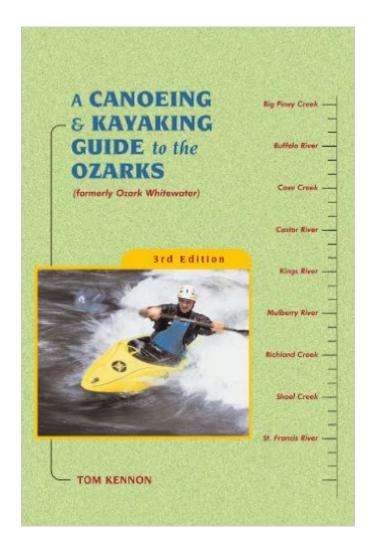
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A Canoeing And Kayaking Guide To The Ozarks (Canoe And Kayak Series)





Synopsis

In the heartland of America rise the Ozark Mountains, teeming with cascading, free-flowing streams. Situated astride the Missouri/Arkansas border, the Ozarks represent a canoeing and kayaking wonderland. Still a comprehensive, accurate and readable guide, but now with a new design and format, A Canoeing & Kayaking Guide to the Ozarks (formerly Ozark Whitewater) catalogs the varied rivers of the region. Inside are updated descriptions of all the classic rivers, including the Buffalo National and Little Missouri, as well as exciting new reports of todayâ ™s steep creek runs: Bryant, Turkey, and many others. This guide is the definitive sourcebook for Ozark river sport.

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Customer Reviews

I was looking for a guide to the many rivers and creeks to take multi-day excursions with my family in Arkansas and the close by rivers to Texarkana where I now live. I am a beginner paddler and need to have details but as any person who is overwhelmed by information, a concise and clear presentation is very helpful. On both counts, this book delivers. Having GPS coordinates is particularly helpful and the maps are very clear. The book is divided by regions, and this is also helpful. I can recommend this book without question.

Kennon's Ozark Whitewater was by far the best whitewater guidebook for the Ozarks (and the only one to find information on many streams), and it neve left my shuttle vehicle. It is in tatters now, so the timing of his updated guidebook is perfect timing for me. Though I will always refer to this and any of his books as "Ozark Whitewater" the new name reflects the fact that this is a big upgrade from version two. Much more up to date info, extremely good maps (much improved from the last version), and many new streams (some I've never heard of!). If you're a paddler in Arkansas, Oklahoma, or Missouri, Kennon has again produced the must have book for your paddling library. My copy is already on its way to being destroyed in the back of my shuttle rig! Highly recomended!

Gives good information on put ins and take outs, and they are quite detailed and accurate. Used it last summer to take sons and grandson on a trip on Jack's Fork.

I know a lot of work goes into a book like this and a lot of time spent on the water. It will be a good resource for my wife and I as we try and find some good small mouth fishing streams in Southern Missouri and Northern Arkansas.

Thus far I'm quite happy with this book. The number of places where kayaking is available AND legal is great. I come from a state where landowner rights trumps everything and places to do any river kayaking is skimpy to say the least. I haven't run any of these rivers yet but I think this guide that tells me where to put in, where to take out and what to expect in between will be invaluable. I wish it had some info on how to arrange for vehicle shuttle or kayak shuttle, however there is a lot of contact information for canoe and kayak organizations that might be able to point me in the right direction. The thing I liked are the sections about obstacles to avoid or be aware of. If you're looking for a state to go kayaking in, this might be the book for you.

Best guide that I know of to the area. It is about time for a newer edition though.

I really like this book for it's no non-sense practical descriptions of the streams listed in the book. I have been to a couple not listed in the book that I wish he would have covered, so I could compare my experiences (Black River by Lesterville thru Sam Baker State Park for example). But that said, this is a comprehensive guide, very helpful.

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