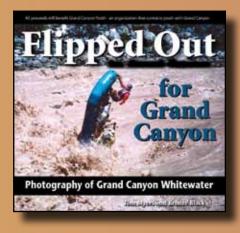


The Whale Foundation

The Whale Foundation provides confidential access to mental and physical health care professionals and a network of support services designed to restore, promote and celebrate the well being of the Grand Canyon River Guiding Community.



Curtis "Whale" Hansen



Flipped Out for Grand Canyon -

is a new book to be published this year. It will exhibit a collection of whitewater photography from Grand Canyon, compiled by Tom Myers and Bronze Black. The book will be a unique repository of some never-before-published photographs of Colorado River runners' most amazing moments.

One Hundred percent of the profits will go directly to Grand Canyon Youth (GCY). The Whale Foundation is a proud supporter of GCY who's mission is to give youth an experiential education along the rivers and canyons of the Southwest in an effort to promote personal growth, environmental awareness, community involvement, and teamwork among people of diverse backgrounds.

We need your help. If you have amazing whitewater photographs of Grand Canyon, like the shots in this calendar, or other super-unique shots of the canyon, we would love to see them.

Please send samples to: canyondoc@gmail.com, or bronzeblack@mac.com. Thank you!

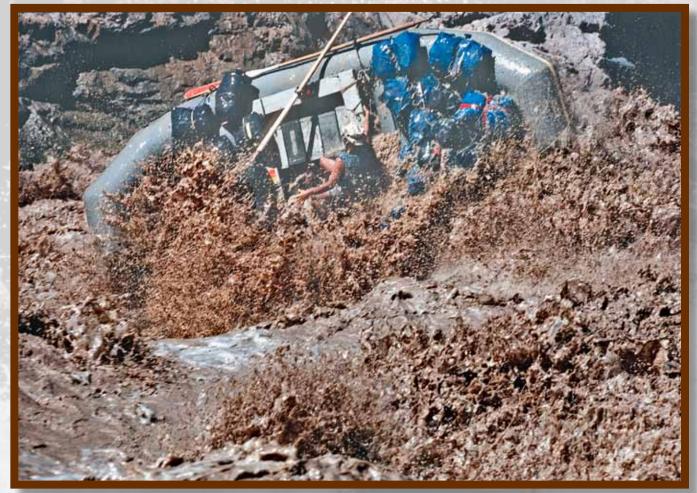


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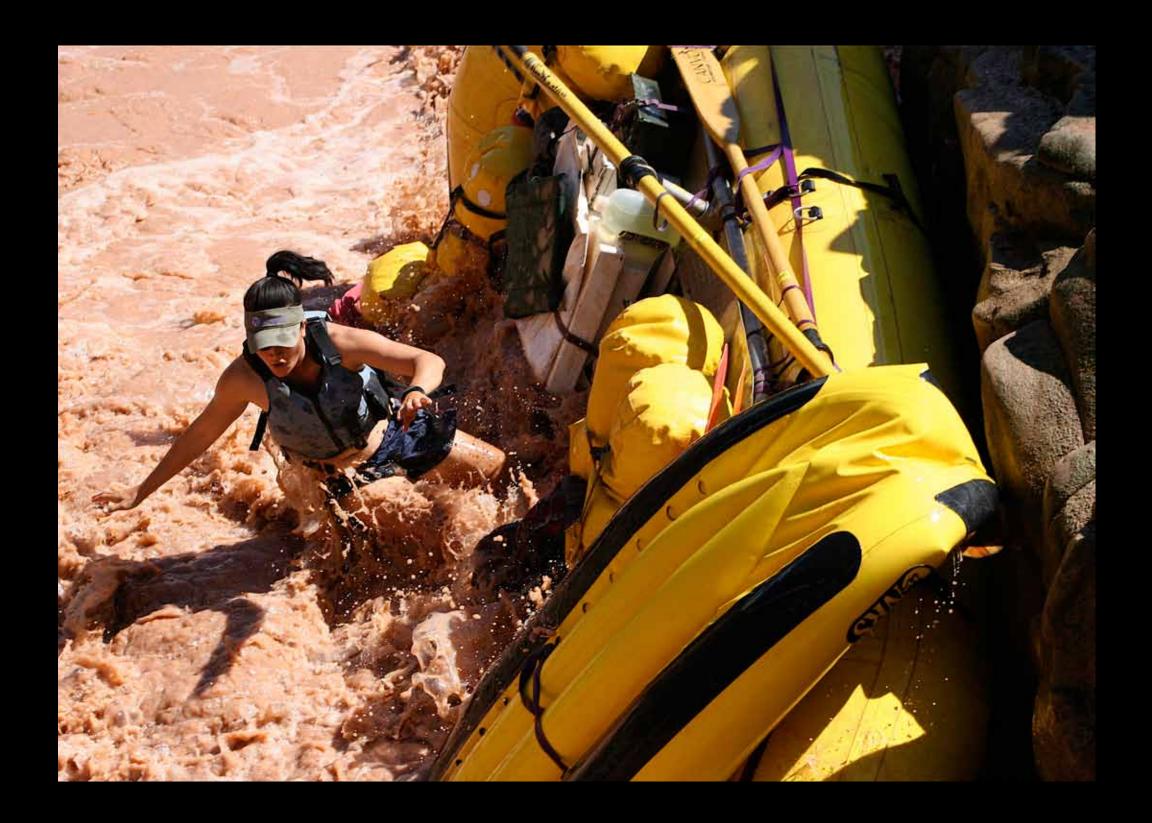
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Left at Bedrock Rapid. photo by Matt Fahey

DECEMBER 2013

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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8	9	10	11	12	13	14
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15	16	17 0	18	19	20	21
2001-First riverboarders Kalafatich, Munger and Rusch run through Grand Canyon						
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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1905- Bessie Louise Haley (later Hyde) born in Takoma Park, Maryland						



JANUARY 2014

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		gapher unknown	New Year's Day	2	3	4
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26	27 1908-Bert Loper departs Lees Ferry rowing upstream to Hite	28	29	30	31	



A metal Osprey on-end in Lava Falls. photo by Zach Fitzgerald

FEBRUARY 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		© Kent Wagner				1
2	3	1890-Stanton Expedition arrives at Bright Angel Creek	5	6	7	1908-Charles Russell and Edwin Monett arrive at Needles
9	10	11	12	13	14 Ovalentine's Day	15
16	17 Presidents' Day	18	19	1929-Rangers Sturdevant and Johnson drown in Horn Creek Rapid after a failed crossing		22
23	24	25	26 1919-Grand Canyon becomes a National Park under Woodrow Wilson	27	28	



MARCH 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		© Bart Henderson				1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8 1858-Ives Expedtion explores upstream to Black Canyon and overland to Diamond Creek
9	10	111	12	13	14	15
16 1890-Stanton Expedition exits Grand Wash Cliff	St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21	22
1988-Grand Canyon Rive Guides is formed 30	1834-John Wesley Powell born, Mt. Morris, NY	25	26	27	28	29 1946-Curtis "Whale" Hansen born



APRIL 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
		1975-Hiker finds skeleton near Cardenas Creek later identified as Bert Loper				
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			1908-Norman Davies Nevills born in Chico, California			
13	14	15	16	17	18 Good Friday	19
					Good Triday	
	1955-John Daggett swims beneath President Harding Rock					
20 Easter Sunday	21	22	23	24	25	26
Easter Suriday		Earth Day				
1902-Bus Hatch born in Vernal, Utah						1890-Stanton Expedition reaches the Gulf of California
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An oar boat on edge in Hermit Rapid. photo by Pat Cyr

MAY 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			© Kathleen Sutchfield	1	2	1836-Denis Julien inscribes his name along river at Heall Roaring Canyon
4	5	6	7	8	9	100 1909-Haldane "Buzz" Holmstrom born in Schofield, Oregon
11 Mother's Day	12 1992-Georgie White Clark dies in Las Vegas	13	14	15 O	16	17
18 1946-Buzz Holmstrom found dead on the sore of the Grande Ronde River, Oregon	19	20	21	22	23	24 1869-Powell launches first expedition from Green River, Wyoming
25	26 Memorial Day	27	28	29	30	31



JUNE 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1869-Powell's No Name wrecked in Disaster Falls		Warm Springs Rapid born on Yampa River				1967-Jesse "Shorty" Burton drowned in Upset Rapid
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Father's Day						
					1938-Flzada Clover and Lois lotter become first	
		1949-Ed Hudson's Esmeralda II becomes first powerboat to run Grand Canyon			1938-Elzada Clover and Lois Jotter become first women to traverse Grand Canyon launching from Green River, Utah with Norm Nevills	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	1956-Two airliners collided over confluence of Little Colorado killing all 128 on board					
29	30			ALCO AND THE REAL PROPERTY.		
					Smith	
1983-Colorado River reaches post-dam peak of 92,000 cfs at Lees Ferry				A STATE OF THE STA	© Curt S	
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Wesley Smith engulfed in Lava Falls. photo by David Edwards

JULY 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4 Independence Day	5
		1912-The Kolb brothers give first presentation of their lecture and film				
1960-Jon Hamilton pilots four jetboats up Lava Falls	7	8	9	1889-Frank M. Brown drowns near Salt Water Wash	11	12
13	14	15	16 1889-Peter Hansbrough and Henry Richards drown at 25-Mile Rapid	17	18 1927-Clyde Eddy, Parley Galloway and crew (inadvertently) become the first to run Soap Creek Rapid	1934-Dusty Dozen launch at Lees Ferry on 1550 cfs
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		Photographer unknown



Off the wall at Horn Creek. photo by Bart Henderson

AUGUST 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			Anonymous		1923-USGS Expedition launches from Lees Ferry	2 1923-President Harding dies in San Francisco
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1923 USGS trip lays over at "Boulder Rapid" in honor of the death of President Harding						
17	18	19	20	21	22	1979-Otis "Doc" Marston dies, leaving his great history of the river unfinished and unpublished
24	25 1916-Organic Act passes establishing the NPS	1896-George Flavell and Ramon Montez launch in the Panthon from Green River, Wyoming	27 1869-The Howland brothers and William Dunn leave Powell Expedition at Separation Rapid	28	29	30



SEPTEMBER 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Labor Day	2	3	4	5	6
	1903-Hum Wooley launches from Lees Ferry with Sanger and King					
7	8	9	10	11	1923-Emery Kolb upset in Upset	13
14	15 1909-Galloway, Stone, Deubendorf, Sharp and Cogswell launch from Green River, Wyoming	16	17	18	1949-Norm and Doris Nevills were killed in a plane crash, Mexican Hat, Utah	20
21	22	23 1902-Major Powell dies in Maine at age 68	24	25	26	27
28	29	30			© David Edwards	



OCTOBER 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Photographer unknown		1 1968-Wild and Scenic Rivers Act was passed	2	3	4 1915-Dinosaur National Monument was established
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 Columbus Day 1938-Amos Burg departs Lees Ferry in Charlie, the first inflatable to run Grand Canyon	14	15	16	17	1871-Captain George Wheeler completes uprun of Colorado River to Diamond
19	20	21	22	23 1973-Endangered Species Act passed	1979-Archeological Resources Protection Act passed	25
26	27	28 1896-George Flavell becomes first person known to run Lava Falls	29	30 1992-Grand Canyon Protection Act passed	31 Halloween	



NOVEMBER 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Photographer unknown				1938-Buzz Holmstrom runs Lava Falls becoming the only person to run all the rapids from Green River, WY through Lava Cliff Rapid
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 Veteran's Day	122 1993-Colorado Plateau River Guides formed	1910-Georgie White (Betsie DeRoss) born in Guymon, Oklahoma	14	15
16	17	18 1928-Glen and Bessie Hyde last seen running Hermit Rapid	19	20	21	22
30	24	25	26	27 Thanksgiving Day	28	29



It's okay not to follow! Lava Falls. photo by Graham Charles

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28	D 29	30	31 New Year's Eve			© Graham Charles



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11	12	13	14 1927-James White dies in Trinidad, Colorado	15	16	17 1912-Kolb brothers and Bert Lauzon arrive at Needles
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John Blaustein — started rowing dories for Martin Litton in 1970 and worked as a full-time dory guide until 1980. Since the early '90s, he has come back to the river once or twice every year, rowing baggage on a GCD trip. John's book, *The Hidden Canyon*, with a journal by Edward Abbey and an introduction by Martin Litton, was first published by Viking Penguin in 1977. A second edition was published by Chronicle Books in 1999.



Matt Fahey — is a camera nerd, filmmaker, and TV producer who worked for 20+ years in Grand Canyon as a river guide. His interests include Sudokus and world domination. His website is www.dbrpro.com.



Charly Heavenrich — has guided for Wilderness World and Canyon Explorations since 1978. He is an adventure speaker and life coach focusing on change, the canyon experience, and active, healthy aging. Along with his love for nature photography, his mission is to share the Grand Canyon experience with the world.



Zach Fitzgerald — I became enthralled with the Colorado River through the Grand Canyon in 2009 and since then I have been coming back. I live my life for memorable moments like this one. Everyday on the river has the potential for a life lasting memory.



Danielle Welch — is an outdoor enthusiast who enjoys sailing, whitewater rafting, and photography. She currently lives in Teton Valley, Idaho.



Charles Graham — is an internationally acknowledged photographer and one of New Zealand's most versatile outdoor professionals. Graham has been teaching, managing, and playing in the outdoors for over twenty five years. A former national representative kayaker, he has climbed, paddled, and adventured in over a dozen countries and pioneered new routes and ascents in the mountains and rivers of New Zealand.



Pat Cyr — Pat fell in love with rafting and photography in 1982 on Maine's Kennebec and Penobscot rivers working as a full time guide and photographer. His first trip on the Colorado River in 1984 was the beginning of a passion for the Canyon that continues today. Pat is often seen paddling ahead of rafts in search of the perfect action shot. Pat shares his passion for the rivers with his wife Karen and daughters Jessie and Heather.



Rosalyn Jirge — saw Georgie on television when she was 16, in 1956. She decided that she wanted to travel down the river with that crazy lady. It took 20 years, but then worked for Georgie for 14 summers and loved every moment.



David Edwards — ran his first trip in 1973. He became a full-time guide in 1979. He has a photography studio in Flagstaff, a horse trekking business in Mongolia, and makes utility/ guide knives for his *Grand Canyon Knife and Tool* company. He currently rows for AzRA.



Bart Henderson — has guided professionally since 1969, with 106 Grand Canyon trips, and enough river miles to stretch around the equator. He grew up in Vernal, Utah in the river business, where all his early heros were boatmen. He started a river company in Alaska, where he still lives and guides. He's always looking forward to the next Grand trip and seeing friends that are still around.



Drifter Smith — was inspired by the Kolb movie and built his first boat in 1959. He then took up rafting in 1972 and began guiding on California rivers in 1973. In 1979, he started running trips for AzRA and continued running for over thirty years in Grand Canyon.



Mary Rees — Mary was born and raised in Auburn, Nebraska. After meeting her future husband, Tom Rees, she moved to Utah in 1968 and graduated from the University of Utah in Anthropology. They settled in Moab and later in Castle Valley. Mary was a

most resourceful person and cultivated her passions in a variety of ways. She honed her horticultural skills into a business of restoring landscapes to their natural habitat. Mary was often found hiking the canyons and mountains surrounding Moab; her photographs captured extraordinary images of nature. She will be missed by many, especially within the Moab and Grand Canyon communities.



Rudi Petschek — was a boatman for Grand Canyon Dories in the seventies, eighties, and early nineties. He was also a member of the 1983 Speed-Run crew.



Michael Collier — rowed for AzRA in the late 1970s and early 1980s. He looked at kink folds in the Muav Limestone for a geology masters degree. He has written several books about rivers and rocks, flown planes, and found time to squeeze in an MD along the way.



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