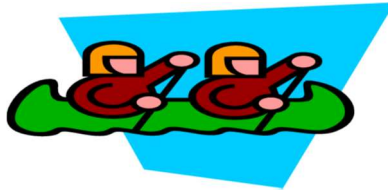


# Baskahegan Stream Canoe Race



Teens, Adults, Families  
Saturday May 9, 2026

COOKOUT, T-SHIRTS, AWARDS

Hosted by the East Grand School

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## Two Races, Same Day:

**8 Mile Race, Danforth to the 2000 Road in Bancroft**, this will be a paddle only race this year. We are not doing the adventure race with a bush whack or biking. **Short race Check in: 10AM, race starts at 11AM, Cookout 1:30-3:30 followed by awards**

**34 Mile Flat Water Race:** A separate canoe/kayak race from the headwaters of the Baskahegan Stream to Bancroft. This will run in conjunction with the shorter race. Note: this race will be shortened if wind is forecasted. **34-mile racers check in is 7:00AM, Cookout 2-4, Awards 3:30-4PM**

**Short race has 9 divisions:** Race in pairs (canoe or kayak) in the High School Boys, Girls, Mixed, Adult Men, Women, Mixed. Jr./Sr., (Jr./Sr. minimum age is 12 and must compete with an adult. The Family Division is for kids/teens with parents/adult mentors. Can be 2 or more people. Open Division (can be solo, race boats, kayakers).

**Pre-Registration Online is encouraged but you can register the day of the event:** Entry fee is \$20.00 per person. Entry fee includes a generous cookout lunch, race t-shirt, and awards.

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**Short Race (8 miles) Check-in:** Saturday at the East Grand School Gym 10AM to receive your race number & t-shirt. Before 11AM you'll need to number your boat and bring your boat to the Crooked Brook Flowage Landing in town. Pre-Race talk is 11AM at the landing with the first boats going shortly after. We'll be giving rides back to the school gym from the finish line for a cookout lunch, and awards. We are aiming to do the awards presentations at 3:30PM

**34 Mile racers Check-in is 7:00AM, load and go.** We're aiming to do awards back at the school gym at 4PM

### **Equipment & Clothing**

**Canoes & Kayaks:** General recreation includes canoes sold for general recreational use. In general ABS and Polyethylene canoes (Example, Old Town Discovery Series 169 and 174, Penobscot Series 17 & 18.5. Race boats & race kayaks are welcome in the open division). Two proper fitting type III PFDs and these must be worn during the race. At least three paddles (one being a spare.), baler.

**Proper clothing:** Clothing should be of synthetic materials (fleece & polypropylene) used with an outer shell. Check the forecast and plan accordingly. You may want to bring a waterproof bag with a set of warm clothing or a farmer Jon style wetsuit to place in your boat in case of cold, rainy weather or in the event of an upset.

**Safety** We will provide a sweep boat.

**Questions?** please contact race coordinator Dave Conley 207-551-8729 Email: [dave@canoethewild.com](mailto:dave@canoethewild.com)