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## Oregon & Idaho Fishing & Rafting Trips



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#### Trip Info....

Group size can vary from eight to twelve guests. If your group is smaller than our minimum of eight we may be able to team you with a complimentary party. We supply top of the line equipment for the whole group including lifejackets, first aid, cooking essentials, eureka tents and thermarest sleeping pads. If you request we will supply you with references close to your area. Please ask.

#### Transportation:

Lewiston is the nearest airport served by large airlines-Carrier Horizon Air, Boise is a little further but an easy and beautiful drive, it is served by many major carriers.. It is best to spend the night preceding your trip either in Grangeville at Monte's Motel (208-983-2500) or in Lewiston at the Sacajawea Motor Inn, (208-746-1393). Grangeville is only about 20 miles from our launch while Lewiston is about two hours drive. We can make your reservations for you, just let us know.



#### **To the River:**

Our shuttle drivers will meet us at Hammer Cr. our launch site about 9:30 am Pacific time. It takes about a half-hour to drive to Hammer Cr. from Monte's Motel. To get to Hammer Cr. you drive to Whitebird, take the exit and go on through the town to a bridge crossing the Salmon River. (about two miles) After crossing the bridge stay right for about one mile and you will come to the take-off point. If you have flown in as a group it is best to rent a van service to pick you up at the airport and be taken to your motel and then on to the river the following morning. They will then pick you up at trips end and transport you back to the airport. We can arrange this service for you. Charges range from \$130 for individual cars to \$590 for a group of 12 to be driven in a shuttle van. If you are having a car shuttled you will be asked to fill out a form releasing the drivers from liability. You should also be sure to have a full gas tank and have means to pay the driver on arrival at our launch location as we will not see them at the take-out point. Also bring an extra set of keys. While in route to the river ( in Grangeville) you will have time to pick up last minute items. Fishing licenses are a must ---get a 3 day license for \$35 and a couple of one day licenses. Kids under 14 yrs. old do not need a license. Chukar hunters will need to purchase a hunting license (\$81.75 upland bird tag included) These licenses can be purchased in Lewiston at Black Sheep Sporting goods or in Grangeville at Ray Brothers Sporting goods. Other items you may wish to purchase are flashlight batteries, film, snacks, fishing related gear, shells, and drinks. We supply soft drinks, plus beer and water in each individual boat, however if you think you may drink more than the norm it is a good idea to pick up extra. You may also let us know if there is a specific drink the group likes and we will supply it. Remember alcohol beverages and mix are not supplied except beer and dinner wine but everyone is welcome to bring their favorite.

#### **Fishing**

Don't worry if you've never fished before. We have many very good fly casting instructors. The Salmon has rainbows, steelhead and smallmouth bass. Each boat will supply trolling tackle for steelhead. If you need a fly rod please let us know. It is best if anglers bring their own fly rods and light spin rod if desired.

#### **Hunting**

Please bring shotguns guns you are familiar with for safety reasons. It is very important with other hunters in the field, around camp, and in our boats that we are very careful. If someone who is inexperienced plans to shoot please notify us so the guides are aware of this. It is best that each hunter wear bright clothing or hat so as to be highly visible to others.

#### **Bird Dogs**

We allow one bird dog in each boat. The owner must bring food and be responsible for the dog at all times. There is a possibility there will be several dogs in camp so it is important they get along with others.

#### **Take-out**

We generally reach our final destination on the fifth day about 1pm at Heller Bar on the Snake River The guides will

get all the vehicles to the river to load up everyone's luggage. There is a small restaurant nearby if you wish to have lunch before you get to Lewiston, you are about 27 miles from Lewiston at this time.. If you're traveling back to Boise you have about a six hour drive. It is best to fly out of Lewiston at this time. If you're headed to Boise you would probably want to fly out the following day. If your destination is Lewiston make your departure for after 3pm pacific time. You can also catch a connecting flight from Lewiston to either Boise or Seattle.

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