

2026 NC Canoe Course Schedule

Note: This schedule is subject to change.



Day 1 - Saturday

1:00pm: Arrivals, Inbriefs, Games With Campers
4:30pm: Start Team Flag, Full Value Contract & 48 Hr. Sequence
6:00pm: Dinner
8:00pm: Opening Campfire And Evening Meeting
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - Balsam Base

Day 2 - Sunday

7:00am: Wake & Pack Day Bags
8:00am: Breakfast
9:00am: Pack For Canoe Expedition
12:00pm: Lunch
1:00pm: High Ropes & Continue Packing
6:00pm: Dinner
7:00pm: Evening Activities And Evening Meeting
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - Balsam Base

Day 3 - Monday

7:00am: Wake And Final Pack Of Sleeping Bags Etc.
8:00am: Breakfast
9:00am: Load Trailers, Depart For Canoe Put In, Canoe How To's
12:00pm: Lunch @ Put In
1:00pm: Begin Canoeing
5:00pm: Arrive To Camp, Set Up Camp, Start Dinner
6:00pm: Dinner
7:00pm: Evening Activities & Evening Meeting
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - camping

Day 4 - Tuesday

7:00am: Wake & Break Camp
8:00am: Breakfast & Pack Canoes
9:00am: Continue Canoeing
12:00pm: Lunch
1:00pm: Continue Canoeing
6:00pm: Dinner

7:00pm: Evening Activities & Evening Meeting
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - camping

Day 5 - Wednesday

7:00am: Wake & Break Camp
8:00am: Breakfast & Pack Canoes
9:00am: Continue Canoeing
12:00pm: Lunch
1:00pm: Continue Canoeing
6:00pm: Dinner & Health Checks
7:00pm: Evening Activities & Evening Meeting
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - camping

Day 6 - Thursday

7:00am: Wake & Break Camp
8:00am: Breakfast & Pack Canoes
9:00am: Finish Canoe Expedition/Depart For Base,
12:00pm: Lunch
2:00pm: Derig And Showers At Base
6:00pm: Dinner
7:00pm: Evening Meeting
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - Balsam Base

Day 7 - Friday

7:00am: Wake & Pack Bags
8:00am: Breakfast
9:30am: Morning Activity (swimming, gem mining, beach)
12:00am: Lunch
1:00pm: Laundry
3:00pm: Arrive Rj Andrews Recreation Center, Make Camp
4:00pm: Campsite Games, Group Initiatives
6:00pm: Dinner
7:00pm: Evening Activities & Evening Meeting
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - camping

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Day 8 - Saturday

6:30am: Wake & Pack Day Bags
7:00am: Breakfast
9:00am: G1: Rock Climbing / G2: Swim at Waterfall
12:00pm: Lunch
1:00pm: G2: Rock Climbing / G1: Swimming At Waterfall
6:00pm: Dinner
7:00pm: Evening Meeting; Goal Progress Due
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - camping

Day 9 - Sunday

7:00am: Wake, Break Camp
8:00am: Breakfast
9:00am: Depart For Turkey Creek, Set Up Camp
12:00pm: Lunch & Health Checks
2:00pm: Arrive App Rivers For Nantahala Rafting
5:00pm: Return To Turkey Creek
6:00pm: Dinner
7:00pm: Evening Meeting; Skills And Life Success Due
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - camping

Day 10 - Monday

7:00am: Wake, Break Camp, Breakfast
9:00am: Depart For Balsam / Showers @ Base
1:00pm: End Of Course Activities – Hotseats
Last 48 Hour Sequence
6:00pm: Celebration Dinner
8:00pm: Closing Campfire
9:00pm: Hygiene
9:30pm: Lights Out - Balsam Base

Day 11 - Tuesday

6:30 Wake, Pack, Clean
8:00 Breakfast
9:00 Debriefs/Departures Begin