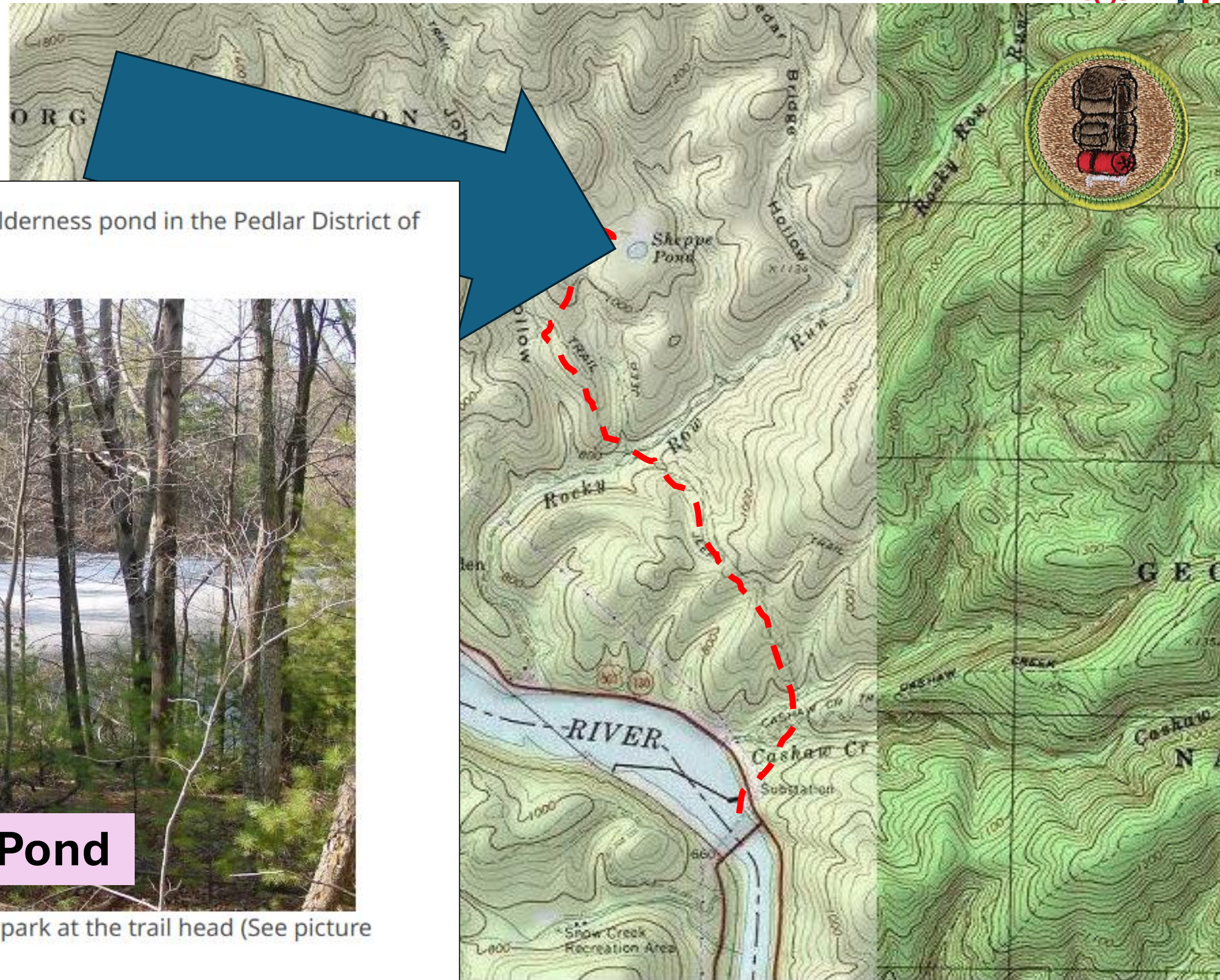
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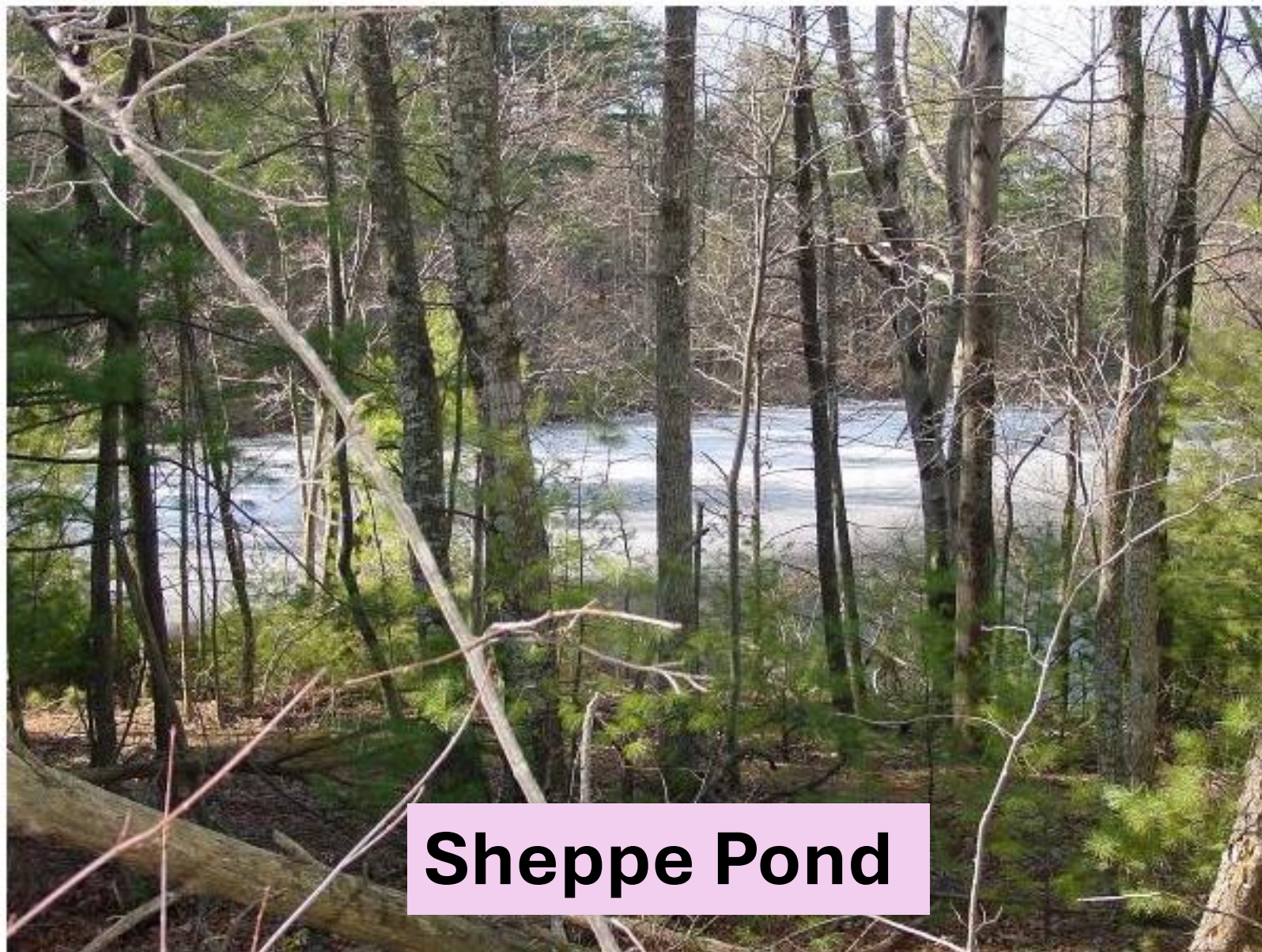
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This cache is located near a little known wilderness pond in the Pedlar District of the George Washington National Forest.



**Sheppe Pond**

Follow Route 812 from Route 501/130 and park at the trail head (See picture below): N37° 36.331' W079° 23.158'.







← Matts Creek Shelter, A...



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Exterior

From visitors



Matts Creek Shelter, Appala...



Susan Dalton

Photo - Sep 2017



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# Wisconsin and Canada



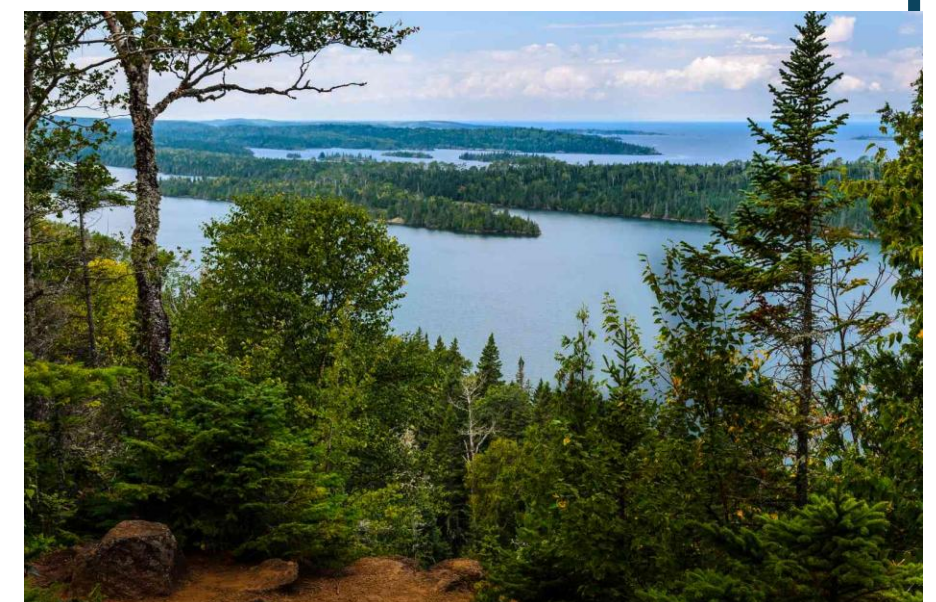
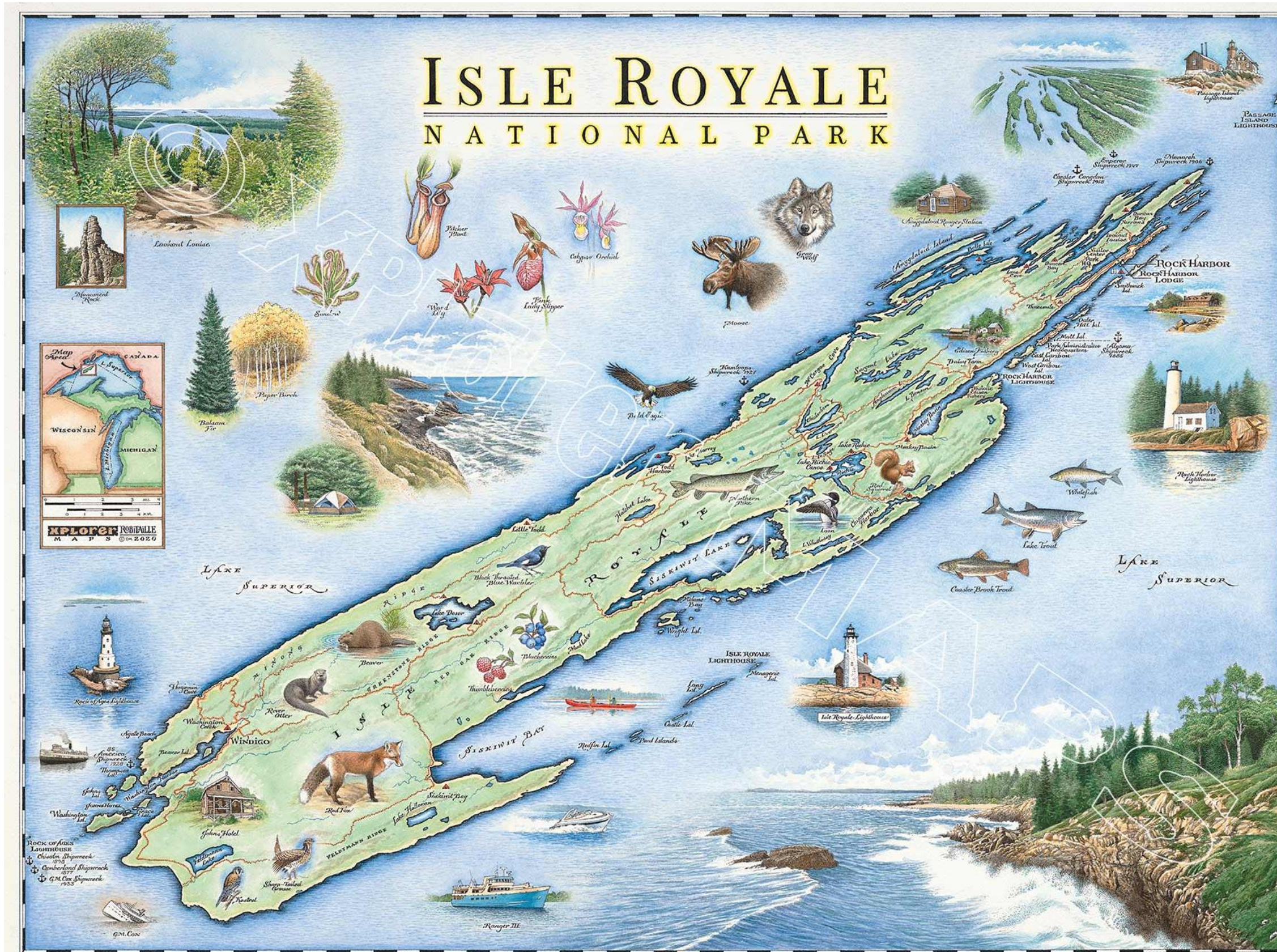
## Isle Royale National Park



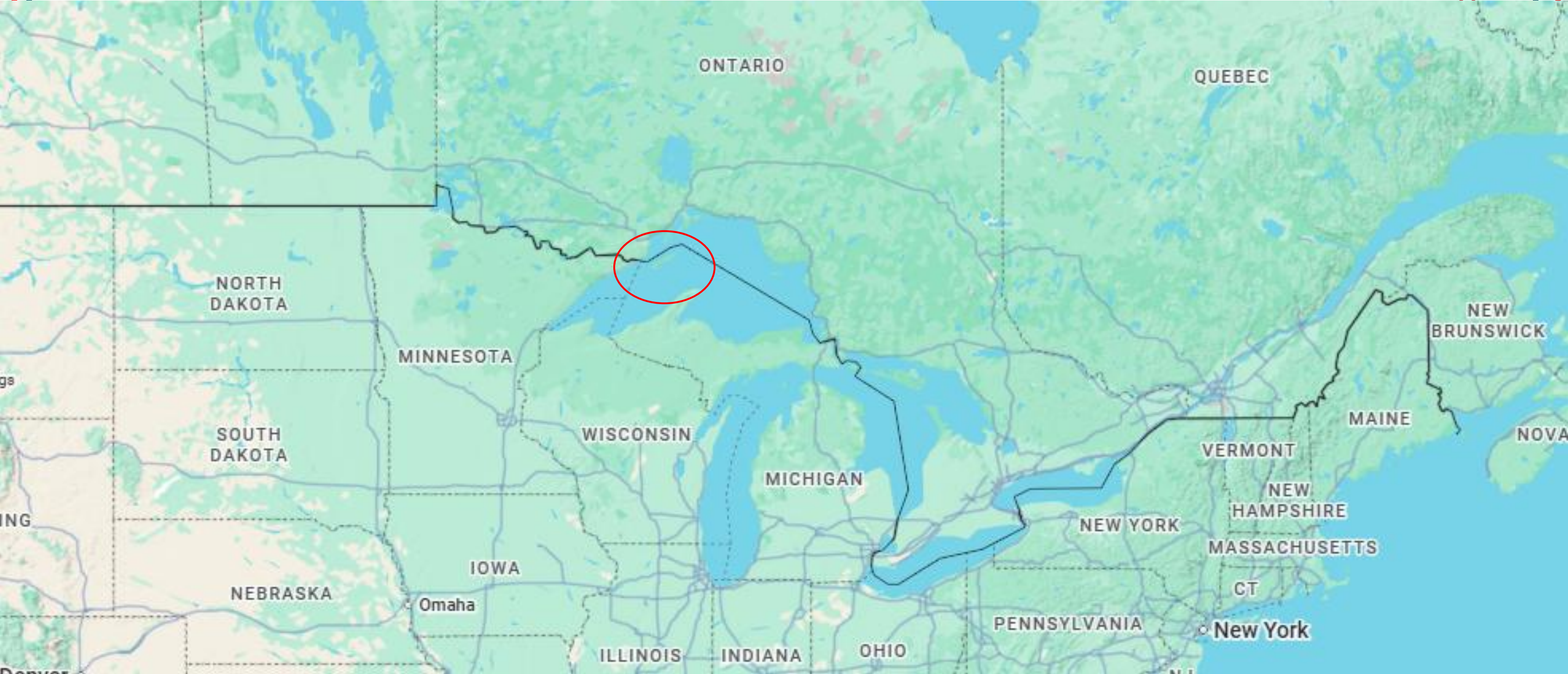
Explore a rugged, isolated island far from our connected communities.  
*Isle Royale* offers adventures for backpackers, hikers, boaters, paddlers, and divers.



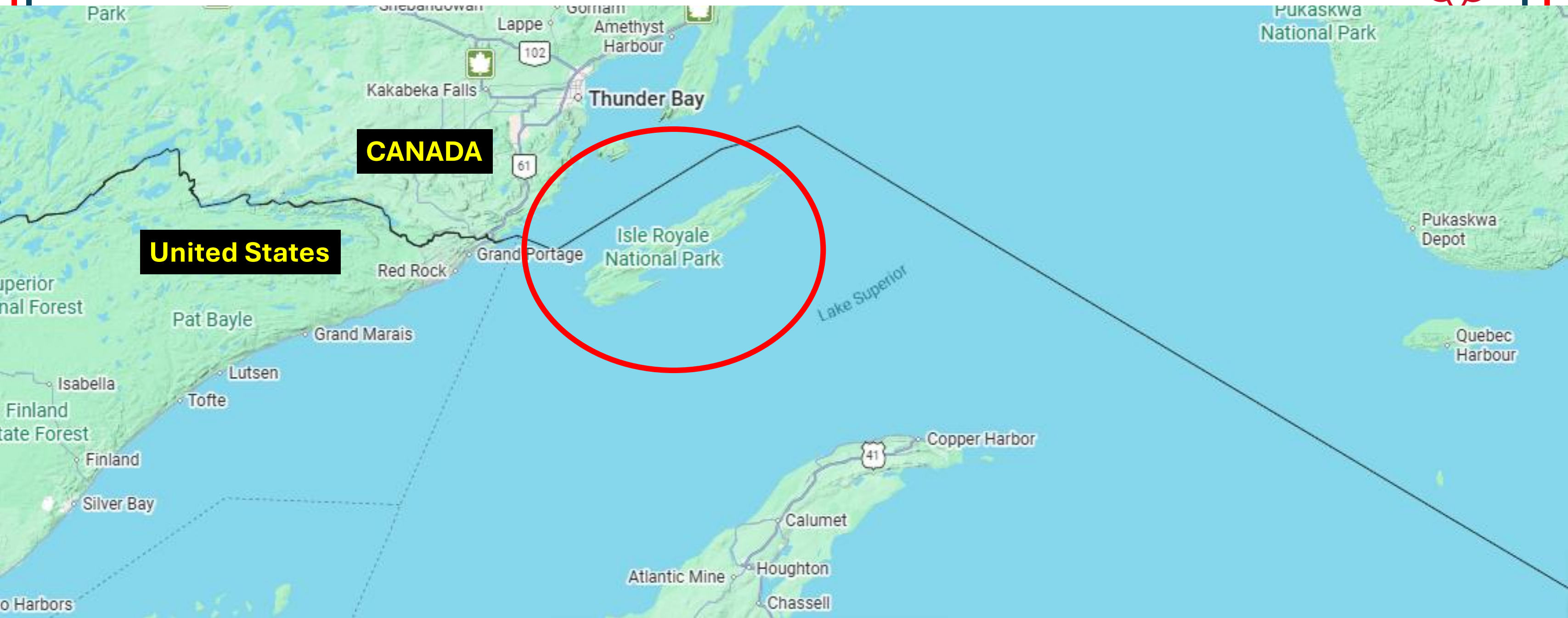
















# Cross-Country Camping Zones

National Park Service  
U.S. Department of the Interior  
Isle Royale National Park

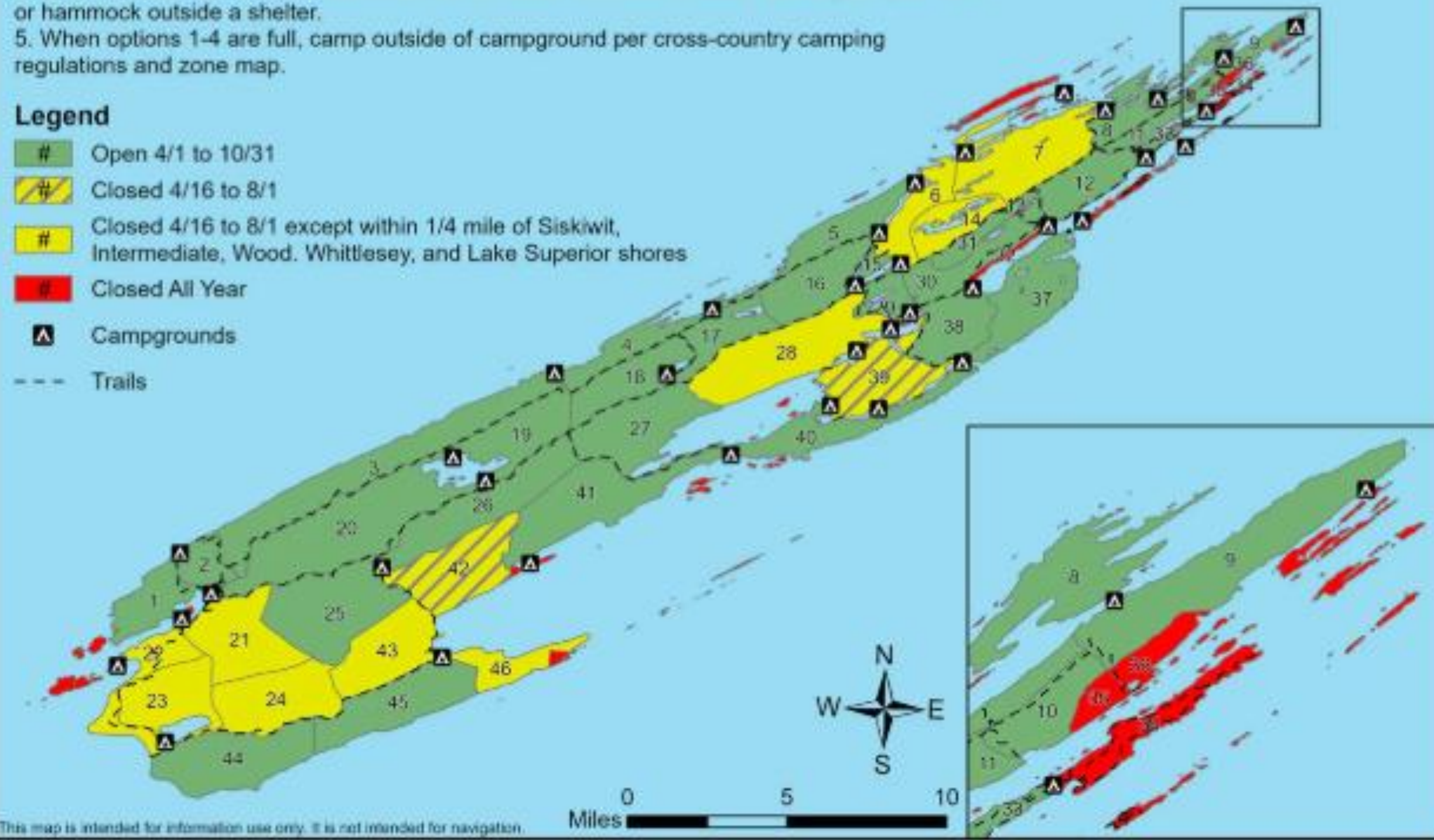


## How to Select a Camp Site:

1. At a campground, camp at a designated tent site or occupy a shelter.
2. When all sites are occupied, use the identified overflow group campsite (if present).
3. When all sites are occupied, ask to share a tent site.
4. When all sites are occupied and there are no viable tent sites to share, ask to pitch your tent or hammock outside a shelter.
5. When options 1-4 are full, camp outside of campground per cross-country camping regulations and zone map.

## Legend

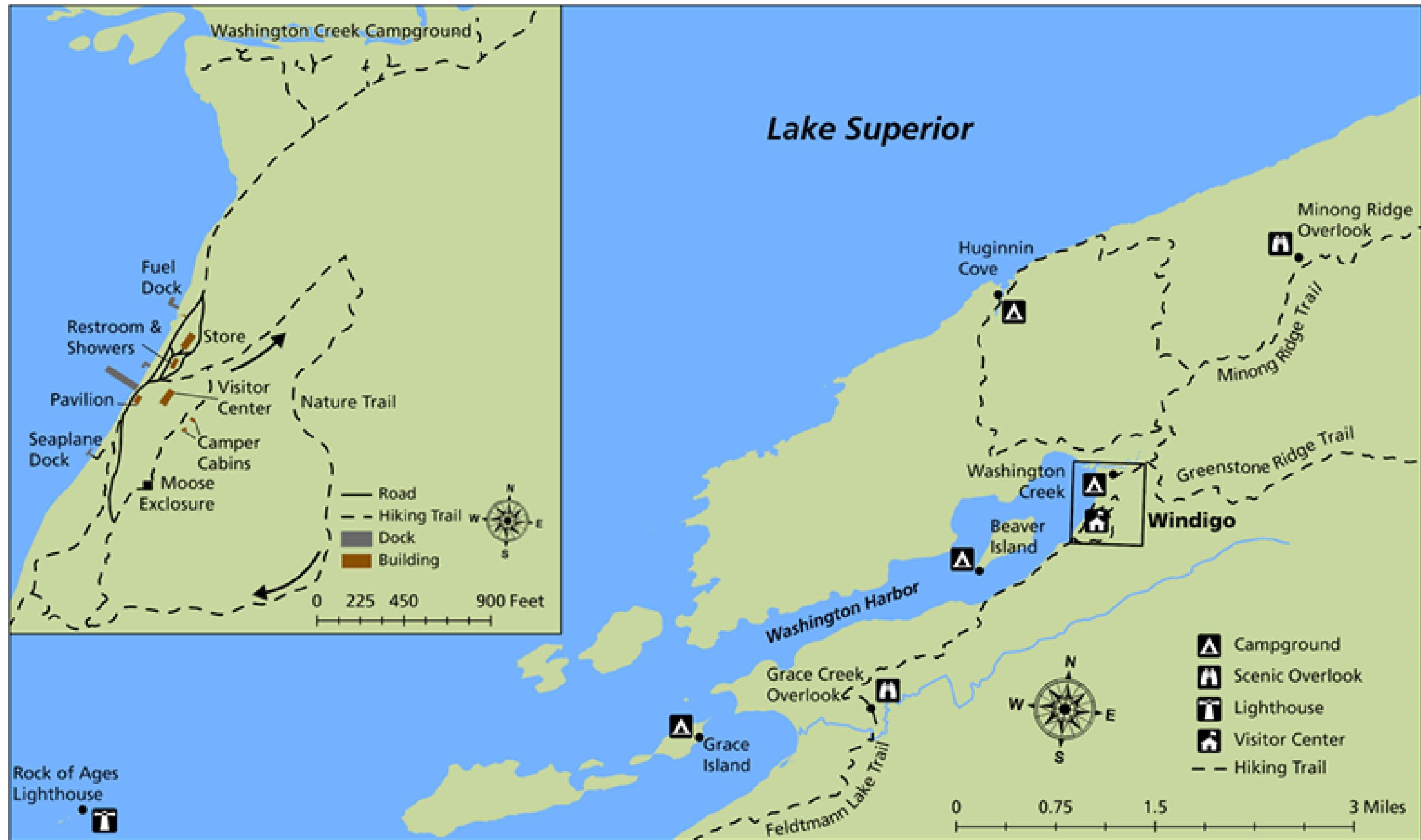
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- # Closed All Year
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- - - Trails



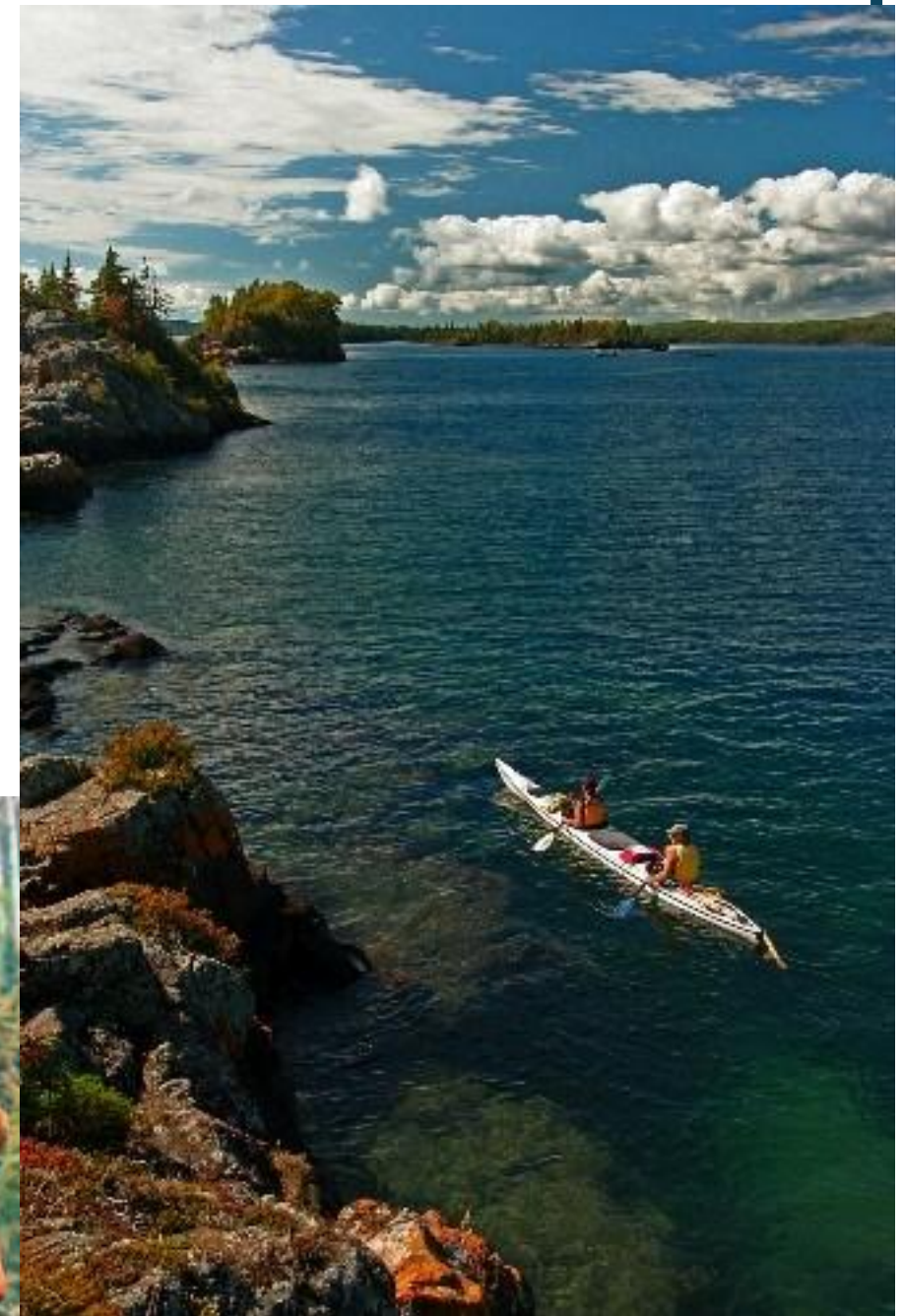
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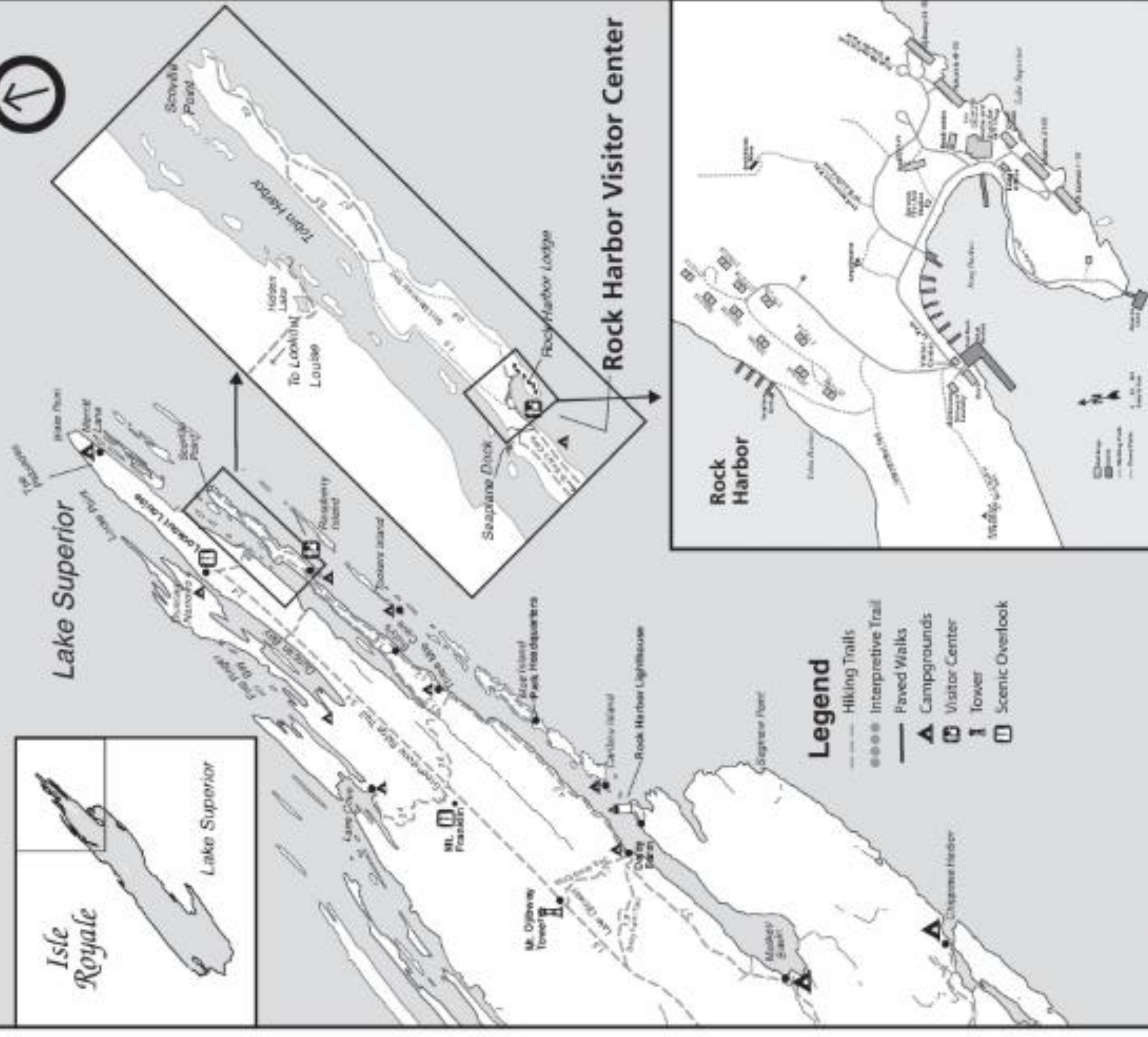












Isle Royale is only one of two island National Parks. It is designated a wilderness park and as such, 99% of the island is preserved as wilderness. One-percent of the park is developed. This is Rock Harbor, the main entrance, where the Isle Royale Queen IV embarks at the northeast end. This area features the charming Rock Harbor Lodge, the Lodge's popular duplex cottages, and other amenities, such as a gift shop, the Lodge Dining Room, the Greenstone Grill, the Lodge General Store, and the NPS Visitors Center. Washington Harbor, which is at the other end of the island features a snack bar and Visitors Center. Visit Captain Ben's Visiting Isle Royale Blog, which has an introduction to Isle Royale National Park and lots of information on what to do and see on Isle Royale.





# Getting to Isle Royale in Three Easy Steps

## Two important things to know when planning your trip:

1. Isle Royale National Park is closed to all visitors from November 1 until April 15. [Operating Hours & Seasons](#)
2. The ferries and seaplane provide transportation for the public from the middle of May until September. Check their websites for their schedule.

Planning a trip to Isle Royale may feel complicated. All is well, traveling to the island can be broken down into three steps.

### 1. Travel to [Michigan](#) or [Minnesota](#)

- Isle Royale is an island in Lake Superior.
- Transportation options are for people only.
  - Your vehicle remains on the mainland.

### 2. Catch Your Island Transportation

- Will you travel by [ferry](#), [seaplane](#), or [private boat](#)?
- Travel from [Houghton](#), [Copper Harbor](#), or [Grand Portage](#).

### 3. Where Will You Arrive on the Island?

- East End: Rock Harbor
- West End: Windigo















# Fishing Charter

**ISLE ROYALE  
NATIONAL PARK**  
ROCK HARBOR LODGE & MARINA

Our fishing charters are a great way to see the island, all while catching dinner. Rock Harbor Lodge offers half-day fishing charters for up to four guests. Our captains are very experienced and passionate about fishing. The fishing charter comes fully equipped with everything you'll need to catch fish and stay safe, aboard an inspected 24' charter boat operated by a U.S.C.G licensed captain. You will primarily be trolling for Lake Superior Lake Trout, as well as salmon.







| -0 Day                             | Day 1                                         | Day 2                                                 | Day 3                                     | Day 4                                     | Day 5                                     | Day 6                                            | Day 7                                                | Day 8                                                           |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1-2 Parents ADVON to Grand Portage | Scouts meet at Dulles Airport                 | VAN + Scouts drive south to Grand Portage             | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Paddle to Marina; check in boats                 | Drive to Ottawa (7.5 hrs) and see CA capital, USEMB, | Drive from Ottawa, through Montreal, to Burlington, VT (4.5hrs) |
| Secure Van                         | Scouts fly into Thunder Bay, CA               | Driver drops off Scouts/ Driver returns van to rental | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Ferry to Houghton, MI                            | Rest in cabins or tents for the night (restaurant)   | Turn-in the one-way rental van and catch flight to Dulles       |
| Drive to Thunder Bay for RON       | ADVON meets Scouts                            | Driver Taxi to port and L/U w/ scouts                 | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Pick-up van; and drive to Sault Ste Marie Border |                                                      |                                                                 |
|                                    | Scouts meet Canadian Scouts for patch trading | Board water taxi to Isle Royale / arrive @ IR port    |                                           |                                           |                                           | Cross into CA; drive to Boom                     |                                                      | Arrive Dulles, families pick-                                   |
|                                    | Go to dinner and sleep                        | Secure kayaks / canoes                                |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                  |                                                      |                                                                 |
|                                    | RON CA                                        | RON CA                                                | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                                    | Camp Boom                                            | Wesley Camp                                                     |
|                                    |                                               | Paddle to first camping spot                          |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                  |                                                      |                                                                 |
|                                    |                                               | Temp stop for dinner and sleep                        |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                  |                                                      |                                                                 |

COA 1: Camp & Canoe/ CA Capital + USEMB /Montreal/Vermont







COA 1: Camp & Canoe/ CA Capital + USEMB /Montreal/Vermont







## Wesley Clover Parks

### Campground

411 Corkstown Rd

Ottawa, ON. K2K 0J5

613-828-6632

[campground@wesleycloverparks.com](mailto:campground@wesleycloverparks.com)

[com](https://online.premiercampground.com/a8e1dc1281654ffdb7858381177d981d)

*S'il n'y a pas de site disponible pendant les dates demandées, vous pouvez contacter le bureau au 613-828-6632 pour être placé sur une liste d'attente.*

**GUIDE/SCOUT GROUPS:** Please contact the office directly to make your reservations. You will be charged full price if you book online.

dates for your stay

Arrival 05/01/2026

Departure 05/02/2026

Stay 1 Night

Site Type Cabin

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*Please note that while we will do our best to keep you in your chosen site, we reserve the right to relocate guests without notice prior to their arrival if required. You will receive your final site upon check-in.*

*S'il vous plaît noter que nous ferons de notre mieux pour vous garder dans votre site choisi, nous nous réservons le droit de déménager les campeurs sans préavis avant leur arrivée si nécessaire. Vous recevrez votre site final lors de l'enregistrement.*



## CAMPGROUND TERRAIN DE CAMPING

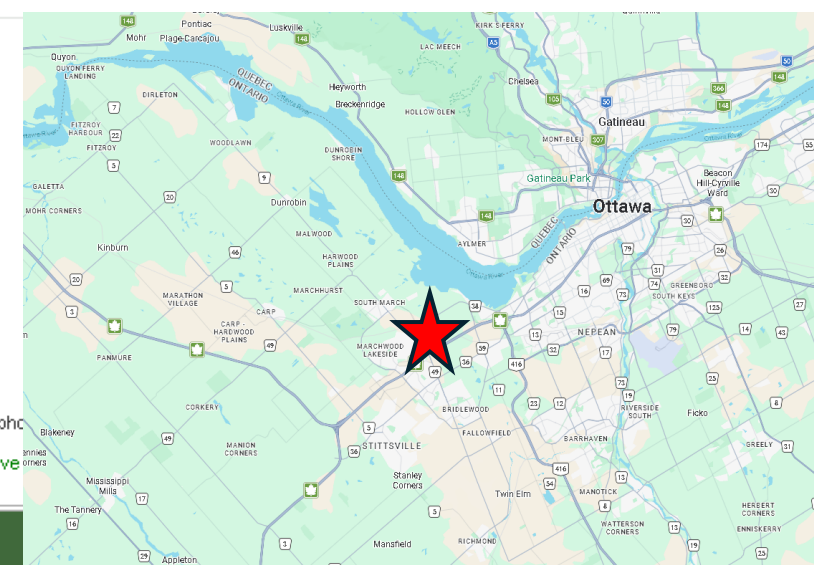
Welcome to the Wesley Clover Parks Campground! Bienvenue au camping Wesley Clover Parks!

Our Campground will be open from May 1st until October 13th, 2026 for bookings.

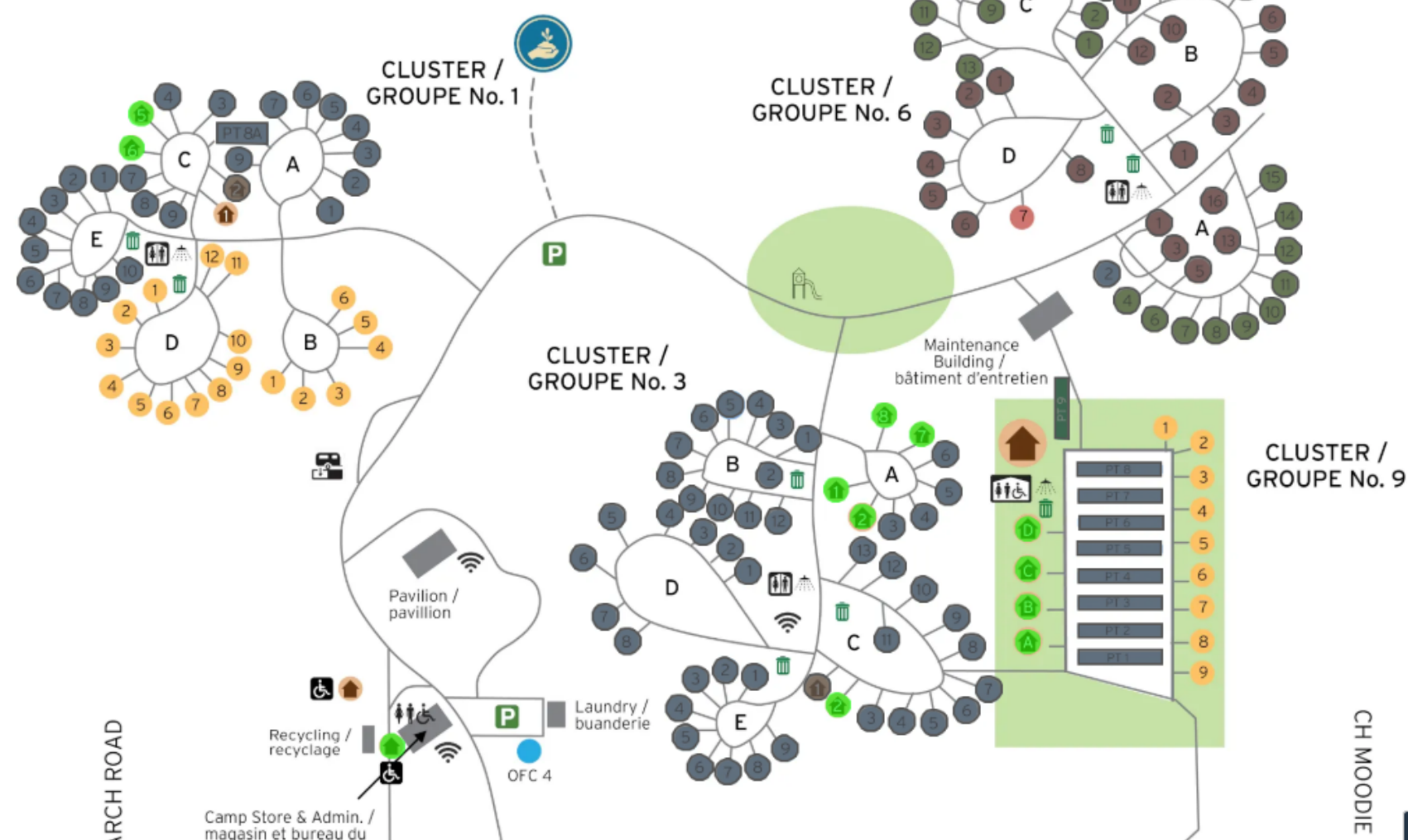
To Check if a Fire Ban is Currently in Place, Please Click [Here](#)

Please note that a valid credit card number is required on file to confirm your booking. Reservations must be made in the name of the person who will pick up the camping permit. Wesley Clover Parks requires photo ID at check-in.

Please note that there is very limited availability for non-affiliated campers during the weeks of the [Ottawa Equestrian Tournaments](#). There are also a number of dates throughout the season where events have been scheduled.



Step 2: Select your site



<https://online.premiercampground.com/a8e1dc1281654ffdb7858381177d981d>







## COA 1: Camp & Canoe/ CA Capital + USEMB /Montreal/Vermont

### Cost per Individual

- 1) flights: \$700 per
- 2) Van: total: \$900 (includes 2x van rentals and the one-way fee)
- 3) Gas: \$200 total
- 4) Cash \$400 per Meals during traveling between camping events
- 5) Ferry: \$150 per
- 6) Kayak rental: \$150 per

**~\$2500**





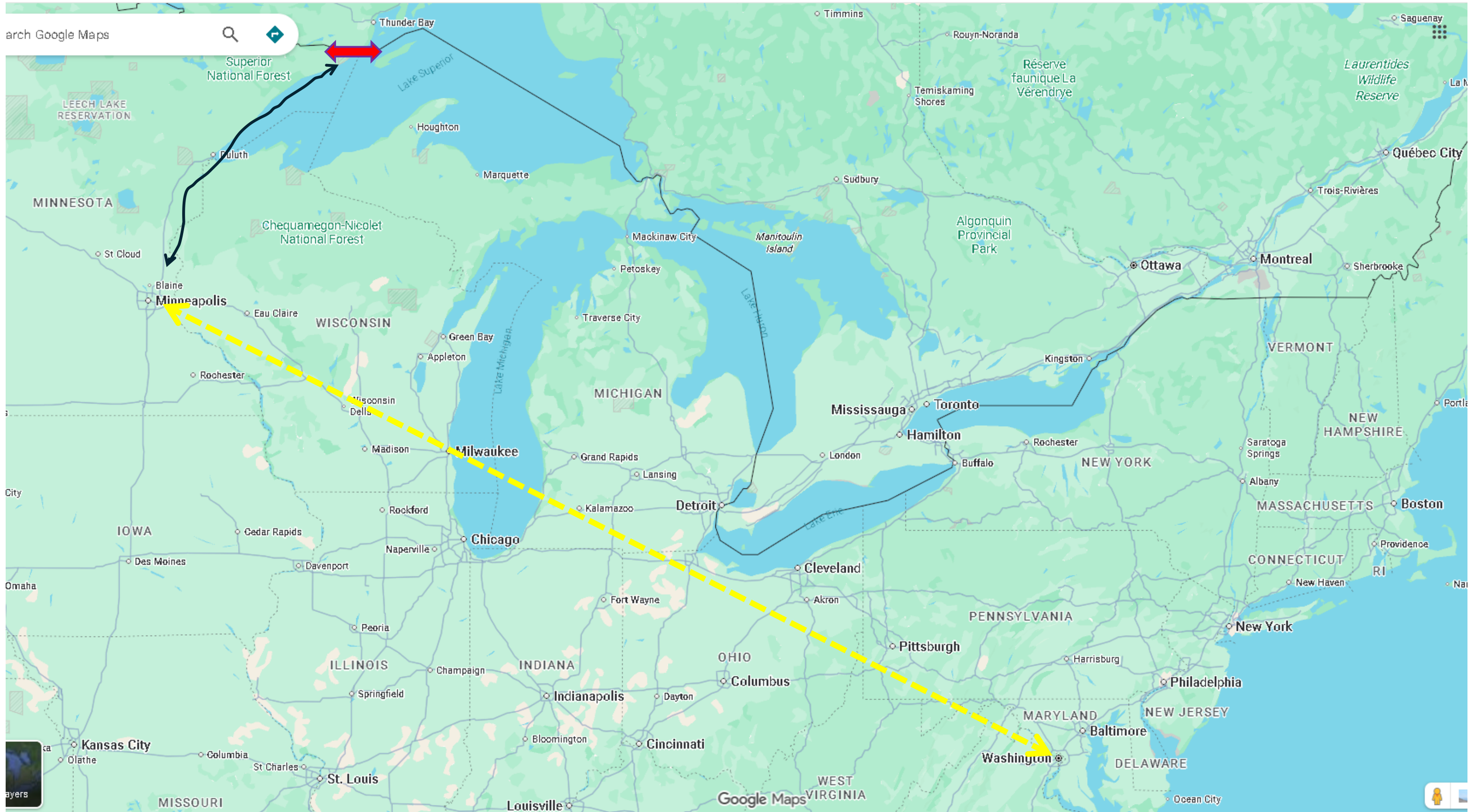


COA 2: Camp & Home (Cheapest)

| Day 1                                          | Day 2                                                 | Day 3                                     | Day 4                                     | Day 5                                     | Day 6                                     | Day 7                                             | Day 8                                  |
|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Scouts meet at Dulles Airport                  | VAN + Scouts drive south to Grand Portage             | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop         | Fly from Minneapolis to Dulles         |
| Scouts fly into Minneapolis                    | Driver drops off Scouts/ Driver returns van to rental | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Take ferry from Island to GP                      | Arrive Dulles, family's pick-up scouts |
| Secure VAN and Drive to Grand Portage (5x hrs) | Driver Taxi to port and L/U w/ scouts                 | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Secure one-way van and take scouts to Minneapolis |                                        |
| Go to hotel; temp stop for dinner and sleep    | Board water taxi to Isle Royale / arrive @ IR port    |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                           | Hotel                                             | Arrive Dulles, family's pick-up scouts |
|                                                | Secure kayaks / canoes                                |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                   |                                        |
|                                                | Paddle to first camping spot                          |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                   |                                        |
|                                                | Temp stop for dinner and sleep                        |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                   |                                        |
|                                                | RON GP                                                | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                                     | RON MIN                                |











## COA 1: Camp & Home (Cheapest)

### Cost per Individual

- 1) flights: \$700 per
- 2) Van: total: \$400 (includes 2x van rentals and the one-way fee)
- 3) Gas: \$100 total
- 4) Cash \$200 per Meals during traveling between camping events
- 5) Ferry: \$150 per
- 6) Kayak rental: \$150 per

**~\$1700**



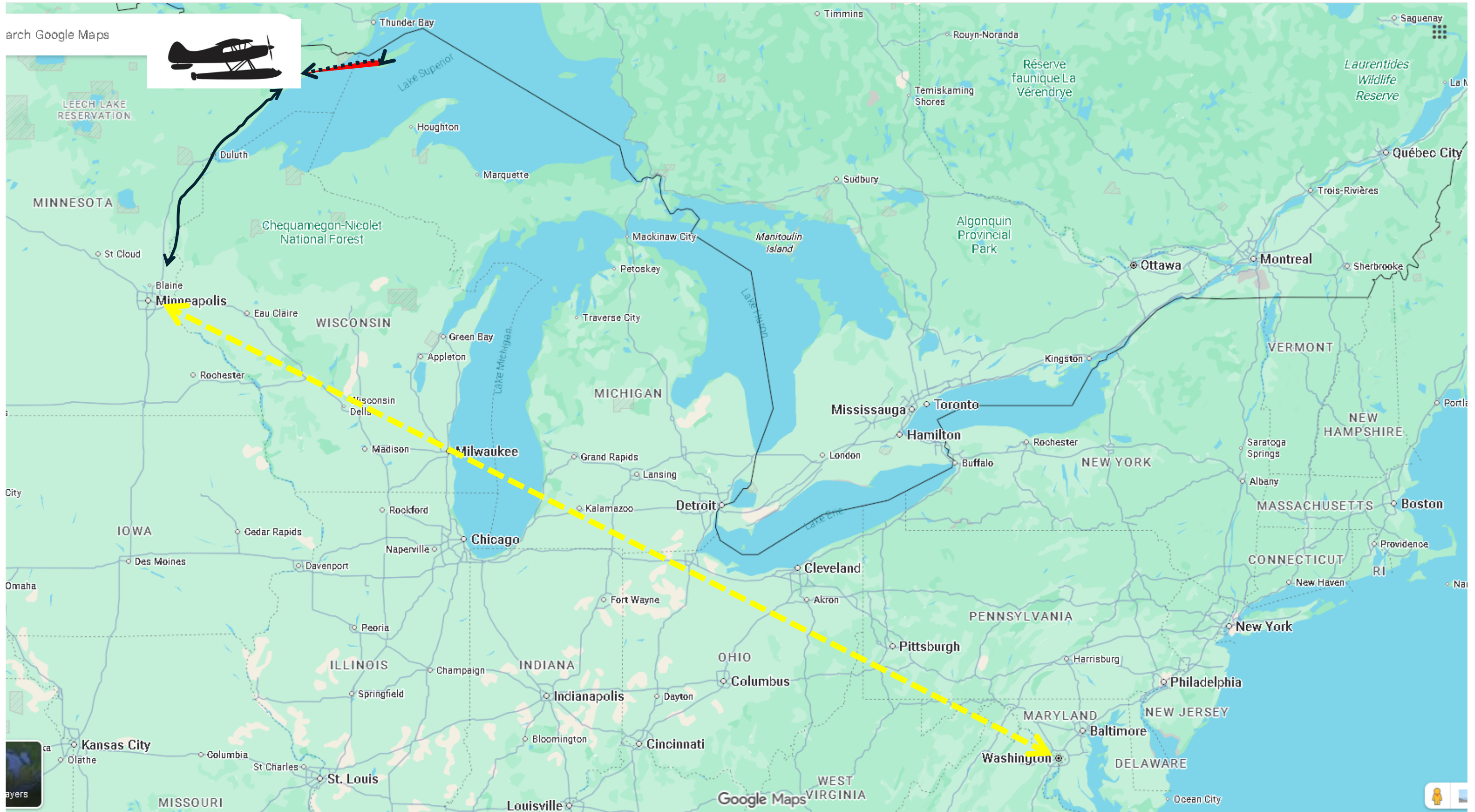




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|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Scouts meet at Dulles Airport                | VAN + Scouts drive south to Grand Marais              | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto next stop | Wake up; breakfast; paddle onto marina            | Fly from Minneapolis to Dulles         |
| Scouts fly into Minneapolis                  | Driver drops off Scouts/ Driver returns van to rental | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Lunch via sandwiches                      | Float Plane to Grand Marais                       | Arrive Dulles, family's pick-up scouts |
| Secure VAN and Drive to Grand Marais (x hrs) | Driver Taxi to port and L/U w/ scouts                 | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Temp stop for camping and dinner          | Secure one-way van and take scouts to Minneapolis |                                        |
| Go to hotel; temp stop for dinner and sleep  | Board float plane for Isle Royale / arrive @ IR port  |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                           | Hotel                                             | Arrive Dulles, family's pick-up scouts |
| COA 3: Float Plane Option (middle cost)      |                                                       |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                   |                                        |
|                                              | Secure kayaks / canoes                                |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                   |                                        |
|                                              | RON GP paddle to first camping spot                   | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                             | Camp / Island                                     |                                        |
|                                              | Temp stop for dinner and sleep                        |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                           |                                                   |                                        |











## ISLE ROYALE SEAPLANES

Isle Royale Seaplanes  
Isle Royale Seaplane Base  
26998 W. 16th Street  
Hubbell, MI 49934

[906-483-4991](tel:906-483-4991)

[info@isleroyalseaplanes.com](mailto:info@isleroyalseaplanes.com)

### DAY TRIP FLIGHT

Hubbell to Windigo or  
Rock Harbor:  
\$406 per person

Day-Trips to Windigo only  
available  
6/6/26 - 9/6/26

Day-Trips to Rock Harbor only  
available  
6/6/26 - 9/12/26

*These ticket prices include all  
taxes and fees.*

**\$406**

### ONE WAY FLIGHT

Hubbell to Windigo or  
Rock Harbor:  
\$282 per person

**\$282**

*These ticket prices include all  
taxes and fees.*

SUBMIT REQUEST

### ROUNDTRIP FLIGHT

Hubbell to Windigo or  
Rock Harbor:  
\$406 per person

**\$406**

*These ticket prices include all  
taxes and fees.*

SUBMIT REQUEST

### THREE WAY FLIGHT

Hubbell Three-way:  
\$406 per person

*A three-way means you get dropped off on  
one end of the island and you get picked  
up on the other. This is common for  
backpackers hiking across the island.*

**\$406**

*These ticket prices include all  
taxes and fees.*

SUBMIT REQUEST







### COA 3: Float Plane Option (middle cost)

Cost per Individual

- 1) flights: \$700 per
- 2) Van: total: \$400 (includes 2x van rentals and the one-way fee)
- 3) Gas: \$2per
- 4) Cash \$350 per meals throughout
- 5) ~~Ferry: \$150 per~~ Float Plane \$400 per
- 6) Kayak rental: \$150 per

**~ \$2100**







# Camping Overview

Isle Royale has 36 campgrounds located across the island. Campsites are accessible only by foot or watercraft. All campgrounds offer tent sites, a [water source](#), and outhouses. Some campgrounds on Lake Superior offer shelters and picnic tables. For boaters and parties of six or fewer, overnight permits are free.



Moskey Basin shelter  
NPS

- For parties of six or fewer, all campgrounds are first-come first-served, **you cannot reserve campgrounds.**
- For parties of seven or more you need to make [group reservations](#).
- Backpackers hike from one campground to another, usually traveling six to eight miles per day.
- Several campgrounds on the Lake Superior shoreline have docks for [power boaters and sail boaters](#).
- [Canoes and kayak](#) campgrounds, located inland, are only accessible by non-motorized boats.
- For those looking for a more rugged and adventurous experience, [cross-country camping](#) is allowed with an additional permit addendum.
- **Consecutive night stay limits** are in effect from June 1 through Labor Day. Rock Harbor, Three Mile, Lane Cove, and Washington Creek extend through September 21. See [specific stay limits for each campground](#). They are also listed in [the current park newspaper](#).







### Washington Harbor Store

|                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Operating Season  | June 6 - September 6, 2025                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Hours             | 8:00am – 6:00pm, Daily                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Guest Information | Guests staying at Washington Harbor Camper Cabins will check-in and check-out at Washington Harbor Store.                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Features          | Standard selection of groceries, freeze dried camping meals, fishing tackle, camping and hiking accessories, camping fuel, photo supplies, boating accessories, bagged ice, apparel, souvenirs, toiletries and sundries. Michigan DNR fishing licenses are available for purchase as well. |

### Rental Rates

|                                                              |                                             | Half Day | Full Day |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Boat or Canoe                                                |                                             | \$46.00  | \$64.00  |
| <i>The maximum engine permitted on rental boats is 15hp.</i> |                                             |          |          |
| <i>Motors are not permitted on canoes.</i>                   |                                             |          |          |
| Boat & Motor                                                 | Washington Harbor will not overnight rental | \$75.00  | \$127.00 |
| Kayak                                                        | Kayak                                       | \$56.00  | \$77.00  |

At the southwestern end of Isle Royale is **Washington Harbor**, only 22 miles from the Minnesota shore. Secluded Washington Harbor welcomes boating and trout fishermen. It is easily accessible by boat service from Grand Portage via the Wenonah, which offers daily service to Washington Harbor. Also, the Voyageur offers visitors a scenic ride around the island from Washington Harbor to Rock Harbor Lodge

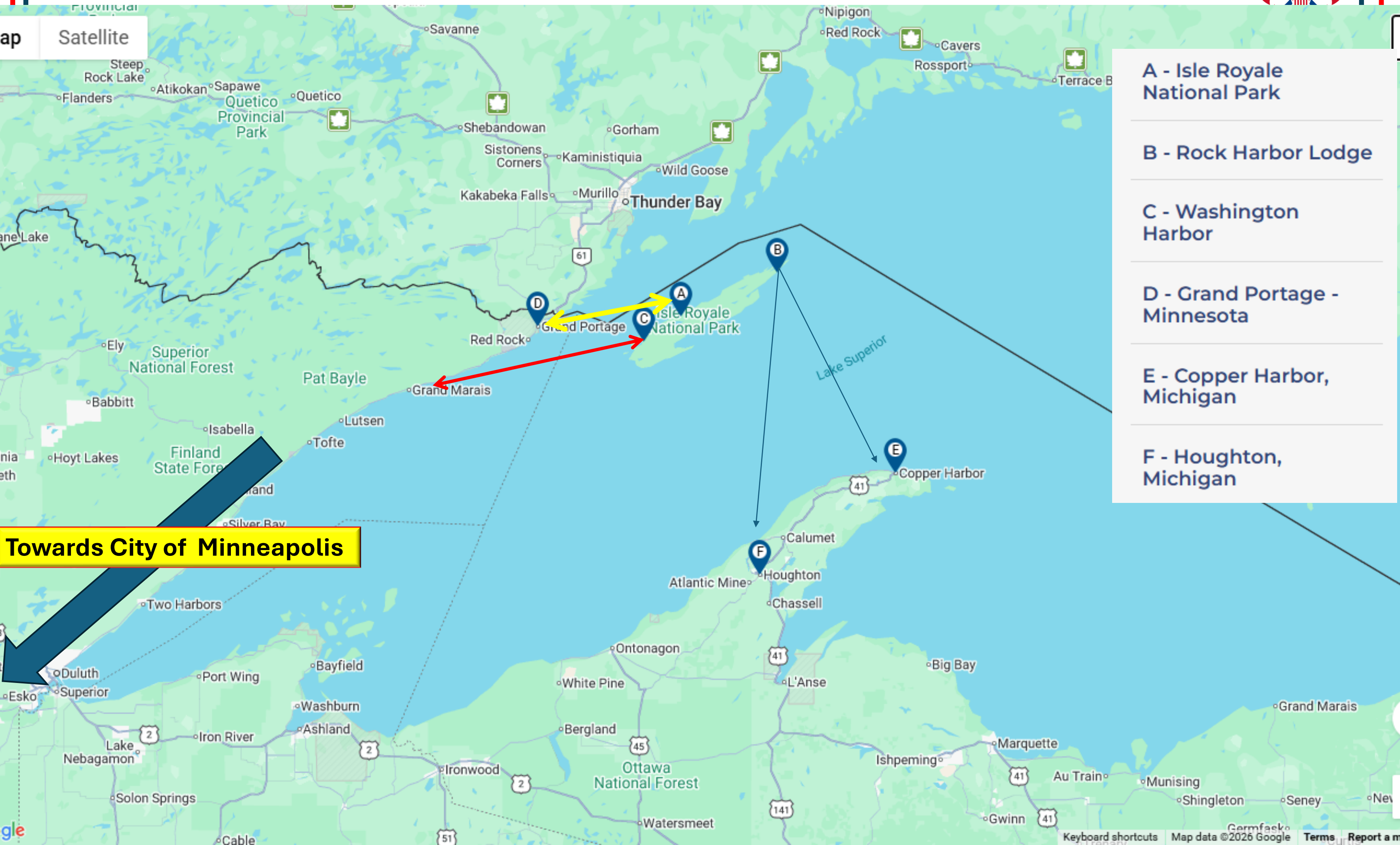
### Washington Harbor Marina Services

|                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Shower Facility  | At the Washington Harbor Store, one can purchase tokens for the shower, as well as rent towels (for the shower).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Laundry Facility | Coin operated laundry facilities are located in the same complex as the showers.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Fuel Information | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>If you are flying in on Isle Royale Seaplanes, you can purchase fuel at the Washington Harbor Store.</li><li>We sell isobutane mixed fuel, as well as white gas. Because we understand how important fuel is for your backpacking trip, we carry an ample fuel supply at both ends of the island.</li></ul> |

You can rent a canoe ahead of time for overnight trips. Call [906.337.4993](tel:906.337.4993) for availability.







## Towards City of Minneapolis

### A - Isle Royale National Park

### B - Rock Harbor Lodge

### C - Washington Harbor

### D - Grand Portage - Minnesota

### E - Copper Harbor, Michigan

F - Houghton,  
Michigan



