

CAMP SILOAM

Kayaking



What You Need to Know:

- The minimum age of participants is 12 years old.
- The cost is \$13 per participant.
- You must have an adult to camper ratio of 1 to 12.
- Life vests must be worn **at all times**.
- You must provide transportation for your group to and from the river. You will follow a Camp Siloam staff member from camp to the river and back. Gypsy Camp & Canoe will meet your group there with kayaks and paddles.
- All participants must wear close-toed shoes, tennis shoes, or adventure sandals (sandals with a heel).
- If you cancel without a 24-hour notice, it will result in a charge equal to 100% of the reserved service amount. No refund within 24 hours.
- No fishing allowed during float.
- Once your group has finished the float, a Camp Siloam staff member will bus drivers back to the drop off point to pick up vehicles and return to the Gypsy Camp to pick up campers.
- Make sure and bring water bottles and sunscreen.
- Individual and Tandem kayaks will be provided.
- Float trips will be on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday afternoons. On the registration form, please put in order which day of the week of camp you are attending you would prefer to go on your float trip. 1 being top choice and 3 being your last choice.
- If your entire group does not go on float trip and campers are left at camp, there needs to be adult supervision from your group.
- Guardians and Parents signature required. Please see registration & waiver form. Once this form is filled out, please return to Camp Siloam via email or mail.



WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the activities and programs of Gypsy River, LLC, d/b/a Gypsy Camp & Canoe (hereinafter referred to as Gypsy Camp & Canoe) including canoeing, boating, rafting, floating, camping, lodging, meals, food services, and other related activities, I, the undersigned, acknowledge and agree as follows:

1. I understand that the above activities, and other related activities, carry substantial risks and dangers, and that I can receive personal injuries, fatal injuries, and/or property damage.
2. I understand under Arkansas law, an outfitter is not liable for an injury or death of a participant in paddlesport activities resulting from the inherent risks of paddlesport activities pursuant to the 2015 AR Code, 27-101-904.
3. I understand that **LIFE JACKETS ARE REQUIRED AT ALL TIMES.**
4. I understand that the dangers may include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - hazards of traveling on a canoe, raft, kayak, tube or other devices used for floating, in normal, rough or flooded river conditions;
 - hazards of jumping, diving, or being thrown into unfamiliar water with submerged hazards, undercut rocks and logs, rocks and manmade hazards;
 - hazards of being pinned against trees, rocks, roots, or other objects;
 - contact or conflict with paddles, other guests, private property owners, food boxes, coolers, or other containers;
 - hazards of walking, or riding in rough terrain;
 - strains or sprains; fractures or punctures; partial and/or total paralysis; death; drowning;
 - accidents; loss or damage to personal property; slips and falls;
 - snake bites, insect bites, bee stings, and allergic reaction to any natural or manmade thing;
 - illnesses or injuries in remote places without medical facilities;
 - failure or lack of communication equipment;
 - falls or jumps from manmade and natural cliffs or bluffs;
 - hazards of entering and leaving the canoe, kayak, boat, raft, tube or other floatation device;
 - hazards of loading or unloading people or materials from vehicles;
 - hazards of the forces of nature, including wind and lightning;
 - falling limbs or trees;
 - problems or hazards related to travel by automobile, bus, ATV or any other conveyance;
 - eye injuries including blindness;
 - heat stroke;
 - problems or hazards related to consumption of alcoholic beverages or controlled substances by myself or others.
5. I fully understand and acknowledge that all of the risks and dangers involved in my activities while at Gypsy Camp & Canoe, including the above risks and dangers, may be caused by the negligence of Gypsy Camp & Canoe, its employees, officers and agents, or it may be caused by the negligence of other participants, local property owners, accidents, breaches of contract, the forces of nature or other causes and that these risks and dangers may arise from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes.
6. **BY MY PARTICIPATION IN ANY ACTIVITIES AND/OR USE OF EQUIPMENT, I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL RISKS KNOWN AND UNKNOWN, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF GYPSY CAMP & CANOE, OR OTHERS, AND ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR MY PARTICIPATION IN ANY ACTIVITIES PROVIDED BY GYPSY CAMP & CANOE.**
7. I willingly agree to comply with the terms and conditions for participation in any activity or service provided by Gypsy Camp & Canoe. If I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and immediately bring same to the attention of the nearest agent or employee of Gypsy Camp & Canoe.
8. By participating in, or attending, any activity or service provided by Gypsy Camp & Canoe, whether on or off the premises, I consent to the use of any photographs, pictures, film, or videotape taken of me or provided by me for publicity, promotion, television, websites or any other use, and expressly waive any right of privacy, compensation, copyright or other ownership right connected to same.
9. I acknowledge that the use of alcohol or the use of any controlled substance or illegal substance, may affect the skill, knowledge, and physical requirements of any activity in which I am participating and may increase the risk of property damage, personal injury, or death.
10. I understand that it is the right of private property owners to deny access and/or protect their property. I agree to adhere to No Trespassing signs, or purple paint markings, symbolizing a No Trespass warning.
11. I, on behalf of myself, my personal representatives, my heirs, assigns, next-of-kin, and any minor children for which I am responsible, hereby **release, indemnify, hold harmless, discharge and defend Gypsy River LLC, d/b/a Gypsy Camp & Canoe**, its officers, owners, agents, and employees, and all owners of any premises or real property where any activities may occur, and any sponsors of any events of any type, kind and description, from any and all **claims, actions, suits, debts, liabilities, judgments, demands and**

liability arising out of or related to any injury, disability, death, or property damage I may suffer, or loss of damage to person or property, whether arising from the negligence of Gypsy Camp & Canoe, or otherwise.

12. I specifically understand that I am releasing, discharging and waiving any claims or actions that I may have presently, or in the future, for the negligent acts or other conduct by the owners, agents, officers or employees of Gypsy Camp & Canoe, for personal injury, property damage or wrongful death.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS AND I UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT AND I SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR COERCION; AND THAT I RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY GYPSY CAMP & CANOE FROM ANY LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR DEATH TO MYSELF OR ANY MINOR CHILDREN FOR WHICH I AM RESPONSIBLE.

	PRINTED NAME OF PARTICIPANT	SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT/GUARDIAN
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I, the undersigned, depose and state that I have read and understood the above form, and can sign on behalf of myself and the minor children listed above.

PRINTED NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE

GROUP / ORGANIZATION / CHURCH NAME	CONTACT PHONE NUMBER

DATE PREFERRED:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday (rank preference at right)			