

CANOE & KAYAK RENTALS

Experience the splendor of the Red River in downtown Moorhead.

HOURS OF OPERATION

May 28 - September 7 (closed July 4)
Tuesdays and Thursdays 4 - 8 p.m.
Saturdays 11 a.m - 6 p.m.
Sundays noon - 6 p.m.

COST

\$10/hour/vessel, prorated after the first hour.

INDIVIDUAL RENTALS

Single and tandem kayaks and canoes are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Include paddles and life jackets.

GROUP RENTALS

Group paddling rentals are available outside of regular rental hours for a \$100 minimum rental fee, dependent on staff availability. Reservations must be made at least 14 days in advance by calling 218.299.5078.

WEATHER AND RIVER LEVEL CLOSURES

Check River Keepers or Moorhead Parks social media.



RIVER PADDLING EXCURSIONS

A leisurely paced group paddle with local experts sharing their knowledge of the Red River. All skill levels welcome! Arrive by 5:30 p.m., and begin at 6 p.m. with basics of canoeing, kayaking and safety. Weather backup dates are the following week.

SCHEDULE

- **Recreation of the Red River** May 29, led by Midwest Outdoors
- **Birds of the Red River** June 12, led by Audubon Great Plains
- **History of the Red River** June 24, led by Historical & Cultural Society of Clay County
- **Discover the Red River** July 10, led by River Keepers
- **Animals & Habitats of the Red River** July 24, led by Red River Zoo
- **Gentle Mind of the Red River** August 7, led by CJM Yoga
- **Conservation of the Red River** August 21, led by Midwest Outdoors
- **Trees of the Red River** September 4, led by Fargo Park District

REGISTRATION

Pre-registration required: moorheadparks.com or 218.299.5340. Closes at 20 vessels/excursion. \$10/person if providing vessel, \$15/person if renting vessel. Rentals are first-come, first-served.

CANOE & KAYAK STORAGE RENTALS

Moorhead Parks and Recreation is renting 12 seasonal canoe or kayak storage spots on a first-come, first-served basis. Renters provide their own locks and are responsible for removing vessels in case of impending flooding.



REGISTRATION

Register at moorheadparks.com or 218.299.5340. \$50/season.



KAYAKING ADVENTURES AT LINDENWOOD PARK

Discover the thrill of kayaking with the Fargo Park District at Lindenwood Park! The journey begins with a scenic trail portage to the Red River, and returning the kayak to the rental building completes your trip. To ensure everyone can experience the Red River, wheeled kayak trolleys are offered to get the kayak to the water plus there is an adaptive kayak launch.

RENTALS

Glide through the water in 10-foot, 41-pound kayaks, available on a first-come, first-served basis for \$10/hour. Kayaks are equipped with a life jacket and paddle. Anyone over the age of 12 can join the fun, but the rental agreement must be signed by an adult.

LOCATION

1905 Roger Maris Dr. Fargo, ND

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WATER TRAIL MAPS AND SAFETY

Fargo-Moorhead Water Trail Map has information on access, river miles, portages around dams, and safety.



Minnesota Department of Natural Resources has maps and information for the six paddling segments of the Red River which includes real-time river levels interpreted for paddling on a scale ranging from "scrapable" to "very high".

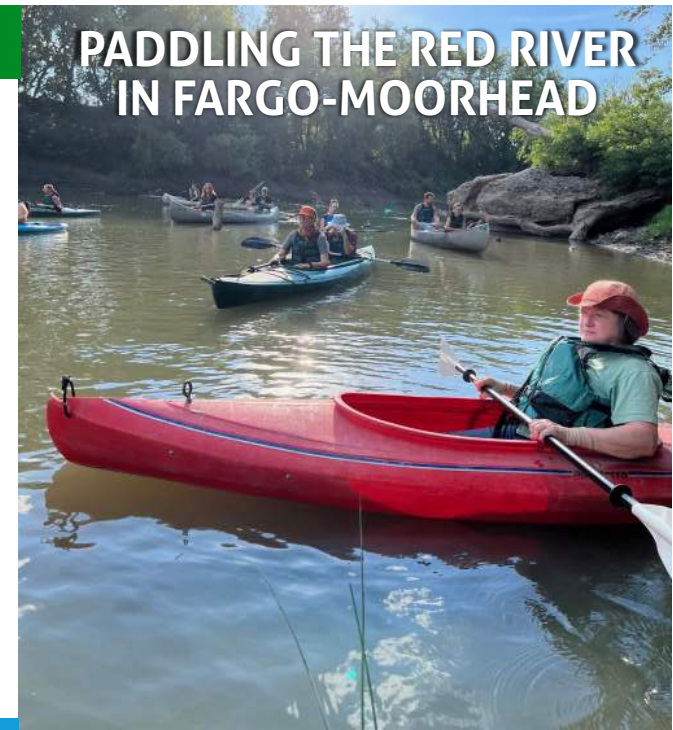


All skill levels welcome for this FUN flag race where each paddler chooses between 1.5, 3.5 or 6 miles. Participants paddle up river to a designated turnaround point, grab a prize, and return down river to finish.

June 17, 6:30 p.m. at Dike East. Back up date: July 15.



PADDLING THE RED RIVER IN FARGO-MOORHEAD



Reasons to paddle the Red River:

- Connect with nature
- Share an experience with friends or family
- Relieve stress
- Exercise
- Explore new areas
- Fun
- Mental break
- Fresh air
- Observe wildlife

There are many opportunities in Fargo-Moorhead to get out on the Red River, from rentals to excursions to races. Grab a friend, go explore and remember to stay sober and wear your life jacket for a great day of adventure and memories.

