

## Manitowish River Canoe Trip Itinerary

July 31-Aug 4, 2017  
13-16 year olds

**Monday, July 31:** *Drop off at Monona Campus (See you Friday!!)*

We will begin the day by packing our canoe packs with our personal and group gear. Then, we will load the bus and drive to Manitowish Waters, eating lunch (send a bag lunch) along the way. After picking up our canoes we will paddle a short way to our first campsite along the Manitowish River.

**Tuesday, August 1:** Manitowish River.

Life along the Manitowish River is relaxing and beautiful! We will keep watch for great blue herons, painted turtles and deer. Our campsite is along the river edge.

**Wednesday, August 2:** Turtle Flambeau Flowage

Our second full day on the water brings us into the sprawling Turtle Flambeau Flowage. Once camp is set up at our group campsite, we have the perfect opportunity for a northwoods sunset.

**Thursday, August 3:** Turtle Flambeau Flowage

The Turtle Flambeau Flowage offers many islands to explore around and between. We will put our newly honed paddling skills to the test as we explore the waters. Our final night is again spent in a group campsite in the flowage.

**Friday, August 4:** return to ALNC

After a delicious breakfast, we will paddle the short way to our take out point. On our way back to ALNC, tradition has us stopping for pizza, (that campers will not have to prepare!), this year we'll stop in Stevens Point. Upon arrival back at ALNC to a cheering crowd, we will unpack our gear, share our favorite stories and be ready for pickup at 4:00pm.

**Emergency Contact Numbers** ALNC (8:30am – 5:00pm):

608-216-9372: Nature Center Director

608-216-9370: Program Coordinator

608-216-9378: Education Assistant

*ALNC naturalists will have a cell phone with them while off site to use in case of emergency. They will have camper emergency contact info with them and will contact you only in the case of emergency.*