



## BEAUTIFUL NORTH BACK COUNTRY TRAVEL

Getting there is all the fun. Canoeing in Ontario's wilderness parks is a feast for the senses: huge rock outcroppings and dazzling waterways bordered by wetlands and highlands covered in mixed forest. And there is something about the effort of getting to those isolated campsites, that puts you in just the right frame of mind to take it all in. Paddling and portaging, eating dinner while you watch the sunset, swimming in rapids, photographing wildlife, painting the landscape or just watching the weather roll by: all of this weaves a fine fabric of relaxation and stimulation.

A Beautiful North canoe trip is designed to take advantage of the finest natural features of Ontario's wilderness parks. Our trips will challenge you but they are not tests of your strength or stamina. Whether it is paddling or portaging, setting up camp or pumping water you will be encouraged to participate in the way that makes you most comfortable, and provides you with opportunities to develop your skills and build confidence.

Food is an essential part of the Beautiful North experience. From your morning cup of fair-trade coffee or herbal tea, to wine with dinner, and bedtime snacks, we offer a wilderness cuisine that is creative, healthy, abundant, and flexible enough to meet your dietary needs and preferences.

Our prices include all park fees, equipment and meals. We provide a checklist for all you need to bring - clothing, personal effects and a sleeping bag. Transportation to the point of departure is available for an additional cost.

David Kraft and Debbie Field combine their love of the wilderness with many years' experience as animators and public educators. They guide trips that are relaxed and fun, accessible to anyone who enjoys moderate exercise. Whether you are 8 or 80 a Beautiful North trip promises unforgettable days filled with adventure and variety.

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## FRENCH RIVER To GEORGIAN BAY

July 15 - July 21  
(6 nights, 7 days)  
Price: \$960

This trip down one of Canada's most historic rivers features the unforgettable vistas of Georgian Bay's northeastern shoreline. Watercolourist Martha Bull will provide instruction to painters of all skill levels in the arts of seeing and reproducing the landscapes that captured the imagination of artists like Tom Thomson. Short paddling days and few portages will leave plenty of time for swimming, painting, photography and exploring.

July 30 - August 3  
(4 nights, 5 days)  
Adults: \$650  
Children Under 16: \$400  
Family Rates Available

## ALGONQUIN PARK: THE BARRON RIVER CANYON

Take a break from the summerheat for a playful paddle through one of the most beautiful natural features of eastern Algonquin Park. This is the perfect introduction to back country travel for adventurous adults and children alike.

Short portages, gentle rapids and waterfalls, ponds and a deep river canyon offer spectacular scenery and glorious swimming, including a natural waterslide.

## TEMAGAMI - DIAMOND WAKAMI & OBABIKA LAKES

August 18 - August 25  
(7 nights, 8 days)  
Price: \$1100

This trip is a fine introduction to the beauty and history of Temagami for the moderately experienced or enthusiastic novice canoeist. The daily paddling and portage schedule will leave lots of time to swim, hike in the old growth red and pine forest, or relax with a cup of tea or a glass of wine. These big, sparkling lakes in the heart of Temagami feature open campsites and beautiful scenery, good fishing and great swimming.

September 26 - 30  
(4 nights, 5 days)  
Price: \$700

## ALGONQUIN IN THE FALL

### NORTH TEA & MANITOU LAKES

September is a wonderful time for canoe travel. Watercolourist Martha Bull will be on hand to help painters of all skill levels take advantage of this unique opportunity to capture the colour and diversity of the changing season. This trip will explore the majestic lakes and islands in the northwest corner of the park at a flexible pace.

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