

## Tay River Rideau Canal Tour

*Perth to Poonamalie*

Saturday, June 25, 2011

*This tour starts in the historic grey stone town of Perth, proceeds down the narrow Tay River/canal, pass an osprey nest, to a protected marsh with many species of birds. The double Beveridges Locks are next and it is fun locking through. These Locks make a good lunch spot. We proceed to the mouth of the Tay River into Big Rideau Lake. We row through a cut in the marsh and up the winding Rideau River to our take-out point just above Poonamalie Lock Station.*

You are requested to meet in Perth at Last Duel Park for 9:30 AM. Boats will be unloaded and rigged; a few vehicles as well as the boat trailer and van will be shuttled to our end point.

Tay Canal link - <http://www.beautifulperth.com/tayrideaucanal.html>

Last Duel Park - <http://www.beautifulperth.com/tayrideaucanal.html>

Cost: \$45 for scullers who are members of Ontario Adventure Rowing Association (OAR) clubs. Completed registration forms and payment can be made to Louise Binette on the 25<sup>th</sup>.

Remember to bring your water, hat sunscreen, insect repellent, rain gear (hopefully you won't need it and your lunch. We will stop at the Beveridges locks for lunch. There is a small area to swim near the take out spot at Poonamalie.

If there is interest, we will have dinner in Perth at the end of our row. There are many places to choose from including:

- Mexicali Rosa's which is on the Tay River
- Maximilians
- O'Reilly's

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## Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or P.O. Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province/Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal/ZIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number: Home: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Work: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ (Communication is generally by e-mail)  
Emergency contact:  
Name:-----  
Phone number:-----  
Club membership: \_\_\_\_\_

### Eligibility

Is your club a member of Ontario Adventure Rowing Association (OAR Touring)? Yes  No

If not, are you a member of Ontario Adventure Rowing Association (OAR Touring)? Yes  No

If not, please join at \$25 (see [www.adventurerowing.ca](http://www.adventurerowing.ca)) or enclose a \$10 guest trial fee.

### Payment

Cost - \$45 per person.

DUE TO THE POSTAL STRIKE. Payment (cash or cheque) and the signed waiver (below) should be provided to either Liane Bell or Louise Binette at the beginning of the Tour.

N.B.: If you must drop out, please try to find a replacement – we cannot guarantee refunds.

### Waiver

I recognise that rowing and related activities involve potential risks. I undertake to indemnify and save harmless the organisers of the tour, the Ontario Adventure Rowing Association and the Ottawa New Edinburgh Club from and against all claims, damages, loss, costs and expenses relating to any injury including death, or loss of or damage to my or third party's property and arising out of being incidental to my participation in this rowing tour.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature (s)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name(s) in Block Letters

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Date