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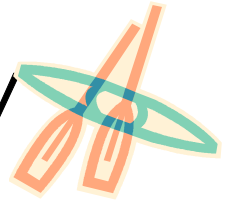
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Professional River Trips Since 1979!



The Clackamas River ~ Class III-IV



Half-Day Trip Information:

Thank you for reserving your trip with River Drifters. We look forward to providing you with the finest river trip possible. Please read the following information regarding your trip and if you have any questions or concerns feel free to call us at 1-800-972-0430.

The section of the Clackamas River that we run is known as the 'Upper Clackamas' and is a designated Wild and Scenic River. This section is surrounded by beautiful, lush riparian vegetation and is one of the last rivers in the northwest that still boasts a spring salmon run. On your trip you may see Rocky Mountain Elk, pine martins, osprey, bald eagles, or maybe even a northern spotted owl in between the exhilarating Class III and IV rapids.

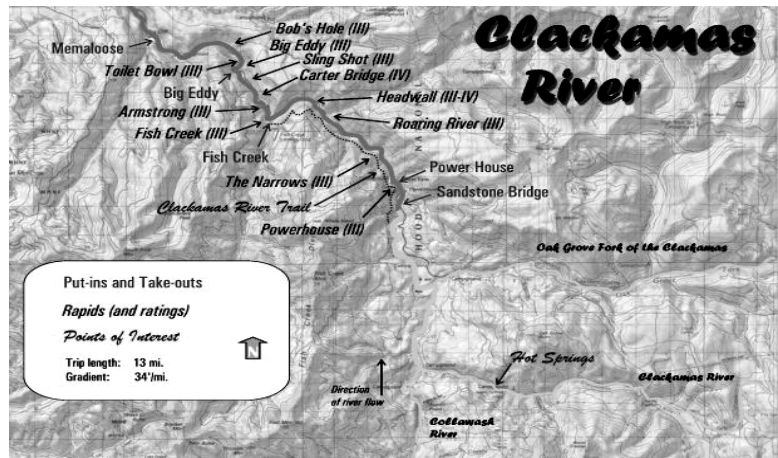
Restrictions:

The Upper Clackamas is great for all kinds of rafters from first-timers to seasoned paddlers, however we do have some age restrictions:

Minimum Age (March-May): 12

Minimum Age (May-August): 6

Please let us know if you have any health concerns prior to the trip.



River Drifters will provide a wetsuit, paddle jacket, and helmet. If anyone in your group gets cold easily make sure to bring along an extra layer of capiline, poly pro, fleece, or long sleeve underwear type of shirt for their upper body. No cotton! Even though the air may be warm the water is in the mid 40s. Nobody has fun when they are cold and we want everyone to have a good time!

We also suggest that you bring the following items to ensure your comfort:

For warm weather:

- Shorts and T-shirt (quick drying/non-cotton) or bathing suit
- Long Sleeve Shirts and hat for sun protection
- Old tennis shoes or sandals
- Sunglasses
- Sunglass strap for glasses
- Waterproof sunscreen
- Change of clothes for the drive home



For cold weather:

- Long underwear layer for top and bottom
- Wool socks
- Gloves (wool and neoprene)
- Old tennis shoes or sandals
- Hat (fleece or wool beanie)
- Waterproof sunscreen
- Sunglasses & strap
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Travel Information

If lost or running late please call 1-800-972-0430

Meeting Time: 9:30a.m. for morning half-days.
2:30p.m. for afternoon half-days.
Meeting Place: Memalose (Old weigh station off of Hwy. 224).


Approximate Travel Times
Portland/Vancouver Area: 45 min.
Salem: 1 hr. 15 min.
The Resort at the Mountain: 45 min.

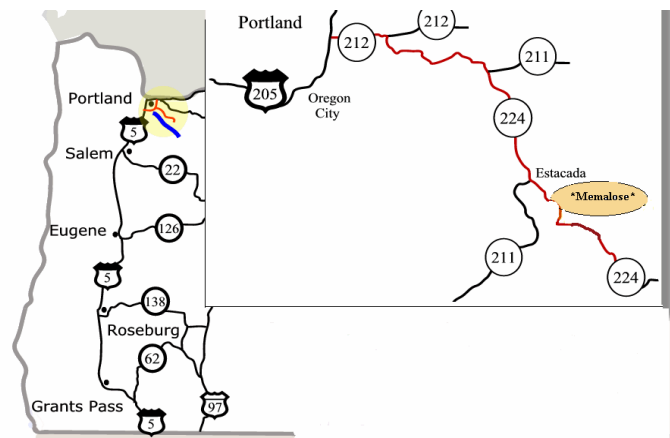
Directions from I-5:
From I-5 take I-205 exit going east. Take the Clackamas exit (Hwy. 224 to Estacada).

Once on Hwy. 224, go through Estacada and continue towards the North Fork Reservoir. Go about 10 miles to the reservoir and start looking for a large parking area on the left clearly marked Memalose. A River Drifters van will be there to greet you.

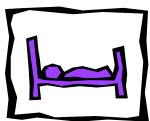


Trip Itinerary*

<u>A.M</u>	<u>P.M</u>	
9:30	1:30	Meet at Memalose 
9:45	1:45	Sign-in/ Issue wet-suits
10:00	2:00	Depart for Indian Henry Campground
10:15	2:15	Get on the water!
1:30	5:30	Arrive at take-out (Memalose)



Local Accommodations:



The Resort at the Mountain in Welches: 800-669-7666
Sandy Inn Best Western in Sandy: 503-668-7100
Red Fox Motel in Estacada: 503-630-4243



Camping: There are also a number of great camping areas: along Hwy. 224 within 15 minutes of our meeting site and most camp areas have drinking water, fire pits & restrooms available. For more maps and a complete listing of local accommodations please visit

www.riverdrifters.net/clackamasriver.htm.

*These times may vary depending on water flows and the events of the day. Please be flexible with your travel arrangements to compensate for any unforeseen changes to the itinerary.

*River Drifters does reserve the right to re-schedule and/or cancel a trip due to unfavorable water levels or under qualified participants.

