

Next IRF GTE Workshop (May 3-5, 2024)!

My name is Bela Bacsa, have been paddling for 45 years and teaching white water kayak/canoe, raft paddling technics. I organize white water guide, raft guide and rescue training programs all around the world, following the high standards of the International Rafting Federation.

Dear White Water Fan!

I am holding a white water (IRF GTE Workshop) practice and exam weekend in Austria (May 3-5, 2024), near Palfau on the Salza River.

Those people can also take part in the course, who do not want to be professional guides, but would have much safer white water adventures.

You can practise with whitewater canoes, inflatable kayaks and rafts, and repeat other technics, necessary for rescues and tour guiding (e.g. rope technique, active-passive rescue, coordination of fleet movements, communication in an emergency) and, of course, to take the whitewater or raft guide exam at different levels.



TYPES OF QUALIFICATIONS THAT CAN BE OBTAINED:

- whitewater guide ww1-3 (inflatable canoe/kayak, hydrospeed..);
- rafting guide and trip leader ww 1-4.





DETAILS

Date: May 3-5.

Meeting on Saturday morning in Palfau with complete tour guide equipment (not dressed), at the Adventure base (adventure.hu).

Course fee: 220 euros/person
(+ 40 euros for Guide or 70 euros for Tripleleader IRF registration).

As every year, those who took the exam with me, can take part for free, but they can take another exam only by paying the participation fee!

Location: Austria, Palfau (River Salza)

Accommodations in the area approx. 25-45euro/person/night: Rafting Camp Palfau tent and rooms or apartments in the area.





WHAT YOU SHOULD HAVE:

- Medic First Aid exam;
- Complete guide equipment is required: helmet, clothes, shoes, life jacket, whistle, minimum 3 carabiners, flip line, knife, prussic ropes, throw bag;
- Login book, signed by the tour organizer, owner or Tripleleader at the company (e-mail is also good);
- Insurance, pen, notebook.

Swimming skills are mandatory.

If you have any questions, call or write

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Best regards, Béla Bacsa

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Resources:

[River signals](#), [Throw bag test](#), [River safety articles](#), [Knots](#)