

Memorial Day Paddle

4th Annual Community Paddle Event *Monday, May 27*

Canoes, Kayaks, and Paddleboards, oh my!

Join us on the Chisago Lakes Water Trail!



Paddle 1, 3, 4, or all 6 lakes, depending on your choice of launch sites. You can start as early as 9:00am for the full experience or as late as 1:00pm for the short version.

The full flotilla will culminate the paddle at approximately 2:00pm in Center City, across from the Grumpy Minnow where the "After Paddle Party" will commence.



Map and details on back.

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Start at Ojiketa or join the Flotilla at any of the other 3 locations along the route!

#1—OJIKETA PARK LAUNCH

Meet at Ojiketa Park at **9:00**. Look for Bill Mack, You won't be able to miss him! Leave at 9:15. Paddle Big Green, Little Green, portage 6 blocks to Chisago Lake. This launch site will allow you to paddle all 6 lakes.

#2—PARADISE PARK LAUNCH

Meet at Paradise Park about **10:30**. Watch for Paddlers coming from the west (Group #1). Join them for the 4 lake paddle. Leaving about 10:45-11:00.

#3— LINDSTROM BEACH LAUNCH

Meet at Lindstrom Beach about **noon**. Watch for the flotilla of groups #1 & #2 coming from the west. The next stretch we will take on the channel between North Lindstrom and North Center. This can be challenging depending on the water level of the lakes. We will "pre-paddle" and make sure it is safe, marked, and passable.

#4A —HIGHWAY 8 DNR LANDING &

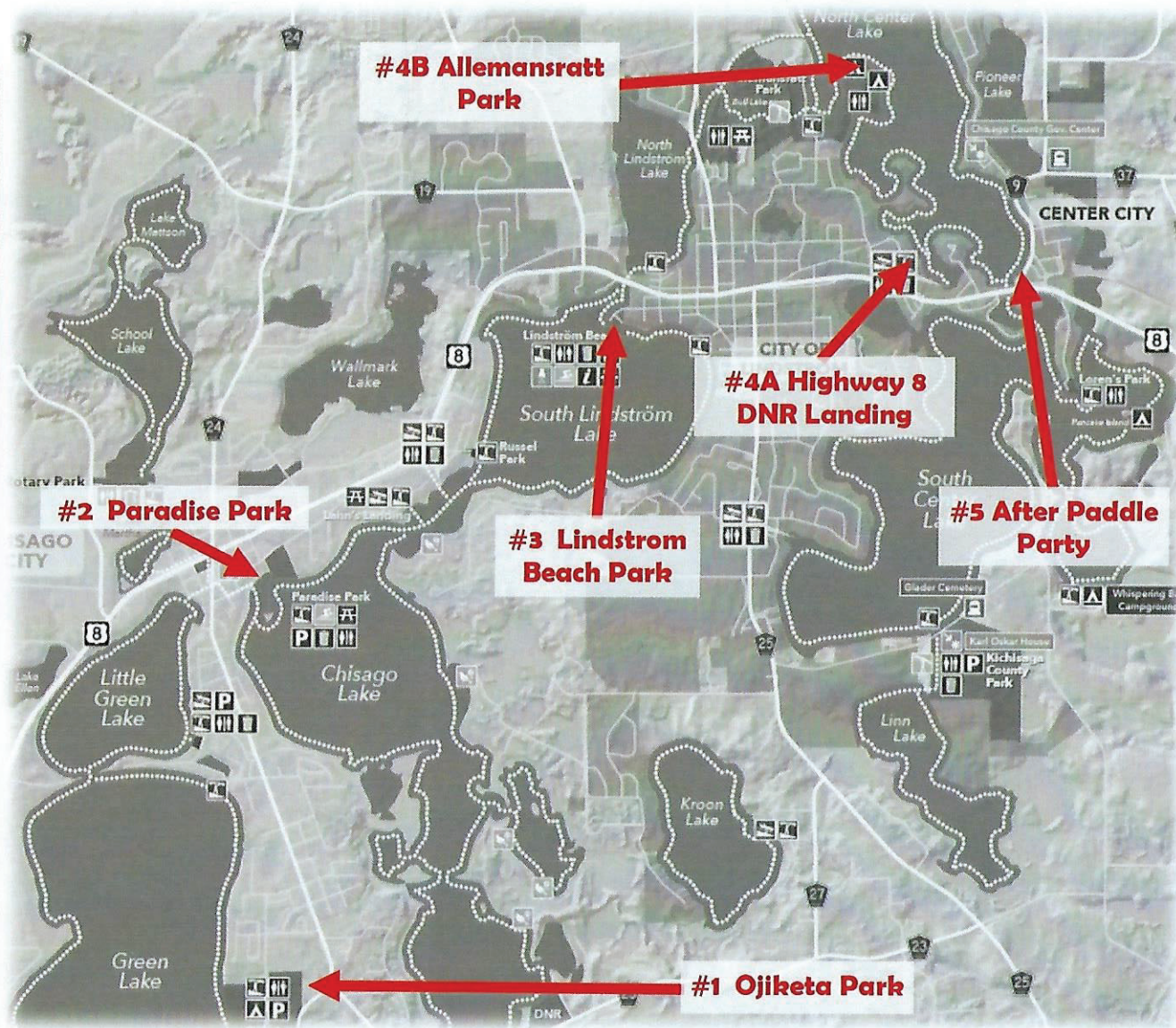
#4B- ALLEMANSRATT PARK

Put in about **1:00** at the (4A) DNR Landing off of Highway 8, just east of the Chisago Lakes Middle school. Paddle to the beach on the NE side of (#4B)Allemansratt Park. Watch for the parade of boats coming from the North. Leave about **1:30** for the final leg.

#5—AFTER PADDLE PARTY

Arrive at the landing in Center City across from the Grumpy Minnow about **2:00**. You are on your own for food & beverages at the Grumpy Minnow or Pizza Pub. Relax, rehydrate, & share stories!

Questions? Contact Bill @651-402-5429.



Reminders:

Don't forget to bring water to hydrate, sunscreen, insect repellent, and your own Personal Floatation Device. Bring a dolly or sufficient muscles. If you choose the #1 Ojiketa Park Launch site, you will need to portage,

Also, we recommend that you layer for the weather.

We will have "some" transportation available to get you back to your vehicle and a secure place in Center City to leave your boat while you retrieve your vehicle.