



Northern Forest Canoe Trail

Hike, Bike and Paddle Vacation Package



Package Summary

What's Included

- [NFCT's Map 7](#)
- 3 nights lodging
- 1 day guided paddling
- 1 day mountain bike trail pass
- 1 trail lunch
- Canoe or kayak and select gear rentals
- Shuttle Services
- Naturalist interpretation
- A complete packing list
- North Woods survival tips
- Wildlife viewing and photography opportunities

Optional Additions

- Mountain bike rentals
- Guide for bike tour

Package Price

2 Adults – Starting at \$535
(Group size – 1-8 people)

Reservations

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Deposit

A 50% non-refundable deposit will be required at booking.

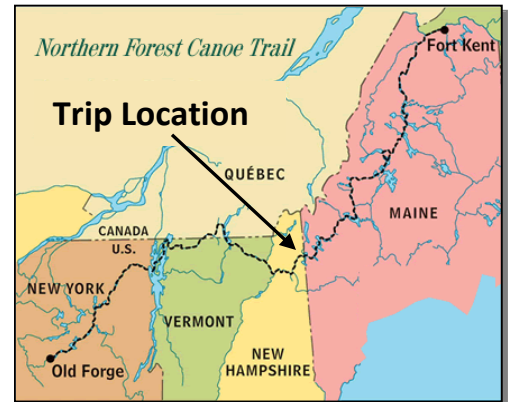
Note

Additional days and nights can be added to this package.

Paddle, peddle and backpack through some of northern New Hampshire's most breathtaking wilderness.

Day 1

On your first day, your seasoned guide from Outdoor ESCAPES New Hampshire will meet you at your lodging (see choices below) and take you on an unforgettable paddle through Lake Umbagog National Wildlife Refuge. In 2009, the Boston Globe selected the Refuge's lake and wetlands, which teem with birdlife, as one of the **top 10 best paddling destinations in New England**. Your guide will provide paddling instruction (if needed), safety oversight, shuttle services to and from your lodging, and a delicious trail lunch.



Lake Umbagog

Credit: Carolina Vasconcelos/USFWS

Day 2

On your second day, you will head west through prime moose habitat to the dramatic cliffs of Dixville Notch. This spectacular northern outpost is home to the [Balsams Grand Resort Hotel](#) and a 39-mile mountain biking trail network. Outdoor ESCAPES New Hampshire will arrange the logistics for your biking adventure. Optional guide services and mountain bike rentals are available. Guided trips include a trail lunch. Those choosing a self-guided tour might decide eat lunch at the Balsams Tavern or Panorama Grille.

Day 3

On the third day of your adventure you will return to Dixville Notch to visit the Baby Flume and other [waterfalls](#) of the Notch. A self-guided, moderate hike to [Table Rock](#), a narrow granite fin measuring 10 feet across in places and dropping 700 feet offers views of the surrounding cliffs and the Balsams Grand Resort Hotel.



Lodging Choices

150 MAIN STREET LODGING ON THE ANDROSCOGGIN

This lovely guesthouse is located adjacent to the Androscoggin River within easy walking distance of the shops and restaurants in Errol, NH. It offers comfortable, newly renovated rooms, common areas and a fully-equipped kitchen.

Reviews

"We have found the peace and relaxation we were seeking in your truly beautiful, charming retreat. You have taken such care with every detail, in addition to keeping everything so clean ..." RL Newington, CT

"Love the Lodge - clean, neat and homey ... lots of history and warmth - country living at its best...saw lots of moose, deer and other wildlife. Eagles nest is very impressive! You are the consummate Innkeepers!" E & D



Balsams Grand Resort Hotel



This luxury resort has been pampering guests for well over a hundred years. The Balsams offers guests access to their premiere tennis courts, golf course, luxury spa and dining in the award winning [Dining Room](#) (jackets are required), Tavern and Panorama Grille. This package includes breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Reviews

2008 World's Best Awards by *Travel + Leisure* magazine[®]
"Top 100" Hotels in North American *Zagat Survey*[®] of Top U.S. Hotels, Resorts & Spas 2001 "Best Destination Resort in New England"
Golf Digest[®] "Best Golf Course in New Hampshire"
Parents Magazine[®] "One of the 10 Best Resorts for Families"

Great Northern Moose Lodge and Campground

This rustic and charming lodge is a peaceful getaway surrounded by beautiful walking trails at the southern end of the 13 Mile Wilderness. In the mornings, you will awaken to bird songs and a deluxe continental breakfast.

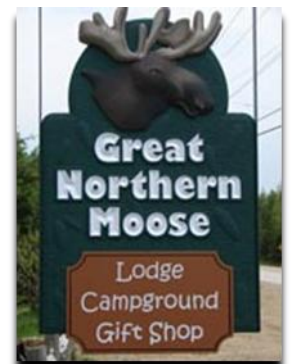
The Lodge's adjoining **campground** offers a lower cost option too!

Reviews of the Great Northern Moose Lodge

"Thank you for such a restful & relaxing time." - M.L Marion

"I love this place. When can I move in?" - J & R Goyette

"From the mouth of the baby, 'this is the perfect place!'" - Sarah, Jennifer & Zoe



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