



## Sand River Part 8 of 9

Between portages 23 and 24 the river is fast-flowing. Be alert – many rocks need to be avoided. In low water, wading or lining the canoe may be necessary.

Portage 26 ends at High Cliff; experienced canoeists may attempt to run these rapids keeping to the right side. Watch out for the large boulders and narrow channel of fast water at the end.

Portage 26a can be used to avoid rapids in high water or in low water conditions to avoid large cobbles. Canoes can also be lined in low water.

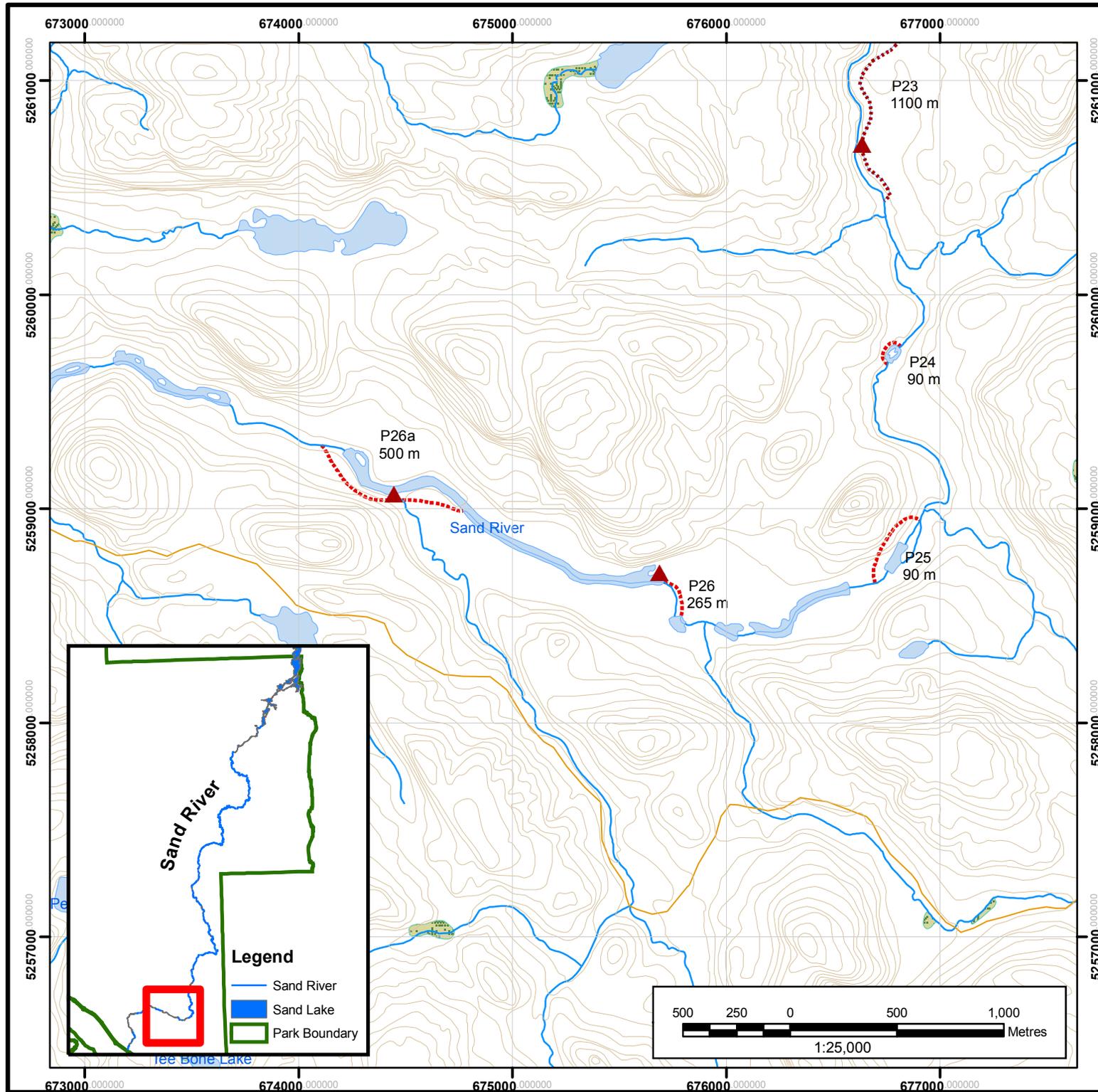
Below High Cliff there is a 6.5 km low water section. The river passes among boulders and then becomes fast-flowing again over shallow sand, gravel and boulder deposits. There are several tight bends and the gradient is steep. This section can be a great deal of fun because there are some fast-flowing sections with an obvious tilt to the land, yet there is no sign of turbulence or whitewater. During periods of high rainfall this section can be paddled in its entirety although some quick reactions and rapid maneuvering will be essential in spots to avoid submerged rocks and gravel beds. During periods of drought up to 1 km may have to be waded and or lined.

### Legend

- Designated Campsite
- Contour (20 metre or 65.5 ft intervals)
- Canoe Route
- Portage
- Lakes and Large Streams
- Wetlands
- Park Boundary



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