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## BIG HORN TO HISTORIC YALE

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### Thompson & Fraser River Expedition

Combine the most exciting stretch of the lower Thompson with the grandeur and power of the Fraser Canyon and you have the best big-river whitewater package available anywhere.

Choose either paddle or power for the first day on the Thompson River. Over 20 sets of rapids and a dry desert climate are the perfect match for a great time.

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At Lytton where the Thompson runs into the Fraser we move onto the larger power rafts in preparation for the next day's big water. We camp over-night in the canyon where the beautiful blue waters of the Nahatlatch River joins the Fraser.

Whether you're traveling alone or with a group, you'll enjoy our evening campfire get-together where you and your fellow travelers can swap stories of the day's adventures and prepare for the whitewater challenges that lie ahead.

Inspiring scenery, wildlife, remnants of the Cariboo wagon road and the power of Hell's Gate are some of the highlights of the second day. We finish the expedition with the roller-coaster action of Sailor's Bar, a chain of 20 foot waves we rerun several times.

2011 Dates: Most weekends mid July through September  
Other dates available

Meet: Yale base at 8:00 AM on Day 1  
Returning by about 4:30 PM on Day 2

Adult Cost: \$375  
Youth Cost: \$305 (16 years and younger)

*All rates subject to HST 12% (Harmonized Sales Tax)*

## W H O C A N G O

We can accommodate people of all ages and physical abilities keeping in mind that all trips are not suitable for everyone. Powered rafts are controlled by the guide who steers with an outboard motor at the rear of the raft.

People are required to hang on with both hands through the rapids. With the ride not quite as rough at the back of the raft as the front, this trip is suitable for a wide range of people. Minimum age 8 years accompanied by an adult.

Paddle rafting requires people to participate and listen to commands from your guide; these trips can be a little more strenuous and demanding. Our minimum age for paddle rafting is between 12 and 15 years depending on the river, water levels and previous experience. Please inquire at the time of booking for suitability.

## M E A L S

All meals are made with healthy, fresh ingredients, expertly prepared by our guides. We are happy to accommodate any food allergies, dietary restrictions and special events. Just give us some advance notice and we will plan accordingly. Your two day expedition includes two riverside buffet lunches, a gourmet full course dinner and a hearty breakfast.

## R E S E R V A T I O N S

We recommend reserving your trip well in advance. We work on a first-come first-served basis. A 50% deposit with your reservation is required to confirm your reservation. Balance is due 30 days prior to departure. If you wish to join us on short notice, please call ahead to see when space is available.

For reservations and information:

- phone 1 - 800 - 363 - 7238
- or 604- 863 - 2336
- email: [info@fraserraft.com](mailto:info@fraserraft.com)

## D I R E C T I O N S...To Historic Yale

The Big Horn to Yale Two day Expedition meets in the tiny but historic town of Yale, just 15 minutes from Hope. Please allow 2 hours driving time from Vancouver.

Head East on Hwy #1

- At Hope, take Exit 170, this is where Highway #1 exits off.
- Follow the signs for the Highway #1 East through the town of Hope and up the Fraser Canyon.
- We are about 23 km from Hope, 1 km west of Yale on the right side of Hwy #1.
- We have signs at each end of our property (Fraser River Raft Expeditions). Look for a big building with a red metal roof and cedar siding.

## WHAT YOU NEED

Weather conditions vary along our routes, so we suggest the following to make your trip more comfortable.

### YOU BRING:

- Bathing suit or shorts, T-shirt
- Polar fleece, acrylic or wool top (warm when wet)
- Wind-proof rain jacket and pants
- Old running shoes or sport sandals
- Sun screen (or sun block), brimmed hat
- Retainer or string for glasses or sunglasses
- Waterproof camera
- Complete change of clothes for after the trip

### OVERNIGHT, ADD:

- Sleeping bag, mat and tent (we have these for rent - see below)
- Extra clothes with a warm jacket
- Personal toiletries

### WE PROVIDE:

- Return transportation from rendezvous point
- Life jackets and safety equipment
- On paddle trips: helmets, wetsuits and booties when necessary
- Waterproof bags
- All meals, eating utensils and mugs
- Action photos available

### RENTALS:

- Two-person tent \$15.00 per day
- Sleeping bag \$10.00 per day (Please reserve ahead of time)

## LIABILITY

Fraser River Raft Expeditions Ltd. maintains an excellent safety record offering raft trips on some of B.C.'s most challenging rivers. However, due to the nature of this activity, these trips do involve personal risk. Fraser River Raft Expeditions Ltd. assumes no responsibility for personal injury or damage to personal property and we require each rafter to sign a liability release and assumption of risk form prior to departure.