**Troop 39 Black Canyon Paddle Outing - November 10-12, 2018**

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| **What:** | Two night canoe/kayak trip through Black Canyon on the Colorado River from Willow Beach. Upstream to Arizona Hot Springs and Boy Scout Hot Springs. |
| **When:** | Saturday to Monday, Nov. 10 to 12, 2018. Meet at FCF Saturday at 5:45 AM, depart at 6:00 AM. We will have breakfast in Kingman on the way there and dinner on the way back. We will return to FCF Monday between 5 and 8PM. |
| **Where:** | Black Canyon between Hoover Dam and Willow Beach, 11 miles below the dam. Travel time is about 3 hours from Flagstaff. Saturday night we will camp at the Arizona Hot Springs beach (~4 miles below the dam) and Sunday night we will Camp at Boy Scout Hot Springs Beach (~3 miles below the dam). See the maps below. |
| **Who:** | Adults & Scouts who have met the following requirements:   * Have a current (< 1 year old) BSA Health form part A & B and no medical conditions that may compromise safety. * To have a one person boat or to sit in the rear of a two person, you must be an adult or a big/strong scout, you must be proficient at maneuvering a paddle craft and be able to recover from a capsize. * All scouts must have a parent/guardian signed Activity Consent form (print from Trooptrack) |
| **Other:** | * Cost: $20 for meals in Kingman, $10 for gas * Everyone must wear a life jacket and foot-wear (attaches to the feet) while on the river * Cell phones may not have a signal in Black Canyon * Pack all gear in backpacks and then in dry bag if you have one. |

**What to bring:**

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| * Dry bag or day pack in 2 plastic bags * Sleeping bag in dry bag or 2 plastic bags & pad * Tent\* * Food (2 breakfast, 3 no cook lunches, 2 dinner, and snacks)\* * Water (2 quarts and means of purifying\* lake/river water) * Mess kit | * Backpacking stove, fuel and cookware (if cooking)\* * Sunscreen (**important!**) * Flashlight * Pocket knife (& totin’ chip) * Toiletries * Medications * Small first aid kit * Water/short hike shoes (wet) * Camp shoes (dry) * Swimsuit (paddle shorts) | * Shorts/pants Class B or river shirt * Rain coat or poncho * Sweatshirt or light coat * Hat * Sleepwear * Camera (in dry bag or disposable) * ~$20 for 2 fast food meals and a soft drink at the marina * Whistle (optional) * Fishing gear & license (optional) |

\* Items that can be shared within patrols or between scouts if coordinated in advance

**Canoe Assignments (front to back):**

Canoe #1: Abe, Griffin, Skyler

Canoe #2: Caleb, Bailey, Tristyn

Canoe #3: Conor, Alex, Avery

Canoe #4: Daniel, Christopher, Don

Canoe #5: Cohen, Christian, Preston

Canoe #6: Lucas, Bill

Canoe #7: Anthony, Anthony

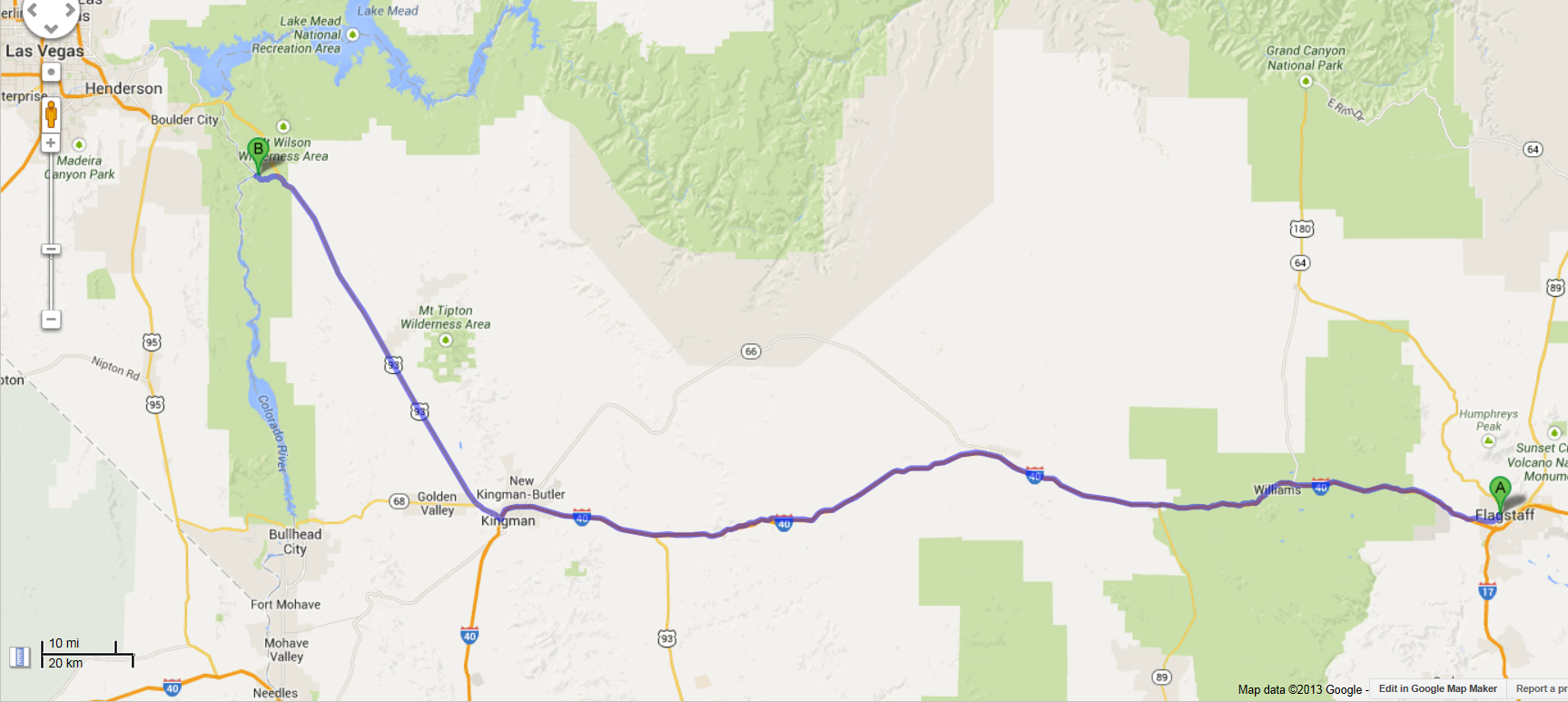
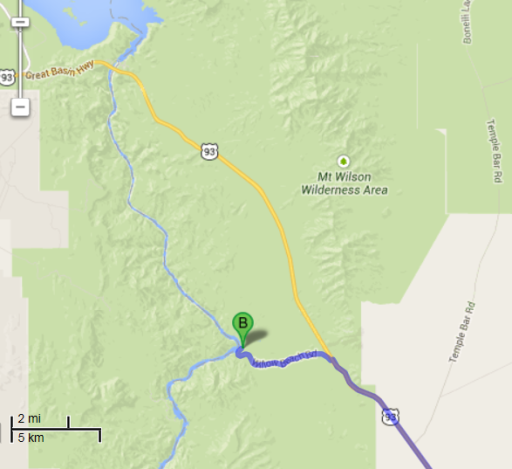
Canoe #8: Jeff

Kayak #1 (Point): Sean

Kayak #2 (Sweep): Grady

**Getting to the Willow Beach Marina on Saturday 11-10-18:**

207 miles, 3 hours according to Google Maps. We will stop in Kingman for Breakfast. From Milton Rd. & Rt. 66, take Rt. 66 W. ~ 4 miles to I-40, go W. on I-40 ~ 139 miles to Kingman. After breakfast, get back on I-40 and go W. ~ 3 miles to exit 48 for US-93 N. toward Las Vegas, go N. on US-93 ~ 56.5 miles, to Willow Beach Road, turn left and follow Willow Beach Road to the Willow Beach Marina.





Put in & Takeout

Beach

Marina & Store

Campground