

Trumbullcanoetrails.org

TRUMBULL CANOE TRAILS



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The Presidents Message

Hi Everybody

In most all the newsletters I try to be upbeat and positive. But in this one I've got to express some disappointment. Not with anyone in our group, mind you, but with the Mahoning River Consortium. Last Winter I was contacted by the MRC to see if our group would take part in a river promotion they were doing in June. A 35 mile river picnic. They wanted us to put on 3 runs on the same day. I told them 3 might be tough but we'll do at least 2. If we did this our logo or name along with other sponsors could be put on some biodegradable garbage bags that they were handing out at places along the river. And our

trips would be put in any promotions they put out. I thought it sounded OK, we do runs anyway, and I got you people to go along with it at last 2 meetings. Well, not everybody. A few older members expressed some concern about this group and the way they had "USED" our club in the past. But we said we would do a couple runs, and we scheduled them. In late May I tried to find out what's going on with the river promotion and I'm told the bad news. The MRC can't promote any specific trips on the river. They can only say that you can canoe or kayak on the river at certain parks. No trip mention, no club mention. WHY? The big L word LIABILITY!!! I mean really!! Do they think we

rank up there with skydiving or the X games!! Or did someone show them the picture of Larry in the water at Beaver Creek?? But really, there are better chances of someone choking on a hotdog at one of the picnics or some drunk falling over the railing at the B&O than a paddler getting hurt. I was very disappointed with that decision. So, Ok Preston, Alan and Rich, I understand now. And besides, we don't need the outside groups to help promote us. We are doing just fine growing our club ourselves. See you at the picnic on the 10th and remember there will also be a club meeting and I promise not to mention the MRC!! Ed

Annual Picnic

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11:00 am- Pymatuning
Creek (Andy Dorrick
Park in Orangeville)

We will be meetin', then eating and then paddlein' up the creek(?) after lunch and then later

down below the dam and into the Shenango Reservoir. The club will supply dogs and burgers and soft drinks. Please bring a covered dish or a dessert and Please!!! Call Mary Kane ASAP to let her know you'll be there and what you'll bring to the

picnic. Special thanks to Orangeville's Mayor, Ruth Bennett for helping to secure the pavilion and for remembering our group from back in the days when we bring).thanks

Picnic Directions



Take Rt. 7 North past Hartford to 609 East (right) to Orangeville. Andy Dorrick Park is in Orangeville, just before the stop sign on the left. See ya'll at 11 am on the 10th.

And don't forget to call Mary at 330-534-3258



Midnight Paddle

The Midnight Paddle will be on Saturday, July 24th at Pointview Park. Directions can be found thru the interactive map on the clubs web site. Start time will be around 8:00 pm. The club will furnish hot-dogs and buns and soft drinks for the picnic while we wait for the moon to make it's appearance. If

you would like, bring your favorite dessert, or salad or a bag of chips to share with what will hopefully be a large group of paddlers. Hopefully we'll have good weather and a clear sky. Give me a call and let me know if your planning on being there, and be prepared to have a good time. Don't forget the light sticks for your

boat! I can be reached during the day at 330-257-4012 and evenings at 330-584-9309. See you there!

Tim

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Creating a photo album

If you would like to create your own photo album follow these steps.

1—Log in to the web site

2— Click the “Quick Links Tab” then “Pictures & Albums Tab “ from the navigation bar at the top.

3— Click the “Add Album Tab”

4— Give the title and description of your album then click the submit

button.

5—Click “Upload Pictures”

6— Browse for pictures you want to upload from your computer (You can only do 3 pictures at a time).

7— click the “Upload Pictures Button”

8— Edit your pictures that you just uploaded and click “Save changes” button

9— Repeat step 5 to load more pictures

10— Repeat from step 2 to create a new album to upload to.