

New River Canoe/Kayak trip

July 13, 2019

11:00am - 4:00pm on the water

5:00-8:00 potluck dinner

Hosted by Dan and Kathy Phlegar, 788 Dry Branch Road, Pembroke, VA 24136

To make reservations for the River trip, call Tangent Outfitters at [540-626-4567](tel:540-626-4567). Rentals: \$70 for a canoe, \$70 for a double kayak, and \$55 for single kayak. The rentals include life jackets and throw cushions, and pick up/drop off. Also, for those having their own kayak or canoe the pickup and transfer is \$ 20 for kayak and \$ 30 for a canoe or double kayak. Everyone should bring their own lunch and drinks for the trip.

Dan and Kathy Phlegar have graciously invited everyone to their cabin in Giles County for a BBQ dinner after a day on the river. The Phlegars are generously supplying the BBQ and ask everyone to bring a side dish or dessert to share, in addition to your own beverages and a chair! Please RSVP to Danphlegar@aol.com so they can get a good headcount for the BBQ, etc.

Time frame:

- **10:00** arrive at Tangent Outfitters in Pembroke to coordinate rentals, pickup and shuttle
- **11:00-4:00** on the water, 7-8 miles, with 2-3 stops on sand bars for resting and swimming. There are two Class 2 rapids and one class 3. Dan assures that this is an adventurous, **beginner friendly** trip. Put in at Pembroke and take out at Bluff City near Pearisburg.
- **5:00** arrive at Phlegar's home for dinner.

What to do in advance:

- Call Tangent Outfitters at [540-626-4567](tel:540-626-4567) to reserve your vessel of choice and/or shuttle if you are bringing your own boat
- RSVP to Danphlegar@aol.com indicating if you are planning to be on the river and/or joining for dinner.

What to bring:

- Picnic lunch
- Plenty of water and beverages for the whole day
- Water shoes, sunscreen ,etc.
- Potluck dinner dish to share.
- Chairs for the picnic.

- **Optional hiking to the Cascades Waterfall in Jefferson National Forest if you don't want to be on the river, and join us for dinner afterwards. Still RSVP to Dan.**
- **Guests (non RSAC members) are welcome. Just include in your RSVP to Dan.**
- **You can drop your dinner dishes off at the house before getting on the river if you would like. Just plan a little extra travel time. 788 Dry Branch Road, Pembroke, VA 24136**
- **For those not using their cell phone or GPS the directions are as follows: travel on US 460 three mile west of Pembroke and turn right onto RT 635, which is Big Stoney Creek Road. (This turn is made before crossing the bridge over New River.). Travel one mile on RT 635 and then turn right onto Dry Branch Road, RT 626. Proceed for one mile on Dry Branch Road which is a gravel surface road. The cabin is on the right and turn in where the big fish is hanging**
- **In the event of cancellation, there is NO raindate**
- **If you have questions or need additional information, contact Dan at 540-520-3436.**