

50th RED MOSHANNON DOWN RIVER RACE MARCH 25, 2017

Held on a remote 7.5-mile section of Moshannon Creek between Peale Bridge near the town of Grassflat, PA and the Route 53 Bridge near the town of Moshannon, PA. At moderate levels this section of creek is rated Class II+ on the International Scale of Difficulty.

High water significantly increases the difficulty. Extra flotation in boats is highly recommended. Most years there are numerous swims and bent boats!! Cold water paddling clothing is recommended. The stream & air temperatures are usually very cold.

RACERS SHOULD HAVE SELF-RESCUE AND SWIFT WATER PADDLING SKILLS

REGISTRATION INFO

***PRE-REGISTRATION FEE-Deadline March 13= \$25 PER PADDLER
PRE-REGISTERED RACERS RECEIVE A RACE T SHIRT
LATE REGISTRATION FEE-After March 13= \$30 PER PADDLER
LATE REGISTERED RACERS MAY NOT GET T SHIRTS
COME EARLY THE DAY OF THE RACE-REGISTRATION CLOSSES AT 11AM
ALL RACERS MUST CHECK IN BY 11AM-RACE STARTS AT NOON***

EXTRA T SHIRTS

You can order extra race t-shirts. \$16 ea. small, med, large, xlarge, xxlarge

POKER RACE

Any registered racer may enter the poker race. Collect 4 cards along the racecourse and a fifth card at the awards ceremony. High hand wins a prize.

PRIZE DRAWING

Racers will be eligible to win prizes. Drawing will be held at the awards ceremony.
Receive your prize ticket when you turn in your race bib at the finish line.

AWARD CEREMONY & POST RACE MEAL

Awards will be presented at Saint Severin's Social Hall in Drifting on Route 53. A delicious meal will be available for a very reasonable price.

PRE RACE FUN

The Grassflat Moose Club invites Red Mo paddlers and racers to the Moose Club Friday night. They will have menu specials & prizes. Saturday morning the Moose Club will have a breakfast special for paddlers and racers.

PARKING

Parking is limited. Arrive early, car pool with other racers. The residents of Grassflat, Moshannon, and other area towns have been gracious and tolerant of boaters for many years. We ask that you show equal respect by driving slowly and safely in the vicinity of the race.

IMPORTANT INFO-YOU MUST COMPLETE ALL ITEMS IN THIS SECTION

NAME _____ AGE _____ SHIRT SIZE _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ E-MAIL _____

PARTNERS NAME _____ AGE _____ SHIRT SIZE _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ E-MAIL _____

BOAT MAKE/MODEL _____ MATERIAL _____ LENGTH _____

RULES

Life jackets must be worn throughout the race-no automatically or manually inflating life jackets
Decked boaters, SUP boarders must wear helmets, helmets not required but recommended for open boaters
Decked boats must have spray skirts, decking for open canoes limited to 36" bow & stern
Canoes must be propelled with single blade paddles, operating auto floor bailers not allowed, Operating rudders or skegs not allowed.
Extra floatation placed in canoes/kayaks highly recommended.
Minimum age of solo kayak or canoe paddler is 16 years of age, Race official's word is final.

RACE CLASSES-CHECK ONE CLASS- OFFICIALS DECISIONS FINAL
STANDARD OPEN CANOE (PLASTIC, ALUMINUM NO KEVLAR, GLASS)

- OC-2 SHORT (UP TO 16'6" IN LENGTH)
- OC-2 LONG (OVER 16'6" IN LENGTH)
- OC-2 WOMEN (ANY LENGTH)
- OC-2 MIXED (ANY LENGTH)
- OC-2 OVER/UNDER: AGE OVER 30/UNDER 16 (ANY LENGTH)
- OC-2 CENTURY: COMBINED AGE OF 100 (ANY LENGTH)
- OC-1 (ANY LENGTH)
- OC-1 MASTER: AGE AT LEAST 40 (ANY LENGTH)

STANDARD OPEN CANOE (KEVLAR, GLASS NO USA, PRO, STANDARD RACE DESIGNS)

- OC-2 COMPOSITE RECREATIONAL (ANY LENGTH)

WHITEWATER KAYAK (PLAYBOAT, CREEKER, RIVER RUNNER, PLASTIC NO COMPOSITES OR REC DESIGNS)

- K-1 MEN WHITEWATER (ANY LENGTH)
- K-1 WOMEN WHITEWATER (ANY LENGTH)
- K-1 MASTER AGE AT LEAST 40 (ANY LENGTH)

WHITEWATER KAYAK COMPOSITE (SLALOM, RIVER RUNNER, NO WILDWATER OR RECREATIONAL DESIGNS)

- K-1 WHITEWATER COMPOSITE (ANY LENGTH)

RECREATIONAL KAYAK CLASSES (PLASTIC REC & TOURING DESIGNS, NO WHITEWATER, OR RACE DESIGNS)

- K-1 MEN REC SHORT (UP TO 11' LENGTH)
- K-1 MEN REC MEDIUM (UP TO 14' LENGTH)
- K-1 MEN REC LONG (OVER 14' LENGTH)
- K-1 WOMEN REC SHORT (UP TO 11' LENGTH)
- K-1 WOMEN REC MEDIUM (UP TO 14' LENGTH)
- K-1 WOMEN REC LONG (OVER 14' LENGTH)

UNLIMITED CANOE & KAYAK (ANY MATERIAL)

- OC-1 UNLIMITED (ANY LENGTH)
- OC-2 UNLIMITED (ANY LENGTH)
- K-1 UNLIMITED (ANY LENGTH)
- K-2 UNLIMITED (ANY LENGTH)
- K-1 WILDWATER (14'9" LENGTH ONLY)

PADDLE BOARD (ANY MATERIAL)

- SUP UNLIMITED (ANY LENGTH)

OPEN CLASS

- OPEN CLASS (CRAFT NOT FITTING OTHER CLASSES-OFFICIALS DECISION)

REGISTERED BY MARCH 13: \$25 per paddler AFTER MARCH 13: \$30 per paddler \$ _____

Extra shirts: __ sm , __ med, __ large , __xlarge __xxlarge \$16 EACH \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

- ALL RACERS MUST READ AND SIGN A WAIVER
- RETURN THIS FORM AND WAIVER(S) PLUS PAYMENT TO: TUSSEY MT. OUTFITTERS 308 WEST LINN ST.
BELLEFONTE, PA 16823 Info Call:814-355-5690

WAIVER & RELEASE FORM RED MOSHANNON DOWN RIVER RACE 2017

I (MY CHILD) REALIZE DANGER EXISTS IN ANY PARTICIPATION IN THE SPORT OF CANOEING/KAYAKING

Although I am in good health and able to participate in canoeing/kayaking activities I realize that participation in canoeing/kayaking may result in illness or injury due to accidents, the forces of nature, or other causes not foreseeable. Such illness and injury may include but is not limited to disease, strains, sprains, fractures, dislocations, paralysis, or death. I am fully aware of the risk and dangers associated with hypothermia and its causes. I understand that possible injuries may cause serious and permanent disability.

By my or my child's participation in canoeing/kayaking I or I for my child and my child hereby knowingly assume the risks arising out of participating in canoeing/kayaking.

I am aware of the hazards of flatwater and whitewater canoeing/kayaking. Such hazards include, but are not limited to: strainers, undercuts, reversals, frigid water, pins, broaches, entrapments, and high water. I and my child are aware of the means by which to avoid such hazards, and I am confident of my and my child's ability to do so. I am aware that even a skillful and prudent paddler can experience emergencies, and that these emergencies can severely tax the resources and capabilities of paddler and equipment alike. Therefore, I on behalf of myself or my child, my personal representatives, and my heirs, hereby agree to release, hold harmless, and indemnify Tussey Mt. Outfitters Inc. and its agents, officers, volunteers from any and all claims and suits for bodily injury, property damage, wrongful death, loss of services or otherwise which may arise out of my participation in canoeing/kayaking, whether or not such claims or suits arise from negligent acts by Tussey Mt. Outfitters Inc., its agents, officers, employees, volunteers, another participant, or any other person or from any other cause.

THE RISKS I AM ABOUT TO TAKE OR MY CHILD IS ABOUT TO TAKE HAVE BEEN DULY CONSIDERED, AND NO ONE OTHER THAN MYSELF CAN BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR MY OR MY CHILD'S SAFETY.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE (OR EXPLAINED THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE TO MY CHILD). I UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY.

Print Name (Of Participant) _____

Print Name of Partner _____

Address: _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature (Partner) _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature (under 18 yrs) _____