



Paddlesports Experience

Overview

Join us for an exhilarating day on the water, assisting adaptive guests while they explore the waterfront area and learn the basic skills of kayaking, canoeing or paddleboarding

Event Details

Your staff will be partnered with adaptive guests and RMA instructors or trained volunteers. Prior to the start of your day, training will be provided on how to assist each guest. Your team will assist a group of around 5-15 adaptive guests. Guests will vary in age and abilities. Guests may be living with neurodivergence or physical challenges. The RMA guests attending will be determined by your group size and ability. For this type of booking we often work with disability groups who are looking to enjoy a day in the mountains and take part in an activity they would not normally partake in. Disability groups may attend the activity with caregivers or staff members who will be on hand to assist, as needed.

Your team will provide support on the water, as needed. Team members will be in single, tandem kayaks or canoes and assigned to assist guests with additional needs. Some staff will be paired in tandem kayaks or canoes, some will use watercraft independently. This will be defined by each of your staff's comfort levels. This adventure is an opportunity for your staff to socialise and interact with guests in a fun, safe and adventurous environment.

Requirements

Skill Level

Your team should have some experience in at least one paddlesports activity in order to provide a positive experience for our guests (though they may still assist on the water if they are a newbie). If staff are not comfortable paddling independently, they may remain on land and assist guests departing and landing watercraft.

Gear

All staff must wear life jackets while on the water and wear appropriate clothing suitable to weather conditions. We recommend bringing the following: bathing suit, clothing suitable for getting wet and

changes of weather conditions, rain jacket, warm layers, change of clothes, hat, backpack, towel, water, sunscreen, lunch/snacks. Your team may bring their own lifejackets and/or wetsuits. Wetsuits are not provided or required. RMA will provide all paddle equipment (kayaks, canoes, paddles & paddles) & lifejackets.

Other

The day will start with on land training in using paddlesports equipment and assisting guests. Your team will be required to take part in an orientation (via Google Meets, or in person), prior to the event, and complete a Waiver.

Availability

June - September

Schedule*

9:00am - 4:00pm

Location

Canmore, Banff, or Kananaskis

Group Size

5-20

Pricing**

From \$3000

Additional Costs

Transportation to and from site, lunch and snacks.

*Times are approximate

** Pricing is subject to change