

## 2021 Teton Ogre Race Update #2

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Dear 2021 Ogres,

Woohoo it's less than two months until race day! The snow is melting fast now, and we will be able to get out on course soon to start getting everything dialed. In the meantime, we wanted to reach out with another race update, since June will be here before we know it! There's a lot of important information below, so please read thoroughly and team captains, please make sure your teammates have read through everything as well.

#### **IMPORTANT SCHEDULE CHANGE**

We have updated the race schedule! While Friday's 8-hour race will remain the same, we have moved Saturday's 8-hour and the 24-hour race schedule *one hour later*. Saturday's 8-hour race will now start at 9am and finish at 5pm. The 24-hour race will start at 11:30am and will finish Sunday at 11:30am. See the [race details page](#) for more.

#### **CANOE RENTAL DEADLINE**

As mentioned in your first racer update, we have a limited number of canoes available to rent for \$30. They will be at the race venue ready for you (no need to transport them yourselves!), and rental will include paddles and PFDs if you need those as well. *Please reserve your canoes no later than MAY 15th!*

[CLICK HERE to reserve a canoe for FRIDAY'S 8-HOUR RACE](#)

[CLICK HERE to reserve a canoe for SATURDAY'S 8-HOUR RACE](#)

[CLICK HERE to reserve a canoe for the 24-HOUR RACE](#)

#### **ROSTER CHANGES**

As race directors, it's super helpful if we know of any team changes or cancellations as early as possible. So, if you have any changes or even if you just anticipate a change, we'd love it if you could please let us know ASAP. :)

#### **SPONSORS and NOT-TO-MISS DEALS FOR RACERS!!**

We couldn't put on the Teton Ogre without our amazing sponsors, most of whom have been supporting us from the very beginning!

- **PEAKED SPORTS:** A great sports shop in Driggs, ID. Offering all kinds of outdoor gear as well as bike and boat rentals.
- **KATE'S REAL FOOD:** Locally owned and operated organic energy bar company. We don't race without 'em! Absolutely delicious and nutritious.
- **FORAGE BISTRO** and **CITIZEN 33 BREWERY:** For the first time ever, we have a local restaurant sponsor! Located in Driggs, these are two of the best spots to eat in the whole region. You can expect some delicious food and beer at the finish line!
- **GARAGE GROWN GEAR:** Founded by a local adventure racer and outdoor enthusiast herself, Garage Grown Gear features a huge selection of independently owned small

outdoor gear brands. Use code **OGREGEAR12** or [follow this link](#) for 12% off everything on site!

- **[OUT THERE USA:](#)** The best backpacks out there for adventure racing! Made for adventure racing, by a champion adventure racer himself. Use code **TetonOgre20** for 20% off!
- **[BARRELS & BINS NATURAL MARKET:](#)** Located in Driggs, this community grocer offers everything from fresh-pressed organic juice and smoothies, to all the energy food you'll need to get through the Ogre!
- **[PEAK PRINTING:](#)** Local print shop in Driggs, printing all our maps for the past 8 years!

We'd also like to thank [Digeteks](#), [Kuat](#), and [Tailwind](#) for their generous sponsorship of the Rocky Mountain Adventure Series.

### **GEAR BINS**

Each individual will be allowed a bin or bag in which they can keep their transition area gear. We are not limiting the size of bins, but ask that you keep it to one bin or bag per racer and that all bins/bags belonging to each team can be stacked in order to conserve space. We recommend that these bins/bags are waterproof, in case of rain.

### **WAIVERS**

In an effort to streamline pre-race tasks, we will be asking all racers to *please print and sign* their race waivers ahead of time, and bring them with you to race check-in. Captains, please make sure that you coordinate this with your teammates and come ready to hand over your team's signed waivers on race morning. No waivers, no maps! Each individual racer must sign both waivers, and racers under age 18 must have a guardian sign for them.

Here are links to both waivers:

[USARA Waiver](#)

[USFS Acknowledgement of Risk](#)

### **FUTURE UPDATES**

We anticipate sending out one more racer update in late May or early June, then we will be sending out a ton more info the week leading up to the race. Teams, please communicate with each other to make sure everyone is getting all this info. We know it's a lot to take in, but our goal is to make race morning as stress-free and organized as possible, so you can focus on your maps!

Can't wait to see you in June, and as always, please reach out to us with questions anytime.

-Abby and Jason