



GREAT OUTDOORS WESTERN CAMPOUT



A GREAT DAY ON THE SNAKE RIVER

Families from throughout the west chosen by Western Governors will begin four action-packed days of adventure with a choice between two Snake River adventures. Our families – and you – can enjoy either a Grand Teton classic – a scenic float through scenery- and wildlife-rich Grand Teton National Park – or an exciting whitewater adventure through the Snake River Canyon and rapids that are solid Class III's.

WHEN: June 11 2016 (Saturday) beginning at 9:30 AM and through early afternoon
HOSTS: Great Outdoors Month Partnership®, Mad River Boat Trips and Grand Teton Lodge Company
WHERE: Determined by the trip selected. Five to 15 minutes from downtown Jackson, WY.

FLOAT TRIP DETAILS:

Grand Teton Lodge Company invites Great Outdoors Western Campout participants and Governors belonging to the Western Governors Association (WGA) (and their family members) to enjoy its classic Wild & Scenic Raft Trip down the Snake River on Saturday, June 11. For ten miles along the Snake River within Grand Teton National Park, guides will show you amazing Teton views, share in-depth knowledge about the local flora and fauna and the history of the park. Often, you'll get amazing views of bald eagle, moose, bison, elk, osprey, and beavers. Trips travel from Pacific Creek to Deadman's Bar or from Deadman's Bar to Moose, WY. These casual adventures are not white water rafting trips. They are great for taking photographs and enjoying some of the world's best scenery. You should not expect to get wet, although with all rafting activities there is a level of inherent danger. Safety briefing and equipment will be provided. Lunch is included.

WHITewater TRIP DETAILS:

Mad River Boat Trips offers Great Outdoors Western Campout participants and Governors belonging to WGA (and their family members) the Classic 8-Mile Snake River Whitewater Experience on Saturday, June 11. It doesn't take all day, but you'll wish it did. This is the whitewater rafting trip you've been waiting for - one you will remember for a lifetime. The rapids

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are fun and the calm sections of river let you relax and enjoy the scenery all around you. There are non-paddling and paddling positions in the self-bailing, 18'3" raft. The trip begins at West Table Boat Ramp in the Snake River Canyon and winds its way south toward Alpine, WY. You'll travel 8 river miles from start to finish. There are about 8 sets of rapids, ranging from Class I up to Class III. Various river features will be encountered, such as Lunch Counter and Big Kahuna Rapids, Million Dollar Fishing Hole, Gauging Straights and Bailing Straights. Your experienced whitewater rafting guide will share information on the history of the area as well as teach you about the local flora and fauna. The Snake River Canyon is rich in geological history and your whitewater rafting guide will point out some of the features that make this canyon unique. You might see river otters, osprey and bald eagles on your trip. The lucky few might even catch a glimpse of a mountain goat, a mule deer, an elk or even a grizzly or black bear.

Invitation only.

For more information on the Great Outdoors Western Campout, see <http://www.gowestcampout.com/>