



*Three Otters Eco Retreat, LLC:
Riverside Adventures & Education*

Directions from Baltimore & DC

Phone: 304-947-5446, you are welcome to call when you are 45 minutes out and we will know to look for you.

**Do NOT rely on GPS once outside of Berkeley Springs or Paw Paw or YOU WILL GET LOST!!
Also, gas up. There are no gas stations in Great Cacapon!!**

- Take 70 West to 522 South at Hancock (If coming from DC area, take 270 North to 70 West);
- Follow 522 South into Berkeley Springs, WV (6.2 miles);
- In Berkeley Springs, go RIGHT at the 1st light on Route 9 West and follow 9 miles to RIGHT on Detour Road (Tip: Detour is 2.3 miles past the town of Great Cacapon)
- Follow Detour Road 6.6 miles until it ends. Slow down, take your time. Detour Road is a winding, hilly road with blind turns, steep drops and no guardrails;
- At the end of Detour Road, turn RIGHT on Magnolia Rd;
- Follow Magnolia for 2.2 miles. It's a long downhill and just as it levels out at the bottom the road bends to the right. Continue until you **GO UNDER THE TRAIN BRIDGE.**
- At this point the pavement ends and the road forks into 2 dirt roads, **TAKE THE LEFT FORK** (do not go back under the railroad bridge!).
- You are now on Low Line Road (or "River Road"). **NOW STOP & SET YOUR ODOMETER! You are 3.6 miles from Three Otters;**
- This is a rough, bouncy ride for the first half mile so go slow.
- **NOTE:** You will know you are going the right way when you pass under an old abandoned railroad bridge in about 0.4 miles and the river will be on your left;
- Three Otters will be on your left. Look for the sign and the driveway that has a large gate painted silver and a guard rail going down the left hand side. The driveway is the last possible left turn before you come to another retired train bridge. If you come to this bridge, you have gone too far. Just turn around and take your first RIGHT.

*Low Line Road (River Road) is a hard packed gravel road which is an old railroad bed. It has big dips and large gravel which makes it a bumpy road. While there is no risk of getting stuck, after a heavy rain some of the dips can fill with water, so skirt to one side or another. Do not go through the middle. While it is nice to have a vehicle with high clearance, we routinely drive our min-van to Three Otters. Just go slow!

8497 Low Line Road, Great Cacapon, WV 25422 (do not use GPS!)