

# Washburn Management Committee

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To ALL BCU CLUBS/MEMBERS

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## Washburn River releases for 2008 are as follows:

Provisional Calendar - Contact details are recorded AFTER the calendar.

Site Work will be in progress MID SUMMER.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Detail</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Contact</u>
Sunday	27 <sup>th</sup> . Jan.	Weekend Cruise – Washburn Committee * <i>R</i>	10.00 – 3.30 p.m.	Peter Dawson
Sunday	24 <sup>th</sup> . Feb.	Weekend Cruise – Washburn Committee * <i>SH R</i>	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Esther Mathews
Saturday	23 <sup>rd</sup> . March	Wild Water Race Div A/B Sprint	9.30 – 4.00 p.m.	A. Barber
Wednesday	2 <sup>nd</sup> . April	Evening Cruise	4:00 – 7.30 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Sunday	6 <sup>th</sup> . April	Weekend Cruise – White Rose *	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Pam Taylor
Sunday	20 <sup>th</sup> . April	Week-end Cruise with Rafts <i>R</i> - Washburn Committee	9.00 – 5 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Wednesday	23 <sup>rd</sup> . April	Evening Cruises	3.00 – 8.15 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Sunday	4 <sup>th</sup> . May	Weekend Cruise – White Rose *	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Pam Taylor
Wednesday	7 <sup>th</sup> . May	Evening Cruises	3.00 – 8.15 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Saturday	17 <sup>th</sup> . May	<b>Alpkit Plastic Fantastic</b>	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Jim Evans
Sunday	18 <sup>th</sup> . May	<b>Alpkit Plastic Fantastic</b>	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	
Wednesday	21 <sup>st</sup> . May	Evening Cruises	4:30 – 8.45 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Wednesday	28 <sup>th</sup> . May	<b>Children's Day</b> (Children go free) * <i>R</i>	12.00 – 8.00 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Saturday	7 <sup>th</sup> . June	Weekend Cruise – West. Yorkshire CC ** <i>R</i>	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Peter Dawson
Sunday	8 <sup>th</sup> . June	Weekend Cruise – West Yorkshire CC ** <i>R</i>	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Peter Dawson
Wednesday	18 <sup>th</sup> . June	Evening Cruise	4.00 – 9.00 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Sunday	22 <sup>nd</sup> . June	Sunday Cruise – Leeds CC **	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Stephen Henderson
Sunday	29 <sup>th</sup> . June	<b>Thurscross TRY OUT DAY</b>		
Saturday	5 <sup>th</sup> . July	<b>Yorkshire Championships</b> – (both days) * <i>R</i> <b>WWR Ranking Event (Sat) &amp; Freestyle Event (Sat.)</b>	9.00 – 5.30 p.m.	Esther Mathews
Sunday	6 <sup>th</sup> . July	Div 2 & Open Slalom (Sun.) – Yorkshire Slalom * <i>R</i>	8.00 – 6.00 p.m.	Esther Mathews
Saturday	19 <sup>th</sup> . July	<b>Yorkshire Water Canoe Slalom Cup</b> (covers both days) - Div 2 & Open Slalom (Sat.) – Yorkshire Slalom * <i>R</i>	8.00 – 6.00 p.m.	Esther Mathews
Sunday	20 <sup>th</sup> . July	Div 1 & Open Slalom (Sun.) – Yorkshire Slalom * <i>R</i>	7.30 – 6.00 p.m.	Esther Mathews
Wednesday	23 <sup>rd</sup> . July	Evening Cruise	4:30 – 8.30 p.m.	M. Young /P. Grove
		<b>Thurscross TRY OUT DAY ??</b>		
Sunday	3 <sup>rd</sup> . Aug.	Sunday Cruise – Green Star CC * <i>SH R</i>	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Esther Mathews
Wednesday	13 <sup>th</sup> . Aug.	Evening Cruise	4:30 – 8.30 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Sunday	24 <sup>th</sup> . Aug.	Sunday Cruise – Lower Wharfe CC *	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Dennis Fothergill
Saturday	6 <sup>th</sup> . Sept.	Yorkshire Premier Slalom – Yorkshire Slalom * <i>R</i>	8.00 – 6.00 p.m.	Esther Mathews
Sunday	7 <sup>th</sup> . Sept.	Div 1 & Open Slalom – Yorkshire Slalom * <i>R</i>	7.30 – 6.00 p.m.	Esther Mathews
Wednesday	10 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	Evening Cruise	4:00 – 8.00 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Sunday	21 <sup>st</sup> . Sept.	Sunday Cruise – Sheffield CC	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Hugh Pashley
Saturday	28 <sup>th</sup> . Sept.	White Water Race Div A/B	9.30 – 4.00 p.m.	Stephen Henderson
Sunday	5 <sup>th</sup> . Oct.	Sunday Cruise - White Rose CC *	9.00 – 5.00 p.m.	Norman Taylor
Saturday	8 <sup>th</sup> . Nov.	BUSA Wild Water Race	8.30 – 4.30 p.m.	WWR Organisers
Sunday	9 <sup>th</sup> . Nov.	BUSA Wild Water Race	8.30 – 4.30 p.m.	
Sunday	28 <sup>th</sup> . Dec.	Weekend Cruise – Washburn Committee * <i>SH R</i>	10.00 – 3.30 p.m.	Esther Mathews

\* **Food Available**      \*\* **Barbeque**

*R* Indicates **RAFTS welcome** at this event.    *R* Indicates **NO RAFTS** at this event.    *SH* Indicates a **SHUTTLE** service available

**Rafts are for the 14 year olds and over ONLY - EXCEPT for Children's Day**

## Please Turn Over for Important Notices

## IMPORTANT NOTICES:

**Note that safety cover must be organised and provided by the canoeists themselves. This river is NOT suitable for novices.**

**There has recently been, and will be on going, changes to the river bed so ask the organiser for advice about these before paddling the river.**

Although we expect all events to take place, there is always the possibility of cancellation (too little or too much water) beyond our control. **Site Work will be in progress MID SUMMER.**

Confirmation will be obtained at least 14 days before discipline events, 10 days before weekend cruises and 7 days before weekday events. If a longer-term assessment is required then contact Norman Taylor who will advise accordingly.

**All participants should therefore ensure that the event is on, by contacting the Washburn Information Line on 0845 8338 654.** This will state clearly whether a release has been confirmed by Yorkshire Water.

Please avoid contacting the organisers for this information.

### Weekend Cruise Charges

**These are dependant on the Event Organiser but usually £5 (Juniors), £8 (adults).**

**Weekday Cruise Charges are £3 (juniors), £5 (adults).**

**All events have a mandatory surcharge of £2 (be warned!) if not having possession of a current BCU Membership Card.** This surcharge applies except where club members can demonstrate that they are covered via club affiliation to the BCU and that the cover specifically includes such an event.

**All Rafts and Raft guides MUST register before the event with the Washburn Committee and carry their own insurance.**

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For discipline events please refer additionally to the yearbooks produced.

**For the nearest camping etc. see additional sheet.**

Norman Taylor on behalf of the Washburn Management Committee.