

Overview

Coordinator

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Location

Chief Timothy Park is located on an island off of US Highway 12, eight miles west Clarkston at Silcott Road.

Radio Communications

GMRS channel 5 preferred, like we used during Alex Bell race.

Cruise Summary

The objectives of the first Cruise of the Season are:

Have Fun,
Get to Know Members,
Easy, Informal, Shake-out,
Learn to sail by crewing,
Barbecue, Breakfast,
See Conrad's beach.

Options to Participate

There are many ways to participate in this cruise:

Learn to Sail. Contact the Coordinator and he'll hook you up w/ the appropriate boat. Experience launching, rigging, getting boat "shipshape" (see definition on our home page), sailing, patient listening to improbable yarns, etc. - all with low stress, after all, it's not your boat ...

Launch Clarkston. Launch in Lewiston or Clarkston and sail down.

Ride & Camp. Hitch a ride on a boat, & camp in the Park. See Reservations.

Launch at Tim. Launch at Chief Timothy. See Fees.

Drive, Camp, Ride. You can drive down, crew on one of the boats, and camp in the Park, or whatever you feel like. See Reservations.

Dock Camp. See Fees.

Anchor, Raft-up, Camp.

Sleep at home, commute.

Whatever. See Fees.

Cruise Schedule

There are are **Three Events** scheduled in this cruise so far. Participants have very complex personal schedules, and will be coming and going as is convenient:

2-4 pm Saturday Cruise to Conrad's Picnic Spot. Cruise black belt, Conrad Breitenstein, leads a tour to explore his favorite nearby sandy beach on the north shore of the Snake.

5:30 pm Saturday Club Picnic/ Barbecue. Jerry Snell will organize a barbecue at group site w/ schmoozing starting about 5:30 and incineration commencing about 6.

8:00 am Sunday Breakfast. Don is cruising his motor home to Timothy, too, to provide the core of breakfast from about 8 to 9.

=> Don's Proclamations <=

Service. Bring your own service: flatware, glasses, plates - Don advises that he does **not** do dishes!

Chairs. And bring your own camp chairs for chow & chat. While there are picnic tables, they don't provide very flexible arrangements - Don further advises that he does **not** provide chairs!

Fees

This is a fully privatized Public Facility and there are fees for almost everything through CLM Services to be paid to the Park attendant at the gate. Ck out the Corps of Engineers' Timothy web site for a listing of fees.

Campsite Reservations

Reservations can be made through CLM Services on their web site which offers maps, complete descriptions of Park facilities, phone numbers, etc.

Reservations must be made 3 days in advance.

Note that on May 12, some reservations for sites have already been made by someone for our cruise dates.

Docks & Launch

There is a four lane launch ramp on the west end of the island with a handling

dock, and a half dozen docks along the south side of the island near the camp sites. Note: Tying up at a dock requires a Launch Fee. See Fees.