

Stör Tide Challenge | 13th June 2026

Between Kellinghusen and the mouth into the Elbe, the river Stör changes its flow direction in the regular rhythm of the tides. The boathouse of the **Itzehoer Wasser-Wanderer e.V.** is located at river km 25 exactly in the middle of this 50 kilometres long tidal section of the river.



This is the ideal starting point for a special canoe trip that we invite you to every two years: the **Stör Tide Challenge**.

1 day, 3 tides, up to 100 kilometres

In the morning, we start from our club grounds at around 05:30 hrs on the Stör with the water flowing to the estuary (low water: 08:29 hrs) at river km 50. In Wewelsfleth we have a break while waiting for the tide to change. Then we paddle upwards to the boathouse of the Itzehoer Wasser-Wanderer. There you can take a break for lunch before heading towards Kellinghusen (high tide: 16:16 hrs) and continue up the Stör to the Rensing gauge at river km 0. After the tide has changed again, we will paddle back to the boat house.

One week before Midsummer, it is one of the longest days of the year. We can start in Kellinghusen a little before high tide and we arrive back in Itzehoe about 3 hours later - around 19:30 hrs. At our boathouse we can then end the day around the fire bowl and celebrate a little more "Midsummer".

The maximum possible distance is 100 kilometres. Any partial sections are possible. The participation fee is 5,00 Euros + camp fees.

The **Stör Tide Challenge** can be counted as a joint trip in the German Canoe Association's touring competition.

Participants can already arrive on Friday and camp on the club grounds.

Tides of the **Stör** on 13th June 2026

	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide
Glückstadt		08:29 Uhr	13:59 Uhr	20:57 Uhr
Beidenfleth		09:05 Uhr	14:11 Uhr	21:33 Uhr
Kasenort		09:35 Uhr	14:33 Uhr	22:03 Uhr
Itzehoe	02:26 Uhr	10:11 Uhr	14:58 Uhr	22:39 Uhr
Breitenberg	03:04 Uhr	11:10 Uhr	15:46 Uhr	
Kellinghusen	03:34 Uhr	12:11 Uhr	16:16 Uhr	

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Further information and registration

<https://www.itzehoer-wasser-wanderer.de/termine.php#d20240622>