

Lock Creek Loop

Description: Launch from the Anderson Landing Ramp and paddle through local canals to Lock Creek.. Possibly the most alluring of Suwannee paddles takes one through the small creeks off the mainstream of the river that wend through swamps and marshes. Light filtered through the leaves of tupelos, ashes, and swamp bay, and reflected off still waters casts an enchanted glow on a surprising variety of wildflowers. Fishes and alligators are abundant here, but this is the true haunt of wood ducks, river otters and turtles as many as 13 species of freshwater turtles may be found in the Suwannee, Including a local specialty called the Suwannee cooter. After exiting Lock Creek, the Paddle continues down the Suwannee River and back to the Anderson Landing Ramp.

Distance/Time: 3.6 Miles/Approximately 2 hours

Skill Level: Novice

Launch Site: Anderson Landing Ramp in Suwannee-
From the Suwannee Community Center: Head East on CR 349 1/2 mile and the ramp is on your right.

NOTE: Great care has been taken to ensure this guides accuracy, but weather, tides, and water conditions can change rapidly and create hazardous conditions. Routes may change due to weather considerations. Users should consult NOAA Charts for navigation. Paddlers should have all proper safety equipment and check conditions before departure. All participants are required to wear PFDs while on water based events .

