

Join Us For Some River Fun on Our Water Paddles!



Paddling Events are held on the first and third Saturdays of the month at 10:00 am, unless otherwise stated, and are \$15 per person if you are providing your own canoe/kayak, and \$20 per person if renting. This includes insurance and shuttling fees. Additional charges for some events depending upon shuttle service. A limited number of canoes and kayaks are available so register early!



PADDLERS MUST contact Jaime Welch prior to event to make arrangements for kayak/canoe rentals and to register at: jwelch@FlintRiver.org; (810) 767-7140

May, 2014

17th	Riverview Park to Flushing	Goodbye Spring, Hello Summer! **Tentative** Escape the heat by taking a refreshing paddle on the river. This stretch is home to several Bald Eagles, if we are lucky we may see them during our 3 hour trip. Location: Flushing Riverview Park on Cherry St. (behind A&W) to Flushing Township Nature Park. We will be meeting at 2 pm at Riverview Park.
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June, 2014

7th	Irish Rd to Mott Lake	Warm Weather is here Escape the heat by taking a refreshing paddle on the river. This stretch is home to several Bald Eagles, if we are lucky we may see them during our 3 hour trip. Location: Just north of the Richfield Park entrance off of Irish Rd. (north of Richfield Rd.). Paddling to boat launch off of E. Stanley Rd. east of Genesee Rd.
21st	Birch Run, Morseville Rd to Seymour Rd	Lazy Day Paddle Enjoy a lazy day of floating along the river. Prepare to enjoy a calm and relaxing 2 hour paddle awash with beautiful scenery. Location: Birch Run Road to Morseville Rd (across from the Teymouth Township Office) paddling to Seymour Rd by the railroad tracks.

July, 2014

5th	Riverview Canoe Landing (Mitson) to River Road	Dog Days of Summer Paddle Escape the heat by taking a refreshing paddle on the river. This 2 hour paddle takes in a gorgeous stretch of the Flint River. Location: Riverview Canoe Landing on Mitson Blvd, south of Flushing Road to River Road, 1 mile west of Elms.
19th	Holloway Dam to Irish Road	Summer Getaway Come enjoy a fun 3 hour paddle along a amazing stretch of the Flint River. Location: Take I-69 to M-15 (Davison exit). Go north on M-15 about 6.5 miles to Stanley Road. Go east (right) on Stanley Road about 1 mile to Oak Road, then go north about 1/2 mile to Carr Road. Take Carr Road 0.3 miles to launch at the base of the Holloway Dam

August, 2014

2nd	TBD	Flint River Corridor Alliance Flotilla The FRCA will be hosting a Flotilla tubing event down the Flint River. Check their website, http://www.frcalliance.org for more information and to register for this fun event!
16th	Montrose Barber Memorial Park to Birch Run	Fun Times Picnic on the Flint River Enjoy the beauty of summer with a lovely paddle along the Flint River. Prepare to enjoy a 2 1/2 hour paddle down an easy stretch of the Flint River with a stop at a sand bar for a picnic lunch along the way. Lunch not provided, please bring your own. Location: Montrose Barber Memorial Park, south of Vienna Road on Seymour Rd in Montrose, paddling to Morseville Rd in Birch Run.

September, 2014

6th	Bray Rd to Viet Nam Veterans Park	2nd Annual Pedal to Paddle Enjoy the beauty of summer with a lovely bike ride down the Flint River Trail with our biking group, Friends of the Flint River Trail, and then paddle your way back along the Flint River. This calm and relaxing 2 1/2 hour paddle is awash with beautiful scenery. Please arrive no later than 9:45 am at Viet Nam Veterans Park. Riders will be leaving promptly at 10 am. If you wish to participate in the paddle but not in the bike ride, please arrive at 10:30 at the Bray Road location. This event is designed to allow participants to bike ride, paddle, or join in on both! Call Jaime Welch with questions 810-767-7140 Location: Bray Road, north of Carpenter Road to Viet Nam Veterans Park on J.P. Cole Blvd
20th	Flushing Riverview Park to Dodge Road	Experience the Fall Colors Here is the ultimate fall color tour, courtesy of the Flint River. Enjoy a colorful 3 hour paddle surrounded by all the colors of fall. Location: Flushing Riverview Park to Dodge Road Landing, east of Seymour Rd.
23rd	Birch Run, Morseville Rd to Seymour Rd	Celebrate the Fall Solstice Evening Paddle **Tentative** Celebrate the solstice with the FRWC and a magical paddle along the Flint River. This 2 hour evening paddle is our last of the season. Meet time is 5:45 pm. Location: Birch Run Road to Morseville Rd (across from the Teymouth Township Office) to Seymour Rd by the railroad tracks.

American Canoe Association

Founded in 1880, The American Canoe Association (ACA) is a national nonprofit organization serving the broader paddling public. They provide education related to all aspects of paddling and stewardship. For more information visit: www.americancanoe.org
If you plan to paddle more this year, you should look at the membership options. All FRWC Paddling events require one of the following memberships:

- \$10 Event Membership (one activity membership, no member benefits)
- \$30 Individual Club Membership /1 year (normally \$40)
- \$40 Family (2 adults, +minors) Club Membership /1 year (normally \$60)
- \$15 Six month full membership with member benefits.



**For more information, or to register, contact
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Pre-registration is required to attend**

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