

FLOWlines



Finger Lakes-Ontario Watershed Paddlers' Club Newsletter Rochester NY

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August 2002

Sixth Annual FLOW Summer Picnic

This year's paddling picnic extravaganza will be held on August 9-11. It coincides with a 750 CFS release on the Salmon River, and FLOW will convene at Stoney's campground in Pineville for a picnic and bonfire on Saturday, August 10.



Doug Caine Surfs Titanic on the Salmon

Tom Congden will again preside over the picnic proceedings, and Dave Griffey has been persuaded to repeat his "Garbage Can Turkey" — this year he's upped the ante to three birds.



Those of you who were at the Salmon Fest this year are well aware that there is an army surplus flame thrower floating around, so be sure to put an extra layer of flame-retardant on your tent and set up a good distance from the bonfire.

Food and refreshments will be provided by FLOW, and reduced camping rates are available for Friday and Saturday nights.

August Steering Meeting

Date: Tuesday, August 6

Time: 6:00 PM

Place: Mike Shafer's Paddling Paradise

89 Dorsetwood Drive

Steering committee meetings are open to all members. Feel free to just show up - your input is welcome. If you are not available but have and idea, send email to president@flowpaddlers.org.

Roll, Roll, Roll Your Boat

It was a beautiful evening at Mendon Ponds for the Thursday July 11th Roll Clinic. The clinic was the best attended FLOW event that I recall that did not involve free beer and food. The 20 participants included 4 new members (Bob Rotolo, Keith Shaw, Gary Zemel, & Scott Conyard) that greatly appreciated the help they got from instructors Harry Weidman, George Scherer, Cathy Corey, Steve Baker, and Jim "Hoppy" Hopkins. Both sea kayak group rescues and rolls for sea kayaks and WW boats were demonstrated and practiced.

It was so great we are going to do it again Roll & Rescue Clinic # 2 is scheduled for Thursday 8/15 6:30 PM till dusk at the Widewaters on the northwest side of Lock 32 in Pittsford. You can park either adjacent to the Widewaters or at the WW park adjacent to the DOT and paddle across the canal and under the towpath bridge. Contact "Hoppy" at hoppyski@yahoo.com or 330-5649 evenings.

And again! The Roll & Rescue Clinic # 3 and September FLOW Meeting is scheduled for Thursday 9/12 6:30 PM till dusk. We'll be back at the Mendon Ponds Boat Launch.



FLOW Organization

Newsletter Submissions

Send us trip reports, articles, letters to the editor, rants, photographs, ads for our classified section, or anything else that you would like to see in FLOWlings. Send items to newsletter@flowpaddlers.org. If you do not have e-mail, send items to:

Simon Barnett 72 Maple Park Heights Rochester, NY 14625

Membership / Address Changes

To join FLOW, download the membership form from the "How To Join" page on www.flowpaddlers.org, fill it out and send it with \$30 (\$35 family rate) to:

FLOW Paddlers' Club C/O James "Hoppy"Hopkins 43 Whelehan Drive

Rochester, NY 14616

If you don't have access to the web, contact Hoppy at the above address, hoppyski@yahoo.com or 621-2721. Send address changes to Hoppy too.

FLOW Hot Line: 234-3893

To access the FLOW Hot Line:

- 1. Dial 234-3893 from a touch-tone phone.
- To listen to messages left by other paddlers, press the remote access code any time during the greeting.
 After entering the remote access code, listen to instructions for how to access messages.
- 3. To leave a message for other paddlers, listen to the greeting and leave a brief message after the tone.

The FLOW hotline is sponsored by FLOW Paddlers' Club for FLOW members. The FLOW hotline is hosted by Bay Creek Paddling Center.

Upcoming trips/events

Whitewater Trips: Contact Ivan Rezanka 381-7475. Flatwater Trips: Contact James Hopkins 621-2721.

Paddling Contacts				
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Adirondack Mountain Club	www.adk.org
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River Gauges

Genesee River (Letchworth)	
Catteragus Creek	532-0626
Black Cr. at Churchville	(800) 452-1742 #361131
Salmon River	(800) 452-1742 #365123
Waterline Site Codes	www.h20line.com

2002 FLOW Whitewater Trip Schedule

Whitewater paddling, like all adventure sports, entails an element of risk. FLOW members assume this risk, and share the risk and responsibility for assisting others in need, as a condition of joining any of the listed trips below. Each participant will be asked to sign a release to this effect before putting onto the water. **We CAN NOT take non ACA/FLOW**

members on the trips. To add trips, or change existing trip listings for the monthly update, call Ivan Rezanka, 381-7475.

Date	Level	Trip Description	Coordinator	Phone
Aug.10	Intermediate	Salmon River, Pulaski, NY. A scheduled 750 cfs release. FLOW picnic Saturday Evening. Class III	Bill Kuipers	585-322-7742
Aug. 17	Advanced	Black River, Watertown, NY. Class III - IV	Paul Houndt	585-341-3055
August 22-25	Advanced	Gatineau River Festival, Maniwaki, Quebec Fri. and Sat. Class IV. Pre-registration is required. Ottawa River on Sun.	Vaughn Skinner	315-683-5379
Aug. 24	Beginner	Genesee River in Letchworth. Class II	Steve Baker	585-334-5947
Aug. 31	Advanced	Beaver River, Taylorville Section, Class IV	Ben Bramlage	518-792-3277
Sept. 1	Intermediate	Salmon River, Pulaski, NY. A scheduled 750 cfs release. Class III	Richard Mauser	585-473-2162
Sept. 7-14	Advanced	Southern trip. Ocoee River in Tennessee and other rivers in North Carolina. Class IV	Bill Kuipers	585-322-7742
Sept. 14	Beginner	Genesee River in Letchworth. Class II	Dave Meyer	716-367-2056
Sept. 20-22	Intermediate	West River, Vermont, Class III+	Ben Bramlage	518-792-3277
Oct. 5	Beginner	Genesee River in Letchworth. Class II	Doug & Dorothy Caine	585-544-9725
Oct. 19	Intermediate	Upper Moose River (from Singing Waters to Tannery) Class III	Dave Meyer	716-367-2056
Oct. 19, 20	Advanced	Lower Moose River (Moose Fest weekend). Class IV	Mike Shafer	585-227-9291
Nov. 2, 3	Intermediate	Tohickon Creek, PA Class III to III+. Camp nearby.	Steve Kittelberger	585-442-6138



2002 Open Water Trip Schedule

Trip Leaders Wanted - Contact Jim Hopkins 3607-281-2337 work 607-330-5649 evenings hoppyski@yahoo.com

Day	2002 Date	Time	Where	Trip Coordinator	Phone	Email/Web Site
Any Day	April-Oct	FLOW Message Board	When Surfs Up @ Durand Beach/ Irondequoit Bay Outlet/Long Pond	Whoever posts		www.flowpaddlers.org
Sat-Sun	8/10-11	All Weekend!	FLOW Picnic Stoney's Pulaski	See Flowlines		www.flowpaddlers.org
Thurs	8/8	7:30 PM	Keuka Lake Penn Yan Boat Launch	George Scherer	585-381-2104	www.seakayakrochester.com
Thurs	8/15	6:30 PM	Roll clinic #2 Erie Canal Widewaters Lock 32 Park at end of Canal Park (north side) or at WW Park (DOT road south side)	Jim Hopkins	607-281-2337	hoppyski@yahoo.com
Thurs	8/22	7:00 PM	Keuka Lake State Park, Branchport	George Scherer	585-381-2104	www.seakayakrochester.com
Fri	8/23	Dusk/Dark	West River by moonlight, Woodville state boat launch, USCG lighting required.	Wade Bowman	585-394-3103	newtest@rochester.rr.com
Thurs	8/29	7:00 PM	Check FLOW Message Bd.	TBD		www.flowpaddlers.org
Thurs	9/5	7:00 PM	West River, Woodville state boat launch	George Scherer	585-381-2104	www.seakayakrochester.com
Thurs	9/12	6:30 PM	Roll Clinic #3 Mendon Ponds Boat Launch	Cathy Rague	315-926-7890	edncathy@rochester.rr.com
Thurs	9/19	7:00 PM	Farewell to Summer Surf Classic @Durand Beach	TBD		www.flowpaddlers.org

Southern Trip 2002

Submitted by Mike Shafer

On this year's Southern trip, one could almost say we did not go "South" – we never left West Virginia! See, in one way we did not have a choice – rivers were pretty dry in the deeper South. But then again, there was no need to go there. There was more water, and more rain, around West Virginia than any of us expected. We got to more "new" rivers than ever before with more boaters than ever before – including two who came from Italy to be in on the fun.



Italian Contingency, Valerio and Nicola

The trip started in typical fashion, at the Lower Yough. Running 5.6 ft., and at a wonderful 43 degrees, we should have known then. The water was warmer and lower (yes lower) than we would see again. Not complaining here, but get the idea? The challenge all week was never to find a river with water, but finding one we felt OK about getting on.



Steve Baker on the Yough

From the Yough we went to West Virginia's Audra State Park, for the Middle Fork of the Tygert. On a beautiful, sunny day, we had enough pins, broaches, and swims to clue us in that we would be busy all week. And geez, it was the veteran boaters getting stung too, but I'll let them each tell you those stories, if they will (??).

So back to camp, and it began to rain. We put up the big tarp to huddle under, and cooked the first of our many, big feasts - ya see, we had Club-Cook Tommy Congdon along - so you all know we ate well! We stayed under our new shelter (like we hate getting wet) to eat and drink. And it kept raining. Give up - go to bed - while it rained some more...in the morning, we had a genuine river and lake in camp, good enough to paddle on. Dorothy, Doug, and Valerio used stick and paddle to re-route the waters and release the flood encroaching upon our tents, otherwise we might still be there. Getting desperate for a dry moment, we went to town for an indoor breakfast, to check river levels, and choose our next venue... while it rained. Ya know, I don't really remember when it stopped.

So off to a river...we headed for the Cranberry. Bill's route took them over a bridge now ½ under water...a clue we were en route to an adventure. We arrived to see six boaters taking off early in their run – too much water for them, they say. And two more came walking down the road, but carrying only one boat...seems the other boat (and paddle) was lost.



Scouting the Cranberry

We scouted a bit more, and then took the hint. We decided to wait a day and paddle this tomorrow. We set camp on the banks of the Cranberry, where we camped in style (primitive & free) for the next three days. Set up the big tarp again and Tommy made another feast. Even if we could not paddle, we knew what to do...



Feasting under the big blue tarp

Every day as we checked the gauges, we found rivers at three times the flow we had planned for. The classics we came for (Gauley, New, Cheat, etc) were all too high, but we now had a chance to run the creeks that feed them, ones that only run briefly during flood and heavy rain. A chance to do rivers only run when the time is right, we ran the Cranberry (twice), the Williams, the Cherry, the Middle and Upper Meadow. We ran 5 rivers in 3 days – tired but hey, when would we have a chance like this again?

Paddling the Meadow on Thursday put us in Gauley neighborhood, so we moved camp to the base of Gauley dam. No visit to West Virginia is complete, after all, without a pilgrimage to Gauley dam. Rebuilt to add hydropower, a new generator obstructs the classic view of the three output flumes, but a walkway now lets you walk right up to the two flumes that still run. Unrestricted, we could walk up close enough to touch the powerful canons on water if crazy enough.



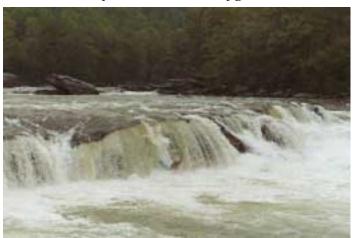
Gauley Dam Up Close

Perhaps, we hoped, levels would come down enough to let us on the Gauley. But then, well, *it rained. And rained. And rained. Like a theme song.* Typical release during Gauley season is 2,800cfs...now it was running 15,000 cfs. Radio news said there were some parts of West Virginia now evacuating because of severe flooding. We decided it prudent to go north, to Albright West Virginia, for our planned visit of the Cheat watershed. They had gotten less rain and hopefully we could find something rational to do there.

Rain was not the only meteorological challenge this week. Valerio and Nicola had come all the way from Italy for a simple few promises – good times with friends, a few waterfalls, <u>and warm weather</u>. Well, two out of three isn't bad, eh? Camping at 28°F broke one promise, but hey...we did get you the waterfalls. Thursday we paddled Arden section of the Tygert. 15-foot Moats falls is a river wide gem...as long as you run it right. Only if you find that rock in the middle below is it not so good, right Bill?



Bill Kuipers, Moats Falls, Tygert River



Valerio Villa, Moats Falls, Tygert River



Vaughn Skinner, Tygert River

Friday at Teeter's we hooked up with Harry Marinakis and Jim Albano, and paddled the Little Sandy and Upper Big Sandy. Valerio had quietly decided Wonder Falls was to be included, and continued down through the Lower Big Sandy to have his way. Now he did not go alone...and what follows is a good demonstration of paddle logic. He says to Tony, "Are you continuing downstream

through the Lower with us?" And he says to Nicola "Tony is going to stay on for the Lower, are you coming too?" Alas...a party of three was made.... Val had his wish once again.



Vaughn Skinner, Wonder Falls, Lower Big Sandy

Saturday was the Cheat River Festival. Some paddled the Big Sandy, some spent the day hiking in the sun, and all enjoyed the festivities at night. Seeing Teeter's campgrounds on festival weekend is worth the trip alone. One of the bigger boatergatherings in the Eastern US, it has it's original moments. Bands play, entertainment abounds. Boats, gear, and even non-boating crafts abound at Cheat fest, and the temptation to buy commemorative things is high. One of our constituents reportedly bought \$400 worth of gear & collectables! But never to leave one of our own to the unwitting mercy of festival mania, we rescued Steve Benedict when we found him gazing at a forsale SuperSport (Steve had a rough day, and was missing his former SS.) But no, we would not let him do it - we dragged him away to a hot cup of coffee, told him he cannot buy it, and reassured him that life in his new EZ is for the better. He has since confirmed that he is happy indeed with his new, modern boat!

On Sunday morning all would break and head for home. Some chose to rise early and drive home right away, some arranged to stop at McConnell Mills for a paddle on Slippery Rock Creek. There was also the "ambitious plan" - why not get up at the crack of dawn, paddle the 14-mile Cheat Canyon, have one last BBQ, and then drive home? Nothing to it. I had promised Valerio we would paddle the Cheat while he was here...he was holding me to this, and recruiting. Nicola said he wanted to. Tony overheard, and said he was in. Geez, now we have to. And like I was going to skip this? Where was I going...these guys were my ride? In the interest of discipline, Val declared "European Rules" prevail -"We put on the river at 8:00, or we put on the river at 8:00. Either way, we go." And for the only day all week, we were on the river early. The Cheat (3.6 ft) was a great way to finish the trip, and we met our

noon-scheduled shuttle with 5 minutes to spare. With time on our side, we went back to camp, had one last BBQ, re-loaded the car one last time, and headed home.



Valerio wanted to make certain his and Nicola's trip was well remembered, and was frequently seen with a video camera.... taping from rocks, rivers, campgrounds and the drivers seat.

In a patient search for carnage, he was relentless. I'm not sure if the video forthcoming will include any road kill, but I can tell you he pointed out no less than 42 opportunities as he drove...I was counting! And there is at least one story of river carnage, but in defense of the boater(s) we'll have to wait and see if the video includes it. Hint - somebody ran S-turn on the Cranberry less than "right-side-up" and immediately asked the video-photographer if the camera was on of off... So wait, wonder, and imagine. Next FLOW winter party there may be a video replaying the lifestyles, fun, and antics of yet another trip down South. The fun was shared by Bill Kuipers, Steve Benedict, Vaughn Skinner, Helen Cherniack, Valerio Villa, Nicola Vismara, Mike Shafer, Steve and Zach Baker, Tom Congdon, Marty Murphy, Tony Hernandez, Ian Komorowski, Scott Griffin, Hoppy, Jim Albano, Harry Marinakis, Doug and Dorothy Caine, and Heather Mummery. Thank you to all who came, played, and helped - it was a great time!



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The NEW 2002 Wave Sport boats are here. See the Ace Series, the Siren, the Super EZ and the Mutant.

All have the new F.A.T. 2.0 Outfitting.

All 2001 and older boats 25% and more off (Flat and White Water)

Volunteers are needed to help clean up shorelines along the Genesee River and Lake Ontario

Submitted by Margit Brazda Poirier Water Education Collaborative

What is there to do on a sunny, crisp, Saturday morning in September? You can participate in the Annual International Coastal Clean Up event held this year on September 21, 2002 from 9 a.m - noon! Every year (for 15 years now), beaches, shorelines, and river banks are cleaned up by volunteers all over the world. Last year, 222 volunteers picked up litter along the shorelines of the Genesee River and Lake Ontario.



Together the volunteers collected and disposed of over 2 tons of trash (4000 lbs.!) from four locations: Durand Eastman Beach, Genesee Valley Park, Seth Green fishing site, and Turning Point Park. Volunteers worked in teams to pick up litter and also record the types and amount of trash found. This data is entered into a national database that you can access at: www.alsnyc.org.

Come be a part of this international event on Saturday, September 21st. The locations will be the same as last year, with the addition of several streams and the Erie Canal. Clean-up begins at 9 a.m. at all locations (except Durand Beach where it begins at 10 a.m.) and is followed by a free "trash bash" at the Sunset Shelter at Durand Eastman Park. Enjoy a picnic lunch, games, prizes, and entertainment to celebrate your efforts.

This event is sponsored by the Water Education Collaborative (Rochester Museum and Science Center, City of Rochester, Monroe County, Cornell Cooperative Extension), the 4H Earth Girls, the Town of Irondequoit, and Wegmans.

To register on-line, see www.thewec.org or contact Noreen Mazurowski (271-4552, ext. 324, or noreen_mazurowski@rmsc.org) or Margit Brazda Poirier at margit_brazda@rmsc.org (please note: these email addresses have an underscore, not a space between the names) at the Water Education Collaborative. You will receive confirmation of your registration a week before the event.

Cross Over to the Dark Side

Are you an experienced Sea Kayaker who is comfortable in waves & surf? Would you like to broaden your boating experience any try whitewater in a controlled atmosphere that only pushes you a little out of your comfort zone?

Then "Cross Over to the Dark Side" is the way to get there. It is a one night Whitewater Transition Course at the Lock 32 White Water Park for experienced Sea Kayakers. The curriculum includes outfitting for WW kayaks, upstream ferries, "Where did you meet this Eddy Left character?", eddy turns, eddy peel outs, and "Don't Take Your Low Brace Turn to Town Son or You'll be Counting Fish". Optional topics (time permitting) include downstream ferries, introduction to front surfing, stern squirts, and side surfing.

The class will be held on Wednesday, 8/7 at 6pm. The cost is \$5 if you bring your own boat (10' or less boats recommended) or \$15 if you need to rent a boat and equipment. Add \$10 if you are not a FLOW member. Limited to five students (unless I get a $2^{\rm nd}$ volunteer instructor). Contact "Hoppy" at hoppyski@yahoo.com or 330-5649 evenings.

Want to try Kayak Polo?

Open Practices Tuesdays at Lock 32 Widewaters

The GWC Kayak Polo team invites you to try the new water sports game in Rochester. The team will be holding summer practices Tuesdays at 6:30 PM at the "Widewaters" on the north side of the canal at Lock 32 off Culver Road in Pittsford. Wednesday evening will be the alternate in the case of inclement weather. Check FLOW Message Board for latest schedule information.

Want to be on the Kayak Polo mailing list? Contact Jim Hopkins hoppyski@yahoo.com or 330-5649.

Want to play but don't have all the equipment (WW kayak, paddle, skirt, PFD, & helmet) contact Rob Blake Blake6@frontiernet.net 381-3604 evenings, 315-3000 days. For Kayak Polo questions contact Dan Weiss dweiss@bcs.rochester.edu or 305-2738.



Classified Ads / Lost & Found

I need four Y-30 clips to attach a Yakima rack to a gutterless, aero-style roof on a 4-door 1992 Honda Accord LX. If you have some, please call Emily at (585) 346-5597 or email her at epleger@hotmail.com.

Perception Ultra Clean, green/blue fade, \$350. Contact Phil at PMenard@entrecs.com or 281-4903.

Thule Model 1050/33 Ski Racks (Mount on Thule Cross bars), 2 sets, each holds 3 pairs of skis. \$12 per set. Call Doug at 734-9026.

Perception AMP for sale. It's well outfitted and in excellent condition. This boat is good for river running, surfing, spinning and cartwheeling. \$525. Contact Pam at (518)766-0621 or Wwsurfergirl@aol.com

White **Perception Mirage** with flotation, medium ExtraSport PFD., skirt, and Mohawk paddle. Very retro. \$300 Don Valerio donval@frontiernet.net (585) 526-5561

Riot Slice (red) \$300. **Riot Kix** creek boat \$300. **Pyranha Micro 240** \$400. Lets make a deal. Jim Albano. (585) 202-3899

Riot Trickster (color blast) for sale. This boat is new (\$1089.99) and has never seen the water. Nice 3d seat. I will throw in a Harmony skirt (\$129) and a black Riot Helmet and Paddle. Pick up in Rochester NY. All for \$650. email paddldude@hotmail.com

Folbot "Super": 17 1/2 ' X 37". Two person. Assembled in 1964. Excellent family boat. Includes sails. Good condition and indestructible! \$495 or B.O. Call Larry at 585-786-8542. Leave a message if I'm not there, please. Boat located in Silver Springs, NY (near Letchworth).

Pyranha Inazone 242 2001 model for sale. Green with blue swirls. \$400. Contact Dorothy Caine at 544-9725 or dcaine@fisherassoc.com.

Violet **Perception Dancer-XS** for persons 120 lbs. or less. Great for kids! Includes airbags and sprayskirt \$350. Yellow **Perception Dancer**, includes airbags, sprayskirt and paddle \$350. Call Pam (585) 785-0515.

Large Float Bag for sale - EPI 21" x 37". **Wanted**: Large spray skirt. Willing to pay squat. Call me, we'll do business. Richard (585) 473-2162.

For Sale: great condition **Dagger Ultrafuge**, blue and black, Bomber backband, \$490 Contact Randy French at Scodese@juno.com.

Dagger Ultafuge 50 gals. great condition, Bomber Backband, outfitting and bumped for my size 10 feet. Blue, Green and White. \$400 call Rick Williams 585-381-3418.

Custom made 4m. Photon (Kevlar) whitewater slalom kayak. Sized for 5'2" to 5'4" user. Approx. 10 yrs. old. No skirt or paddle. Asking \$550. Phone (315) 986-4224.

Pyranha Prozone 235 for sale, used less than one season. Great colors, back band adjusted at thigh braces! \$400 (not the cartwheeling fool I thought I was) Trade for EZ or ACE? Doug Caine at (585) 544-9725.

Dagger Outburst, blue with red and yellow swirls - \$475. Small **Perception Spray Skirt**, LC-1 EZ, like new - \$65. Medium farmer john **wet suit** - \$75. Contact Karen at wave@rochester.rr.com or call (585) 461-1513*1

17" Wood and canvas Chestnut Cruiser, by Don Frasier who purchased the original Chestnut molds. Perfect, like new condition. Call Jerry at 387-9271.

Looking for a used canoe (aluminum or fiberglass), lifejackets, and paddles. Cosmetics don't matter, just needs to float. I'd like to spend less than \$300, if possible! Evan M. Lowenstein, Rochester Area Community Foundation 271-4271 x4311 elowenstein@racf.org

