

FISHING FLOAT TRIPS

 Many of West Virginia's streams offer excellent float trip fishing when water conditions are suitable. Some popular trips are listed below.

Cacapon River

From	To	Miles
Wardensville.....	Capon Lake.....	8.5
Capon Lake.....	Yellow Springs.....	2.5
Yellow Springs.....	Yellow Springs North.....	5.0
Yellow Springs North.....	Rt. 127 Bridge.....	19.0
Rt. 127 Bridge.....	Cacapon Crossings.....	9.0
Cacapon Crossings.....	Fishers Ford Bridge.....	18.0
Fishers Ford Bridge*.....	Cacapon Power Plant.....	8.5
Cacapon Power Plant.....	Great Cacapon.....	2.8

* Contains dam to be portaged.

Cheat River

From	To	Miles
Hendricks.....	Parsons.....	3.2
Parsons.....	Holly Meadows.....	3.1
Holly Meadows.....	St. George.....	8.1
St. George.....	Hannahsville Ford.....	8.4
Hannahsville Ford.....	Riverview Lounge.....	12.4
Riverview Lounge.....	Rowlesburg.....	3.3

Greenbrier River

From	To	Miles
Renick.....	Anthony Bridge.....	10.0
Anthony Bridge.....	Caldwell.....	12.7
Caldwell.....	Ronceverte.....	6.0
Ronceverte.....	Fort Spring.....	8.5
Fort Spring*.....	Alderson.....	6.0
Alderson.....	Talcott Bridge.....	13.0
Talcott Bridge**.....	Barger Springs.....	4.5
Barger Springs.....	Willow Wood Bridge.....	6.0

* Contains rapids for experienced canoeists only.

**Contains two falls to be portaged.

New River*

From	To	Miles
Shanklins Ferry.....	Mouth of Indian Creek.....	6.0
Below Sandstone Falls.....	Prince.....	12.0
Prince.....	Thurmond.....	12.0

* Only experienced boaters should attempt to float the New River
Portaging some areas will be necessary.

South Branch River

From	To	Miles
Petersburg Bridge.....	Welton Park.....	3.0
Welton Park.....	Fisher Bridge South.....	5.5
Fisher Bridge South.....	Fisher Bridge.....	2.5
Fisher Bridge.....	Old Fields Bridge.....	4.5
Old Fields Bridge.....	South Branch WMA (McNeill) ..	5.0
South Branch WMA (McNeill) ..	Harmisons.....	7.0
Harmisons.....	Stony Run.....	1.5
Stony Run.....	Romney Bridge.....	8.75
Romney Bridge.....	Hanging Rock.....	5.0
Hanging Rock.....	Blues Beach Bridge.....	4.5
Blues Beach Bridge.....	Maple Landing.....	7.5
Maple Landing.....	Millesons Mill Bridge.....	2.0
Millesons Mill Bridge.....	Blue Ford South/North.....	4.75
Blue Ford South/North.....	Indian Rock.....	4.0
Indian Rock.....	Mouth of South Branch.....	4.5

Walhonde Water Trail (Coal River System)

BIG COAL RIVER

From	To	Miles
Whitesville.....	Orgas.....	9.0
Orgas.....	John Slack Park.....	11.0
John Slack Park.....	Dartmont.....	9.0
Dartmont.....	Lions Park.....	12.0

LITTLE COAL RIVER

From	To	Miles
Madison City Park.....	Donald Kuhn Juv. Ctr.....	9.0
Donald P. Kuhn Juv. Ctr.....	Waterway Park.....	6.0
Waterway Park.....	Ivy Branch.....	3.0
Ivy Branch.....	Forks of Coal PAS.....	9.0
Forks of Coal PAS.....	Lions Park.....	2.0

COAL RIVER

From	To	Miles
Meadowood Park*.....	Lower Falls.....	6.0
Lower Falls.....	Gateway Shopping Ctr.....	5.5

* Unimproved access below Upper Falls Dam**

**Danger: No Portage around Upper Falls Dam