Calling all Adventure Lovers!!

High Adventure Expeditions!

With Teton County/Jackson Parks and Recreation

Summer 2020

Circumnavigation of Jackson Lake

New this year! Spend four days and three nights paddling on beautiful Jackson Lake with experienced guides from Rendezvous River Sports! This trip is a great way to experience Grand Teton National Park, discover hidden corners and learn the skills needed to complete an overnight kayak trip. Participants must be competent swimmers and up for the challenge of outdoor living. Previous paddling experience is not required.

Difficulty Rating: Moderate to Strenuous; paddling 6-9 miles per day, remote setting.

Tuesday through Friday, June 16 – 19 (overnight)
(Pre trip meeting evening of 6/15)
Ages: 12-17 (Minimum entering 7th grade)
Fee: $340

Middle School Climbing Club

Here's an opportunity to experience the beauty and awe of climbing in the Tetons! Middle School Climbing Club, in partnership with Exum Mountain Guides, will spend 4 days climbing, adventuring and building skills leading to an attempt on Cube Point! No previous climbing experience is necessary; however, participants must be up for taking on challenges and trying new things! All climbing gear is provided (shoes, harness, helmet), participants need to pack a lunch, water bottle and dress for full days of outdoor activity.

Difficulty Rating: Moderate and Strenuous on the final day. Cube Point involves hiking and scrambling above 10,000’ with a 6-mile round trip and 3,000’ elevation gain.

Mondays and Wednesdays June 22 – July 1 (no overnights)
Start times will vary (6am start for Cube Point)
Ages: 11 - 14
Fee: $250

Lewis and Shoshone Lake by Sea Kayak

Spend three days and two nights exploring Lewis and Shoshone Lakes in Yellowstone National Park by sea kayak! Participants meet at the recreation center and drive to Lewis Lake where experienced guides with Rendezvous River Sports lead the group to remote campsites on the shore of Shoshone Lake. Explore remote geyser basins, see wildlife and take in the beauty and solitude of Yellowstone on this amazing trip. Participants must be competent swimmers and up for the challenge of outdoor living. Previous paddling experience is not required.

Difficulty Rating: Moderate to Strenuous; paddling 6-9 miles per day, remote setting.

Monday through Wednesday June 22 -24 (overnight)
(Pre trip meeting evening of 6/21)
Ages: 12-17 (Minimum entering 7th grade)
Fee: $285

Whitewater Rafting Guide Program

Ever wonder what it takes to be a raft guide? Here’s your chance to find out! This program is specifically geared towards learning how to be a raft guide. For three days, the professional staff from Rendezvous River Sports will instruct rafters about reading the river, guiding, safety and rescue, raft rigging, knot tying, care for the environment and much more. This all happens while spending the days rafting on the Snake and Hoback rivers, plan on lots of river time! All paddling gear and equipment is provided, no previous raft experience necessary however participants must be competent swimmers.

Difficulty Rating: Moderate

Tuesday Through Thursday, July 7 – 9 (no overnights)
Ages: 11 - 17
Fee: $300

Questions?? Contact Cory at 307-732-5762 or cconnett@tetoncountywy.gov  Scholarships are available.

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Rock Climbing Camp at City of Rocks
A parks and rec classic! Participants spend four days and three nights climbing at City of Rocks National Preserve with Exum Mountain Guides. Topics covered include climbing technique, belaying, top-roping, multi-pitch climbing, rappelling, anchor building and more. All climbing gear is provided. No previous climbing experience is necessary, but participants must be up for taking on challenges and trying new things!
Difficulty Rating: Easy to Moderate.
Tuesday through Friday July 14 – 17 (overnight)
Ages: 12 - 17 (Minimum entering 7th grade)
Fee: $385

Middle School Backpacking Trip to Goodwin Lake and Jackson Peak
 Spend 3 fun filled days backpacking, camping and exploring the Bridger Teton National Forest! We will hike to Goodwin Lake in the Gros Ventre Wilderness and set up camp for the next two nights. Our time will be spent summiting Jackson Peak, exploring the area, playing in the water and learning back country skills. All food, cooking equipment and tents are provided. Participants need to provide their own backpack, sleeping bag/pad and clothing. Some sleeping bags and pads may be available upon request.
Difficulty Rating: Strenuous; hiking 5+ miles per day with full backpacks in a remote setting.
Tuesday through Thursday, July 21 – 23 (overnight)
Ages: 11 – 14
Fee: $165

Middle School Paddling Club
Middle School Paddling Club will explore local waters paddling kayaks, canoes and stand up paddle boards. Learn new skills and get out to enjoy our short but wonderful boating season! All paddling gear is provided. Participants need to bring lunch, water bottle, and an extra change of dry clothes each day. No paddling experience necessary but participants must be competent swimmers.
Difficulty Rating: Moderate
Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays
July 27 – August 7 (no overnights)
Ages: 11 - 14
Fee: $330

Snake River Days
Snake River Days is a fun, adventure-filled weeklong camp for middle school youth. Activities include river hydrology, rafting, canoeing, kayaking, aquatic entomology (bugs), fly fishing, plant, mammal and bird exploration. For the final two days we will float from Wilson to South Park, camping along the way, then paddling the Snake River Canyon whitewater. Mad River Boat Trips provides rafts and guides for the final two days.
Difficulty Rating: Easy to Moderate
Monday through Friday, August 10 – 14
Overnight trip departs 8/13 and return 8/14
Ages: 11- 14
Fee: $275

Rock Climbing Camp in Ten Sleep Wyoming
New this summer! Participants spend four days and three nights climbing with Exum Mountain Guides in Ten Sleep Wyoming. Once a little-known backwater, Ten Sleep is now a premier limestone climbing area. Similar to the popular City of Rocks trip, this program offers a chance for kids to experience a different style of rock climbing and see a beautiful part of Wyoming. Topics covered include climbing technique, belaying, top-roping, multi-pitch climbing, rappelling, anchor building and more. All climbing gear is provided. No previous climbing experience is necessary, but participants must be up for taking on challenges and trying new things!
Difficulty Rating: Easy to Moderate.
Tuesday through Friday August 17 – 20 (overnight)
Ages: 12 - 17 (Minimum entering 7th grade)
Fee: $385

Parent-Child Overnight Sea Kayak Trip on Jackson Lake
Looking for a fun way to spend some quality time together? Join Rendezvous River Sports and Parks Recreation as we paddle, camp and explore beautiful Jackson Lake in tandem (two seated) sea kayaks on this parent child trip. This Trip is for Middle School edad youth and one parent. Program fee includes parent and child.
Difficulty Rating: Moderate
Saturday Through Sunday, August 22 - 23 (pre trip meeting 8/15)
Ages 11 – 14 + parent
Fee: $315 (includes parent and 1 child)

Teewinot Adventure Camp
Squeeze all you can from the last days of summer! This program is for incoming 4th and 5th graders and is a fun filled four days of climbing, paddle boarding, adventure and games! We will spend most of our time climbing but will throw in a day of swimming and paddle boarding for good measure. Participants will learn the basics of climbing and finish the week climbing with Exum Mountain Guides in Grand Teton National Park! All climbing and paddling gear is provided. Participants will need to pack a lunch and dress for full days of activity. No previous climbing or paddling experience necessary, all abilities and background welcome.
Difficulty Rating: Moderate.
Monday through Thursday August 24th-27th 9am -5 pm (no overnights)
Ages 9 – 11 (Incoming 4th and 5th graders)
Fee: $225

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