

# Wooden Canoe Heritage Association

## 43rd Annual Assembly, July 11-16, 2023

"Carlton Canoe Company"

Paul Smith's College, Paul Smith's, New York

### Main Tent:

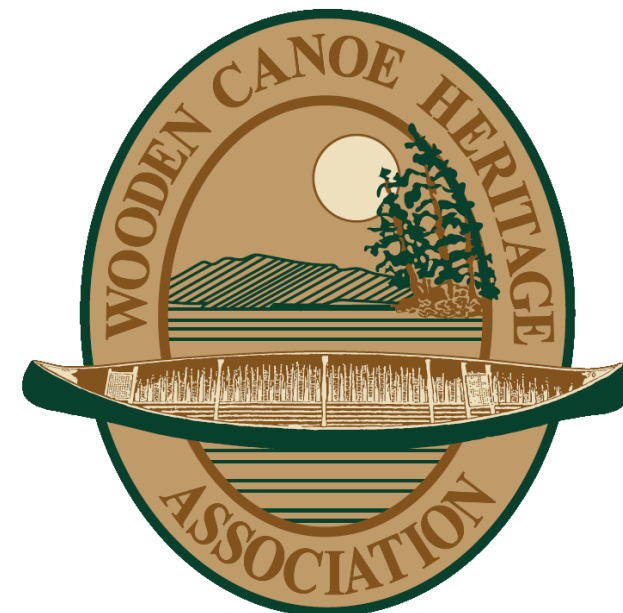
### Information & Registration

All participants must sign a waiver & pay an event fee (daily or weekly)  
Open; Tues 2-8PM Wed-Sat 9AM-5PM+

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 11<sup>th</sup>**

<b>EARLY BIRD</b>	
10-11 <b>ADK Experience Tour of the Collection</b> with Conservator and Collections Manager, Doreen Alessi-Holmes <a href="http://www.adkmuseum.org/">http://www.adkmuseum.org/</a>	
10-12 <b>Six Nations Iroquois Cultural Center</b> ; <a href="https://www.6ncc.com/">https://www.6ncc.com/</a>	
2 PM	<b>WELCOME!</b> Registration for event, meals, accommodations & Signups for "Pay as You Go" workshops [Main Tent]
3-4	<b>Mindfulness and Meditation</b> (Kitchen) [Pine Room]
4:15-5:30	<b>Traditional Recreational Canoeing, Tandem Basic</b>
4:30-5	<b>Tai Chi; Arimal Frdics</b> (M Loesch) [Canoe Landng/Weddng Tent]
<b>4:30-6:30PM</b>	<b>DINNER</b> [Dining Hall/Student Center]
6:45	<b>EVENING PROGRAM</b> [Bobcat Café] <b>Paddler's Gathering Welcome Reception</b> (Wine & cheese, soft drinks, munchies) <b>Campfire</b> (weather permitting) [Lakeside firepit]

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

**Kids Crafts & Activities** Daily (Wed.-Fri.) 9:30-11 & 1-2:30 [Teepee, Recreation Room in case of rain]

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

6:30-7:45	Traditional Recreational Canoeing, Solo Basic Part 1 [Beach]				
6:30-8	Paddling a Canoe (Konowski) [Beach]				
7:30-8	Tai Chi; Chi Gong (M Loesch) [Canoe Landng/ Weddng Tent]				
7-9AM	BREAKFAST [Dining Hall/ Student Center]				
8:30-9	New Attendee Orientation (Gace) [Recreation Room]				
9	Board of Directors Meeting (Elected members only) [Pine Room]	Natural Dye Workshop (8:30-11:30) (Soss) [Pickett 112]	Intro to Leather Work Part 1 (Kerr & Christie) [Construction Tent 2]	Double Bladed Paddle Carving (G Burke) [Construction Tent]	
9:30					
10					
10:30					
11-1PM	LUNCH [Dining Hall/ Student Center]				
11:30-1:30	Guided Tour of White Pine Camp (off campus excursion)				
1PM	1-2 How to Carve a Maine-style Paddle (with Craig Johnson) [Pine Room]	Six Nations Iroquois Cultural Center [excursion]	Paint a Memory (Hasty) [Pickett 102]	Intro to Leather Work Part 2 (Kerr & Christie) [Construction Tent 2]	Try a Shave Horse (Bundy) [Construction Tent]
	2-5 Hugh Clark Retrospective Exhibit Opening & viewing [Pine Room]				
4:15-5:30	Traditional Recreational Canoeing, Tandem Basic [Beach]				
4:30-5	Tai Chi; Animal Frdics (M Loesch) [Canoe Landng/ Weddng Tent]				
4:30-6:30PM	DINNER [Dining Hall/ Student Center]				
6:30-8	Paint a Memory (Hasty) [Pickett 102]				
6:45-7:30 7:30-8:15	EVENING PROGRAM [Freer Auditorium] Black Maria; Resdution and Restoration of a Carleton Mystery - Michael Gace Across The Pond - Nick Denris Campfire (weather permitting) [Waterfront Fire Rt] Music Sharing/ Jam Session/ Open Mic [Pine Room]				

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

6-7:30AM	<b>"Early Bird" Bird-Watching Excursion</b> (R Zadoris) Meet @ Recreation Room Student Center				
6:30-7:45	<b>Traditional Recreational Canoeing, Solo/Intermediate Part 1</b> [Beach]				
7:30-8	<b>Tai Chi; Chi Gong</b> (M Loesch) [Canoe Landng/ Weddng Tent]				
<b>7-9AM</b>	<b>BREAKFAST</b> [Dri ng Hall/ Student Center]				
9	<b>Fire Sale Tod s</b> (Nd an) [Ma n Tent]	<b>Paddle Maki ng</b> (Rundi man) [P ne Room]	<b>Quilting Workshop</b> (Senki ewicz) [R cket 102]	<b>Paddle to White Pine Camp</b>	<b>Paddle-Carvi ng</b> (Davi s) [Tremd o canopy]
11:30-1:30	<b>Guided Tour of White Pine Camp</b> (dff campus excursi on)				
<b>11-1PM</b>	<b>LUNCH</b> [Dri ng Hall/ Student Center]				
1PM	<b>Ladies Tea</b> (Breslau & R Zadoris) [Bobcat Caf e]	<b>Fun on the Water Paddi ng Events</b> (Van Keuren+) [Beach]	<b>Hugh Clark Retrospective Exhibit</b> [P ne Room]	<b>Six Nations Iroquoi s Cultural Center</b> [dff campus excursi on]	<b>Paddle-Carvi ng</b> conti nued (Davi s) [Tremd o canopy]
1:30					
2					
2:30					
3 – 4:30	<b>Silent Paddi ng</b> (Onst ein) [Church Pond]				
4:15-5:30	<b>Traditional Recreational Tandem/Intermediate</b> [Beach]				
4:30-5	<b>Tai Chi; Animal Frdics</b> (M Loesch) [Canoe Landng/ Weddng Tent]				
<b>4:30-6:30PM</b>	<b>DINNER</b> [Dri ng Hall/ Student Center]				
6:30-7 7-8	<b>EVEN NG PROGRAM</b> [Freer Auditori um] <b>Annual Membershi p Meeting</b> - Michael Grace <b>A History of the Carleton Canoe Company</b> - Benson Gray <b>Campfire</b> (weather permi tting) [Waterfront Fire Rt] <b>Musi c Shari ng/ Jam Sessi on/ Open Mic</b> [P ne Room]				

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

6:30-7:45	Traditional Recreational Canoeing: Solo Basic Part 2 [Beach]			
7:30-8	Tai Chi Chi Gong (M. Loesch) [Canoe Landing/ Wedding Tent]			
7-9AM	BREAKFAST [Dining Hall/ Student Center]			
9	8:30-12 Group Paddle to TBA (Visitors) [Beach]	Mindfulness and Meditation (Kitchen) [Pine Room]	Canoe Seat Caring Demo (J. Bratton & P. Wedd) [Construction Tent]	Paddle-Carving continued (Davis) [Tremolo canopy]
9:30		Faux Painting to Match New Wood to Old (Pearson) [Construction Tent 2]		
10				
10:30				
11				
11-1PM	LUNCH [Dining Hall/ Student Center]			
1PM	Canoescapes (Zaloris) [Beach or Library Atrium in case of rain]	Tour of Notable Canoes on the Green (WCHA Historians & members)	Stove & Lantern Workshop (Foord) [Construction Tent]	Paddle-Carving continued (Davis) [Tremolo canopy]
2				
2:30				
3	Quilter's Meeting (Senkiewicz) [Library Atrium]	Wilderness First Aid (Rose) [Pine Room]	If You Capsize [Beach]	
3:30				
4				
4:30				
4:30-5	Tai Chi Animal Frisbees (M. Loesch) [Canoe Landing/ Wedding Tent]			
4:30-6:30PM	DINNER [Dining Hall/ Student Center]			
6-6:45	Timbersports Exhibition [Green/ Front of Dining Hall]			
6:45-dusk	PADDLE-BY & SALUTE (Senkiewicz) [Student Center / Lakefront] Participants: please complete a canoe & paddle(s) info sheet early at the Main Tent, get instructions Spectators: assemble at the lakefront Campfire (weather permitting) [Waterfront Fire Pit] Candlelight Paddle on Lower St. Regis Lake (ACS) [Waterfront] Music Sharing/ Jam Session/ Open Mic [Pine Room]			

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

6:30-7:45	<b>Traditional Recreational Canoeing, Sd o l n t e r m e d i a t e (Part 2)</b> [Beach]		
7:30-8	<b>Tai Chi; Chi Gong</b> ( M Loesch) [ Canoe Land ng/ V e d d n g T e n t ]		
<b>7-9AM</b>	<b>BREAKFAST</b> [ D r i n g H a l l / S t u d e n t C e n t e r ]		
8:30	<b>B i r d W a t c h i n g P a d d l i n g E x c u r s i o n</b> ( R Z d o r i s ) M e e t a t B e a c h r e a d y t o g o		
9	<b>WCHA Chapters Meeting</b> ( Shea) [ R n e R o o m ]	<b>Guided Tour of Carleton Canoes on the Green</b> ( WCHA H s t o r i a n s & m e m b e r s )	<b>9:15-2 Family Paddling Outing</b> ( B a r s e v s k i s & M a c L a c h l a n ) [ B e a c h ]
9:30			
10			
	<b>Assembly Feedback &amp; Planning</b> ( A B u r k e , S e v e n s ) [ R n e R o o m ]		
<b>11-1PM</b>	<b>LUNCH</b> [ D r i n g H a l l / S t u d e n t C e n t e r ]		
1PM	<b>Raffle &amp; Auction Preview</b> [ M a i n T e n t ]		
2	<b>Annual Fundraising Raffle &amp; Auction</b> [ M a i n T e n t ] ( A u d i o n e e r : J a c k N e t t l e t o n ) <b>Assembly Group Photo &amp; "Raising Cane"</b> ( J & B W i l s o n ) [ S t u d e n t C e n t e r R e c r e a t i o n R o o m P o r c h ]		
4:30-5	<b>Tai Chi; Animal Frdics</b> ( M Loesch) [ Canoe Land ng/ V e d d n g T e n t ]		
<b>4:30-6:30PM</b>	<b>DINNER</b> [ D r i n g H a l l / S t u d e n t C e n t e r ]		
6:45+	<b>EVENING PROGRAM</b> <b>Norumbega Chapter Restoration</b> – S e v e L a p e y / N o r u m b e g a C h a p t e r <b>Carleton Canoe Restoration</b> - B u d G i l l i s / U p p e r C h e s a p e a k e C h a p t e r <b>Adirondack Canoe Symposium Freestyle Exhibition</b> [ C h u r c h P o n d ] <b>Campfire</b> ( w e a t h e r p e r m i t t i n g ) [ W a t e r f r o n t F i r e R t ] <b>Music Sharing/ Jam Session/ Open Mic</b> [ R n e R o o m ]		
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## Sunday, July 16<sup>th</sup>

<b>7-9AM</b>	<b>BREAKFAST</b> [ D r i n g H a l l / S t u d e n t C e n t e r ]
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**NO SCHEDULED PROGRAMS PACK UP, GOOD BYES AND DEPARTURES.**

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

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