2021 Teton Ogre Race Update #3 06.08.21

Dear 2021 Ogres,

The final countdown to race day has begun and we can't wait to send you all out on course! There's a lot of important information below, so please read thoroughly! Team captains, please make sure your teammates have read through everything as well.

This is the last pre-race update until Tuesday, June 22nd, when we will send out details such as race start/finish location and a preliminary course outline, (which will help you immensely with your final race prep and organizing)!

UPDATED COVID-19 MASK POLICY

We are taking COVID-19 seriously and want to ensure that all our race participants, as well as our community, are safe. We kindly ask that all *unvaccinated* participants wear a face mask whenever social distancing is not possible. This includes when checking-in, at the pre-race meeting, at transition areas, and at the post-race gathering. We really appreciate your cooperation in helping us keep our event safe for all! We will continue to monitor the local COVID situation closely and will change this requirement if necessary.

IMPORTANT TO-DO'S BEFORE THE RACE:

 Print and sign your 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 each waiver, and racers under age 18 must have a guardian sign for them.

Here are links to the waivers:

USARA Waiver

USFS Acknowledgement of Risk

NEW! Canoe Rental Waiver (for those of you renting canoes from us)

- Read through the <u>Gear List</u> and <u>Race Details</u> page carefully. A successful adventure
 race depends largely on how organized you are beforehand. It's never too early to start
 going through your gear and thinking through your race plans and strategies.
- Take advantage of these great offers and stock up on some gear!
 - OUT THERE USA: The best backpacks out there for adventure racing! Made for adventure racing, by a champion adventure racer. Use code TetonOgre20 for 20% off!
 - 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 <u>follow this link</u> for 12% off everything on site!

• **Check your email on Tuesday, June 22nd** for the FINAL pre-race update! This is when you'll start getting all the info you've been patiently waiting for!

CANOE RENTALS

We still have a few canoes available for both 8-hour races. If you're a solo racer and have rented a canoe, please reach out to us—we do not recommend these canoes for solo racers!

CLICK HERE to reserve a canoe for FRIDAY'S 8-HOUR RACE

CLICK HERE to reserve a canoe for SATURDAY'S 8-HOUR 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 soon! Reach out with questions anytime.

-Abby and Jason