

2005

Celebrating Our 23rd Year as Maine's Premier Whitewater Rafting Outfitter.

The Thrill of a Lifetime

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Rafting in Maine

Kennebec River • Dead River • Penobscot River

The Most Fun and Challenging Whitewater in New England



North Country Rivers Offers Year Round Multi-Recreational Adventures

Cabins • Moose Safaris • Snowmobile Rentals • Snowshoeing • Skiing and more...



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Kennebec River

Big Waves — Big Whitewater — Big Fun!

Rolling Down Maine's Most Popular River



No experience is needed and North Country Rivers supplies everything — all equipment, self bailing rafts, registered Maine whitewater guides in every raft, riverside lunch, transportation to and from the river, slide show, video show and “The Thrill of a Lifetime.”

Dam controlled river releases guarantee daily class 4 whitewater from April through October. The Kennebec is great for everyone including families and youth groups. Add the Penobscot or Dead River for a great Two River — Two Day Package.



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Season: April 16 - October 16 (Daily Trips)
Meeting Location: Rt. 201 - Bingham, Maine
Meeting Time: 9:00 AM
River Rating: Class 4 (Scale 1-6)
River Type: High Volume Big Waves
Average River Flow: 4800 CFS (Cubic Feet Per Second)
Range of River Flow: 3800-8000 CFS
River Length: 12 Miles, 4.5 Hours on the River
High Adventure Sport Rafts Available: Yes, Details Below
River Lunch: Steak, Chicken, Veggie Burgers, Salad, Desert, Beverages
Minimum Reservation Size: One Person
Minimum Age: 10 Years (Full River); 7 Years (Lower Half Only)
Camping: Tent Camping, Platform Tents, RV
Lodging: Cabins, Inn, Motel
Restaurant: Patrick's Restaurant, Game Room and Pub on Site
Reservations: Call Toll Free 800-348-8871

KENNEBEC RIVER		Weekdays	Sat	Sun
Spring	April 16 - June 17	\$52	\$52	\$52
Early Summer	June 18 - July 3	\$62	\$82	\$72
Summer	July 4 - Aug. 28	\$72	\$112	\$72
Late Summer	Aug. 29 - Sept. 11	\$62	\$82	\$72
Fall	Sept. 12 - Oct 16	\$52	\$52	\$52

Prices based on standard self bailing eight person rafts – 15.5' x 6' with 22" tubes. Additional cost for Sport Rafts.

Youth (10-16 years) & Youth Groups – \$52 Per Person – Youth pricing not available on some dates, call for details.
Kennebec Lower Half Trip (Youth 7-9 Years) – \$42 Per Person – Adults on the lower trip pay the standard retail rate. Youth pricing not available on some dates, call for details.
Add a 2nd Day Rafting on the Dead River – \$92 Per Person – Limited dates available, see Dead River section in this catalog.

Kennebec Turbine Test Dates – 8000 CFS – The biggest water of the year on the Kennebec River.
 Saturday, June 18 – \$112 per person (Min. Age for Turbine Test 16 years)
 Monday, July 11 – \$92 per person (Min. Age for Turbine Test 16 years)
 Saturday, Sept. 10 – \$112 per person (Min. Age for Turbine Test 16 years)
 Saturday, Sept. 24 – \$92 per person (Min. Age for Turbine Test 16 years)

Private Raft – If you have a group of 7 and want your own raft, add \$10 pp. For groups of 4-6 see Sport Rafts below.

High Performance Sport Rafts –
 Six Person Sport Raft (14 -15 ft. long) – add \$20 pp
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 Four Person Sport Raft (13 ft. long) – add \$30 pp

For the outdoor adventure enthusiast looking for the extra thrill, treat yourself to a North Country Rivers Sport Raft. These exciting, high performance rafts are shorter, narrower, have smaller diameter tubes, are highly responsive and incredibly FUN! Sport Raft prices are added to the standard rafting price. Experience recommended for sport rafts.

Inflatable Kayak – Raft the upper section and paddle an inflatable kayak in the lower section. Add \$20 to your Kennebec Trip Price.

Kennebec “Ultimate” – Combine a sport raft in the upper section with an inflatable kayak in the lower section and experience the “Kennebec Ultimate”. Add the cost of the sport raft and the inflatable kayak to your Kennebec trip price.

Group Discount: 1 person FREE per 16 rafters (pay for 15 and the 16th is FREE)

Other Discounts: Group, Family & Youth Groups, Scouts, Camps, Churches & Schools

Internet Specials: Check out our website for specials and last minute deals

TWO RIVERS - TWO DAYS		Weekdays	Sat	Sun
Spring	April 16 - June 17	\$124	\$124	\$124
Early Summer	June 18 - July 3	\$134	\$154	\$154
Summer	July 4 - Aug. 28	\$144	\$194	\$194
Late Summer	Aug. 29 - Sept. 11	\$134	\$154	\$154
Fall	Sept. 12 - Oct 16	\$124	\$124	\$124

Two Rivers - Two Days includes the Kennebec and Penobscot Rivers. Add \$20 for the Penobscot “Ultimate” - Check for Available Dates. Weekend rate based on rafting the Kennebec River on Saturday and Penobscot River on Sunday. Prices based on standard self bailing eight person rafts – 15.5' x 6' with 22" tubes. Additional cost for Sport Rafts.

KENNEBEC LODGING, CAMPING & MEALS PRICES

Camping: \$10 pp **Platform Tent:** \$14 pp

RV: \$10 pp (two person minimum)

Cabin: \$40 pp

B&B: \$40 pp

Motel: \$54 (single), \$40 pp (double), \$28 pp (triple), \$24 pp (quad)

***Youth Group Discounts Available ***

Add a meals package for \$34 – Includes two breakfasts and one dinner at our own locally renowned Patrick's Restaurant and Pub.

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Penobscot River

The Most Challenging
Whitewater in New England



"A hearty thanks from the 'girls who just want to have fun'. Eight of us last year enjoyed every minute of our stay - an exhilarating trip on the Kennebec with your professional and highly qualified guides - your wonderful facilities - the comfort and spaciousness of the Log Cabins - and the friendly atmosphere created by your staff. North Country Rivers is a great place to relax, recharge, and rejuvenate. The greatest endorsement of North Country Rivers is probably the fact that more than five months in advance we've booked for this year - with 24 in the group and a waiting list!"

Ronnie Cousins
St. George, New Brunswick, Canada

"We started coming to North Country Rivers about 3 years ago to raft the Kennebec River. We loved everything so much that we have made it a yearly trip. Not only do they have amazing rafting, their snowmobiling is also great! The cabins on site are very well kept and fully equipped, it makes the weekend that much more enjoyable and comfortable. The personnel are friendly and very knowledgeable. We can't wait until our next trip!"

Karen O'Malley
Raynham, MA

"We had an awesome time last year Rafting with North Country Rivers. My Troop is still talking about the Trip. Their specials for Scout Troops were THE BEST in the industry, no one comes close. We camped at their campground and had breakfast in their dining room. They were easy to work with and their facilities and equipment were excellent. One of my parents was so impressed they came back the following week for one of North Country's Turbine Test release trips. My Troop is looking to make rafting with North Country Rivers a regular event."

Don Blaszk
Scoutmaster Troop 1 Haverhill, MA



The Penobscot is the most challenging river in Maine and one of the best in the United States. You will experience more technical rapids, exposed rocks, steeper gradients and awesome whitewater. The river is set in the shadow of mile high Mt. Katahdin and on the perimeter of Baxter State Park. Eagle, osprey, moose and bear sightings are not uncommon, while the river abounds with salmon and trout.

Trips offered on the Penobscot:

FULL RIVER TRIP – Run the more moderate Lower Section in the morning and the more challenging Upper Gorge in the afternoon, this trip runs every rapid on the river and floats by mile high Mt. Katahdin.

ULTIMATE – Run the Upper Gorge two times – this trip focuses on the Class 5 Upper Section and does not run the Lower Section.

PENOBSCOT TWO DAY TRIP – Treat yourself to one of our best trips. Raft the Full River Trip on day one and the Ultimate on day two.



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Season: May 21 - September 25

Meeting Location: Big Moose Inn - Millinocket, Maine

Meeting Time: 9:00 AM

River Rating: Class 4 River with Some Class 5 Rapids (Scale 1-6)

River Type: Technical, Exposed Rocks, Steeper Gradient

Average River Flow: 2400 CFS (Cubic Feet Per Second)

Range of River Flow: 1800-3400 CFS

River Length: 12 Miles, 6 Hours on the River

High Adventure Sport Rafts Available: Yes, Details Below

River Lunch: Steak, Chicken, Veggie Burgers, Salad, Desert, Beverages

Minimum Reservation Size: One Person

Minimum Age: 14 Years; 16 Years (Ultimate)

Camping: Tent Camping

Lodging: Motel, Inn and Cabins

Restaurant: Big Moose Restaurant on Site

Reservations: Call Toll Free 800-348-8871

PENOBSCOT RIVER		Weekdays	Sat	Sun
Spring	May 21 - June 17	\$72	\$82	\$72
Early Summer	June 18 - July 3	\$72	\$92	\$72
Summer	July 4 - Aug. 28	\$72	\$122	\$82
Late Summer	Aug. 29 - Sept. 11	\$72	\$92	\$72
Fall	Sept. 12 - Sept. 25	\$72	\$82	\$72

Prices based on standard self bailing eight person rafts – 15.5' x 6' with 22" diameter tubes. Additional cost for Sport Rafts.

Youth (14-16 years) and Youth Groups – \$62 Per Person – (Youth pricing not available on some dates, call for details).

Private Raft – If you have a group of 7 and want your own raft, add \$10 pp. For groups of 4-6 see Sport Rafts below.

High Performance Sport Rafts – Six Person Sport Raft (15 ft. long) – add \$20 pp

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Other Discounts: Group, Family & Youth Groups, Scouts, Camps, Churches & Schools

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PENOBSCOT "ULTIMATE"		Weekdays	Sat	Sun
Spring	May 21 - June 17	\$92	\$102	\$92
Early Summer	June 18 - July 3	\$92	\$112	\$92
Summer	July 4 - Aug. 28	\$92	NA	\$102
Late Summer	Aug. 29 - Sept. 11	\$92	\$112	\$92
Fall	Sept. 12 - Sept. 25	\$92	\$102	\$92

Prices based on standard self bailing eight person rafts – 15.5' x 6' with 22" tubes. Additional cost for Sport Rafts. **Due to State**

Regulations the Penobscot Ultimate is not available on Saturdays (June 11-August 27). Minimum 16 guests on weekdays and 24 on weekends or join an existing trip. Run the Upper Gorge of the Penobscot River (class 4 and 5 whitewater) two times. This trip only rafts the Upper Section of the Penobscot, we do not run the Lower Section. Experience recommended. Minimum Age – 16 years.

PENOBSCOT TWO DAY TRIP		Weekdays	Sat	Sun
Spring	May 21 - June 17	\$164	\$174	\$174
Early Summer	June 18 - July 3	\$164	\$184	\$184
Summer	July 4 - Aug. 28	\$164	\$224	\$224
Late Summer	Aug. 29 - Sept. 11	\$164	\$184	\$184
Fall	Sept. 12 - Sept. 25	\$164	\$174	\$174

Prices based on standard self bailing eight person rafts – 15.5' x 6' with 22" diameter tubes. Additional cost for Sport Rafts. Penobscot Full River Trip on Day #1 and Penobscot "Ultimate" on Day #2. Please note Penobscot "Ultimate" Dates of Availability Above.

Minimum Group Size of 16 on weekdays and 24 on available weekends or join an existing trip. Minimum Age is 16 years.

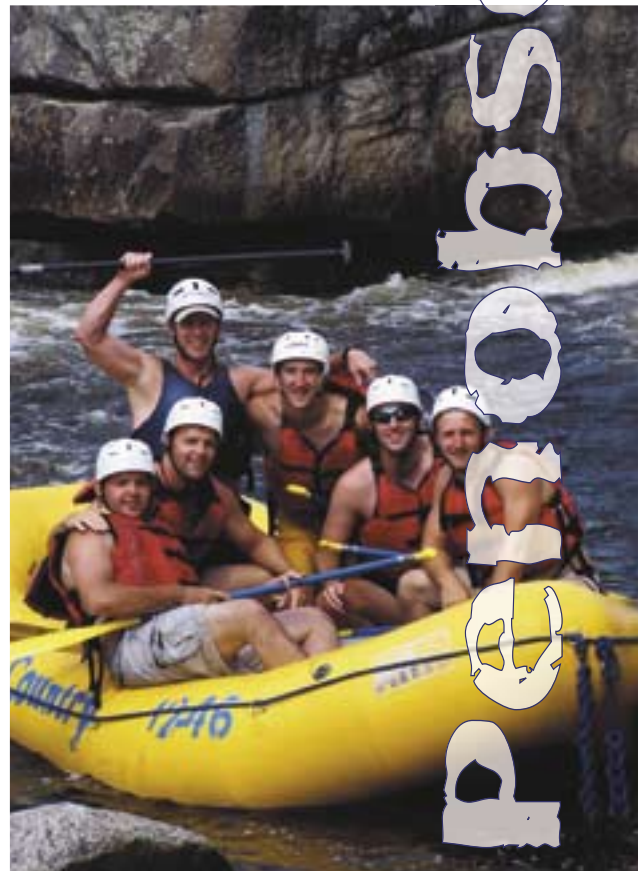
TWO RIVERS – TWO DAYS		Weekdays	Sat	Sun
Spring	May 21 - June 17	\$124	\$124	\$124
Early Summer	June 19 - July 4	\$134	\$154	\$154
Summer	July 5 - Aug. 22	\$144	\$194	\$194
Late Summer	Aug. 23 - Sept. 12	\$134	\$154	\$154
Fall	Sept. 12 - Sept. 25	\$124	\$124	\$124

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PENOBSCOT CAMPING & LODGING PRICES

Camping:	\$10 pp		
Cabin:	\$38 pp – Weekdays	\$42 pp – Weekends	
Inn:	\$45 pp – Weekdays	\$49 pp – Weekends	
Motel:	\$80 (single), \$40 pp (double), \$30 pp (triple), \$26 pp (quad)		
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Dead River

16 Miles of Continuous Whitewater

The Dead River offers the most continuous whitewater in New England. From Spencer Stream to The Forks, Maine, this is truly one of the great whitewater experiences in the United States. BIG volume whitewater with challenging class 4 rapids. The first two release dates, May 7th and 14th, are the BIGGEST AND MOST POPULAR OF THE YEAR - 7000 cfs. The remaining releases range between 2400-6000 cfs and offer more technical whitewater with great surfing. Check out the table for dates and water releases. North Country Rivers is also offering Summer Dead River trips great for summer family fun! Add the Kennebec or Penobscot Rivers for a Two River – Two Day, or Three River – Three Day trip.

Dead River

Season: Limited Dates – See Table Below
Meeting Location: Rt. 201 - Bingham, Maine
Meeting Time: See Table Below
River Rating: See Table Below
River Type: Continuous Rapids, Technical to High Flows, See Table
Average River Flow: See Table Below
Range of River Flow: 2400-7000 CFS
River Length: 16 Miles, 4.5 Hours on the River
High Adventure Sport Rafts Available: Yes, Details Below
River Lunch: Steak, Chicken, Veggie Burgers, Salad, Desert, Beverages
Minimum Reservation Size: One Person
Minimum Age: See Table Below
Camping: Tent Camping, Platform Tents, RV
Lodging: Cabins, Inn, Motel
Restaurant: Restaurant, Game Room and Pub on Site
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DEAD RIVER RELEASE SCHEDULE				Rating (1-6)	Age	Meet	Price
May 7	Sat	7000+ - Highest Release of the Year		4+	14	9 AM	\$92
May 14	Sat	7000+ - Highest Release of the Year		4+	14	9 AM	\$92
May 29	Sun	5500 CFS - Memorial Day Weekend		4	14	9 AM	\$92
June 4	Sat	5500 CFS - Great Whitewater		4	14	9 AM	\$92
June 11	Sat	5500 CFS - Great Whitewater		4	14	9 AM	\$92
June 19	Sun	3500 CFS - Great Surfing		3	12	8 AM	\$92
July 9	Sat	2400 CFS - Summer Flow		2-3	10	8 AM	\$92
July 30	Sat	2400 CFS - Summer Flow		2-3	10	8 AM	\$92
Aug 14	Sun	3500 CFS - Great Surfing		3	12	8 AM	\$92
Sept 4	Sun	5500 CFS - Labor Day Weekend		4	14	9 AM	\$92
Sept 17	Sat	3500 CFS - Great Surfing		3	12	8 AM	\$92
Oct 1	Sat	6000 CFS - Peak Fall Foliage		4	14	9 AM	\$92

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Add the Kennebec or Penobscot for a 2nd or 3rd day of rafting – Pricing varies based on dates, call for pricing.

DEAD RIVER CAMPING & LODGING PRICES

Camping: \$10 pp **Platform Tent:** \$14 pp
RV: \$10 pp (two person minimum)
Cabin: \$40 pp
B&B: \$40 pp
Motel: \$54 (single), \$40 pp (double), \$28 pp (triple), \$24 pp (quad)

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Year Round Multi-Recreational Activities

GUIDED MOOSE SAFARI

Experience a "Moose Safari" with North Country Rivers. Let our Registered Maine Guides take you on a memorable wildlife tour in our van. You can see Moose, Deer, Bear, Eagles, Osprey and more. Make sure you bring your camera and video camera to capture this special moment.

Season: May through Oct

Meeting Location: Rt 201 – Bingham, Maine

Meeting Time: 6:00 PM (may vary depending on date)

Avg Trip Time: 2-3 Hours

Provided: Guides and Transportation

Reservations Required: Call 800-348-8871

Price: \$42 (Adults), \$32 (Youth - 16 years and under)

Morning Trips Available by request.

Trips can be customized to include hiking or paddling at an additional cost.

WHERE TO SEE MOOSE

Cows (female moose) prefer to keep their calves near water as an escape. Ponds are frequented by both Bulls and Cows. Moose wallows form in wet areas on the side of roads where road salt accumulates. Moose visit these areas to drink the salty water thereby satisfying their salt requirements.

WHEN TO SEE MOOSE

Moose are most active in the early morning and early evening hours. Just before sunset moose will roam in search of saplings or salt. Moose are vegetarians and often seek out the young saplings.

PHOTOGRAPHING MOOSE

When you do see moose, use a zoom or telephoto lens to bring the moose upclose. Do not startle or walk up to a moose. Enjoy the moment and get some great pictures.

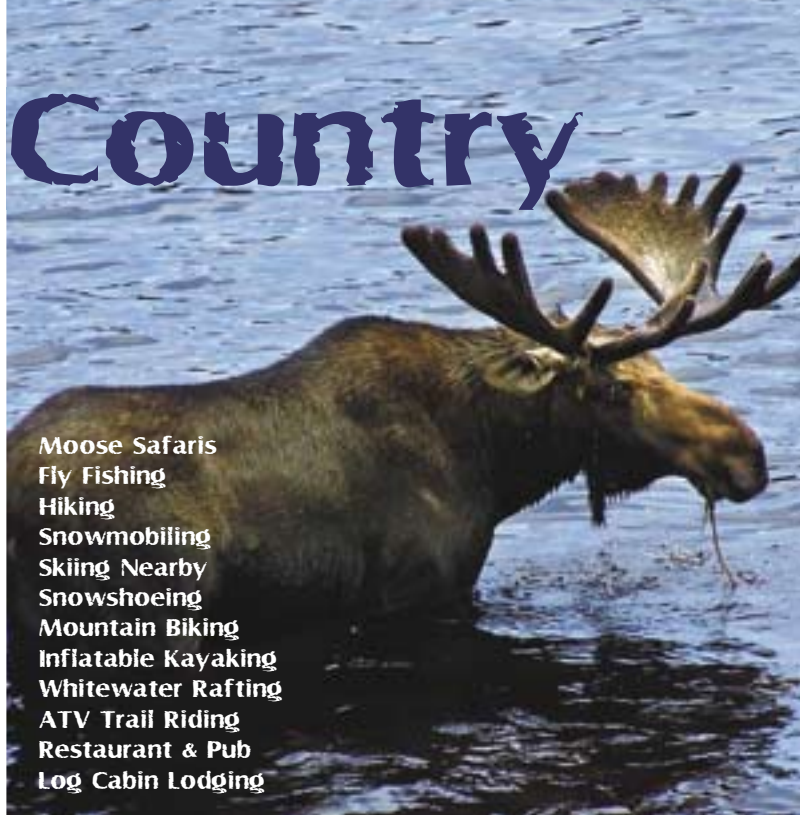
Hiking, Biking and Fly Fishing

North Country Rivers has great hiking and biking trails located at our base in Bingham, Maine. Trails are in a wilderness setting and run along the scenic Kennebec River. Make sure you bring your camera; wildlife sightings are common – eagles, osprey, deer, moose and more. Registered Maine Guides are available with advanced reservations.

The river section adjacent to our Bingham base is classified as a Trophy Blue Ribbon section for trout and salmon fly-fishing; local fishers call this section "Rainbow Alley". Feel free to bring your own fishing gear and enjoy fly-fishing right at our base. Registered Maine Guides are available with advanced reservations.

ATV RIDING

North Country Rivers offers some of the finest ATV trails in Maine. These are the same trails that we use for snowmobiling in the winter (ITS 87). Our trail system leaves from our base and runs along the Kennebec River, through the back woods and mountains of western Maine. What a great way to get in the back woods of Maine, great for wildlife viewing and photography.



Moose Safaris
Fly Fishing
Hiking
Snowmobiling
Skiing Nearby
Snowshoeing
Mountain Biking
Inflatable Kayaking
Whitewater Rafting
ATV Trail Riding
Restaurant & Pub
Log Cabin Lodging

INFLATABLE KAYAKS

Inflatable Kayaks – Known as Duckys or Fun Yaks – are very stable, fun and easy to master. No experience is necessary, we supply all equipment, instructions and guides. A great way to learn basic kayaking skills. You have the choice of paddling a one or two person Inflatable Kayak – this option is great for first time paddlers, couples and families.

North Country Rivers offers half day trips on calm class 1 and more exciting class 2 and 3 sections of the Kennebec River.

LEVEL 1 INFLATABLE KAYAK TRIPS

Season: May – Oct

Meeting Location: Rt 201 – Bingham, Maine

Meeting Time: 12:00 PM

Trip Time: 4 Hours

River Rating: Class 1 (calm with moving current)

River Section: Kennebec below Bingham

Wildlife: Eagles, Osprey and more

Minimum Age: 8 Years

Cost: \$42 Adults, \$32 Youth (16 and under)

LEVEL 2 INFLATABLE KAYAK TRIPS

Season: May – Oct

Meeting Location: Rt 201 – Bingham, Maine

Meeting Time: 9:00 AM

Trip Time: 4 Hours

River Rating: Class 2-3 whitewater

River Section: Kennebec (Carry Brook to The Forks)

Wildlife: Eagles, Osprey and more

Minimum Age: 12 Years

Cost: \$52 Adults and Youth

***Add a Level 2 Inflatable Kayak Trip to any Kennebec Rafting Trip for only \$20 pp ***



North Country Rivers Deluxe Cabins

Located at our Kennebec and Dead River Base in Bingham, Maine



Bigelow Cabins

The "Bigelow" cabins are 600 sq. ft and sleep 2-8 guests, with a two guest minimum on weekdays, four guest and two night stay minimum on weekends. They have two bedrooms, living room, dining area, kitchen, bathroom and shower, are ADA compliant and are on one floor.

Kennebec Cabins

The larger "Kennebec" cabins are 1500 sq. ft. and sleep 6-24 guests, with six guests minimum on weekdays, eight guest and two night stay minimum on weekends. They have two bedrooms on the first floor with two double beds in each, living room with two double futons, dining area, kitchen, bathroom and shower. The second floor has eight twin beds and three cots.

Cabin Features

All our cabins have heat, AC, hot water, bathroom with shower, cable TV, coffee maker, microwave, stove, refrigerator and all cooking and eating utensils. The cabins feature a front covered porch, are fully furnished and have linens, blankets, and towels provided. There is also an outside area with a picnic table, camp fire and grill.



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NORTH COUNTRY RIVERS CABINS:

\$40 per person per night (Daily Rate) – Weekly rates available
Group and Youth Discounts are available – exclusions may apply.

Bigelow Cabin - two person minimum (weekdays);

four person & two night minimum (weekends)

Kennebec Cabin - six person minimum (weekdays);

eight person & two night minimum (weekends)

KENNEBEC RIVER LODGING & MEALS PACKAGES

One night lodging, one day rafting, one breakfast and one dinner

Weekdays \$119 - \$138 per person Weekends \$119 - \$179 per person

Two nights lodging, one day rafting, two breakfasts and one dinner

Weekdays \$166 - \$186 per person Weekends \$166 - \$226 per person

Based on cabin lodging, additional charge for Turbine Test trip and Sport Boats
Motel and B&B prices available upon request. Youth Group Discounts Available.

KENNEBEC RIVER CAMPING & MEALS PACKAGES

One night camping, one day rafting, one breakfast and one dinner

Weekdays \$89 - \$109 per person Weekends \$89 - \$149 per person

Two nights camping, one day rafting, two breakfasts and one dinner

Weekdays \$106 - \$126 per person Weekends \$106 - \$166 per person

Additional charge for Turbine Test trip and Sport Boats. Additional charge for platform tents. Youth Group Discounts Available.

DEAD RIVER LODGING & MEALS PACKAGES

One night lodging, one day rafting, one breakfast and one dinner

Select Weekends (See Dead River Schedule) - \$159 pp

Two nights lodging, one day rafting, two breakfasts and one dinner

Select Weekends (See Dead River Schedule) - \$206 pp

Based on cabin lodging, additional charge for Sports Boats

Motel and B&B prices available upon request. Youth Group Discounts Available.

DEAD RIVER CAMPING & MEALS PACKAGES

One night camping, one day rafting, one breakfast and one dinner

Select Weekends (See Dead River Schedule) - \$129

Two nights camping, one day rafting, two breakfasts and one dinner

Select Weekends (See Dead River Schedule) - \$146

Additional charge for Sport Boats. Additional charge for platform tents. Youth Group Discounts Available.

PENOBSCOT RIVER LODGING PACKAGES

One night lodging and one day rafting

Weekdays \$110 per person Weekends \$114 - \$164 per person

Two nights lodging and one day rafting

Weekdays \$148 per person Weekends \$156 - \$206 per person

Additional charge for Sport Boats and Penobscot "Ultimate." Prices based on cabin lodging. Motel and B&B prices available upon request. Youth Group Discounts Available. Meal Packages not available on the Penobscot - Restaurant on site.

PENOBSCOT RIVER CAMPING PACKAGES

One night camping and one day rafting

Weekdays \$82 per person Weekends \$82 - \$132 per person

Two nights camping and one day rafting

Weekdays \$92 per person Weekends \$92 - \$142 per person

Additional charge for Sport Boats and Penobscot "Ultimate." Youth Group Discounts Available. Meal Packages not available on the Penobscot - Restaurant on site

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Snowmobiling

2005 SNOWMOBILE RENTAL

Reservations are Required. Helmet, full tank of gas and trail map included with all snowmobile packages.

FULL DAY

8:00 AM – 4:30 PM

Sleds must be returned with a full tank of gas. A \$25 per hour late fee will be charged for late snowmobile returns.

ARCTIC CAT 370 LX	One person sled	\$145 per day
ARCTIC CAT 370 PANTHER	Two person sled	\$165 per day
POLARIS 550 SS	One person sled	\$165 per day
ARCTIC CAT 570 LX	One person sled	\$165 per day
POLARIS 550 TOURING	Two person sled	\$185 per day
ARCTIC CAT 570 PANTHER	Two person sled	\$185 per day

HALF DAY

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM or 12:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Sleds must be returned with a full tank of gas. A \$25 per hour late fee will be charged for late snowmobile returns.

ARCTIC CAT 370 LX	One person sled	\$100 per 1/2 day
ARCTIC CAT 370 PANTHER	Two person sled	\$120 per 1/2 day
POLARIS 550 SS	One person sled	\$120 per 1/2 day
ARCTIC CAT 570 LX	One person sled	\$120 per 1/2 day
POLARIS 550 TOURING	Two person sled	\$140 per 1/2 day
ARCTIC CAT 570 Panther	Two person sled	\$140 per 1/2 day

CLOTHING AND BOOTS

Snowsuit \$10 • Jacket \$10 • Boots \$10 • Gloves \$5
Complete Set \$25 (Snowsuit, Jacket, Boots and Gloves)

GUIDED TOUR

\$25 per person with minimums listed below

HALF DAY - \$100 minimum (Sled and clothing additional)

FULL DAY - \$150 minimum (Sled and clothing additional)

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FULL DAY SNOWMOBILING IN MAINE

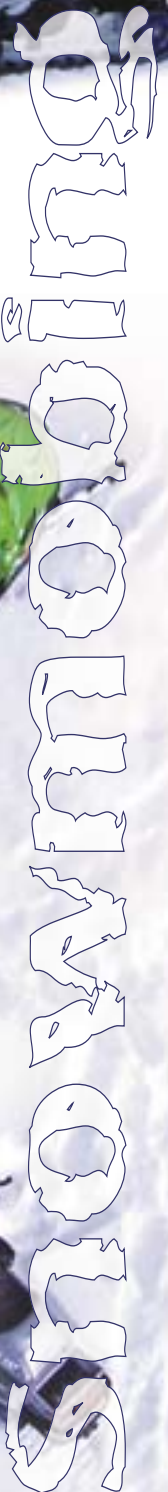
WITH NORTH COUNTRY RIVERS

We offer groomed snowmobile trails, cabins,

Restaurant & Pub, snowmobile rentals and guided trips. Our base in Bingham is located on Maine's

Interconnected State Trail System – ITS 87.

- SNOWMOBILE GUIDED TOURS
- SNOWMOBILE RENTALS
- CABIN LODGING
- NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY
- ALL EQUIPMENT PROVIDED
- GROOMED TRAILS
- DIRECT TRAIL ACCESS
- RESTAURANT & PUB





TRAVEL TIMES AND DIRECTIONS TO THE RIVERS

LOCATION		Penobscot River	Kennebec / Dead River	
Maine	Drive Time	Directions	Drive Time	Directions
Kittery	4hr 45min	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	3hr 15min	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Portland	4hr	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	2hr 30min	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Boothbay	3hr 50min	I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	2hr 25	I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Augusta	3hr	I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	1hr 30min	I-95N, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Waterville	2hr 30min	I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	1hr	RT 201N to Bingham
Camden	2hr 15min	RT3 to Bangor, I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	1hr 50min	RT3 W to RT32 N to I-95N, RT 201N to Bingham
Bar Harbor	2hr 15min	RT3 to RT1a N to Bangor, I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	2hr 35min	RT3 to RT1a N to Bangor, I-95S, Exit 157, RT2 W to RT201 N to Bingham
Bangor	1hr 30min	I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	1hr 15min	I-95S, Exit 157, RT2 W to RT201 N to Bingham
Houlton	1hr 30min	I-95S, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	3hr 45min	I-95S, Exit 157, RT2 W to RT201 N to Bingham
Calais	3hr	RT1 N to RT6 W, I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	3hr 30min	RT1 N to RT9 W, I-95S, Exit 157, RT2 W to RT201 N to Bingham
Bethel	4hr 30min	RT2 E to Newport, I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	2hr 30min	RT2 E to RT201 N to Bingham
New Hampshire				
Conway	5hr 30min	RT5 N to RT2 E to Newport, I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	3hr 30min	RT5 N to RT2 E to RT201 N to Bingham
Manchester	6hr	RT101 E to I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	4hr 30min	RT 101 E to I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Vermont				
Burlington	7hr 30min	RT2E to I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	5hr 30min	RT2 E to RT 201N to Bingham
Massachusetts				
Boston	6hr	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	4hr 30min	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Lowell	6hr	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	4hr 30min	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Worcester	6hr	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	4hr 30min	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Connecticut				
Hartford	8hr	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	6hr 30min	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
New York				
New York City	10hr	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	8hr 30min	I-95N, I-295N-Portland, I-95N-Augusta, Exit 133 -Waterville, RT 201N to Bingham
Canada				
Fredericton, NB	3hr	Cross @Houlton, I-95S to Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	4hr 30min	Cross@Houlton, I-95S, Exit 157, RT2 W to RT201 N to Bingham
Halifax, NS	8hr	Cross @Houlton, I-95S to Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	7hr 30min	Cross@Houlton, I-95S, Exit 157, RT2 W to RT201 N to Bingham
Saint John, NB	4hr	Cross@Calais, RT1 N to RT6 W, I-95N, Exit 244 -Medway, follow signs to Baxter Park	4hr 30min	Cross@Calais, RT1 N to RT9 W to Bangor, I-95S, Exit 157, RT2 W to RT201 N to Bingham
Montreal, QE	6hr	Cross@Jackman, RT201S to RT2E, I-95N, Exit 244 - Medway, follow signs to Baxter	5hr	Cross@Jackman, RT201S to Bingham

Kennebec and Dead River Directions

North Country Rivers meeting location for the Kennebec and Dead River Base – Bingham, Maine

From Southern Maine: I-95 North to I-295 North in Portland, I-295 North to I-95 North in Gardiner/Augusta, I-95 North to Exit 133 in Waterville/Fairfield, Rt 201 North to Bingham, we are located on the left side of Rt 201 in Bingham. Drive Times – Portland (2.5 hours); Augusta (1.5 hours); Waterville (1 hour); Skowhegan (30 minutes).

From Points North and Bangor: I-95 South to Exit 157 in Newport, Rt 2 West to Skowhegan, Rt 201 North to Bingham, we are located on the left side of Rt 201 in Bingham. Drive Times – Bangor (1.5 hours); Newport (1 hour); Skowhegan (30 minutes).

Meeting Time:

9:00 A.M Kennebec & Dead River High Water
(5500-7000 CFS)

8:00 AM Dead River (2400 -3500 CFS)

Please plan to arrive on time, trips cannot wait for late arrivals.

Penobscot River Directions

From Southern Maine: I-95 North to I-295 North in Portland, I-295 North to I-95 North in Gardiner-Augusta, I-95 North to Exit 244 in Medway. Follow Rt. 11-157 through East Millinocket to Millinocket, follow signs to Baxter State Park (you will not enter the Park). Approximately 8 miles out of town you will see the "Big Moose Inn"-North Woods Trading Post on your right. A REDUCE SPEED sign precedes the Inn on the right. Once you pull into the Big Moose Inn, you will see our base camp on the left. The Big Moose Inn is our meeting location for all Penobscot River Trips. Drive Times – Portland (4 hours); Augusta (3 hours); Waterville (2.5 hours); Bangor (1.5 hours).

From Houlton and Points North of Medway: I-95 South to Exit 244 in Medway, from this point follow directions from above. Drive Time – Houlton (1.5 hours).

Meeting Time 9:00 A.M. for all Penobscot River Trips
Please plan to arrive on time, trips cannot wait for late arrivals.

- The phone number to the Big Moose Inn is (207) 723-8391.
- If you are staying at the Katahdin Inn, it is located on the left hand side of the road in Millinocket, on Route 157, behind the Rite Aid. It is located approximately 9 miles from the Big Moose Inn (Penobscot River Base) – Toll Free 877-902-4555 or 207-723-4555.

WHAT TO BRING

- Towel and Change of Clothing for the End of the Trip
- Foot Apparel – Strap on Sandals or Old Sneakers – (We Supply Wetsuit Booties)
- Bathing Suit and Shorts
- Sunscreen
- Sunglasses with Strap and Hat - Optional
- Non Cotton Synthetic Clothing (Polypropylene) for Added Warmth - Optional
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 - **NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY** – Minimum age (Kennebec lower section 7 - Yrs; Kennebec & Summer Dead River - 10 Yrs; Penobscot & High Water Dead River -14 Yrs; Penobscot Ultimate 16 Yrs). Non-swimmers welcome. Normal health advised – If uncertain, consult your physician. Desire to have fun is important!
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 - **MEETING LOCATIONS** – Kennebec [Rt 201 Bingham, Maine - 9:00 A.M.]; Dead River [Rt 201 Bingham, Maine - 9:00 A.M. (For high water - 5500 CFS and greater), 8:00 A.M. (For summer and medium high flows - 2400-3500 CFS)]; Penobscot River Trips [Big Moose Inn - 9:00 A.M.]. Please arrive promptly.
 - **DISTANCE & TIME ON THE RIVER**– 12-16 Miles . Four to six hours depending on the river.
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