

Wooden Canoe Heritage Association

42nd Annual Assembly, July 12-17, 2022

“Solo Canoes & Remembering Tom MacKenzie”

Paul Smith’s College of the Adirondacks, Paul Smith’s, New York

Main Tent (On the Green):

Information Open; Tues 2-8PM, Wed-Sat 9AM-5PM+

All participants must sign a waiver & pay an event fee (daily or weekly)

WCHA Store Open; Wed.-Fri. 9AM-4PM, Sat. 9-12Noon

Raffle & Auction PREVIEW; Fri.1-5PM, Sat. 9-11AM **Auction: Sat. 2-4:30PM**



Tuesday, July 12th

10-11 ADK Museum tour of the collection with Conservator and Collections Manager, Doreen Alessi-Holmes http://www.adkmuseum.org/			
2 PM	WELCOME! REGISTRATION; event, meals, accommodations [Main Tent]	Construction Tent Set up & Ongoing Demos	Pay as you go workshops;
3			Sign up in Main Tent
4			Paddle-Carving (Caleb Davis) (single or double= \$110) (Thursday & Friday)
4:15-5:30	Traditional Recreational Tandem Basic (Whitehead & Huytera)		
4:30-6:30PM	DINNER [Student Centre]		
6:45	EVENING PROGRAM [Bobcat Café/Student Centre] Paddler's Gathering Welcome Reception (Wine & cheese, soft drinks, munchies) Campfire (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit]		

Additional info & maps regarding **local attractions, short paddling excursions & daytrips** at Main Tent.

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Wednesday, July 13th

6-7:30AM	“Early Bird” Bird-Watching Excursion (R Zalonis) Meet @ Recreation Room, Student Centre			
6:30-7:45	Traditional Recreational Solo Basic Part 1 (Whitehead & Wyman) [Beach]			
7-9AM	BREAKFAST [Student Centre]			
7:30-8:15	Yoga For Every Body (Jeanne Griffin-Greene) [Beach]			
8:30-9	New Attendee Orientation (Grace) [Pine Room]			
9	Board of Directors Meeting (Elected members only) [Pine Room]	Silk-Screening T-Shirts (Ball Stanton/3R Chapter) [Pickett 113]	Try Rowing a Canoe (Comb) [Beach]	Construction Tent Leakproofing Your All Wood Boat (G. Burke)
9:30				
10				
10:30				
11-1PM	LUNCH [Student Centre]			
1PM	Restoring a 50 pound Trapper (Lapey/Norumbega) [Pine Room]	Canoe Sailing (Gray & Clearwater)	Paint a Barn Quilt (F Sienkiwicz)	Paddle to White Pine Camp (optional)
1:30				
2	Recanvassing a Cedar Canvas Canoe (Bill Paine/NW Chapter) [Pine Room]			Guided Tour of White Pine Camp
2:30				
3	James Bay Railway Travelling Canoe (MacLachlan) [Pine Room]			
3:30				
4:15-5:30	Traditional Recreational Tandem Basic (Whitehead & Huytera) [Beach]			
4:30-6:30PM	DINNER [Student Centre]			
6:45-7:30 7:30-8:15 8:15-9:30	EVENING PROGRAM [Freer Auditorium] An Alaskan Hospital & Haven (Geoffrey Burke) Pub Paddling & Early British Canoe Builders (Nick Dennis) Resurrection of a Burn Pile Rushton (Jim Clearwater) Campfire (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit]			

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Thursday, July 14th

6-7:30AM	“Early Bird” Bird-Watching Excursion (R Zalonis) Meet @ Recreation Room, Student Centre TBC				
6:30-7:45	Traditional Recreational Solo Intermediate Part 1 (Whitehead & Brylawski) [Beach]				
7:30-8:15	Yoga For Every Body (Jeanne Griffin-Greene) [Beach]				
7-9AM	BREAKFAST [Student Centre]				
9 - 11	Fire Sale Tools (Johnson, Hutyera, Nolan) [Main Tent]	Canoe Paddle Mechanics (Runciman) [Pine Room]	Quilting Workshop (Sienkiewicz) [Pickett 113]	Construction Tent Wooden Barn Quilt Mosaic (Gordon)	Paddle-Carving (Davis) [Tremolo canopy]
11-1PM	LUNCH [Student Centre]				
1PM	Ladies Tea [Bobcat Cafe]	Fun on the Water Paddling Events (Van Keuren+) [Beach]	Fish or Fowl? (Fisher) [Pine Room]	Paddle to White Pine Camp (optional) [Church Pond]	Paddle-Carving continued (Davis) [Tremolo canopy]
1:30			Guided Tour of Tom MacKenzie Canoes (Yost, Comb, etc.) [Special Display Tent]	Guided Tour of White Pine Camp	
2					
2:30					
3 - 4					
4:15-5:30	Traditional Recreational Tandem Intermediate (Whitehead & Huytera) [Beach]				
4:30-6:30PM	DINNER [Student Centre]				
6:30-7 7-9:30	EVENING PROGRAM [Freer Auditorium] Annual Membership Meeting (Michael Grace) The Boat Connects the People; An Interview with Tom MacKenzie (Deborah Gardner) Remembering Tom MacKenzie (Charlie Wilson, David Yost, Jim Mandle,...) Campfire (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit]				

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Friday, July 15th

6:30-7:45	Traditional Recreational Solo Basic Part 2 (Whitehead & Wyman) [Beach]				
7-9AM	BREAKFAST [Student Centre]				
7:30-8:15	Yoga For Every Body (Jeanne Griffin-Greene) [Beach] Paddle a Solo Canoe (Brylawski/3 Rivers Chapter) [Beach]	8:30-12 Group Paddle to Spitfire & Upper St. Regis boathouses [Beach]	Construction Tent Canoe Seat Caning Demo J Bratton	Paddle-Carving continued (Davis) [Tremolo canopy]	
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9:30					
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10:30					
11					
11-1PM	LUNCH [Student Centre]				
1PM	Canoe-scapes (Zalonis) [Beach or LMS Lounge]	Contour Drawing (Ball) [St. Regis Room]	Tour of Notable Canoes on the Green (WCHA Historians & members)		Paddle-Carving continued (Davis) [Tremolo canopy]
1:30					
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2:30				Camp Stove & Lantern Maintenance & Repair (Foord)	
3	Quilter's Meeting [Pickett 113]	If You Capsize (adults and kids) (Whitehead & Huytera) [Beach]	Water Quality & Clarity in Canoe Country Lakes (Rose) [Pine Room]		
3:30					
4					
4:30					
4:30-6:30PM	DINNER [Student Centre]				
6-6:45	Timbersports Exhibition [Green/Front of Dining Hall]				
6:45-dusk	PADDLE BY & SALUTE (Sienkiewicz) [Student Centre / Lakefront] Participants; please complete a canoe & paddler(s) info sheet early at the Main, get instructions Spectators; assemble at the lakefront Campfire (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit] Candlelight Paddle on Lower St. Regis Lake (ACS) [Waterfront]				

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Saturday, July 16th

6:30-7:45	Traditional Recreational Solo Intermediate (Part 2) (Whitehead & Brylawski) [Beach]			
7-9AM	BREAKFAST [Student Centre]			
8:30	Bird-Watching Paddling Excursion (R Zalonis) Meet @ beach ready to go			
9	WCHA Chapters Meeting (Shea) [St. Regis Room]	Tour of Solo Canoes on the Green (WCHA Historians & members)	Restoring a 42' Peterborough War Canoe (Henderson) [Pine Room]	
9:30			The New Canadian Canoe Museum (Ward & Hysop) [Pine Room]	
10	Assembly Feedback & Planning (A Burke, Stevens) [St. Regis Room]			
11-1PM	LUNCH [Student Centre]			
1PM	Raffle & Auction Preview [Main Tent]			
2	Annual Fundraising Raffle & Auction [Main Tent] (Auctioneer: Jack Nettleton) Assembly Group Photo + "Raising Cane" (J & B Wilson) [Student Centre Recreation Room Porch]			
4:30-6:30PM	DINNER [Student Centre]			
6:45+	EVENING PROGRAM Solo Canoes; How They Got That Way and Where They are Going (Alex Comb) One Man, One Canoe; Solo Canoes in the Early Days of Recreational Canoeing (Dan Miller) Bill Mason's Favourite Canoe (Mason & McLachlan)			
7	Adirondack Canoe Symposium Freestyle Exhibition [Church Pond] Campfire (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit]			

Sunday, July 17th

7-9AM	BREAKFAST [Student Centre]
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NO SCHEDULED PROGRAMS PACK UP, GOOD BYES AND DEPARTURES.

Safe travels! We hope to see you again next year. Bring a friend.

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