******Tay Canal Tour (ONEC) - May 25, 2024**

***Don’t miss this early season row!***

The Tay Canal is a historic route, built in 1831 as part of the Rideau Canal system. We will follow the canal rowing through a rural landscape, passing period houses, farms, and marshland, as well as sections of the Pike River, from which the Tay Canal was built.

This is a full day tour of approximately 22 km. with a lunch stop at Beveridges Lockstation, a Lockstation that features 2 locks separated by a short canal. After the row, join us for dinner (not included in the fee) at the Maximilian Restaurant in the heritage town of Perth

**Registration deadline May 13**

**Date:** May 25, 2024

**Starting point:** Meet in Perth at Last Duel Park at **8:30 AM** to rig boats

**Lunch stop:** Beveridges Lockstation - ***please bring your own lunch***

Once through the locks, the route continues to the Rideau Canal and Lower Rideau Lake, ending at Poomamalie Lockstation

**Take-out:** Poonamalie Lockstation between 3and 4 PM

**Dinner:** Maximilian Restaurant, 99 Gore St E., Perth

 Please indicate your interest in dinner on the Registration Form

**Tour fee:** $65.00 - Includes: seat charge, snacks and water for the boats, truck rental and gas

**Email your registration form and e-transfer to** [**rowingtours@onec.ca**](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5CJoan%5CRowing%5Crowingtours%40onec.ca)

**If you prefer to send a cheque, make it payable to *ONEC Touring Committee* and send it to**

**Joan Robertson, 406-211 Second Ave, Ottawa, ON K1S 2H8.**

Please direct any questions to [rowingtours@onec.ca](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5CJoan%5CRowing%5Crowingtours%40onec.ca)

**What to bring:** Rowing apparel, swimsuit, reusable water bottle(s), hat, sunscreen, bug spray, rain gear

Tay Canal History: [Perth & District Historical Society - A Very Brief History of the Tay Canal (perthhs.org)](https://www.perthhs.org/history/tay-brief.html#:~:text=The%20first%20Tay%20Canal%20opened,Port%20Elmsley%20and%20the%20Town.)

Interested in adding a second rowing day? See Bobs Lake Tour on the OAR website.

## Registration Form for: ONEC Tay Canal Tour, 25 May 2024

**Name:**

**RCA Number: Club Affiliation:**

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| Street Address:   |
| City/Town: Province: Postal Code:   |
| Telephone (home): Telephone (mobile):  |
| E-mail address:  |
| Emergency Contact & Relationship: Telephone: |
| I will join the dinner in Perth  Yes\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

**Assumption of Risk, Liability Waiver, and Conduct Agreement**

**Assumption of risk**: I recognise that the use of the facilities and services of Ontario Adventure Rowing (OAR), and the host club (if any), as well as rowing on open water and related activities, such as but not limited to, loading, rigging and derigging the boats, and launching, landing, and locking through, involve potential risks.

**Liability Waiver**: I undertake, in my personal capacity and on behalf of those whom I represent or have custody of, and my heirs and assigns, to indemnify and save harmless OAR, its officers, and the host club (if any), their officers and other representatives, and their successors, heirs and assigns, from and against all claims, damages, loss, costs and expenses relating to any injury including death, or loss of, or damage to, my or any third party's property arising out of, or being incidental to my presence at the event.

**Public Health Regulations:** I certify that I will obey all public safety regulations and protocols. I accept the risk that despite following these regulations, I may contract an infectious disease while participating in an OAR event.

**Fitness to row**: I am an experienced sculler, and I am fit enough to row 30 km in one day, and I can swim 50 m.

**OAR** **Membership**: I am a member of OAR (either individually or through my club).

I agree to the terms of this waiver and provide my signature below as evidence of my agreement.

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**Signature and Date**