



Symonds Yat 22-24 Sept 2023

Location: River Wye Symonds Yat west, Wye Valley, Herefordshire

Dates: Friday September 22nd – Sunday September 24th (or part thereof)

Trip Admin organiser: Bob Fisher **e-mail:** bob@fishersmith.co.uk

River Leader/s: Bob fisher

Water Grade / conditions:

The River Wye is mostly flat water but moving at a steady pace so you need to be confident with paddling in a straight line so not suitable for complete beginners as your first trip. Sunday will start with a grade 2 rapid at Symonds Yat, although easily portaged if needed.

Distance / Duration:

Approx 6-8 miles each day, the river is moving so makes it slightly easier. We would allow most of the day paddling but including a lunch stop somewhere on the river bank.
Paddling from Kerne Bridge to the campsite on Saturday then on to Monmouth from the campsite on Sunday

Accommodation Details:

The campsite is just over 2hrs drive from Northampton.
Camping at the campsite www.riverwyecamping.com prices from around £8 pppn. Arrive Friday evening x2 nights camping. Caravans, motorhomes also allowed (I believe prior booking needed) If you only want to do one day im sure that's possible (it has been in the past).

Campsite now provisionally booked and needs numbers confirming

Campsite address: River Wye Caravan and Camping Park, Symonds Yat West, NR Ross On Wye, HR9 6DA

Boats, Transport & any other Details:

Longer boats are preferred due to the distance some people often use open boats but there is no preference. If you need to use club kit this can be booked out through the equipment officer, if your unable to transport your boat please let the organiser know and they can sort something.

We need to do a shuttle of the boats in the Saturday morning but we paddle back to the campsite. On the Sunday we get in at the campsite and paddle down stream further.

You will need to provide all food, evening food, breakfast lunch for on the river etc. often people will BBQ on site, or find a local pub or takeaway etc.

Whats next:

If you are interested to go please email the trip organiser as we need to confirm numbers with the campsite. If you have any questions please either email the trip organiser or contact a member of the committee.