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### **The Witching Hour Begins Sept. 18 in Wisconsin Dells with Halloween Season Ghost Boat**

WISCONSIN DELLS, Wis. (September 14, 2015) – Ghost Boat adventurers go a haunting to Witches Gulch this Halloween season as [\*Ghost Boat: Season of the Witch\*](#) sets sail September 18 in Wisconsin Dells. The popular fall voyage will be offered Friday and Saturday nights through Halloween weekend (Oct. 30 & 31) taking passengers to the eerie gorge that winds deep into the woods off the banks of the Wisconsin River.

"Our fall Ghost Boat provides a fitting Halloween adventure to Witches Gulch, where local lore hails the dark and spooky canyon as top spot for a haunted experience," said Amanda McGowan, assistant manager of Dells Boat Tours. "This is an entirely unique tour from our summer Ghost Boat; incorporating classic Halloween traditions with the natural energy and ambiance that exists in Witches Gulch."

*Ghost Boat: Season of the Witch* starts at the Dells Boat Tours' main landing dock in downtown Wisconsin Dells. Passengers come aboard the boat for a 1½-hour after-dark excursion on the Wisconsin River. While the boat navigates through the night, voyagers hear ghost stories from the Dells' haunted past; murky waters flow by as the creepy tales unfold.

Upriver the boat docks at Witches Gulch, and passengers dare to disembark, walking into the unknown as the canyon walls close them in under the cover of night. See what may lie in wait at the place where legends say witches dwell. Creep along the narrow boardwalk for a chilling adventure on a crisp fall night.

"Your imagination can really get the best of you in Witches Gulch; those first few steps into almost complete darkness can get your heart pumping, wondering what's beyond the shadows," added McGowan.

*Ghost Boat: Season of the Witch* will begin departing at 8:30 p.m. on the following dates: September 18, 19, 25, 26 and October 2. As the season progresses, additional excursions are offered with boats beginning to embark at 6:30 p.m. on October 3, 9, 10, 16, 17, 23, 24, 30 and 31. Tours are sent out on a staggered schedule based on demand. Call Dells Boats Tours at (608) 254-8555 for more information on tour availability. Reservations are highly recommended, however, walk-ups are also accommodated if seats are available.

All *Ghost Boat* adventures embark from the Dells Boat Tours' main landing dock, located at 11 Broadway in downtown Wisconsin Dells. *Ghost Boat* tickets are \$23.99 per person. The excursion is not recommended for children under age 10 or those faint of heart. Discretion is left to parents and guardians for older children. To purchase tickets and for more information, including a map of ticket and dock locations, please visit the Ghost Boat web site at [dellsghostboat.com](http://dellsghostboat.com).

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