Important Information

RESERVATIONS are required.

CANCELATION POLICY Reservations are non-refundable and non-transferable. If there is a change of plans due to weather, the rain date will be Sunday, September 18th.

AGE POLICY Participants must be 18 years of age or older.

WHAT TO BRING/WHAT TO WEAR

- Clothing and shoes that can (and probably will) get wet.
- Sunscreen, sunglasses, a hat, and a bottle of water.
- A watch or cellphone (in a ziplock or drybag) that has a clock.
- A towel to dry off after your trip.

Greenwich Historical Society is not responsible for lost, misplaced, or stolen personal items. Please leave valuables in your vehicle.

SKILL REQUIREMENTS Renters must have the adequate skill required to handle renting the vessel. Greenwich Historical Society reserves the right to restrict rentals due to skill and conditions.

IS THERE A WEIGHT LIMIT?

Single kayaks have a weight capacity of 330lbs.

Double kayaks have a weight capacity of 550lbs.

WILL I GET WET?

This is a water sport and you should expect to get wet. You have the potential to fall into the water, so you should have the ability to swim. Life jackets should be worn at all times. Rentals are not intended to be diving or swimming platforms and your safety while on the water is your responsibility. Please be safe at all times by being mindful of the depth of water, conditions, and other watercraft.

DO I HAVE TO WEAR A LIFE JACKET? For your safety we recommend life jackets be worn at all times. CT state law requires anyone 12 or younger to wear one at all times. If you are older than 12, you must have the life jacket on and buckled when you leave the dock. If you lose the life jacket, you will be required to pay for it. CT state law also requires that all participants wear life jackets prior to May 31.

WHAT IF THE WEATHER IS BAD? Greenwich Historical Society reserves the right to cancel any trip due to weather conditions. High winds, heavy rain, or imminent storms – we cancel for you – call us if you are not sure. Note that the weather changes quickly in this region, storms forecasted frequently pass us by. For this reason, we reserve the right to make a determination 1 hour prior to booking times. If we have to cancel because of the weather we will hold the tour on the rain date of Sunday, September 18th.