

DANBURY SKI CLUB ----- WHITEWATER RAFTING, 2015



Deerfield River, Massachusetts, JULY 10-12, 2015

Whitewater rafting is back at the Deerfield River in Charlemont, Massachusetts, an exciting Class III-IV river that drops steadily throughout the day through a narrow 5 mile gorge. There will be a snack on the river and a BBQ is included on Saturday after rafting. Wet suits, photographs and videos will be available for purchase. Also available: **A free mountain coaster ride** (normally \$10); A Zip line for a small fee (pre-register); and a Mountain Bike park should also be open by then.

Tent camping (bring your own) is also included Friday and Saturday night at nearby Country Aire Campgrounds. The campground has bath facilities, a pool, a small camp store, campfires, many outdoor activities. We have also reserved one cabin (see below).

What to bring: Swimsuit, hard soled water shoes or old sneakers, waterproof bug repellent and sunscreen. Also consider bringing a waterproof camera, sunglasses, and spare prescription glasses or contacts. For camping, bring a tent or share, sleeping bag, air mattress or cot, pillow, flashlight, lantern, cooking equipment, food and drink.

Directions: I91 to exit 26 (Route 2 West); Drive 13 miles to Charlemont. Driveway is on the right, look for the camper logo just before the Oxbow Motel and Otter's Restaurant. Driveway is about 1/4 mile long. All MUST arrive before 10pm Friday, much earlier or you'll be setting up in the dark, and quiet hours start at 10pm. Campground: (413)625-2996.

Sign-Up: Contact Dave Zuraw C:(203)232-9057. Bring payments to DSC meetings or mail to: Dave Zuraw, 33 Hilltop Rd., Naugatuck, CT 06770, Attn: WWR. Email me when you send check.

One Cabin Available: 1 Queen bdrm, 2 twins bdrm, sleeper sofa, loft with 3 mattresses. Cost starts at \$210 for 2 adults. Add \$18 per adult. **MUST sign up and pay by May 13th.**

Pay in full by May 28th (May 13th for cabin) to be entered in a raffle at held at Berkshire East (check-in) Saturday ~8:45am (Prizes T-shirts, hats, etc...)

- Cost:** \$140pp (Sat. rafting, 2 nights camping, BBQ after rafting, mountain coaster ride).
- Payment:** \$90 deposit due May 28th (Late signups OK if space is available)
- Final Payment:** \$50 due June 8th
- Refund policy:** Full refund available until May 28th. Full refund -\$20 available until 6/25. Some compensation for hardship cases possible.
- Requirements:** Minimum age ~15 and in good health.
- Transportation:** Car pool
- Camping:** Arrive by 10pm Friday night, earlier or you'll be setting up tent in the dark.
- Registration:** 8:30am Saturday at Berkshire East

Trip Leader: Dave Zuraw C:(203)232-9057, dscwebmaster@yahoo.com.
Outfitter: Berkshire Rafting, www.berkshirewhitewater.com
Campground: Country Aire Campgrounds www.countryairecampground.com

