

# Wooden Canoe Heritage Association

38th Annual Assembly, July 11-16, 2017

“Paddles and Accessories”

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



**Main Tent (On the Green):**

**Info & REGISTRATION** 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-5PM, Sat. 9-12Noon

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

**Tuesday, July 11<sup>th</sup>**

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

**Open Swim @ PSC Pool** –check the PSC recreation schedule

**Lifeguard at Beach 12-3PM daily at the Beach (weather permitting)**

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

**Kids Crafts & Activities** Daily (Wed.-Fri.) 10-11:30 & 1-2:30 [Teepee, Recreation Room]

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## Wednesday, July 12<sup>th</sup>

6-7:30AM	<b>“Early Bird” Bird-Watching Excursion</b> (R Zalonis) Meet @ Recreation Room, Student Centre				
6:30-7:45AM	<b>POLING BASIC*</b> Weinhold & Nolan [Main Dock] <b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL SOLO BASIC</b> *Davis & Kelly [Beach]				
<b>7-9AM</b>	<b>BREAKFAST</b> [Student Centre]				
8-8:30	<b>Guided Relaxation</b> (R. Zalonis) [Lakeside Lounge]				
8:30-9	<b>New Attendee Orientation</b> (Nolan) [Pine Room]				
9	<b>Board of Directors Meeting</b> (Elected members only) [Pine Room]			<b>Construction Tent 1</b>  <b>DACRON</b> (Upper Chesapeake Chapter)	<b>Construction Tent 2</b>  <b>Paddle-Carving</b> continued (Davis)
9:30					
10					
10:30					
<b>11-1PM</b>	<b>LUNCH</b> [Student Centre]				
1PM	<b>Photography</b> (Wilson & Wilson) [Recreation Room]	<b>“Hot” Camping display</b> (Lauer) [Green]	<b>Lapstrake Canoe Building</b> (Burke) [Pine Room]	<b>Construction Tent 1</b>  <b>DACRON</b> (Upper Chesapeake Chapter)	<b>Construction Tent 2</b>  <b>Paddle-Carving</b> continued (Davis)
1:30					
2					
2:30			<b>Collecting Vintage Paddles</b> (Kelly) [Pine Room]		
3					
3:30					
4:15-5:30	<b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL TANDEM BASIC*</b> Barsevskis & Wyman [Beach]				
<b>4:30-6:30PM</b>	<b>DINNER</b> [Student Centre]				
6:45-7:30	<b>EVENING PROGRAM</b> [Freer Auditorium] <b>1926 Weidner Expedition to the Middle Fork of the Salmon River, Idaho</b> (McCloud)				
7:30-8:15	<b>Folding Seats and Backrests</b> (Grace)				
8:15-9:30	<b>Wilderness Secrets Revealed</b> (Andre-Francois Bourbeau) <b>Campfire</b> (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit]				

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## Thursday, July 13<sup>th</sup>

6:30-7:45AM	<b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL TANDEM INTERMEDIATE*</b> Kelly & Barsevskis [Main Dock] <b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL SOLO INTERMEDIATE*</b> Davis & MacLachlan [Beach] <b>NORTHWOODS STYLE PADDLING BASIC*</b> Nolan [Beach]					
6-7:30AM	<b>"Early Bird" Bird-Watching Excursion</b> (R Zalonis) Meet @ Recreation Room, Student Centre TBC					
<b>7-9AM</b>	<b>BREAKFAST</b> [Student Centre]					
8-8:30	<b>Guided Relaxation</b> (R. Zalonis) [Lakeside Lounge]					
9	9:30-11	<b>"Hot" Camping</b> display (Lauer) [Green]	<b>Sailing Canoe</b> <b>Experimentation</b> [Beach] (Bourbeau)	<b>Quilting</b> <b>Workshop</b> (Sienkiewicz) [Pickett 113]	<b>Construction Tent 1</b>  <b>Weave an ADK</b> <b>packbasket</b> (Muller)	<b>Construction Tent 2</b>  <b>Paddle-Carving</b> continued (Davis)
9:30	<b>Paddling</b> <b>Tandem</b> (Nolan) [Beach]					
10						
10:30						
<b>11-1PM</b>	<b>LUNCH</b> [Student Centre]					
1PM	<b>Ladies Tea</b> [Bobcat Cafe]				<b>Construction</b> <b>Tent 1</b>  <b>Weave an ADK</b> <b>packbasket</b> (Muller)	<b>Construction Tent 2</b>  <b>Paddle-Carving</b> Continued (Davis)
1:30						
2	<b>Tricks of the Trades</b> (J Hutyera) [Bobcat Café]					
2:30						
3						
3:30	<b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL TANDEM BASIC*</b> Hutyera & Weinhold [Main Dock] <b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL TANDEM BASIC*</b> MacLachlan & TBA [Beach]					
4						
4:15-5:30						
<b>4:30-6:30PM</b>	<b>DINNER</b> [Student Centre]					
6-6:30	<b>EVENING PROGRAM</b> [Freer Auditorium]					
6:30-7:45	<b>Annual Membership Meeting</b>					
7:45-8:30	<b>Canoes; A Natural History in North America</b> (Mark Neuzil and Norm Sims)					
	<b>Shaw &amp; Tenney Paddles and Oars Since 1858</b> (Holt)					
	<b>Campfire</b> (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit]					

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## Friday, July 14<sup>th</sup>

6:30-7:45AM	<b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL TANDEM BASIC SWITCH*</b> Davis & Hutyera [Main Dock] <b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL SOLO BASIC*</b> MacLachlan & Wyman [Beach] <b>TANDEM TEAM PADDLING*</b> (ACS) [Portage Landing]					
<b>7-9AM</b>	<b>BREAKFAST</b> [Student Centre]					
8-8:30	<b>Guided Relaxation</b> (R. Zalonis) [Lakeside Lounge]					
9	<b>KIDS GET STARTED*</b> Barsevskis & TBA [Main Dock]	<b>Guided Paddle to Keese's Mill and Black Pond</b> (Wilson's) [Beach]	<b>Pro Builders Forum</b> (Markle) [Pine Room]	<b>INTRO TO FREESTYLE SOLO*</b> (ACS) [Church Pond] <b>TANDEM TEAM PADDLING*</b> (ACS) [Portage Landing]	<b>Construction Tent 1</b>	<b>Construction Tent 2</b>  <b>Paddle-Carving</b> Continued (Davis)
9:30						
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10:30						
11						
<b>11-1PM</b>	<b>LUNCH</b> [Student Centre]					
1PM	<b>Canoe-scapes</b> (Zalonis) [Beach or LMS Lounge]	<b>History and Use of the Axe</b> (Burke) [Fire Pit]	<b>Old Town War Canoe Form</b> (Gray) [Pine Room]	<b>Construction Tent 1</b>  <b>Dick Christie Memorial Tool Demo</b> (S. Chrstie & D. Niles)	<b>Construction Tent 2</b>  <b>Paddle-Carving</b> Continued (Davis)	
1:30						
2						
2:30						
3	<b>Quilter's Meeting</b> [Pickett 113]	<b>Camp Stove &amp; Lantern Maintenance &amp; Repair</b> (Foord & Poe) [Pine Rm]	<b>Tour of Notable Canoes on the Green</b> (various)	<b>4:15-5:30 TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL TANDEM INTERMEDIATE*</b> Hutyera & Wyman [Beach]		
3:30						
4						
4:30						
<b>4:30-6:30PM</b>	<b>DINNER</b> [Student Centre]					
6:45-dusk	<b>ACS Freestyle Demo</b> <b>PADDLE BY &amp; SALUTE</b> (Sienkiewicz) [Student Centre / Lakefront] <b>Participants;</b> please complete a canoe & paddler(s) info sheet early at the Info/Registration Tent, get instructions <b>Spectators;</b> assemble at the lakefront <b>Campfire</b> (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit] <b>Candlelight Paddle on Lower St. Regis Lake</b> (ACS)					

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## Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup>

6:30-7:45AM	<b>TRADITIONAL RECREATIONAL SOLO INTERMEDIATE</b> Davis & Kelly [Beach] <b>POLING BASIC</b> Weinhold [Main Dock]				
<b>7-9AM</b>	<b>BREAKFAST</b> [Student Centre]				
8:30	<b>Bird-Watching Paddling Excursion</b> (R Zalonis) Meet @ beach ready to go				
9	<b>WCHA Chapters Meeting</b> (Kitchen) [Pine Room]  <b>Assembly Feedback &amp; Planning</b> (A Burke, Stevens) [Pine Room]	9:30-1:30 <b>Kids/Family Paddling &amp; Picnic*</b> (Barsevskis & MacLachlan) [Beach]	<b>Tour of Notable Canoes on the Green</b> (various)	<b>Construction Tent 1</b>	<b>Construction Tent 2</b>  <b>Paddle-Carving Continued</b> (Davis)
9:30					
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10:30					
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<b>11-1PM</b>	<b>LUNCH</b> [Student Centre]				
1PM	<b>Raffle &amp; Auction Preview [Main Tent]</b>				
1:30	Visit the Vendors of Cedar City				
2	<b>Annual Fundraising Raffle &amp; Auction [Main Tent]</b> (Auctioneer; Jack Nettleton) <b>Assembly Group Photo + "Raising Cane"</b> (J & B Wilson) [Student Centre Recreation Room Porch]				
<b>4:30-6:30PM</b>	<b>DINNER</b> [Student Centre]				
6:45+	<b>EVENING PROGRAM</b> <b>Adirondack Canoe Symposium Freestyle Exhibition</b> [Church Pond] <b>Campfire</b> (weather permitting) [Lakeside fire pit]				

## Sunday, July 16<sup>th</sup>

<b>7-9AM</b>	<b>BREAKFAST</b> [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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