

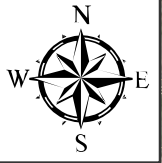
Paddling on the Black River

CLARK COUNTY



LEGEND

- Canoe Landing
- Primitive Landing
- Campground
- Rapids Classification
- Federal or State Hwy
- County Hwy
- Local Rd
- Black River & E Fork
- Partially Paddable



5.5 miles
2 hours 30 minutes

3.2 miles
1 hour 30 minutes

2.4 miles 1 hour 30 minutes

7.2 miles 3 hours 30 minutes

3.2 miles 1 hour

6 miles 3 hours

4.75 miles 2 hours

7.0 miles 3 hours

2.0 miles 1 hour

2.0 miles 1 hour 30 minutes

4.1 miles 1 hour

1.4 miles 30 minutes

5.1 miles 2 hours

RAPIDS CLASSIFICATION

Class I - Easy, smooth water, light riffles.
 Class II - Moderate, medium quick water, rapids with regular waves; maneuvering required. Intermediate skills needed to maneuver boats and read water.
 Class III - Moderately difficult, numerous high and irregular waves, rocks and eddies with passages clear but narrow. Visual inspection if rapids are unknown. Open canoes without flotation bags will take on water.

Black River flows under 200 cfs will be scrappy and hard to float.
 Black River flows above 800 cfs and especially above 2000 cfs becomes increasingly difficult.

FOR YOUR SAFETY...

Bring:
 A wearable personal flotation device (PFC/lifejacket) for each person (its the law!), sun protection, snacks, drinking water or filter, water shoes, first aid kit and a cell phone in a dry bag.
 Cold water suits (wet or dry) if water temperature is below 60°
 Tell someone your plans:
 Be alert to hazardous weather and conditions.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

www.friendsoftheblackriver.org

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Gauging Station Info:
<https://waterdata.usgs.gov/usa/nwis/uv?05381000>

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