

Questions & Answers



WORLD WIDE RIVER EXPEDITIONS

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OVERNIGHT ADVENTURE

COLORADO RIVER

MEETING THE EXPEDITION

Q. WHERE DO I MEET THE TRIP?

A. The Overnight Family Adventure begins and ends in **Moab, Utah** and can be reached via Salt Lake City, UT or Grand Junction, CO. Several options for transfers from either Grand Junction or Salt Lake are available. Charter flights are available for both routes, rental cars and shuttle services are available at each airport. Driving time to Moab from Grand Junction is two hours by traveling west on I-70 then turning south on Hwy 191. Driving time from Salt Lake is four hours traveling south on I-15 to the Price/US 6 exit to east I-70 then south on Hwy 191. **Please call us at 259-7515 when you arrive in Moab to verify meeting time and place.**

Q. WHERE SHOULD I STAY IN MOAB?

A. The following is a short list of motels in Moab. If you can reach Moab by 9:00 a.m. the morning of your departure, there would not be a need for a hotel room.

Aarchway Inn	(800) 341-9359
Big Horn Lodge	(800) 325-6171
Red Stone Inn	(800) 772-1972
Best Western	
Canyonlands Inn	(800) 528-1234
Greenwell Inn	(800) 528-1234
Comfort Suites	(800) 228-5150
Sunflower Hill B & B	(800) 662-2786

For a complete list of area hotels and motels visit:

www.discovermoab.com/hotels.htm

There are also campgrounds available. We recommend the following:

Riverside Oasis	(877) 285-7757
The Portal RV Park	(800) 574-2028
Slickrock Campground	(800) 448-8873

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All overnight accommodations are the responsibility of the client or the travel agent.

Q. WHAT ARE THE CLASSIFICATIONS OF THE RAPIDS?

A. The rapids on the Fisher Towers Daily section offer class II whitewater which is splashy fun for everyone. This trip is perfect for first time rafters, families with children and experienced boaters who want a wet and mild one-day experience.

WHAT TO EXPECT ON THE TOUR TRIP ITINERARY

DAY 1: You can meet us at our office on Riversands Road in Moab at 9:30 a.m. At the warehouse, bags are packed and lifejackets fitted. We then shuttle our guests to the river via Highway 128. The drive is approximately 45 minutes to historic Dewey Bridge. Rafting, sightseeing, swimming and playing compose the majority of the day. The boats will stop around Noon for a beautiful riverside picnic lunch. We will arrive at camp around 4:00 p.m.

Day 2: After breakfast, the boats are loaded to continue through the Fisher Towers section of the Colorado River. The day will be filled with fun rapids, swimming, relaxing, and maybe a little water-fighting too. Take-out time is approximately 3:00 p.m.

Q. WHAT KIND OF BOATS WILL WE BE IN?

A. On this section of the Colorado River we use 16-18 ft. paddle rafts with everyone participating or you can request an oar powered raft where the guide does all the driving. Smaller two-person inflatable kayaks can be requested in advance (based upon availability) so you can get up close and personal with the waves.

Q. WHAT KIND OF WEATHER CAN WE EXPECT? WILL IT RAIN?

A. The Canyon Country is noted for fantastic weather. In the Spring and Fall temperatures range from 60 to 80 degrees for daytime and 20 to 50 degrees at night. Summer temperatures range from 85 to 105 degrees during the day and 58 to 68 at night. We recommend that you bring a light rain jacket in the spring and fall. Bring plenty of sunscreen and a hat during the summer.

Q. SHOULD I BRING A CAMERA?

A. We encourage you to bring a camera and plenty of film to record your river adventure. To protect your camera, store it in two zip-lock bags. On the river, water resistant ammo cans or dry bags will be provided by WWRE for easy access and storage. We have found that the disposable waterproof cameras work well.

Q. WHAT ABOUT GRATUITIES?

A. You should never feel that a gratuity is automatically expected from you, but it is a great way to acknowledge excellent service. Our guides work hard to make each expedition a memorable and rewarding experience. May we suggest \$1-\$5 per person in your party.

Q. MAY I BRING MY OWN BEVERAGES?

A. Water and Lemonade are provided. You may choose, however, to bring soda or other beverages. An ice chest is provided.

Q. WHAT PERSONAL EQUIPMENT DO I NEED FOR THE TRIP?

A. You will need to bring plenty of sunscreen, lip balm, a hat, sunglasses with safety strap, shorts or swimming suit, river sandals or tennis shoes, and T-shirt that can get wet. You also won't want to forget your camera and extra film! A packing list for other camping items should be included with your trip documents.

Q. WHAT DOES WORLD WIDE SUPPLY?

A. A Coast Guard approved Life Jacket (to be worn at all times), a water resistant container to use for camera, film, glasses, etc., state of the art rafts and river equipment, transportation to and from the river, a fantastic lunch, and great guides are all included in your trip cost.

Q. WHEN IS MY BALANCE DUE AND WHAT IF I NEED TO CANCEL?

A. For groups of 10 or more, a deposit of \$10 per person is due in our office within three weeks of making the reservation. The balance is due 30 days prior to your launch date. For individuals, a credit card number is used to hold your reservation and the balance is due before the trip departs. For groups, cancellations made 24 hrs prior to trip date full refunds, less a processing fee, will be given. We know that individual numbers are hard to pin down until the last minute. While we try and be as flexible as we can with individual cancellations and additions, there will be no refunds issued the day of departure without written notice of cancellation 24hrs. prior to departure date. Cancellations made within 24 hrs or no-shows are non-refundable and will be charged in full on the credit card on file. We reserve the right to cancel any trip, with a full refund due to weather, water conditions, or insufficient reservations.

Responsibility: Although World Wide River Expeditions takes every precaution when it comes to passenger safety, whitewater rafting has some inherent risks. Each participant will be required to sign an acknowledgment of risk form before participating. Parents must sign with minor children.

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