



# RIVER CANOE TRIP CONFIRMATION

## PROGRAM DETAILS

**NEW LOCATION:** CNC river canoe trips WILL NOT meet at the Chattahoochee Nature Center.

You will meet your Canoe Guides at Don White Memorial Park on Riverside Road, Parking Lot B:

**Don White Memorial Park Parking Lot, 925 (B) Riverside Rd, Roswell, GA 30075**

DO NOT GO TO THE CHATTAHOOCHEE NATURE CENTER OR YOU MAY MISS YOUR TRIP DEPARTURE TIME.

**Arrive Early:** Plan on arriving at least 30 minutes before your starting time. There are many activities at Don White Memorial Park, so give yourself plenty of time to park and locate your Canoe Guides.

**Canoe trips start ON -TIME. We are unable to hold the group for late arrivals.**

**Parking:** Parking availability is limited, and CARPOOLING IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED.

**Who's Coming:** Children must be at least 6 years old to participate in River Canoe Trips. We recommend that children between the ages of 6 and 8 years old have paddling experience or be accompanied by an adult who is capable of paddling against a current.

**Children under the age of 16 must have an adult in their boat.**

**What to Expect:** Equipment is provided by CNC: canoes, paddles, personal flotation devices (PFDs), and all other safety materials.

Your guides will go over basic canoeing instructions at the start of the program. All participants are expected to paddle for the entire trip.

Canoes will be boarded from a floating dock, requiring the ability to bend over and sit on the dock.

Expect to paddle on the river for roughly 2.5 hours.

## **CHECK THE STATUS OF YOUR TRIP**

All participants are responsible for calling CNC's Canoe Hotline on the day of their trip to confirm the status of the trip.

**Canoe Hotline: 770-992-2055 ext. 242**

CNC canoe guides will attempt to determine whether a trip will run 2 hours before the scheduled start time.

Please do not call the Canoe Hotline more than 2 hours prior to your trip or you may not hear the most up-to-date status.

**Unfortunately, certain situations do not permit advance notice.**

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## **CANCELLATION POLICY**

Cancellations must be received in writing (via email) at least 6 business days prior to your trip date in order to receive a full refund. Cancellations received less than 6 business days prior to trip date are subject to a \$10 processing fee per ticket.

**We are unable to refund cancellations that are received less than 2 business days prior to the trip date.**

We cannot accommodate late arrivals - if you miss an active trip or do not attend, we are unable to refund your payment.

Refunds will be returned to the original form of purchase.

While every attempt is made to conduct canoe trips, certain situations arise which cause paddling conditions to be unsafe.

If CNC deems it necessary to cancel the canoe program due to weather or any conditions that would compromise the program's quality or put persons at risk, you will be notified and will receive a full refund.

**CNC reserves the right to cancel a canoe trip up to the scheduled time due to any of the following:**

- E-coli/bacterial count in the water exceeding EPA recommended level.
- Imminent or local lightning
- Excessive water level/strong currents
- Less than six persons signed up for a program
- Any condition that would put persons at risk



# FAMILY CANOE DAY CONFIRMATION

## PROGRAM DETAILS

**LOCATION:** Family Canoe Day programs take place at the Chattahoochee Nature Center.

**9135 Wileo Road, Roswell, GA 30075**

**Arrive Early:** Plan on arriving 15 minutes before your starting time. Programs start ON -TIME. We are unable to hold the group for late arrivals.

**Park:** When you arrive, proceed up the driveway and follow the arrows to the right. After you round the curve by the buildings, proceed straight ahead towards the trees and park in the bus parking area.

**Meet Up:** Meet your naturalists on the porch by the Scheduling Office. After meeting, we will head to the pond.

**Who's Coming:** Children must be at least 5 years old to participate in Family Canoe Day.

Children under the age of 13 must have an adult in their canoe.

Children under the age of 16 must have an adult present at the pond.

**Action:** Everyone is required to paddle and assist with equipment. Canoes are located at the water's edge.

We will have a Canoe Guide on the water and on the dock at all times.

Equipment is provided by CNC: canoe, paddles, personal flotation devices (PFDs).

**How Long:** Family Canoe Day lasts approximately 1 1/2 hours. Please feel free to enjoy the grounds after your program. Program fee includes admission to CNC.

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**RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY**

The undersigned hereby acknowledges that participation in recreational and other activities conducted by or in conjunction with the Chattahoochee Nature Center, and travel to and from such activities, involves inherent risks of physical injury, illness, death or loss of personal property, and the undersigned assumes all such risks. The undersigned also understands that some injuries may require special treatment, personnel and equipment which may be remote either by time or distance, or both, from the activity site, nonetheless, the undersigned agrees to proceed with these activities.

In consideration of the mutual benefits derived from participation by the undersigned with activities conducted by or in conjunction with the Chattahoochee Nature Center, the undersigned hereby absolves, releases and waives any and all liability, claims or demands against the Chattahoochee Nature Center and its officers, directors, agents, trip leaders and employees from any and all claims, demands, rights and causes of action of whatsoever kind and nature arising from and by reason of any and all known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen bodily and personal injuries, including death, damage to property, Covid-19 infection as described in the warning and disclaimer below, and the consequences thereof resulting from or relating to participation by the undersigned in any activities conducted by or in conjunction with the Chattahoochee Nature Center. The undersigned hereby acknowledges that any person or participant who uses his property or loans to another his property for use on or in land, water or air at the Chattahoochee Nature Center or any event or function in conjunction therewith does so at the individual's own risk and such participant waives any and all claims against the Chattahoochee Nature Center regardless of who uses or causes any damage to said property.

I understand that the Chattahoochee Nature Center does not provide insurance for participants in its activities and the undersigned is required to and shall carry such insurance adequate for any eventuality for injury or illness as a result of such activities.

I certify that I am eighteen (18) years of age or older, or my parent or guardian has signed below, and that I or my parent and/or guardian have read the above carefully before signing.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (please print)

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Signature of Participant

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Signature of Parent or Guardian if Participant is a Minor

**RELEASE AND WAIVER OF PHOTO**

I \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby give the Chattahoochee Nature Center at 9135 Willeo Road, Roswell permission to use my photo and its likeness for any and all print and video purposes it deems necessary but not limited to: newsletters, brochures, instructional and promotional videos, and press releases. The Chattahoochee Nature Center will not be required to reimburse me for use of my photo or its likeness.

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Signature of Participant

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**Coronavirus / COVID-19 Warning & Disclaimer**

Coronavirus, COVID-19 is an extremely contagious virus that spreads easily through person-to-person contact. Federal and state authorities recommend social distancing as a mean to prevent the spread of the virus. COVID-19 can lead to severe illness, personal injury, permanent disability, and death. Participating in Chattahoochee Nature Center programs or accessing Chattahoochee Nature Center facilities could increase the risk of contracting COVID-19. Chattahoochee Nature Center in no way warrants that COVID-19 infection will not occur through participation in Chattahoochee Nature Center programs of accessing Chattahoochee Nature Center facilities.

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