



# 2015 FLINT RIVER PADDLE CALENDAR

<b>May 30<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Columbiaville</b>	<p><b>Lapeer Paddle with Six Rivers Conservancy:</b> Spend the weekend in lovely Lapeer! This 3 hour paddle is along a relaxing stretch of the river, just the perfect way to welcome summer. <b>Location:</b> Columbiaville. Please contact Jaime Welch for meeting location and start time.</p>
<b>June 6<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Riverview Park to Flushing Township Nature Park</b>	<p><b>Hello Summer!</b> This is the ideal way to spend the weekend! This 3 hour paddle is along a relaxing stretch of the Flint River, just the perfect way to welcome summer. <b>Location:</b> Flushing Riverview Park at the end of Cherry St. to Flushing Township Nature Park.</p>
<b>June 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Irish Rd to Mott Lake</b>	<p><b>Lazy Days of Summer Paddle:</b> Escape the heat by taking a refreshing paddle on the river. This stretch is home to several Bald Eagles, if we are lucky we may see them during our 3 hour trip. <b>Location:</b> Just north of the Richfield Park entrance off of Irish Rd. (north of Richfield Rd.). Paddling to boat launch off of E. Stanley Rd. east of Genesee Rd.</p>
<b>July 8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Riverview Canoe Landing (Mitson) to River Road</b>	<p><b>Wednesday Evening Paddle:</b> Escape the heat by taking a refreshing paddle on the river and get a chance to spot our famous bald eagles. This 2 hour paddle takes in a gorgeous stretch of the Flint River. <b>Location:</b> Riverview Canoe Landing on Mitson Blvd, south of Flushing Road to River Road, 1 mile west of Elms. Meet no later than 5:45 pm for a 6 pm launch.</p>
<b>July 18<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Holloway Dam to Irish Road</b>	<p><b>Summer Getaway:</b> Come enjoy a fun 3 hour paddle along a amazing stretch of the Flint River. <b>Location:</b> Take I-69 to M-15 (Davison exit). Go north on M-15 about 6.5 miles to Stanley Road. Go east (right) on Stanley Road about 1 mile to Oak Road, then go north about 1/2 mile to Carr Road. Take Carr Road 0.3 miles to launch at the base of the Holloway Dam</p>
<b>July 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Birch Run, Morseville Rd to Seymour Rd</b>	<p><b>Birch Run Wednesday Evening Paddle:</b> Escape the heat by taking a refreshing paddle on the river and get a chance to spot our famous bald eagles. This 2 hour paddle takes in a gorgeous stretch of the Flint River. <b>Location:</b> Birch Run Road to Morseville Rd (across from the Taymouth Township Office) paddling to Seymour Rd by the railroad tracks. Meet no later than 5:45 pm for a 6 pm launch.</p>
<b>August 1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Irish Rd to Mott Lake</b>	<p><b>Dog Days of Summer Paddle:</b> Escape the heat by taking a refreshing paddle on the river. This stretch is home to several Bald Eagles, if we are lucky we may see them during our 3 hour trip. <b>Location:</b> Just north of the Richfield Park entrance off of Irish Rd. (north of Richfield Rd.). Paddling to boat launch off of E. Stanley Rd. east of Genesee Rd.</p>

<b>August 8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Flint River FLOTILLA!</b>	<b>Flint River Corridor Alliance 2nd Annual Flotilla:</b> Come float down the Flint River with us! This is not your normal float down the Flint River. Bring whatever floatation device you can think up! Last year we had kayaks, boats, inner tubes, even a 30 foot raft! Please see our website for more cost, location, and more information.
<b>August 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Montrose Barber Memorial Park to Birch Run</b>	<b>Fun Times Picnic on the Flint River:</b> Enjoy the beauty of summer with a lovely paddle along the Flint River. Prepare to enjoy a 2 1/2 hour paddle down an easy stretch of the Flint River with a stop at a sand bar for a picnic lunch along the way. Lunch not provided, please bring your own. <b>Location:</b> Montrose Barber Memorial Park, south of Vienna Road on Seymour Rd in Montrose, paddling to Morseville Rd in Birch Run. Please note the date. This is the 4th Saturday in August.
<b>September 5<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Bray Rd to Vietnam Veterans' Park</b>	<b>3rd Annual Pedal to Paddle:</b> Enjoy the beauty of summer with a lovely bike ride down the Flint River Trail with our biking group, Friends of the Flint River Trail, and then paddle your way back along the Flint River. This calm and relaxing 2 1/2 hour paddle is awash with beautiful scenery. Please arrive no later than 9:45 am at Vietnam Veterans Park. Riders will be leaving promptly at 10 am. If you wish to participate in the paddle but not in the bike ride, please arrive at 10:30 at the Bray Road location. This event is designed to allow participants to bike ride, paddle, or join in on both! Call Jaime Welch with questions 810-767-7140. <b>Location:</b> Bray Road, north of Carpenter Road to Vietnam Veterans Park on J.P. Cole Blvd
<b>September 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Riverview Canoe Landing (Mitson) to E. River Road</b>	<b>Experience the Fall Colors</b> Here is the ultimate fall color tour, courtesy of the Flint River. Enjoy a colorful 2 hour paddle surrounded by all the colors of fall. <b>Location:</b> Riverview Canoe Landing on Mitson Blvd, south of Flushing Road to E. River Road, 1 mile west of Elms.
<b>September 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Flushing Nature Park to Montrose Barber Memorial Park</b>	<b>Celebrate the Fall Equinox Evening Paddle:</b> Celebrate the solstice with the FRWC and a magical paddle along the Flint River. This 2 1/2 hour evening paddle is our last of the season. Meet time is 5:45 pm with a launch time of 6 pm. <b>Location:</b> Birch Run Road to Morseville Rd (across from the Taymouth Township Office) to Seymour Rd by the railroad tracks.

