



LOCATION

Tenney Boat Pier is the location for all rentals, drop-in and specialty trips) 1615 Sherman Ave, within Tenney Park, on the east side of the Yahara River. One block downriver from the Dane County locks.

DROP IN RIDES

Drop-in rides available to individuals or small groups. First come, first served. Pay at site. Trips depart when boats are full (may be before posted starting time). For the Tenney site, registration begins 45 minutes prior to posted starting times. All other sites begin 15 minutes prior. All members of your group must be present 15 minutes prior to trip departure to reserve space.

Dates: June 1 – September 30

Days/Time:

- Tuesday (Lake Monona Only), departing from Tenney, 5:30-7pm & 7:15-8:45 pm (In Sept. only 5:30-7 pm shift)
- Wednesday, departing from Law Park, 12-1 pm.

Bring a lunch if desired.

- Thursday, departing from Tenney, 5:30-7 pm & 7:15-8:45 pm (In Sept. only 5:30-7 pm trip)
- Fridays, departing from Tenney (UW Goodspeed Family Pier in construction zoning area in 2016), 1:30-2:30 & 2:30-3:30 pm shifts
- Sundays, departing from Tenney 1:30-2:30 & 2:30-3:30 pm shifts

Fee: \$6 per person at pier. Children 3 & under are free. Non-residents pay the same fee for Drop In programs.

OPEN HOUSES! CELEBRATE MSCR'S 90TH ANNIVERSARY! EVERYONE IS INVITED! EVERY 3RD SATURDAY OF THE MONTH!

Dates: May 21; June 18; July 16; August 20 & Sept. 17

Time: 1-2:30 and 3-4:30 pm

Fee: FREE! (\$1 donation at the site recommended)

Registration: Arrive 45 minutes prior to register for a spot(s).

All members of your group must be present 15 minutes prior to departure time.

BOAT RENTALS

Reserve a boat(s) for your group. 15 passenger maximum per boat; person riding in wheelchair counts as 2. Limit 4 wheelchairs per boat due to space/weight. Select 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choices, in case 1st choice is not available. Three boats available for large groups, equipped with life jackets (including infant size; no infants under 18 pounds), deck chairs, safety equipment and sun canopy.

Dates: May 8 - September 30

Days/Rental Times:

- 7 days a week (Lake Mendota available only Thursday afternoon through Sunday due to Dane County Tenney locks schedule)
- 3-hour rentals beginning at 9:30 am, 1pm, and 5pm
- ½ hour rentals on Lake Monona on Mondays, Tuesdays or Wednesdays

Rental Rates for MMSD Residents:

- Standard Rate: \$100, for Non-profits, Families, Seniors, Other Group Renters
- 90 minute trips: \$60, for any group type on selected dates only (see below)
- Individual renters with disabilities and MSCR/MMSD groups: \$50
- Non-MMSD Residents: Add \$25 to the applicable fee listed above.

90 MINUTE RENTALS ON LAKE MONONA

Enjoy a shorter ride on the lake. Takes place Mondays, Tuesdays & Wednesdays. Two shifts: 10-11:30 am & 1-2:30 pm. Complete the reservation process for these time slots. Non-MMSD Residents: Add \$25 to the applicable fee.

RENTAL RESERVATION PROCESS

Complete and return a Pontoon Rental Request Form available online at www.mscr.org/Pontoon-boat-program.cfm. A week's lead time is necessary to organize the volunteer crews for any rental. Do not use the MSCR Registration Form for pontoon rentals. A completed rental request form must be received to begin the rental process.

Volunteers Needed!
Go to
www.mscr.org/get-involved/volunteer
Call 204-3000



PONTOON BOAT • RIDES

Summer 2016



SPECIALTY TRIPS

Age	Day	Date	Time	Fee	Course#
2 LAKE CRUISE					
Enjoy both lakes: see the Capitol, Monona Terrace, Governor's Mansion, Maple Bluff and UW Union!					
All	Su	6/19	1pm-4pm	\$15	10722
All	Su	7/17	1pm-4pm	\$15	10723
All	Su	8/21	9:30am-12:30pm	\$15	10724
BREAKFAST TRIPS					
Leave [and return to] Tenney Park and travel to the Green Lantern in McFarland [60 minutes each way]. Meal costs on your own.					
All	Sa	5/28	9am-12:30pm	\$15	10730
All	Su	6/19	9am-12:30pm	\$15	10731
All	Sa	7/16	9am-12:30pm	\$15	10732
All	Su	8/21	9am-12:30pm	\$15	10733
All	Sa	9/3	9am-12:30pm	\$15	11182
All	Su	9/18	9am-12:30pm	\$15	11183
DINNER TRIPS					
Travel to Capt. Bill's (on 6/17, 7/24 & 8/27) or Mariner's (on 7/9, 8/12 & 9/11) on Lake Mendota, 45 minutes each way. Meal costs on your own.					
All	F	6/17	3pm-6:30pm	\$15	10734
All	Sa	7/9	5:30pm-9pm	\$15	10735
All	Su	7/24	5:30pm-9pm	\$15	10736
All	F	8/12	5:30pm-9pm	\$15	10737
All	Sa	8/27	5:30pm-9pm	\$15	11184
All	Su	9/11	5:30pm-9pm	\$15	11185
FIREWORKS TRIP					
Enjoy the Holiday fireworks from the lake. Boarding takes place at Tenney. No alcohol on boat. Bring your own snacks. Register in advance.					
Shake The Lakes					
18+	Sa	6/25	8pm-11pm	\$25	10741
Shorewood					
18+	M	7/4	8pm-11pm	\$25	10742
FIRST NATIONS: CULTURAL LANDSCAPE OF THE LAKES					
American Indians have inhabited the Great Lakes for over 12,000 years. Learn about the history and resilience of the Ho-Chunk with Rebecca Comfort, UW-Madison American Indian Curriculum Services Consultant.					
All	Sa	6/18	9:30am-12:30pm	\$15	10757
All	Sa	7/23	1-4 pm	\$15	11193
FISHING TRIPS					
Bring your own gear if you have it. MSCR can provide some limited gear. Live bait provided, donated by D&S Bait, Tackle & Archery. Limit of 6 per boat. Led by MSCR staff. Those under 15 fish free by DNR regulations. For license information, for those 16 and over, go to: http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/fishing/outreach/FishingLicenses.html . Licenses not needed for anyone on the DNR free fishing days: June 4 and 5 only.					
All	Sa	6/4	8am-11am	\$10	10744
All	Su	6/5	5pm-8pm	\$10	10745
All	Sa	6/18	8am-11am	\$10	10746
All	Sa	7/30	5pm-8pm	\$10	10747
All	Su	7/31	8am-11am	\$10	10748
All	Sa	8/27	5pm-8 pm	\$10	10749
All	Su	8/28	5pm-8 pm	\$10	10750
All	Sa	9/10	5pm-8 pm	\$10	10751
All	Su	9/11	5pm-8 pm	\$10	11186

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GEOLOGY					
Learn about lake formation, current geology including glaciation history and other information from Carolyn McCartney, WI Geological Society.					
All	Su	6/12	10am-12pm	\$15	10752
All	Su	7/10	1pm-3 pm	\$15	10753
All	Su	8/7	10am-12pm	\$15	10754
LIMNOLOGY (THE STUDY OF FRESHWATER)					
Learn with Tim Asplund, DNR Chief of Water Resource Monitoring, and Sue Jones, Dane County Lakes and Watersheds, about runoff, invasive species, shoreland alterations. Learn how scientists monitor and assess lake health and how Yahara watershed projects are restoring and protecting our lakes!					
All	Su	8/28	1pm-4 pm	\$15	10760
LUNCH TRIPS					
Leave (and return to) Tenney Park and travel to: Green Lantern in McFarland [60 minutes each way], meal costs on your own.					
All	Su	5/29	1pm-4:30pm	\$15	10762
All	Sa	6/25	1pm-4:30pm	\$15	10763
All	Su	7/31	1pm-4:30pm	\$15	11188
All	Sa	8/27	1pm-4:30pm	\$15	11189
All	Sa	9/17	1pm-4:30pm	\$15	11190
MOON FESTIVAL					
Celebrate Chinese Autumn festival with a trip on the lake.					
All	F	9/16	7pm-10 pm	\$15	10729
PERSEID METEOR SHOWER					
Join the staff of the MMSD Planetarium to view the spectacular Perseid meteor shower and learn about constellations and planets. Bring your own coffee!					
All	Sa	8/13	2:30am-5:30am	\$15	10766
SUMMER & AUTUMN STARGAZING					
Enjoy the beauty of the night sky with the MMSD Planetarium staff.					
All	F	8/26	7:30-10:30pm	\$15	10758
All	F	9/30	6:45pm-9:45pm	\$15	11194
SOCIAL HISTORY TOUR WITH AUTHOR, DON SANFORD					
For 150 years, Madison has played host to many famous individuals. Don is the author of the book: <i>On Fourth Lake, a Social History of Lake Mendota</i> .					
All	F	6/24	5pm-8pm	\$15	10791
All	Su	7/10	5pm-8pm	\$15	10792
All	Su	8/7	5pm-8pm	\$15	10793
All	Su	9/25	10 am-1pm	\$15	10794



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SUMMER SOLSTICE					
Enjoy the longest day of the year watching the sunrise on Lake Monona. Bring coffee!					
All	M	6/20	4:30am-7:30am	\$15	10780
SUNSET CRUISE					
Relax and enjoy a fabulous sunset cruise.					
All	F	6/24	6pm-9pm	\$15	10781
All	F	7/22	6pm-9pm	\$15	10782
All	Sa	8/20	6pm-9pm	\$15	10783
CHILDREN'S SPECIALTY TRIPS:					
<i>Adult must register, pay and attend with child. All are welcome but best suited for ages 4-8. Costumes are welcome, but not necessary.</i>					
AMAZING ADVENTURES					
Learn about wildlife and other parts of the world through eco-friendly crafts/games.					
All	Sa	6/11	9:30 am-12:30pm	\$12	10726
DINOSAURS					
Hunt for dinosaurs! Dig for bones, create your own fossil, play dinosaur games!					
All	Sa	6/4	9:30am-12:30pm	\$12	10738
All	Sa	7/16	9:30am-12:30pm	\$12	10739
All	Sa	8/20	1pm-4pm	\$12	10740
GRANDPARENTS DAY					
Take your grandchild across the lake and make a sand castle.					
All	Su	9/11	1pm-4 pm	\$12	10764
HARRY POTTER DAYS					
Take a trip to the Forbidden Forest as we uncover wizard like activities.					
All	Sa	6/18	9:30 am-12:30pm	\$12	10755
All	Sa	7/23	1pm-4pm	\$12	10756
PIRATE TREASURE					
Arrrrrrgh! - Hunt hidden treasures and enjoy pirate activities. Receive a pirate treasure map and telescope.					
All	Sa	5/28	1pm-4pm	\$12	10767
All	Sa	6/11	1pm-4pm	\$12	10768
All	Sa	7/2	1pm-4pm	\$12	10769
All	Sa	8/6	1pm-4pm	\$12	10771
All	Sa	8/27	1pm-4pm	\$12	10772
All	Sa	9/10	1pm-4pm	\$12	11191
All	Sa	9/24	1pm-4pm	\$12	11192
PRINCE OR PRINCESS DAYS					
Become a prince or princess! Youth receive a tiara, flashing star wand or a prince toy. Costumes are welcome but not necessary.					
All	Sa	7/16	9:30 am-12:30pm	\$12	10773
All	Sa	8/20	9:30 am-12:30pm	\$12	10774
SUPERHEROES					
Dress up as your favorite hero. Participate in high jump, races, arm wrestling, crafts and other games.					
All	Sa	6/25	9:30 am-12:30pm	\$12	10784
All	Sa	8/6	9:30 am-12:30pm	\$12	10785
YOUNG NAVIGATOR					
Watch for pirates with telescopes, help the captain navigate around other boats! Receive a toy telescope, captain's hat and certificate. Youth don't drive the boat.					
All	Sa	7/2	9:30 am-12:30pm	\$12	10787
All	Sa	8/27	9:30 am-12:30pm	\$12	10788