

TIMBERLINE TOURS

established 1971

WHITEWATER RAFTING • BACKCOUNTRY JEEPING

WHY CHOOSE US!

- Summer 2011 -

Thanks, again for your continued support.

In this changing economy we are committed to helping you provide value for your clients and guests by guaranteeing the same quality and service you have come to expect from us over the years we've worked together.

We look forward to another great season of mutual support and serving your clients.

See what's up at Timberline Tours this season.

5 STAR FACILITIES

Award winning 10,000 square foot Eagle boathouse with:

- Indoor changing facilities and bathrooms -
- Easy Parking -
- Accessories Store -

- ***FREE*** continental breakfast -

- ***NOW*** offering Stand-up Paddleboarding -

- Close to Class III Shoshone stretch of the Colorado -

with a private award winning takeout in West Glenwood that now has beer and wine purchase available

Boathouse in the Arkansas Valley with:

- Classic rustic western atmosphere -

- ***FREE*** continental breakfast -

- Complete Accessories Store -

GROUP SERVICES

You benefit from the most experienced professional guides in the industry!

- Unrivaled local and international guide staff -

- Specialize in accommodating very large groups -

- Air conditioned vans and top-of-the-line mini coaches -

- Ability to tailor a "private" trip to meet most group needs -

RIVER RAPID RATING SYSTEM

Rivers and individual rapids are rated on a scale of I to VI as a way of comparing their relative difficulty.

Family Friendly

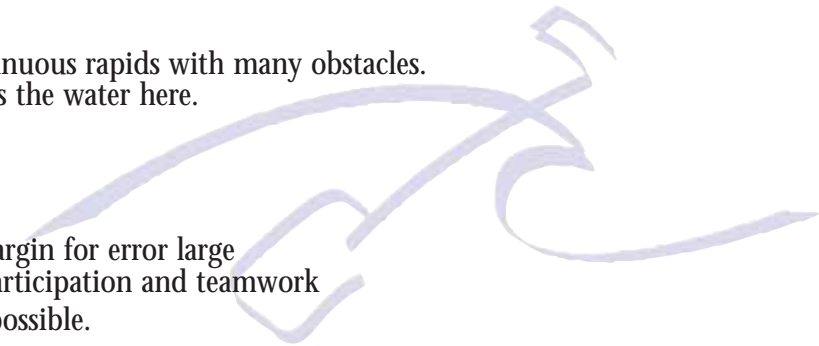
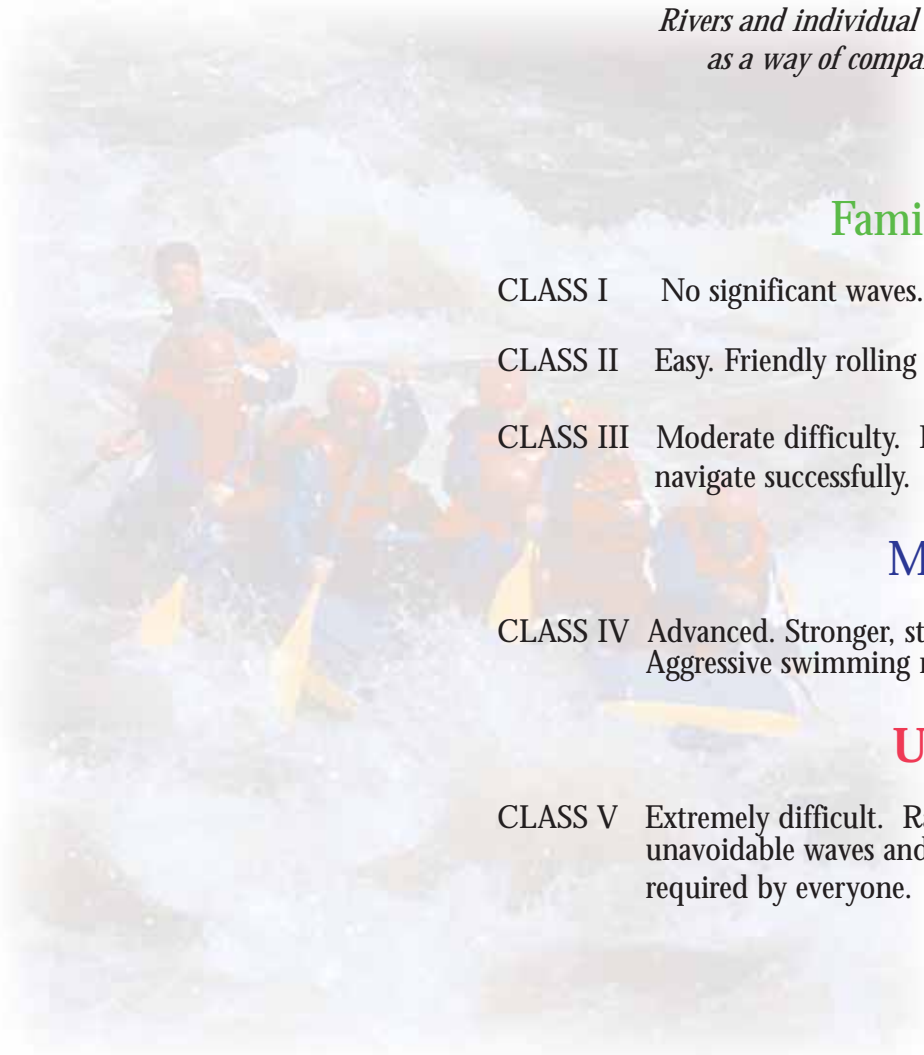
- CLASS I No significant waves. No obstacles. FLOAT TRIP
- CLASS II Easy. Friendly rolling waves with minimal maneuvering.
- CLASS III Moderate difficulty. Rapids require maneuvering to navigate successfully. A swim here could prove to be challenging.

Moderate

- CLASS IV Advanced. Stronger, steeper and more continuous rapids with many obstacles. Aggressive swimming necessary if one enters the water here.

Ultimate

- CLASS V Extremely difficult. Rapids have a small margin for error large unavoidable waves and holes. Aggressive participation and teamwork required by everyone. Difficult swims are possible.



*effective April 2011

*kids 12 & under

*youth 6 and under

TIMBERLINE TOURS 2011 WHITEWATER RAFTING AND BACKCOUNTRY JEEP PRICES

RIVER	CLASS RATING	RACK RATE	*APPROX. RIVER TIME	FOOD	AVAILABLE	MAX #PP PER BOAT
Family Friendly						
Upper Colorado	II	\$75 adults \$65 kids \$45 youth	1 Hour	Snack	May-September	10 low water - 8 highwater
Lower Eagle AM	III	\$89 adults \$79 kids	1 1/2 Hours	Refreshments	May-Early July	10 low water - 8 highwater
Lower Eagle PM	III	\$89 adults \$79 kids	1 1/2 Hours	Refreshments	May-Early July	10 low water - 8 highwater
Shoshone Rapids AM Colorado River	III	\$105 adults \$95 kids	2 1/2 Hours	Barbeque lunch	June-October	10 low water - 8 highwater
Shoshone Rapids PM Colorado River	III	\$95 adults \$85 kids	2 1/2 Hours	Refreshments	June-October	10 low water - 8 highwater
Shoshone Rapids PM Colorado River Triple Thriller	III	\$99 adults \$89 kids	1 1/2 Hours	Refreshments	June-October (no Saturday)	6pp per boat
Brown's Canyon Arkansas River	III	\$110 adults \$100 kids	3 Hours	Lunch	Mid-June to Early August	8pp per boat
Duckie Trip Colorado River	II	\$90 adults \$80 kids	1 Hour	Snack	May-September	1 to 2pp per boat
Moderate Whitewater						
Clear Creek	IV	\$95 adults	1 1/2 Hours	Lunch	June-Mid July	6pp per boat
Numbers Arkansas River	IV	\$110 adults	1 1/2 Hours	Barbeque lunch	Mid-June to Early August	6pp per boat
*Numbers Express Arkansas River	IV	\$79 adults	1 1/2 Hours	Snack	Mid-June to Early August	6 pp per boat
Gore Creek Dowd Chute	IV	\$87 adults	1 1/2 Hours	Snack	May-Early July	5pp per boat 6pp per boat
Ultimate Whitewater						
Pine Creek Numbers Arkansas River	IV-V	\$135 adults	2 1/2 Hours	Barbeque lunch	Mid-June to Early August	6pp per boat
Gore Canyon Colorado River	IV-V	\$180 adults	3 1/2 Hours	Lunch	July to Early September	4pp per boat
Stand-up Paddle Tours						
Grizzly Creek Colorado River	II	\$125 \$45 2nd Paddler	2 1/2 Hours	Lunch	June-October	same board paddler must be 8-12 yrs
Jeep Tours						
Backcountry Jeep Trips	NA	\$79 adults \$69 kids \$45 youth	4 Hours	Refreshments	May-October	5-6pp per jeep

Family Friendly Trips

Moderate

Ultimate Whitewater

8% use fee added to above prices; 15% service charge and 8% use fee are added to all **GROUP** masterbills

For trips departing Eagle BH - Meet in Eagle and save \$10 per person (max. \$30 per party) - **Afternoon** Trips only

For trips departing Arkansas BH Meet at Arkansas boathouse and save \$10 (n/a Numbers Express (max. discount \$40 per party)

* Does not include travel time

RIVER TRIP DESCRIPTIONS

FAMILY FRIENDLY TRIPS

UPPER COLORADO RIVER

Class II-III (Beginner to Int.) MILD

Time of Year: May-September
Pick up: Approximately 9:00 am
Return: Approximately 1:30 pm
Refreshment: Snack
Minimum age: 4 years old

ASK ABOUT INFLATABLE KAYAKS

AM Trip: \$75 adult
\$65 12 & under (child)
\$45 6 & under (youth)

Description:
The Colorado River is the best option for families with young children. Enjoy frequent wildlife sightings, plus beautiful scenery. Great introduction to rafting.

LOWER EAGLE RIVER

Class II-III (Beginner to Int.) MILD

Time of Year: May-Mid June
Morning Trip: Approx 9:00 am pick-up - approx 12:30 pm return
Afternoon Trip: Approx 2:00 pm pick-up - approx 5:30 pm return
Refreshment: Snack
Minimum age: 8 years old or 60 lbs.

AM Trip: \$89 adult - \$79 12 & under (child)
PM Trip \$89 adult - \$79 12 & under (child)

Description:
The Lower Eagle River is a good stretch of whitewater for early season. While it offers lots of excitement it is not as technical as the Upper Eagle. Appropriate for people who may not have previous experience, but are comfortable with water sports.

- AM Trips include continental breakfast at boathouse
- Minimum age subject to change due to water levels
- Bathrooms available at boathouse, port-a-potties at put in and takeout
- Above times include travel to and from the river and time on the river

DUCKIE INFLATABLE KAYAK TOURS

FAMILY FRIENDLY TRIPS



Duckies are a great adventure for kids and adults alike!

UPPER COLORADO RIVER

Class II-III (Beginner)

Time of Year: Mid-May through September
Pick up: Approximately 9:00 am Return: Approx. 1:00 pm
Minimum Age: Min. age to go in single person duckie (12 years old)
Min. requirements for duckie trip must be at least 6 years old and 70 lbs. with adult (double duckie)
Trip: \$90 adult \$80 under 12
(group rates available)

Description:
Looking for a day on the river in something a bit different than your usual raft trip? Join Timberline tours on a "Duckie" trip. Great fun for the whole family. The Lyons Gulch to Dotsero section of the Colorado River is the perfect place to learn how to paddle while taking in the beauty of the river. We have two-person and one-person inflatable kayaks.

*May be subject to change due to water levels.

STAND-UP PADDLEBOARD TOURS

FAMILY FRIENDLY TRIPS

GRIZZLY CREEK - COLORADO RIVER

Class II (Beginner)

Time of Year: Mid-May through September
Pick up: Approximately 9:00 am Return: Approx. 3:00 pm
Minimum Age: Must be 13 or older to have own board
Trip: \$125 \$45 for second paddler on same board
(must be 8-12 yrs old to share board)

Description:
Try one the fastest growing new water sports...in one of the most beautiful canyons in the west.

*May be subject to change due to water levels.



RIVER TRIP DESCRIPTIONS

FAMILY FRIENDLY TRIPS

SHOSHONE RAPIDS COLORADO RIVER

Class III (Intermediate)

Time of Year: May-September
Morning Trip: Approx 8:30 am pick-up - approx 3:00 pm return
Afternoon Trip: Approx 1:30 pm pick-up - approx 7:00 pm return
Lunch: AM - Barbeque lunch at private takeout
PM - Refreshments
Minimum age: 8 years old or 50 lbs for rapid section
others may put in below rapids
AM Trip: \$105 adult - \$95 12 & under (child)
PM Trip: \$95 adult - \$85 12 & under (child)

Description:
One of the most beautiful canyons in the west. Beginners or young children may choose to join their family on the water after the Class III rapid section at the beginning of the trip.

SHOSHONE TRIPLE THRILLER

Pick up: approx. 1:30 am
Return: approx. 7:00 pm
Lunch: Refreshments
Minimum age: 12 years old or 100 lbs
Not available SATURDAYS - July & August
Trip: \$99 adult - \$89 12 & under (child)

BROWN'S CANYON ARKANSAS RIVER

Class III (Intermediate)

Time of Year: June-early August
Pick up: Approximately 8:00 am
Return: Approximately 5:00 pm
Lunch: Served riverside
Minimum age: 8 years old or 50 lbs
Trip: \$110 adult
\$100 12 & under (child)

Description:
Brown's Canyon offers one of nation's most popular pool drop rapid sections. This section is truly beautiful; located between the Sangre de Cristo Mountain Range and the Collegiate Peaks. Lots of history in in this region.

- AM Trips include continental breakfast at boathouse
- Minimum age subject to change due to water levels
- Bathrooms available at boathouse, port-a-potties at put in and takeout
- Above times include travel to and from the river and time on the river

RIVER TRIP DESCRIPTIONS

MODERATE TRIPS

GORE CREEK, DOWD CHUTE, UPPER EAGLE

Class IV (Advanced)

Time of Year: May through early July
Morning Trip: Approx 9:00 am pick-up - approx 1:00 pm return
Afternoon Trip: Approx 2:00 pm pick-up - approx 6:00 pm return
Snack:: served at end of trip
Minimum age: 16 years old

AM & PM Trip: \$87 adult

Description:

The Eagle River near Vail offers some of the most intense and exciting early season rafting in Colorado. Water levels are not dam controlled and fluctuate. Therefore, each day we run the stretch we feel offers the best trip. This trip is physically demanding. All participants must be in excellent health, fit, and be a strong swimmer.

- AM Trips include continental breakfast at boathouse
- Minimum age subject to change due to water levels
- Bathrooms available at boathouse, port-a-potties at put in and takeout
- Above times include travel to and from the river and time on the river

NUMBERS ON THE ARKANSAS RIVER

Class IV (Advanced)

Time of Year: Mid-June through early August
Pick up: AM – App. 7:30 am
Return: AM – App. 3:00 pm
Lunch: Served at TT Arkansas boathouse
Minimum age: 16 years old

AM Trip: \$110 adult

Description:

Action packed stretch of river. One is surrounded by the beauty of Colorado fourteeners. Fast moving.

NUMBERS EXPRESS*

Class IV (Advanced)

Pick up: Meet at Granite Boathouse at 12:30 pm
Return: Return to boathouse app. 3:30 pm
Snack: Served at end of trip

Trip: \$79 adult

*This trip requires drive to Arkansas Boathouse

RIVER TRIP DESCRIPTIONS

ULTIMATE TRIPS

PINE CREEK/NUMBERS ARKANSAS RIVER

Class IV-V (Expert)

Time of Year: Mid June through early August
Pick up: Approximately 8:00 am
Return: Approximately 4:00 pm
Lunch: Served at TT Arkansas boathouse
Minimum age: 16 years old

Trip: \$135 adult

Description:

An action packed stretch of river with continuous rapids. Pine Creek Class V rapid is run during appropriate levels and is portaged during highwater season.

- Minimum age subject to change due to water levels
- Bathrooms available at boathouse, port-a-potties at put in and takeout
- Above times include travel to and from the river and time on the river

GORE CANYON OF THE COLORADO RIVER

Class IV-V (Expert)

Time of Year: Mid July through early September
Pick up: Approximately 8:00 am
Return: Approximately 5:00 pm
Lunch: Served riverside at takeout
Minimum age: 18 years old

Trip: \$180 adult

Description:

Colorado's first outfitter to run trips down Gore Canyon! The adventure begins as a float trip and turns into non-stop whitewater.

Class V (Expert) - Prior to Class V section guides lead guests through a mandatory swim test: swimming a class II rapid, learning to catch and throw a throw-bag and getting out from under a flipped raft. If one does not pass swim test, they will walk around Class V rapids.

Class IV (Expert) - If you choose to do the Class IV Gore trip you will not have to do a swim test You will, however, have a mandatory portage around two Class V rapids (Gore and Tunnel).

Must be extremely comfortable with H2O sports.

Five miles of intense rapids, including three waterfalls up to 12 feet high.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- Whitewater Rafting -

What should I wear?

Timberline Tours provides *FREE OF CHARGE!*

- Wetsuits (when needed) • Splash jackets • Helmets • Paddles • Life Jackets (PFD)

Please bring the following:

- **Footwear** Bring shoes that stay securely on your feet and that you don't mind getting wet. Sport sandals (that strap on), tennis shoes or water shoes all work very well. **FLIP-FLOPS NOT RECOMMENDED!** Timberline Tours sells inexpensive/affordable water shoes in our retail store in Eagle and at the Granite boathouse.
- **Swimsuit** to wear under wetsuit or to wear with personal nylon short or pant
- **Sunglasses** and strap to secure glasses (also sold in retail store)
- **Sunscreen**
- **Extra Layers** such as lightweight fleece or polypropylene (synthetic layer) or quick-dry clothing. Most of the summer it is too hot to wear a wetsuit, on our Class III stretches, so please bring swimsuits and quick drying shorts (nylon) for river. Please be advised that wetsuits are mandatory on our Class IV/V stretches, but extra clothing is still advisable. We highly recommend not wearing COTTON on the river as it stays wet and will make you cold.

Can I bring a camera?

- Only waterproof; we sell disposable at our boathouse shops
- On river photo companies will be taking pictures at various locations for purchase

Class II

- Float trip; minimum age 4
- Duckies available
- Oar frame or paddle boat

Class III-V

- Guides prepare all guests with a safety talk
- Trips vary in difficulty, but every trip has stretches of whitewater and calm water
- Guides teach dryland paddling skills followed by practice commands.
- Class III – for rapids must be 50 lbs./ approximate minimum age 6
- Class IV – must be 100 lbs./adult life jacket/ approximate minimum age 14-16

(PLEASE CHECK INDIVIDUAL TRIP DESCRIPTION FOR MINIMUM AGE)

JEEP TOURS

FAMILY FRIENDLY TRIPS

Join Timberline Tours for an Off-road Adventure

We have Jeep Trips available on a wide variety of trails throughout the Eagle River Valley and Summit County. Our knowledgeable Guides will take guests off the beaten path, traveling to over 10,000 feet in elevation in many areas.

Below is a synopsis of a few of our more popular trails in the Vail Valley

Castle Peak Trail

Located in Wolcott, this is an incredibly scenic off-road trail which leads passengers past huge, open fields of wildflowers and crystal blue ponds and explores an 8,000 year old extinct volcano.

Vistas stretching for 60-70 miles in all directions highlight several mountain ranges, including Sawatch, New York, Gore, 10-Mile, Mosquito and Mount of the Holy Cross.

Lake Creek Trail

This forested off-road trail leads passengers to the old Baryetta Cabins homestead, which was used for gold and silver mining in the late 1800's.

At the end of the trail, a pretty meadow near a beaver dam provides the perfect backdrop for a snack.

Time of Year: May - October

Morning Trip: Approx 9:00 am pick-up - approx 1:00 pm return

Afternoon Trip: Approx 2:00 pm pick-up - approx 6:00 pm return

Snack: drinks and snack served during trip

Trip: \$79 adult, \$69 12 & under (child), \$45 6 & under (youth)

- Minimum age 2-4 years
- Bathrooms available before start of trip
- Above times are door to door

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- Jeep Tours -

What should I wear?

- Layer your clothing so you will be comfortable in varying temperatures.
- Darker clothes are preferred, as it can be dusty.
- Sunscreen.
- Sunglass straps.
- Sneakers or decent footwear.
- Hat

Can I bring a camera?

- Absolutely! You will enjoy beautiful scenery and spectacular vistas.

How long is the tour?

- Tours last approximately 4 hours door to door.
- Tours are twice daily at: 9:00 am and 2:00 pm.
- Flexible times available for special group outings made in advance.

In what kind of jeep are we riding?

- Jeep Scramblers and Wranglers: we have 8 open-air Jeeps, which have a long wheelbase, creating a smooth ride.
- Four of the jeeps have 6-7 passenger bench seating.
- Four of the jeeps have 5 passenger bucket seating.

Refreshments

- Refreshments and snack are provided for regular trips.
- Catered lunches can be arranged for special groups for an additional fee.



TIMBERLINE TOURS

(970) 476-1414

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Effective 5/1/11-10/1/11

25 passenger mini coaches

10-14 passenger vans

MINI COACHES (PEOPLE MOVERS)

Top of the line and *NEW*

Rack Rate - \$150.00

VANS

Rack Rate - \$65.00

****4 Hour Minimum; 24 hour cancellation policy applies**

Flexible – Professional – Friendly

We can take care of most special event transportation needs

Charged on the half hour after the 4 hour minimum

Charge 1/2 price for wait time

Private Weddings – Dinner Excursions – Private Venue