Ice House Log Hazards

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410 cfs

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Log 1 – This log is located on the upper portion of the run with easy access. It is located directly below a rapid that sometime causes swims. Please note that this picture was taken after the release was completed on 5/21/22.



Location

38°48'56.7"N 120°22'04.7"W 38.815736, -120.367981 https://goo.gl/maps/DNquQtryZ5ALWuqj7 Logs 2, 3, and 4 – These three logs are located just upstream of the bridge adjacent to the campground. They are the main reason the portion of the run above the bridge is skipped by some (including me). There is easy access to all three logs. Please note that this picture was taken after the flow had dropped on 5/21/22.



Location: 38°48'58.4"N 120°22'20.0"W 38.816208, -120.372219 https://goo.gl/maps/UeMt15rTEqJXoij77 Log 5 and 6 – Although much better than it used to be, the two remaining logs on the right are still a hazard. This is especially true because log 6 is not visible from above and at 500 cfs a kayaker could make a dangerous mistake by going over log 5 and then being pinned by log 6.



Location: 38°49'07.1"N 120°22'47.6"W 38.818636, -120.379877 https://goo.gl/maps/vbkvGBc6QaMXfXtW6 Log 7 – Would only be a risk for someone who is already swimming



Location: https://goo.gl/maps/yVNCiniJLNZUwp7aA 38°48'55.5"N 120°23'08.0"W 38.815404, -120.385559

Log 8 – Located about 150' below the second drop of Triple Drop, this log is the most hazardous one on the run. This is because it is not visible from above and by the time you identify that it is there it is too late. Also, it is an extreme hazard for any swimmers that swim at the second drop of triple drop, and swims there are common.

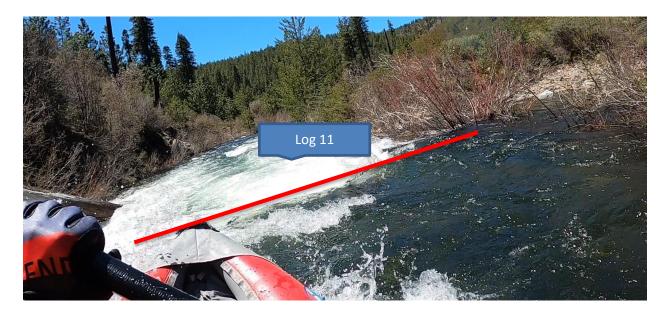


Location: https://www.google.com/maps/search/38.812771,+-120.387977 38°48'46.0"N 120°23'16.7"W 38.812771, -120.387977 Logs 9 and 10 - Two logs that a stacked on each other in swift water. Very hazardous.



Location: https://goo.gl/maps/tAmWM1vG2on8GX1X8 38°48'24.4"N 120°24'03.3"W 38.806775, -120.400905

Log 11 – This picture was taken on 5/14/22 at 485 cfs. At 410 cfs it is more exposed. The log is across the entire channel.



Location: https://goo.gl/maps/GwPWgsgDTxJ8XReK6 38°48'19.5"N 120°24'03.7"W 38.805403, -120.401034 Logs 12 and 13 – These logs are particularly hazardous because they are in swift water and can only be avoided through a narrow gap on river left.



Location: https://goo.gl/maps/GhPdMeMkfFdB7DU2A 38°48'19.1"N 120°25'45.1"W 38.805308, -120.429199 Log 14- This log is problematic for hardshellers since it is difficult to get safely back into the water. A large rapid (Big Ledge) is located directly downstream Ideally the left half of this log would be removed. If that is not feasible then having the top 12" of the log removed in a 15' wide channel on the left would help with safe passage.





Location: https://goo.gl/maps/gDVFBPRfaqZBPwnP7 38°51'07.4"N 120°26'35.7"W 38.852043, -120.443246