

Skye Sea Kayak Expedition 26th June 2017

General Expedition Information

- Dates: Monday 26th June – Friday 30th June 2017
- Cost: £600 (£200 deposit payable at time of booking; balance payment due 8 weeks before departure)
- Number of kayakers: 10 (including 2 qualified guides).
- Accommodation: Wild camping with all meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner) included.

Kayaking arrangements and information

Itinerary: The exact itinerary for the expedition is dependent on the weather forecast for the week and a plan is made on the morning of departure once we have this.

The options and routes are many and varied, and our aim is to paddle the best sections of Skye's coastline given the prevailing weather.

Useful OS Landranger maps for the expedition are numbers 23 (North Skye), 24 (Raasay & Applecross), 32 (South Skye & Cuillin Hills).

Kayak coaches: [Will Copestake](#) (UKCC 4 star Sea Kayak Leader & aspirant 5 star Sea Kayak Leader)
William Evans (UKCC 4 star Sea Kayak Leader & aspirant 5 star Sea Kayak Leader)

Kayaking gear: We may encounter a range of weather and sea conditions so be prepared for most eventualities. Bring your normal summer paddling kit (Scottish summer!).

Things you need to Bring: Kayak*, paddle*, Buoyancy Aid*
Kayaking clothing*
Drybags*
Camping gear (tent, sleeping bag, sleeping mat, mug, dish, cutlery)
Personal kayaking equipment
Head torch, midge net, sun cream
Clothes, toiletries, camera, and other personal items
Drinks (tea, coffee, whisky! etc) and snacks

* Items marked are included in the price if you wish to use ours

Travel and meeting up arrangements:

Meeting date/time: Monday 26th June 2016 9.30am

Meeting place: Kyle of Lochalsh (exact details to be confirmed).

Travel: Transport links are excellent. By road, it's less than 2 hours from Inverness or Fort William. A [bus service](#) operates from Inverness, Glasgow and Fort William to Kyle of Lochalsh. There's also a direct [rail service](#) from Inverness to Kyle of Lochalsh.

Return: Friday 30th June - approximately 4.00pm

Accommodation: Please make your own accommodation arrangements for Sunday 26th June and also at the end of the trip when the expedition finishes.

Hotels, Guest Houses and B&Bs can be found on the [Visit Scotland](#) , [Skye and Lochalsh](#), and [Plockton](#) websites. There are campsites on Skye at [Ashaig](#) and [Sligachan](#), and also at [Reraig](#) in Lochalsh just before you cross the Skye Bridge.