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**April 26 – 27**

**Alder Creek Spring Paddle Festival**  
 Vancouver Lake, OR  
[www.aldercreek.com](http://www.aldercreek.com)

**May 2 – 4**

**Georgian Bay Kayak & Canoe Festival & Concert**  
 Nobel, ON  
[www.whitesquall.com/festival.php](http://www.whitesquall.com/festival.php)

**May 2 – 4**

**Western Canadian Paddlesports Leadership Conference**  
 Thetis Island, BC  
[www.wcpaddlesportsconference.org](http://www.wcpaddlesportsconference.org)

**May 3 – 4**

**Vancouver Kayak Club 50th Anniversary White-water Kayaking Festival**  
 Chilliwack River, BC  
[www.vankayak.org](http://www.vankayak.org)

**May 3 – 4**

**THINK Kayak International Challenge**  
 Whatcom Lake, WA / Deep Cove, BC  
[www.thinkkayaks.com/blog/?p=19](http://www.thinkkayaks.com/blog/?p=19)

**May 3**

**Whatcom Classic**  
 Whatcom Lake, WA  
 (see THINK Kayak International Challenge above)  
[www.soundrowers.org/whatcom.htm](http://www.soundrowers.org/whatcom.htm)

**May 4**

**Tour de Indian Arm**  
 Deep Cove, BC  
 (see THINK Kayak International Challenge above)  
[www.deepcovekayak.com/racing/tourdeindianarm.php](http://www.deepcovekayak.com/racing/tourdeindianarm.php)

**May 4**

**Third Annual People Paddle for AIDS**  
 San Francisco, CA  
[www.peoplepaddle.com](http://www.peoplepaddle.com)

**May 9 – 11**

**20th Annual Alaska Sea Kayaking Symposium**  
 Alaska Pacific University, Anchorage, AK  
[www.akskos.org](http://www.akskos.org)

**May 9 – 11**

**5th Annual Reno River Festival**  
 Reno, NV  
[www.RenoRiverFestival.com](http://www.RenoRiverFestival.com)

**May 10 – 11**

**10th Annual Vancouver Island Paddlefest**  
 Ladysmith, BC  
[www.Paddlefest.bc.ca](http://www.Paddlefest.bc.ca)

**May 17 – 18**

**Puget Sound Sea Kayak Symposium**  
 Owens Beach, Pt. Defiance Park, Tacoma, WA  
[www.metroparkstacoma.org](http://www.metroparkstacoma.org)

**May 17 – 18**

**Northern Rockies Paddfest**

Wayfarer's State Park, Flathead Lake, Bigfork, MT  
silvermoon@silvermoonkayak.com

**May 30 – 31**

**Columbia River Paddle Festival**

North Howard Amon Park, Richland, WA  
www.ColumbiaKayakAdventures.com/events.html

**May 30 – June 1**

**Atlantic Paddling Professionals Symposium**

Port Mouton, NS  
www.paddlingcanada.com

**June 8**

**Round Bowen Challenge**

Bowen Island, BC  
www.roundbowenchallenge.com

**June 25 – 29**

**Yukon River Quest**

Whitehorse to Dawson City, Yukon  
www.yukonriverquest.com

**June 15**

**MEC Victoria Paddfest**

Gyro Park, Cadboro Bay, Victoria, BC  
www.mec.ca/victoria

**June 20 – 22**

**Rosspport Kayak Symposium**

Lake Superior, Rosspport ON  
www.naturallysuperior.com

**July 5**

**MEC Halifax Paddfest**

Graham's Grove on Lake Banook, Dartmouth, NS  
www.mec.ca

**July 3 – 13**

**Great Hudson River Paddle**

Hudson River Valley National Heritage Area  
www.hudsongreenway.state.ny.us/ghrp/

**July 17 – 20**

**24th Annual Great Lakes Sea Kayak Symposium**

Grand Marais, MI  
www.glsks.com

**July 18 – 20**

**Small Craft Builders Rendezvous**

Peterborough, ON  
www.bearmountainboats.com/rendezvous.htm

**August 8 – 10**

**Canal Splash**

Buffalo to Albany to Whitehall  
www.canalsplash.com

**August 17**

**Kayak for a Cure III**

Vancouver, BC  
mark@kayakforacure.ca  
www.kayakforacure.ca

**August 21 – 24**

**Ladies of the Lake Sea Kayak Symposium**

Drummond Island, MI  
www.downwindsports.com

**August 22 – 24**

**Greenland Style Paddling Symposium**

Lake Superior, Wawa, ON  
www.naturallysuperior.com

**August 23 – 24**

**Fourth Annual Port of Toledo Wooden Boat Show**

Toledo, OR  
www.portoftoledo.org

**August 24 – 30**

**Ontario Canada Folding Kayak Flotilla 2008**

Chaffeys Lock, Rideau Canal  
www.folbotforum.com

**September 5 – 7**

**1st annual North East Canoe and Kayak Symposium**

Spruce Run Recreation Area, Clinton, NJ  
www.gopaddle.org

**September 19 – 21**

**25th Anniversary West Coast Sea Kayak Symposium**

Port Townsend, WA  
www.gopaddle.org

**September 21**

**GoZero Kayak Race & Rally**

Hudson River, Beacon, NY  
www.johnnymilleradventures.com

**September 22 – 22**

**The Great River Amazon Raft Race 2008**

Amazon Rafting Club, Iquitos, Peru  
www.iquitostimes.com/raft-race-2008.htm



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