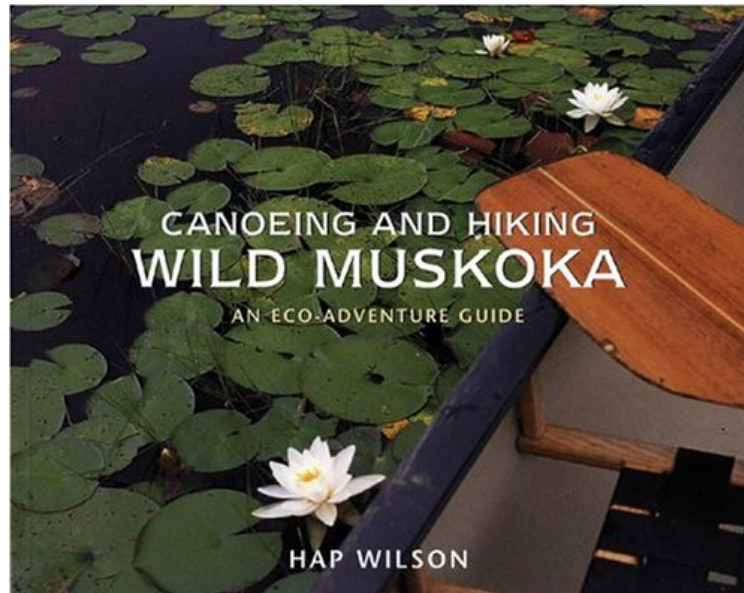


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Hap Wilson : Canoeing and Hiking Wild Muskoka: An Eco-Adventure Guide before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Canoeing and Hiking Wild Muskoka: An Eco-Adventure Guide:

Beyond the glamour of the summer retreats and boathouses lining its major lakes, Ontario's famous Muskoka region still possesses a natural, rugged wildness that is rarely celebrated. In this wonderful large-format guidebook, well-known canoeist, wilderness advocate and author Hap Wilson explores the other Muskoka: from the Georgian Bay coast to the Algonquin highlands, through the vast stretches of forest, rivers and smaller lakes in between. Wilson covers canoeing, kayaking, hiking and cross-country skiing in Muskoka's best near-wilderness areas. Wilson's more than 80 hand-drawn maps detail featured destinations. Soft eco-adventures combine easy daytrips with comfortable lodging. Hard eco-adventures put outdoor skills and endurance to the test, exchanging creature comforts for a more primitive experience.

If the last of Muskoka's wilderness was to be exposed, it couldn't be done by a better person -- or in a better manner. (Sue Lebrecht Toronto Star 2003-06-12) Nice maps and useful advice. (Woodenboat) Washing through [Wilson's] words is the strong and steady commitment and respect for the natural world, as well as a passionate call to have this world honored. (Karen Hood-Caddy Muskokan 2003-05-15) Over 80 hand-drawn maps with detailed features offer the reader a range of outdoor experiences. (Judith Ruan Muskoka Magazine) Books like Wilson's Canoeing and Hiking Wild Muskoka can play a large role in this vital switch to more eco-friendly recreational outings. (N. Glenn Perrett Cottage Times 2003-07-18) More than 80 wonderfully detailed, hand-drawn maps... a lively double-take on a 7,000

square-kilometer swath of the province. (Laszlo Buhasz Globe and Mail 2003-05-10)From the Author Muskoka is Canada's most accessible "semi-wilderness" playground, located two hours north of the city of Toronto. This book catalogues over 100 adventure possibilities from easy afternoon excursions to serious three to four-day canoe trips, or, do the bed-and-breakfast kayak tour on the famous Muskoka Lake system. The book also includes hiking and ski trails, whitewater canoeing "hot" spots, coastal kayaking on Georgian Bay, and gentle float trips for family fun. Routes are graded for difficulty, with travel descriptions detailing all the information you need to plan a trip. Write-ups include snippets of poetry, historical references, ecology and illustrations by the author. Not to be fooled by the presence of cottages, golf courses and quaint villages -- Muskoka abounds in wild adventure possibilities. The book covers an area larger than Algonquin Provincial Park. A note about all of Hap Wilson's Guidebooks: Although these are field-friendly travel guidebooks, they are written and illustrated to charm and fascinate the couch-traveler as well. For help on selecting routes, or about current guided trips taking place in any one of these Canadian guidebook favorites, please feel free to contact the author(s) as listed with each title. Find more information at our website: sunriseadventures.com. About the Author Hap Wilson is a seasoned adventurer and the author of several books. Wilson taught actor Pierce Brosnan how to canoe and throw a knife for his title role in the Richard Attenborough film Grey Owl.