

TRENT RIVER, MUDDY COVE PADDLE
MONDAY February 4, 2008

WHEN: 10:00 A.M. at put-in for 10:30 departure.

WHERE: Tar Landing in River Bend, NC

DIRECTIONS: Heading south on Hwy 17 from New Bern, turn left into River Bend on Shoreline Drive. At the Village Center, turn right on Plantation Drive and go to the first street on left. Turn left on Gatewood Drive and follow around (past stop sign) to Tar Landing Road (1/2 mile). Turn left and continue to end of road. (No restrooms)

PADDLE DISTANCE: About 6 miles

DIFFICULTY: Easy but wind dependent.

SKILL REQUIREMENTS: Novice to intermediate

Please consider your paddle abilities and weather conditions. This is a winter paddle and you should dress appropriately.

TRIP DETAILS: We will put in at Tar Landing and explore the small coves near there and then proceed downstream to Muddy Cove and go up the various creeks that feed into it. We will then return to Tar Landing. There are few possibilities for take-outs on this trip, but we can use our imagination if necessary. There may be some wild life. In addition to the usual waterfowl and animal life, black bears have been sighted in Muddy Cove. One small cove is a stomping ground for Turkey Buzzards.

LUNCH: On the water on back at Tar Landing.

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