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



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## COMMUNITIES

### FIND YOUR DESTINATION

In each of the 12 communities of Vilas County, you'll find accommodations perfect for your next getaway. Enjoy a family-owned resort, charming bed & breakfast, comfortable motel, spacious vacation rental or scenic campground. Each community is unique and perfect for a family, a couple or a group of friends to get away. Discover the shopping, dining, lodging and recreational activities in these one-of-a-kind small towns. For more information on communities, visit [vilas.org](http://vilas.org).





## BOULDER JUNCTION

**715.385.2400 | [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)**

Boulder Junction is surrounded by the 225,000-acre Northern Highland-American Legion State Forest. Relax, unwind and explore our 194 pristine lakes or rivers and find breathtaking scenery, prime fishing and abundant wildlife. Find serenity and clean air on woodland hiking trails and the 50+ mile Heart of Vilas County Paved Bike Trail. In winter, explore snowmobile trails connecting with thousands of miles of wooded area trails and numerous groomed cross-country ski trails and snowshoe trails. Stroll through downtown and explore our small one-of-a-kind shops and galleries and enjoy fine and casual dining. Don't delay—let us help you book your vacation today.



## EAGLE RIVER

**1.800.359.6315 | [eagleriver.org](http://eagleriver.org)**

I suppose this is the place where we're supposed to brag about all the stuff that's great about Eagle River, like the "World's Largest Chain of 28 Lakes" or the fact that we're the Snowmobile Capital of the World®, but what we'd really like to do is just tell you that Eagle River is mostly about you doing what you like to do. Maybe you're into kayaking, fishing, boating, snowmobiling, hiking, museums or shops, or maybe you're just about relaxing and enjoying some amazing scenery. Either way, we'd like to think this is a place you're gonna love. Eagle River, *Up North—Down to Earth*.



## CONOVER

**715.479.4928 | [conover.org](http://conover.org)**

Your adventure begins in Conover! In 1891, early settler Seth Conover started his own hunting club in this beautiful corner of Vilas County. Since then, the community of Conover has been a wilderness escape for hunters, anglers and families. Conover is beautiful and inviting. The area's untouched forests offer amazing fall color, a dazzling panorama of vibrant hues. In the winter, Conover is home to more than 70 miles of well-groomed and marked snowmobile trails. Year-round, Conover is *Your Starting Point of Adventure*.



## LAC DU FLAMBEAU

**1.877.588.3346 | [lacduflambeauchamber.com](http://lacduflambeauchamber.com)**

*Waswagoning*, "a place where they fish by torchlight," is the name the Ojibwe gave their Northwoods home. French fur traders named the area Lac du Flambeau, "Lake of the Torch." Lush forests, abundant wildlife, 250 lakes and miles of snowmobile trails combine with a modern resort, a casino and cultural attractions to create a true year-round destination. Visit the George W. Brown, Jr. Ojibwe Museum & Cultural Center. Come to Lac du Flambeau and *Refresh Your Spirit*.





## LAND O' LAKES

**1.800.236.3432 | [landolakes-wi.org](http://landolakes-wi.org)**

Experience nature's own spectacular and serene setting on the Wisconsin/Michigan border. Land O' Lakes is where your journey ends and the fun begins each season. Enjoy abundant recreational activities, beautiful lakes, lush forests, paved trails and your shopping and dining needs. Find a way of life that is refreshing and exciting yet restful and rewarding, as you hike or bike, snowmobile or ATV/UTV, ski or snowshoe, kayak or fish your favorite lake. Visit Land O' Lakes for four-season family fun. You will find *Serenity at the Top of Wisconsin* and a whole lot more.



## MINOCQUA AREA

**1.800.446.6784 | [minocqua.org](http://minocqua.org)**

The Minocqua area is *Nature's Original Water Park™*, offering the very best scenery, outdoor recreation and fun attractions. A favorite among vacationers young and old, generation after generation, the area has activities and events for every season. From bicycling, boating and hiking to snowmobiling, cross-country skiing and ice fishing, your days will be spent having fun and making memories. Book your vacation today. See why the Minocqua area is one of Wisconsin's most popular vacation destinations.



## MANITOWISH WATERS

**1.888.626.9877 | [manitowishwaters.org](http://manitowishwaters.org)**

The Manitowish Waters area is the ideal spot to “get away from it all.” Located in northwestern Vilas County in Wisconsin's Northwoods, Manitowish Waters is known for its quiet, less-stressful surroundings perfect for a family vacation, reunion, romantic getaway, hunting or fishing excursion, or a leisure day trip. We are the Original “Up North” Experience! Nestled in the Northern Highland-American Legion State Forest, the township features the famous Manitowish Waters Chain of 10 connected lakes. Rich history, breathtaking sights, beautiful lodging and various events—there's always something going on in Manitowish Waters.



## PHELPS

**715.545.3800 | [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)**

Nestled within the 661,000-acre Nicolet National Forest, Phelps has been an outdoor sport destination for over a century! Whether you prefer to explore on foot, bike, snowmobile, boat or canoe, you will find that Phelps can accommodate you. Visit the Phelps Historical Museum, and be sure to golf the historic Big Sand Lake Golf Course. The heart of Phelps overlooks North Twin Lake, THE place to catch breathtaking sunsets and star-filled night skies. Discover an abundance of outdoor opportunities in a friendly, welcoming community—make vacations to *Phelps on the Lake* your new family tradition!





## PRESQUE ISLE

**715.686.2910 | [presqueisle.com](http://presqueisle.com)**

*Presque Isle is known as Wisconsin's Last Wilderness.* This 77-square-mile area of lakes and forests at the far northern border of Vilas County is your jumping-off point for trail adventures into the national forests of Wisconsin and the Upper Peninsula. In addition to great fishing, Presque Isle offers trail users mountain biking, cross-country skiing and snowmobiling. The glacial hills and crystal waters are well suited to contemplative outdoor endeavors such as hiking and photography, as well as more fast-paced activities like waterskiing and snowmobiling.



## SAYNER-STAR LAKE

**715.542.3789 | [sayner-starlake.org](http://sayner-starlake.org)**

*The two scenic communities of Sayner and Star Lake offer quiet beauty and small-town charm in every season.* Travel trails through old-growth forest and along pristine and peaceful lakeshores or the local segment of the Heart of Vilas County Paved Bike Trail System. Watch the sunrise from your canoe or kayak. Enjoy a great meal at a local café or supper club. Discover artsy, eclectic and unique shops. It's all located within minutes of your perfect cabin, cottage, resort or vacation home getaway. For relaxation and the true flavor of the Northwoods, come *Find Yourself in Sayner-Star Lake!*



## ST. GERMAIN

**715.477.2205 | [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)**

*How do you know you have arrived in St. Germain? Turns out everyone sees the big picture a little different, but the feeling is the same. It's how you feel connected to the big picture that matters. It might be the smell of the towering pines, or the majestic bald eagles that soar over both land and water. A romantic cabin or resort full of families unplugging to enjoy some much-needed relaxation. Watching the stars fill the night sky as a roaring campfire crackles around you. You will see your picture in the most unique way, your way. Because some things can't be explained, only experienced. That's when you have arrived in St. Germain.*



## WINCHESTER

**715.686.2123 | [winchesterwi.com](http://winchesterwi.com)**

*Winchester, located in the northwest corner of Vilas County, encompasses over 34,000 acres and 63 lakes. Almost 80 percent of the town's area is wooded with more than 6,000 acres of public land as part of the Northern Highland-American Legion State Forest. A small community most of the year, our area is perfect for summer activities like fishing, boating, biking and hiking. Winter sports such as skiing, snowmobiling and snowshoeing are also popular. Our newly renovated school building houses a community area, the Winchester Public Library and an excellent history display of the area.*



## LAKES & WATERWAYS

They have been named, counted and mapped. There's Trout Lake, Lynx Lake, Lone Tree Lake, and more than 1,300 other Northwoods lakes spilling across the wild landscape of Vilas County, along with scores of small lakes and ponds that have yet to be named. You can see details on our largest lakes on pages 11-14, including GPS coordinates, what you'll find there, public access information, and the size and depth of each lake. There are some things that can't be charted or graphed, like what it's like to view the Milky Way from the end of a dock or what it's like to sit with someone special on the shore and watch the sun dip below the trees. Find your own moment—and your new favorite lake in Vilas County.

### WONDERFUL WATERS

Vilas County lakes have been luring people to the Northwoods for more than a century. These waterways are still as beautiful and unspoiled as they were during the days of the steam trains.

If you're looking for a paddling adventure, you've found the perfect place. Launch your canoe, kayak or stand-up paddleboard on one of our established routes or chart your own course. You'll find hidden ponds and quiet waters as well as routes that can take days to explore.

Outfitters on the Wisconsin River help visitors enjoy a day tubing along wild shores—tubers frequently spot bald eagles.

On warm summer days, there's nothing more refreshing than a swim in a Northwoods lake. Dive into the cool, clear waters of a Vilas County lake or soak up the sun in the soft sand of a secluded, postcard-perfect beach. There are plenty of public beaches, and many of our resorts and lodging properties have beaches for their guests.

Throughout the year, Vilas County's rich fishing waters attract anglers. Here, you'll find everything from crappie, yellow perch and bluegill to hard-fighting walleye, pike and musky. Vilas County lakes also hold some of the biggest, most beautiful smallmouth bass in the state. When temperatures drop, grab your auger to experience some of the best ice fishing in the Northwoods.

Boaters will find endless waters to explore, including expansive lakes ideal for a day cruise and lakes that are ideal for waterskiing and tubing.

### LAKE CHAINS

With more than 1,300 lakes, Vilas County offers endless places to launch a boat. We have lakes of all sizes, from picturesque ponds to lakes big enough for an extended cruise. And here's the best news: you don't have to choose. Thanks to our lake chains, you can explore a few lakes—or more than a dozen—in a single outing. Here's a quick guide to some of our beautiful chains.





## Watery Wonders

Grab a seat next to the lake and prepare to be thrilled! Vilas County communities hold free water ski shows throughout the summer. You'll find shows in Sayner-Star Lake, Conover, Manitowish Waters and the Minocqua area. For more information, visit [vilas.org/events](http://vilas.org/events).

### EAGLE RIVER CHAIN

One of the most well-known chains in the Northwoods is the ① Eagle River Chain of Lakes. In fact, it's the largest freshwater chain of lakes in the world. It connects with the Three Lakes Chain to the south, so boaters have a total of 28 lakes and 174 miles of shoreline to explore. The Eagle River portion of the chain includes ten lakes covering 3,600 acres, including small waters like 31-acre Lynx Lake and expansive lakes like the nearly 1,000-acre Catfish Lake.

### CISCO CHAIN

In far northern Vilas County, the Cisco Chain takes boaters into Michigan waters. With 15 lakes and 270 miles of shoreline, it's a chain of substantial size. Big Lake, West Bay and Mamie Lake extend into Vilas County and connect with lakes like Cisco and Thousand Island Lakes to the north.

### LAC DU FLAMBEAU CHAIN

This spring-fed 10-lake chain is known for its abundant fish and clear water. It's anchored by Fence Lake, a clear, 3,483-acre lake containing musky, panfish, smallmouth bass, northern pike and walleye. There are many places to get on the water, and one of the chain's lakes, Long Interlaken, borders downtown Lac du Flambeau.

### MANITOWISH WATERS CHAIN

In Manitowish Waters, you'll find a ⑥ 10-lake chain with some great fishing and an interesting history. The chain includes Rest Lake, Stone Lake, Fawn Lake, Clear Lake, Little Star Lake, Island Lake, Alder Lake, Spider Lake, Wild Rice Lake and Manitowish Lake. The lake that helped the chain gain fame is Little Star Lake, home to Little Bohemia Lodge, site of a 1934 shootout between John Dillinger and the FBI.



## SWIMMING

Erin D. | [Minocqua Area](#)

One dog won't get out of the water, the other won't get in!



## FISHING

With 1,300 lakes and 73 rivers and streams, Vilas County has nearly limitless places to cast a line. We have big lakes with plenty of open water and small lakes that are rarely fished. Want to make the most of your Vilas County fishing trip? Here are some answers to a few common questions.

**WHERE SHOULD I FISH?** You can barely drive a country mile in Vilas County without passing a decent fishing lake. Our lake grid (pages 11-14) details waters with public access that will help you find beautiful fishing waters like North Twin Lake in Phelps. The grid includes species of fish, the size and depth of each lake and boat launch details, along with GPS coordinates. Punch the coordinates into an Internet browser or the mobile map of your choosing and you'll see the lake on a map.

**WHAT FISHING EVENTS ARE COMING UP?** We have tournaments for competitive anglers, seminars for those who want to learn more and special events for kids. See them on page 34.

**DO I NEED A BOAT?** No! There are endless places to enjoy shore fishing. You'll find accessible piers or good shore fishing at Upper Gresham Lake in Boulder Junction, Rest Lake in Manitowish Waters, Star Lake in Sayner-Star Lake and several locations in Presque Isle, including Horsehead Lake, Little Horsehead Lake and Oxbow Lake.

**HOW CAN I BE SURE TO LAND A BIG FISH?** There are no guarantees in life, but we'll guarantee that your chances of success will improve drastically if you hire a fishing guide. Guides can share lessons you'll use for a lifetime. Plus, they're a bargain when you factor in the great value of being able to use their boat and equipment.



### BIG FISH BRING BIG SMILES

Mary O. | [Boulder Junction](#)

Vilas County always delivers lasting memories, fun times and fish!



### Record Haul

Vilas County's lakes have produced some big fish, and the biggest have broken state records. There was the 54-inch tiger musky caught on ④ Lac Vieux Desert in 1919, and the 29-inch silver redhorse caught in Plum Creek in 1985. There was the 18-pound walleye landed on High Lake in 1933 and the 4.3-inch mottled sculpin (they are small!) captured in Gunlock Lake last year. Records are meant to be broken, and they just might be broken here again. Cast a line and try your luck.





# PUBLIC ACCESS WATERWAYS

## BOAT LANDING

CI - Carry-In  
GR - Gravel Ramp  
PR - Paved Ramp  
UR - Unimproved Ramp

## PUBLIC ACCESS

BR - Boat Ramp  
BF - Barrier-Free Boat Ramp  
P - Barrier-Free Pier  
T - Walk-In Trail  
R - Roadside  
W - Wilderness in Public Ownership  
BW - Barrier-Free Wilderness Access  
NW - Navigable Water

## CHAIN OF LAKES

★ - Cisco Chain  
◆ - Eagle River  
● - Lac du Flambeau  
■ - Manitowish Waters

## LAKE TYPE

DG - Drainage Lake  
SE - Seepage Lake  
SP - Spring Lake

## LOCATION

AV - Arbor Vitae  
BJ - Boulder Junction  
CL - Cloverland  
CO - Conover  
ER - Eagle River  
LF - Lac du Flambeau  
LL - Land O' Lakes  
LI - Lincoln  
MW - Manitowish Waters  
MA - Minocqua  
PH - Phelps

PL - Plum Lake (Sayner-Star Lake)  
PI - Presque Isle  
SG - St. Germain  
WA - Washington  
WI - Winchester

## SPECIES OF FISH

A - Abundant  
C - Common  
P - Present

	Area (acres)	Max. Depth (ft.)	Mean Depth (ft.)	Public Access	Lake Map	Lake Type	Musky	Northern Pike	Walleye	LM Bass	SM Bass	Panfish	Trout	Boat Landing	Location	GPS Latitude/ Longitude	Chain of Lakes
ADELADE LAKE	60	69		R	X	DG	P	P	P	P	P	C		CI	WI	N 46 14.983 W 89 53.828	
ALDER LAKE	274	33		R	X	DG	C	P	A	P	P	C		CI	MW	N 46 05.555 W 89 49.494	
ALLEQUASH LAKE	426	24	10	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	C	P	A		PR	BJ	N 46 02.044 W 89 37.816	
ALLEQUASH SPRINGS	10	9		W		SP							P	CI	PL	N 46 02.058 W 89 34.807	
ALMA LAKE	58	18	11	BR	X	SE	C		C	P	C	A		PR	SG	N 45 54.625 W 89 25.601	
ANNA BELLE LAKE	213	30	12	BF	X	DG	C	P	C		P	C		PR	PI	N 46 13.239 W 89 40.780	
ANNE LAKE	37	77	18	T	X	SE				P		C	C	CI	PI	N 46 10.301 W 89 47.154	
ANVIL LAKE	398	32	19	BR	X	SE		P	C		P	P		PR	WA	N 45 56.186 W 89 03.795	
ARROWHEAD LAKE	99	43		BR	X	SP	C	P	C	P	P	C		PR	AV	N 45 54.206 W 89 41.152	
AURORA LAKE	94	4		BR		DG		P		P		P		UR	PL	N 46 01.279 W 89 32.404	
BAKER LAKE	36	21		BR		SP		P		P		C		UR	CO	N 46 03.995 W 89 20.806	
BALLARD LAKE	505	25	9	BR	X	DG	C		C	C	P	C		PR	PL	N 46 03.878 W 89 29.361	
BALLARD/IRVING LAKE														PR	PL	N 46 03.733 W 89 29.124	
BENSON LAKE	28	15		W		DG	P	C	P	P	P	C		CI	MW	N 46 08.220 W 89 55.005	
BIG ARBOR VITAE LAKE (North)	1090	41	18	BR	X	DG	A		A	C		C		PR	AV	N 45 56.614 W 89 39.456	
BIG ARBOR VITAE LAKE (Southeast)														PR	AV	N 45 55.110 W 89 38.202	
BIG ARBOR VITAE LAKE (Southwest)														GR	AV	N 45 55.088 W 89 38.394	
BIG GIBSON LAKE	116	15		T		SE	P		P	P		C		PR	LL	N 46 08.361 W 89 32.863	
BIG LAKE	771	30	13	BR	X	DG	C	C	A	P	C	C		GR	LL	N 46 12.200 W 89 27.655	
BIG LAKE	835	61		BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	C	C		PR	BJ	N 46 08.680 W 89 46.452	
BIG LAKE - CAMPGROUND														PR	PI	N 46 09.734 W 89 47.172	
BIG MUSKELLUNGE LAKE	930	70	26	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	C	P	C		PR	BJ	N 46 00.505 W 89 37.763	
BIG MUSKELLUNGE LAKE														UR	PL	N 46 01.560 W 89 36.236	
BIG MUSKELLUNGE LAKE - CAMPGROUND														PR	PL	N 46 00.347 W 89 36.809	
BIG PORTAGE	638	40	18	BR	X	SE			C	P	C	P		PR	LL	N 46 06.971 W 89 17.060	
BIG ST. GERMAIN LAKE	1617	42	21	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	P	P	C	P	PR	SG	N 45 56.625 W 89 30.533	
BIG SAND LAKE	1427	56	16	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	C	A		PR	PH	N 46 04.318 W 88 58.483	
BIRCH LAKE	528	45		BR	X	DG	C	P	C	C	C	C		PR	WI	N 46 12.667 W 89 50.205	
BITTERSWEET LAKE	104	31		T		SE		C		C		C		UR	AV	N 45 92.746 W 89 60.270	
BLACK OAK LAKE	584	85	34	BR	X	DG		C	P	C	C	A	P	PR	LL	N 46 09.330 W 89 18.417	
BLUEBERRY LAKE	12	27		T		SE				P		A		CI	PL	N 46 01.497 W 89 35.164	
BOOT LAKE	284	15	9	BF	X	DG	C	C	C	C		A		PR	CL	N 45 57.958 W 89 19.857	
BOULDER LAKE	524	23	12	BR	X	DG	C	P	A	P	P	C		PR	BJ	N 46 07.936 W 89 39.367	
BOULDER LAKE														GR	BJ	N 46 07.428 W 89 41.440	
BRANDY LAKE	110	44		BR	X	DG	C	C	P	C		A		PR	AV	N 45 54.261 W 89 41.908	
BUG LAKE	19	11		T		SE				P				CI	AV	N 45 57.043 W 89 38.970	
CAMP LAKE	59	31	9	T	X	SE				P		A		CI	AV	N 46 00.163 W 89 43.746	
CATFISH LAKE	1012	30	12	BR	X	DG	C	P	A	P	P	C		PR	ER	N 45 54.171 W 89 12.753	◆
CIRCLE LILY LAKE	223	35		BR	X	DG	P	P	P	P	C	C		UR	MW	N 46 09.320 W 89 54.483	
CLAIR LAKE	51	15		R	X	SE				P		C		CI	LL	N 46 06.975 W 89 20.745	
CLEAR LAKE	212	21		W	X	SE	P		P	P		P		CI	MW	N 46 09.239 W 89 48.951	
CLEAR LAKE	555	45	16	BR	X	SP	C	C	C	P	P	C		PR	MW	N 46 08.364 W 89 49.418	■
COOKS LAKE	9	20		W		SE				P		P		CI	CL	N 45 58.495 W 89 18.761	
CRAB LAKE	949	60	22	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		GR	PI	N 46 12.199 W 89 43.753	
CRANBERRY LAKE (Oneida Co. access)	956	23	9	BR	X	DG	C	P	A	P	P	C		GR	ER	N 45 53.183 W 89 10.200	◆
CRYSTAL LAKE	88	67	34	BR	X	SE				P		C	P	UR	PL	N 45 59.972 W 89 36.633	
DAY LAKE	117	48		BR	X	SE					P	C		UR	BJ	N 46 04.091 W 89 42.447	
DEAD PIKE LAKE	297	80	26	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		GR	MW	N 46 05.912 W 89 53.318	

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DEADMANS LAKE	14	20		BR		SE				A		C		CI	SG	N 45 58.790 W 89 26.886		
DEADWOOD LAKE	23	29		R		SE				P		P		CI	LL	N 46 12.274 W 89 28.456		
DEEP LAKE	10	29		T		SE				P		P		CI	CO	N 45 59.354 W 89 18.654		
DEERSKIN LAKE	309	18	6	BR	X	SP	C	P	C	C	P	A		PR	WA	N 45 58.875 W 89 09.709		
DEERSKIN LAKE														PR	WA	N 45 58.668 W 89 10.149		
DIAMOND LAKE	122	40		BR	X	SE	C		P	P	C	C		PR	AV	N 46 02.949 W 89 42.877		
DOG LAKE	10	15		R		SE				C		P		CI	MW	N 46 08.401 W 89 54.861		
DOROTHY DUNN LAKE	70	22		T		SE	C		C	P	P	P		UR	PL	N 46 05.735 W 89 28.150		
EAGLE LAKE	572	34	16	BR	X	DG	C	P	A	P	P	C		PR	WA	N 45 56.424 W 89 12.359	◆	
EAGLE RIVER, FOREST ST.				BR										PR	ER	N 45 55.027 W 89 15.585		
EAST ELLERSON LAKE	136	26		W		SE				C		C		CI	AV	N 46 00.278 W 89 44.904		
EMERALD LAKE	27	22	10	T	X	SE				C		C		CI	BJ	N 45 59.695 W 89 37.869		
EMILY LAKE	26	20		W	X	DG			P	P		C		GR	LF	N 45 57.873 W 90 00.683		
ERICKSON LAKE	106	18				DG			C	C		C		PR	AV	N 45 56.811 W 89 37.820		
ESCANABA LAKE	293	26	14	BR	X	DG	C	P	A	C		C		PR	BJ	N 46 03.396 W 89 35.292		
EWALD LAKE	19	9		T		SE				P		P		CI	CL	N 45 03.029 W 89 93.056		
FALLISON LAKE	53	43	15	T	X	SE							C	CI	BJ	N 45 59.759 W 89 37.109		
FAVIL LAKE	42	14		T	X	DG			C	P		C		UR	LF	N 45 57.540 W 89 59.609		
FENCE LAKE	3555	86	37	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	P	C	C	P		LF		N 45 56.998 W 89 51.930	
FIREFLY LAKE	27	46		T	X	SE					P	C	C	CI	BJ	N 45 59.928 W 89 38.218		
FIREFLY LAKE															BJ		N 46 00.053 W 89 38.024	
FISHTRAP LAKE (Manitowish River)														GR	BJ	N 46 07.144 W 89 36.230		
FLAMBEAU LAKE	1176	78	28	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	C	C	C		PR	LF	N 45 58.239 W 89 54.602	●	
FOREST LAKE	466	60	29	BR	X	SE			P	C	P	P	C	GR	LL	N 46 09.288 W 89 22.031		
FOUND LAKE	326	21	11	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	C		A		PR	SG	N 45 56.881 W 89 26.621		
FRANK LAKE	141	24		T	X	SE			C	C	C		P	CI	PL	N 46 01.654 W 89 33.282		
GRASSY LAKE	220	4		T		SP			P	P		P		CI	BJ	N 46 08.829 W 89 36.553		
GUNLOCK LAKE	250	26	12	BR	X	SP	C	P	P	C	P	A		GR	LF	N 45 54.841 W 89 49.490		
HARRIS LAKE	507	57	24	BR	X	SP	C	P	C	P	P	C		PR	WI	N 46 15.424 W 89 49.406		
HELEN CREEK														PR	LL	N 46 11.240 W 89 24.708		
HELEN LAKE	111	19		NW		DG	P	P	P	C		C		CI	WI	N 46 15.019 W 89 53.798		
HIGH LAKE	734	31		BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		GR	LL	N 46 10.166 W 89 31.931		
HORSEHEAD LAKE	234	24	13	R	X	DG	C	P	C	C	P	P	C	PR	PI	N 46 14.044 W 89 42.584		
HUNTER LAKE	184	40	17	BR	X	SE			C	C	P	C		PR	CO	N 45 59.902 W 89 19.148		
HURRAH LAKE	24	43		T		SE			P	C		C		CI	AV	N 45 57.348 W 89 38.961		
IKE WALTON LAKE	1424	61	10		X	SE	P		P	P	P	P		UR	LF	N 46 01.889 W 89 49.080		
INDIAN LAKE	68	39		BR		SE	P			C	P	C		CI	LL	N 46 07.224 W 89 24.114		
IRVING LAKE	403	13		BR		DG	C		P	C		C		PR	PL	N 46 03.730 W 89 29.076		
ISLAND LAKE	1023	35	13	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	P	P	C		PR	BJ	N 46 06.148 W 89 46.383	■	
JAG LAKE	158	14		BR	X	SE	P		C	P	P	C		PR	BJ	N 46 05.071 W 89 43.744		
JEAN LAKE	24	15		W		SE				P		P		UR	PL	N 46 05.251 W 89 27.111		
JOHNSON LAKE	78	42		BF	X	DG	C	P	P	C		C		PR	AV	N 45 53.926 W 89 42.698		
JOYCE LAKE	29	33			X	SE				C		C		UR	LL	N 46 07.293 W 89 20.981		
JUTE LAKE	199	23	16	BR	X	SE	P			P	C	C		PR	LL	N 46 09.111 W 89 30.865		
KENTUCK LAKE	957	40	13	BR	X	DG	C		C	P	C	C		PR	PH	N 45 59.088 W 89 00.728		
KENTUCK LAKE														PR	PH	N 45 59.590 W 88 58.894		
LAC DU LUNE LAKE	426	68	24	BR	X	SE			P	P	P	C	C	UR	LL	N 46 08.318 W 89 22.977		
LAC VIEUX DESERT	2853	38		BR	X	DG	C	C	C	C	C	C		PR	PH	N 46 07.298 W 89 09.139		
LAC VIEUX DESERT (Southeast side)														PR	PH	N 46 07.412 W 89 04.417		
LAC VIEUX DESERT (Southwest side)														PR	PH	N 46 08.067 W 89 08.996		
LAC VIEUX DESERT (Southwest side at dam)														CI	PH	N 45 57.703 W 89 20.265		
LAC VIEUX DESERT (via Wisconsin River)														CI	PH	N 46 07.298 W 89 09.139		
LAKE OF THE HILLS	62	10		BR		DG			C		P		A	PR	CO	N 45 59.169 W 89 14.932		
LAURA LAKE	599	43		BR	X	SE	C		C	P	P	P		CI	PL	N 46 03.842 W 89 27.068		
LAURA LAKE														UR	PL	N 46 02.877 W 89 25.904		
LITTLE ARBOR VITAE LAKE	534	32	11	BR	X	DG	C		C	C		C		PR	AV	N 45 55.170 W 89 36.787		
LITTLE BASS LAKE	27	35		T		SE				C		C		GR	SG	N 45 57.124 W 89 28.370		
LITTLE CLOUD LAKE	10	14	7	T	X	SE						A		CI	SG	N 45 57.328 W 89 33.705		
LITTLE CRAB LAKE	76	26		R			C		C	P				UR	PI	N 46 10.917 W 89 42.760		
LITTLE CRAWLING STONE LAKE	107	44	18	BR	X	DG	P	P	P	P	C	C		GR	LF	N 45 55.459 W 89 53.896	●	
LITTLE CROOKED LAKE	153	20		BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P		C		PR	BJ	N 46 09.397 W 89 41.621		
LITTLE GIBSON LAKE	31	20		T		SE	P			P		C		CI	LL	N 46 08.391 W 89 32.306		
LITTLE HORSEHEAD LAKE	52	19		R		DG	P	P	P	P	P	C		GR	PI	N 46 14.505 W 89 43.139		
LITTLE JOHN LAKE	166	19		BR	X	SP	C	P	C	C	P		A	PR	BJ	N 46 01.191 W 89 38.636		
LITTLE JOHN JUNIOR LAKE	25	26		T	X	SE							C	CI	BJ	N 46 00.321 W 89 38.457		
LITTLE MUSKIE LAKE	78	16			X	SP			C		P		C	CI	AV	N 45 55.052 W 89 42.133		
LITTLE RICE LAKE	59	7		R		SP	P	A	P	P	P	C		CI	BJ	N 46 06.789 W 89 38.320		
LITTLE ST. GERMAIN LAKE	980	53	11	BR	X	DG	C	A	C	C	P	C		PR	SG	N 45 54.714 W 89 28.366		
LITTLE STAR LAKE	245	67	31	NW	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	P		CI	MW	N 46 06.896 W 89 51.038		
LITTLE TAMARACK FLOWAGE	200	16		BR		DG	P	C		C		C		PR	CO	N 46 05.213 W 89 20.247		



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LITTLE TROUT LAKE	978	98	25	BR	X	SE	C		C	P	C	P	P	PR	LF	N 46 03.250 W 89 50.977	
LONE TREE LAKE	121	16		BR		SE				C	P	P		CI	PL	N 46 02.595 W 89 30.239	
LONG LAKE	872	95	30	BF	X	DG	P	P	C	P	C	P	P	CI	PH	N 46 02.728 W 89 02.606	
LONG LAKE														PR	PH	N 46 04.857 W 88 59.676	
LOST CANOE LAKE	249	41		T	X	SE	P	C	C	C	P	C		CI	BJ	N 46 04.753 W 89 35.713	
LOST LAKE	544	20		BR	X	DG	C	C	C	C		A		PR	SG	N 45 57.669 W 89 28.608	
LOWER NINEMILE LAKE	646	5				DG	P	C	C	P				UR	WA	N 45 54.315 W 89 05.364	
LYNX LAKE	22	20		BR		DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		GR	PI	N 46 11.428 W 89 40.166	◆
LYNX LAKE	339	48	18	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	C	P		GR	WA	N 45 57.043 W 89 13.763	
MAMIE LAKE	400	15	10	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		GR	LL	N 46 11.321 W 89 22.829	★
MANITOWISH RIVER				BR										PR	BJ	N 46 07.152 W 89 36.231	
MANITOWISH RIVER (Hwy. 51)				BR										UR	MW	N 46 08.207 W 89 54.713	
MANN LAKE	261	18	5	BR	X	SP		C				C		GR	BJ	N 45 59.851 W 89 40.262	
MANUEL LAKE	76	9		BR		SE		P				P		GR	PH	N 46 01.554 W 89 06.440	
MCLEOD LAKE	52	7		T		SE				P		P		UR	CO	N 45 59.152 W 89 20.856	
MERRILL LAKE	24	26		BR		SE				P		P		CI	LL	N 46 09.708 W 89.21.921	
MIELKE LAKE	29	34	13	R	X	SE							C	CI	AV	N 45 55.347 W 89 37.532	
MUD CREEK (Watersmeet Lake)	100	12		BR		DG	C	P	C	C	P	C		PR	LI	N 45 54.244 W 89 17.280	
MUD MINNOW LAKE	12	24				SE				P		P		CI	CL	N 45 57.703 W 89 20.265	
MUSKELLUNGE LAKE	272	19	9	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	P		C		PR	CL	N 45 57.510 W 89 22.656	
MYSTERY LAKE	20	7		W		DG				P		P		CI	PL	N 46 03.340 W 89 33.909	
NEBISH LAKE	98	52	18	BR	X	SE					A	C		GR	PL	N 46 03.225 W 89 35.928	
NICHOLS LAKE	40	16		BR		SE				P		P		CI	BJ	N 46 06.267 W 89 41.303	
NIXON CREEK (access to Nixon Lake)	110	5		NW		DG	C		P	P	P	P		CI	BJ	N 46 05.935 W 89 33.646	
NORTH TURTLE LAKE	369	58		NW	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		PR	WI	N 46 15.027 W 89 52.570	
NORTH TWIN LAKE (Lakota Road)	2788	60	28	BF	X	DG	C		C	P	P	C		PR	CO	N 46 03.276 W 89 09.742	
NORTH TWIN LAKE (Millerville Ln.)														PR	PH	N 46 03.444 W 89 06.090	
NOSEELUM LAKE	13	25				SE		P		C		P		UR	WI	N 46 11.310 W 89 49.321	
OBERLIN LAKE	46	25		T		SE				C		C		CI	AV	N 45 56.668 W 89 35.647	
OSWEGO LAKE	66	17		R		SE		P		P		P		UR	BJ	N 46 08.219 W 89 36.128	
OXBOW LAKE	511	44	15	BF	X	DG	P	P	C	P	P	P		PR	PI	N 46 14.231 W 89 40.449	
PALLETTE LAKE	173	65	33	W	X	SE		P			C	C		CI	PL	N 46 03.679 W 89 36.052	
PALMER LAKE	635	13	8	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	C	P	C		PR	LL	N 46 12.226 W 89 29.062	★
PAPOOSE LAKE	428	65		BR	X	SP	C	P	C	P	P	P		PR	PI	N 46 10.580 W 89 48.256	
PARTRIDGE LAKE	234	19	9	T	X	SP	P		P	C	P	C		UR	PL	N 46 04.595 W 89 29.714	
PAUTO LAKE	17	52		T	X	SE							C	CI	AV	N 45 58.931 W 89 42.298	
PICKEREL LAKE	293	26	12	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P		C		PR	CL	N 45 58.707 W 89 22.732	
PIONEER LAKE	427	27	12	BR	X	DG	C	P	P	C		C		PR	CO	N 46 00.500 W 89 12.457	
PLEASANT LAKE	14	24				SE				C		P		PR	CO	N 46 06.050 W 89 13.632	
PLUM LAKE (North side)														PR	PL	N 46 00.048 W 89 31.830	
PLUM LAKE (South side)	1108	57	20	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		PR	PL	N 45 59.789 W 89 31.745	
PRESQUE ISLE LAKE	1280	80		BF	X	DG	C	P		P	P	P		CI	PI	N 46 13.449 W 89 46.184	
PRESQUE ISLE LAKE														PR	PI	N 46 12.608 W 89 47.575	
RANGELINE LAKE	60	13		W		SE				P		P		CI	CL	N 45 58.333 W 89 17.955	
RAZORBACK LAKE	362	35	15	BR	X	SE	P	C	C	C	C	C		PR	PL	N 46 01.497 W 89 31.779	
RED BASS LAKE	26	22		R		SE				P		C	C	CI	PI	N 46 11.819 W 89 39.950	
REST LAKE														PR	MW	N 46 08.755 W 89 53.116	
REST LAKE (Koller Park)	808	53	18	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	P	P	C		CI	MW	N 46 08.286 W 89 53.058	■
RICE LAKE	71	7		R		DG	P	P	P	P		P		CI	CL	N 45 56.429 W 89 19.856	
ROBINSON LAKE	37	20		R	X	SE				P		P		UR	PH	N 46 01.822 W 88 56.132	
ROUND LAKE	116	25		BR		DG	C		C	C		C		PR	PI	N 46 10.155 W 89 42.347	
ST. GERMAIN RIVER														CI	SG	N 45 55.104 W 89 31.952	
SALSICH LAKE	48	36		BR	X	SE		P		C		C		CI	PL	N 46 02.345 W 89 27.200	
SCAFFOLD LAKE	20	30		W		SE		P		C		C		CI	AV	N 45 57.981 W 89 37.948	
SCATTERING RICE LAKE	267	17	8	NW	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		UR	WA	N 45 56.000 W 89 11.236	◆
SHANNON LAKE	36	30	15	BR	X	SE				C		C	C	UR	SG	N 45 57.643 W 89 26.286	
SILVER LAKE	61	19	8	BR,P	X	SE	P	C	P	P		A		GR	ER	N 45 55.189 W 89 14.362	
SMOKY LAKE	610	39		BR		SE				P	P	P	P	PR	PH	N 46 04.823 W 88 57.166	
SNIPE LAKE	239	15	10	BF	X	SE	C		C	P		C		PR	CL	N 45 56.167 W 89 22.650	
SNYDER LAKE	16	15		T		SE				P		P		UR	PL	N 46 01.637 W 89 24.446	
SOUTH TURTLE LAKE	454	23		BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		PR	WI	N 46 20.974 W 89 89.917	
SPARKLING LAKE (Southeast side)	127	64		BR	X	SE	C		C	P	C	P		PR	AV	N 46 00.377 W 89 41.759	
SPECTACLE LAKE	171	35	12	BR	X	SE			P	C	C	C	C	PR	PH	N 46 00.652 W 89 00.733	
SPRUCE LAKE	15	16		T		SE				C		A		CI	PL	N 46 03.264 W 89 34.029	
STAR LAKE (East Campground)	1206	68	23	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		PR	PL	N 46 01.519 W 89 28.005	
STAR LAKE (West Campground)														PR	PL	N 46 01.919 W 89 28.502	
STARRETT LAKE	66	19		BR		SE		C	P	A	C	C		GR	PL	N 46 01.486 W 89 34.515	
STEARNS LAKE	217	16	6	R	X	SE	P	P	P	P	P	P		UR	LF	N 45 58.701 W 89 48.485	
STELLA LAKE	91	9		BR		SP		P		P		C		GR	SG	N 45 58.486 W 89 27.547	
STORMY LAKE	522	63	33	BR	X	SE		P		P	C	P	C	PR	CO	N 46 03.534 W 89 19.378	

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STREET LAKE	54	22	13	T	X	SE				P		C		CI	BJ	N 46 05.741 W 89 42.466	
SUGAR MAPLE LAKE	137	46	14	W	X	SE		P		P	P	C		CI	PH	N 46 06.251 W 89 04.459	
TAMARACK LAKE	63	16		NW	X	DG	P	P		P		C		CI	WI	N 46 14.021 W 89 51.310	
TELLEFSON LAKE	19	33		T		SE				P		P		UR	CO	N 45 98.688 W 89 31.983	
TOWANDA LAKE	146	27	10	BR	X	SE	C	P	C	P		C		PR	AV	N 45 56.301 W 89 42.744	
TROUT LAKE	3816	117	49	BR	X	DG	C	C	C	P	C	C	C	PR	BJ	N 46 03.790 W 89 38.791	
TROUT LAKE														PR	BJ	N 46 01.306 W 89 39.298	
TROUT LAKE (Bardon Street, East side)														CI	AV	N 46 02.338 W 89 41.244	
UPPER BUCKATABON LAKE	494	47	20	BF	X	DG	C	C	C	C	P	A		PR	CO	N 46 00.584 W 89 21.145	
UPPER GRESHAM	366	32	13	BR,P	X	DG	C	P	C	C	A			PR	BJ	N 46 04.530 W 89 43.692	
UPPER NINEMILE LAKE	91	5		R		DG		P		P		P		UR	WA	N 45 54.479 W 89 03.218	
VAN VLIET LAKE	220	23		BR	X	SP	P	P	C	P		C		PR	PI	N 46 11.200 W 89 45.183	
VANDERCOOK LAKE	95	33		BR	X	SE		C		C		C		GR	AV	N 45 59.162 W 89 40.932	
VERNA LAKE	77	23		BR		SP	P	P		P		C		UR	AV	N 45 57.584 W 89 43.424	
WABASSO LAKE	49	18		BR	X	SE		P		C		C		GR	LF	N 45 58.413 W 89 59.967	
WEST PLUM LAKE	1108	57	20	BR	X	DG	P	C		C		C		CI	PL	N 45 59.372 W 89 33.566	
WHARTON LAKE	32	19		R		SE				P		P		UR	PL	N 46 00.567 W 89 43.190	
WHITE BIRCH LAKE	117	27		NW	X	DG	C		C	P	P	C		CI	PL	N 46 03.610 W 89 31.619	
WHITE SAND LAKE	1229	63	24	R	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	P		GR	BJ	N 46 05.039 W 89 34.808	
WHITE SAND LAKE	734	71	33	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	C	P		GR	LF	N 45 59.224 W 89 48.701	
WHITNEY LAKE	102	8		W		SP		P		C		P		GR	BJ	N 46 07.247 W 89 43.731	
WILD RICE LAKE	379	26	11	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		PR	MW	N 46 04.191 W 89 48.265	■
WILDCAT LAKE	305	38	12	BR	X	DG	C		C	P	C	C		PR	PI	N 46 09.978 W 89 36.687	
WILDWOOD LAKE	16	32	16	W	X	SE				C			C	CI	BJ	N 45 59.146 W 89 37.834	
WISCONSIN RIVER (Cty. Hwy. K)														UR	CO	N 46 04.770 W 89 26.534	
WISCONSIN RIVER (Hwy. 70, Cloverland)														CI	CL	N 45 54.156 W 89 23.583	
WISCONSIN RIVER (Hwy. G, Lincoln)														PR	LI	N 45 56.506 W 89 15.652	
WISCONSIN RIVER (River Road)														CI	CO	N 46 00.369 W 89 17.318	
WITCHES LAKE	30	40		T	X	SE			P	P	C	C		UR	AV	N 45 58.679 W 89 35.687	
WOOD DUCK LAKE														CI	CL	N 45 55.234 W 89 24.699	
YELLOW BIRCH LAKE	202	23	11	BR	X	DG	C	P	C	P	P	C		PR	ER	N 45 55.591 W 89 14.452	◆

## LAKE WATERS BY GAME FISH SPECIES

	LAKES	ACRES
Bass .....	472	89,053
Walleye.....	209	75,706
Musky .....	198	72,451
Northern Pike.....	195	59,104

## LAKE STATISTICS

	LAKES	ACRES
Total Lake Count .....	1,327	93,920
Total Lakes Named.....	563	91,187



## Stop Aquatic Hitchhikers

Protect Wisconsin's Lakes

**All boaters are required to:**

- Inspect boat, trailers, and equipment
- Remove all attached aquatic plants and animals
- Drain all water from boats, vehicles, and equipment
- Never move plants or live fish away from a waterbody

Wisconsin law requires the removal of all aquatic vegetation, aquatic animals, and on-board water from boats, trailers and related equipment before travelling over Wisconsin public roadways. Be aware to protect our waterways now and for the future!





## ITINERARIES

### FIND YOUR MOMENTS

Vacation season never ends in Vilas County, it only changes. On long summer days, Vilas County's 1,300 lakes and dozens of streams and rivers attract anglers, paddlers, boaters, swimmers and anyone who loves a good sunset. In the fall, our maples, oaks and aspen come alive in brilliant shades of red, yellow and orange and our cool nights are perfect for relaxing by the fire. Winter brings a mountain of snow, thanks to our prime location in the Lake Superior snowbelt. We're a renowned destination for winter silent sports, ice fishing and snowmobiling. In fact, the snowmobile was invented here.

Throughout the year, our lodging properties take care of visitors, ensuring their experience is as memorable as it was a generation ago. That friendly service can also be found in our charming stores, which offer unique items, and our restaurants that offer some of the best food in the Northwoods.

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### *Points of Interest*



Look for these points of interest throughout the guide and chart your adventure on pages 26-27.

These are all excellent reasons to head to Vilas County for a Northwoods vacation or getaway, but ultimately, this place is about the moments people have when they're here. Visitors have captured some of their favorite moments on camera and have been kind enough to share them—you'll see them spread throughout this guide. In the pages that follow, we've assembled some ideas of places and events you may want to check out on your next trip. Perhaps, they'll lead you to your own special Vilas County moment.



## ADVENTURE: SPRING & SUMMER

Warm weather and longer days bring fresh opportunities for adventure in Vilas County and some of the best vacation moments happen on the water. For hundreds of years people have been paddling the lakes and rivers of Vilas County. Chart your own course—the Wisconsin River alone offers nearly 50 miles of paddling from the headwaters in Land O' Lakes south to Conover and Eagle River and west to St. Germain.

Vilas County is also home to vast forests that beckon nature lovers. A beautiful place for a hike is the Star Lake Nature Trail, which will take you onto a scenic peninsula. Hikers interested in a longer adventure can explore the 1.5 million-acre ⑨ Nicolet National Forest via the Anvil Lake Trail, just east of Eagle River. The trail is just off Old Military Road, an 1800s route that follows a Native American trail used for hundreds of years (part of the Nicolet-Wolf River Scenic Byway). The longest trail in the county is the Heart of Vilas County Paved Bike Trail System. Ride 52 miles of paved trail connecting Boulder Junction, Sayner-Star Lake, Manitowish Waters, St. Germain and Mercer.

In northern Vilas County, bikers can explore a beautiful road route that connects Winchester and Presque Isle. Mountain bikers will find scenery on the Raven Trail in Woodruff and a few thrills on the expansive WinMan Trails between Winchester and Manitowish Waters. Near Conover is the Vilas County Equestrian Trail System—it's connected to the River Road Equestrian Campground via the Torch Lake Equestrian Loop.

ATV riders can also explore Vilas County's expanding riding options. Discover routes connecting the communities of Eagle River, Conover, Phelps, Land O' Lakes, St. Germain and Arbor Vitae. A scenic paved and dirt road/trail route will take you through the forest from Arbor Vitae to St. Germain, skirting Big St. Germain Lake. Adventurer/dual-sport motorcycle riders will find endless routes to explore, including miles of unpaved county forest roads.

Back on land, explore native history on the reservation of the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa. Weekly pow wows take place through the summer on Tuesdays, and the ③ George W. Brown, Jr. Ojibwe Museum & Cultural Center features exhibits like a world-record sturgeon and a 24-foot dugout canoe.

Looking for family fun? Check out the wildlife in a Northwoods zoo or head to a go-kart track and see who is the fastest!

All of these activities might make you hungry. Good spots to pull over include Manitowish Waters, where you'll find great coffee, and Land O' Lakes, where you can ride up to an ice cream stand. Throughout the county you'll find friendly taverns for lunch and restaurants with sunset views. Whether you're looking for a classic cocktail or unforgettable dessert, you'll find it in Vilas County.



Finding spring and summer fun in Vilas County is a breeze. View itineraries at [vilas.org/itineraries](https://vilas.org/itineraries).

### FARMERS' MARKETS

Vilas County hosts several farmers' markets from late spring through early fall. Find farm-fresh produce as well as locally made baked goods, maple syrup, wild rice and other products of the Northwoods. Here's where you can find the markets.

**St. Germain Flea Market**—St. Germain (Mondays)

**Weekly Summer Flea Market**—Boulder Junction (Tuesdays)

**Farmers' Market**—Eagle River (Wednesdays, Sundays)

**Farmers' and Flea Market**—Land O' Lakes (Thursdays)

**Farmers' Market & Lion's Club Flea & Craft Market**—Manitowish Waters (Thursdays)

**Flea and Farmers' Market**—Presque Isle (Fridays)

**Minocqua Farmers' Market**—Minocqua (Fridays)

**Phelps Farmers' Market**—Phelps (Saturdays)



### Camperland

Bringing a camper to Vilas County? The ⑭ Torch Lake Campground and RV Park has a spot for you, including sites perfect for a campervan, travel trailer or a full-sized, Class-A motorhome. Find the ideal site and enjoy your night beneath a starry sky. Learn about the campground on page 21 and on [vilas.org](https://vilas.org).





## TRACK TIME

*Mallory B.* | 📍 **St. Germain**

We raced the go karts and won!

## WHAT'S A-RAMA?

There are a lot of places in the world that have festivals, but in Vilas County, our festivals are as unique as their quirky names. New to the “rama” scene? Here are five in September to check out. Find more events at [vilas.org/events](http://vilas.org/events).

**Colorama Arts & Crafts Fair**—Boulder Junction

**Colorama**—St. Germain

**Summer Finale Colorama**—Land O’ Lakes

**Cran-A-Rama**—Manitowish Waters

**Beef-A-Rama**—Minocqua

## ADVENTURE: FALL

Every autumn, the show returns. As the air cools, the ferns begin to turn a beautiful golden brown and then trees burst into color—ash and birch trees take on beautiful shades of gold; maple trees light up in hues of orange and red. Vilas County has more than 240,000 acres of public land, and it’s one of the best places in Wisconsin for taking in fall colors.

If you’re looking for an unforgettable hike, there’s no better time to get on the trails. If you’re seeking relaxation, there’s nothing like warming near the first fire of the season. If you feel like shopping, this is the perfect time to explore quaint stores across Vilas County.

Vilas County has nine spectacular golf courses, including the challenging ② Eagle River Golf Course and the ⑧ Plum Lake Golf Club, which first opened in 1912.

A great place for a fall paddle is NHAL Canoe Trip #3, a route from Boulder Junction to Manitowish Waters—it includes several lakes and some wild river stretches. While in Manitowish Waters get an up-close look at some cranberry farms—along with Eagle River, this area helps Wisconsin lead the nation in cranberry production. Tours of cranberry farms are available from July to early October.

Afterwards, take a fall cruise on the ① Eagle River Chain of Lakes. This 9-lake chain covers nearly 3,600 acres, and, when combined with the adjoining Three Lakes Chain, is the largest chain of freshwater lakes in the world! Learn more about exploring Vilas County’s Lake chains on page 25.

Fall colors provide a beautiful backdrop for fishing. Catch a view and perhaps a trophy on Big St. Germain Lake, a 1,600-acre lake that’s highly rated by local anglers.

Take in miles of scenery by car or bike. West of Star Lake, the twisting ⑩ Rustic Road #60 provides a dramatic fall drive. In the southeast corner of the county, you can explore the scenic roads of the Nicolet-Wolf River Scenic Byway. A pleasant fall road biking route: County Highway S in Land O’ Lakes and Conover. Or, ride the Vista Lake Bike Route in Phelps—the route includes three beautiful loops in the ⑨ Nicolet National Forest.

Keep an eye on the sky. Migratory birds wing their way through Vilas County every fall. A good birding spot is the Powell Marsh Trail, an area between Manitowish Waters and Lac du Flambeau.

Caramel apple lovers: celebrate autumn at a fall festival. There are community celebrations taking place virtually every weekend in the fall. These events are filled with beautiful crafts, delicious food and lively music.

One of the best ways to end a fall day in Vilas County is in a supper club. Enjoy a brandy old fashioned or perhaps a local microbrew and decide: walleye, prime rib or aged steak? Savor your meal, and the moment, in Vilas County.



### Indoor Options

*If you're looking for a change of pace from the outdoors, Vilas County has something for everyone. Venture out for some shopping, go bowling or paint your own pottery.*

Good times don't stop when the sun goes down. Sample a carefully selected vintage at a wine bar. Finish off the day with a traditional Northwoods fish fry or experience a unique dish at a restaurant dripping with Northwoods character.

## ADVENTURE: WINTER

In Vilas County, we measure winter fun by the foot. Every year, we're blanketed with a heavy layer of snow that creates fresh opportunities for adventure and relaxation. Located in the Lake Superior snowbelt, we receive a ton of snow—on average, more than six feet each winter! That means Vilas County is heaven for people who love the outdoors. Our more than 1,300 lakes offer endless possibilities for ice fishermen, and the county's vast snow-frosted forests provide a stunning backdrop to winter getaways.

Start your big adventure with a hearty breakfast in one of Vilas County's many restaurants. They open early and offer all the classics—hot coffee, pancakes, bacon and eggs, just how you like them.

Next, head out for some snowshoeing. Just south of Boulder Junction, the Lumberjack Trail offers great scenery not far from rental spots. Near Presque Isle, an outing at the 15 Van Vliet Hemlocks will take you past 400-year-old trees. Vilas County is laced with miles of well-maintained cross-country ski trails.

The Pioneer Creek Trails in Conover have miles of trails for snowshoeing and cross-country skiing and offer a warming shelter with heated restrooms. South of Winchester, the WinMan Trails offers expansive ski and groomed fat bike trails in a 1,300-acre natural area.

If you're looking for more frozen adventures, you won't have to look far—just find some ice. Fishermen flock to Vilas County for quiet spots like Boulder Lake in Boulder Junction. Another great spot: 16 Stormy Lake near Conover, a spot that is far more tranquil than its name suggests. Vilas County is also home to nearly a dozen ice fishing tournaments, including events for new anglers like the free Annual Kids' Fishing Jamboree in Land O' Lakes.





## SWINGING OVER SQUAW LAKE WAITING FOR SPRING

Lauren K. | [Lac du Flambeau](#)

The eldest of the second generation to grow up enjoying many good times at the family cabin on Squaw Lake.

Fishing isn't the only way to win on the ice—every February, Eagle River hosts the Pond Hockey National Championships. Teams come from all over the country, in many case reuniting teammates who first hit the ice together decades ago.

Noncompetitive skaters: take the kids to one of Vilas County's many outdoor rinks like Conover Town Park, which has a heated restroom, or the Snowflake Ice Rink in Land O' Lakes with lights for night skating and a warming house.

Sled heads can explore over 700 miles of snowmobile trails—you can get virtually anywhere via this trail network. In Phelps, you can pick up a trail within a block of town and launch an adventure that continues across the county and beyond. Visit [trails.vilas.org](https://trails.vilas.org) to download the updated Map It Vilas County trails app, to help you navigate the county's snowmobile routes as well as skiing and snowshoeing trails.

Ride to Sayner-Star Lake to pay homage to the birthplace of the snowmobile—you'll be touring some of the oldest snowmobile trails in the state. Another sledding shrine: Eagle River, known around the world as a snowmobiler's mecca. It hosts both the annual Vintage Derby and World Championship Snowmobile Derby at the World Championship Derby Complex, drawing more than 1,400 riders and crowds of 30,000 every January.

The derby is just one of our lively winter racing events. In February, you'll see other fast snowmobiles competing in the St. Germain Radar Run and some fast paws competing for cold cash at the Three Bear Sled Dog Races, held in Land O' Lakes.

The Winter Park Bark Skijor Race, held in March in Minocqua, is a unique style of racing involving cross-country skiing while attached to an energetic dog. The dogs and the skiers put on a show!



What's the most popular activity in Vilas County? According to visitors we speak with, it can be summed up in one word: relaxation.

Here you can wake up on a still morning and hear the call of a loon echoing across the lake. Sit back and watch the sun set on a warm summer night or take in the greens and purples of the Northern Lights on a clear winter evening. Maybe you would rather find a spot inside, near a crackling fire, with nothing more pressing on your agenda than watching a birch log catch flame.

Feel like some pampering? There are spas that will take good care of you. Afterwards, sip a soothing drink in one of our charming coffee shops. However you choose to spend your vacation, you're sure to have a relaxing stay in Vilas County.



## SHOPPING & DINING

### SHOPPING

Vilas County is a beautiful place to find unique items for family, friends and anyone else on your gift list. There's nothing like travelling down a forest road in search of a cozy shop filled with items you'll never find in a big city. The shopping experience is as special as the gifts you'll discover. Here are a few ideas for your Vilas County shopping list.

**OUTDOOR GEAR:** Vilas County has lots of great sporting goods shops selling the latest gear at competitive prices. One of the best parts about shopping at these stores is the deep knowledge employees and owners of these retailers have about what they are selling—when they're not in the store you'll probably find them on the lake or in the woods. If you're not sure what you're looking for, they are there to help. One shop in downtown Eagle River will even outfit your dog!

**ARTIST WARES:** For years, Vilas County's natural beauty has inspired some of Wisconsin's most beloved artists and craftspeople. You can find their work, and the work of other regional and national talents, in Vilas County's shops and galleries. You'll never have more fun finding the perfect gift or home décor item.

**SWEET AND SAVORY:** Find something sweet for someone sweet! Vilas County shops sell a delicious variety of jams, jellies and sweet delights. You'll also find handcrafted salsas, hot chocolate mixes, sauces and an abundance of cranberry and wild rice products that are native to this area. These items are all delicious, and many are not available elsewhere. Be sure to pick up something for yourself, too!

**NORTHWOODS APPAREL:** Our county's retailers are stocked with all the apparel you'll need to get through the frostiest mornings and warmest summer afternoons. We even have specialty boutiques where you can find one-of-a-kind fashions.



### OLD FASHIONED

*Bette R.* | [Minocqua Area](#)

Perfect state, perfect cocktail!

### DINING

You'll find them tucked into our communities and on back forest roads—Vilas County restaurants serve up flavors as big as the Northwoods and there's a table waiting for you. These restaurants are timeless treasures, as delicious as they were generations ago. Here's a taste of what you'll find.

**SUPPER CLUBS:** Arrive early if you can—you won't want to rush your experience in a Vilas County supper club. These places are institutions, celebrated by visitors and locals alike, and are decorated with trophy fish, old photos and perhaps a few Christmas lights. Place an order for a classic old fashioned—sweet or sour, fruit or olives—the choice is yours. Savor a classic Wisconsin fish fry, order up a rack of ribs or some impossibly tender prime rib. Save room for the perfect throwback dessert: an ice cream drink!

**TAVERNS:** For great flavors and a friendly atmosphere, head to a Vilas County tavern. You'll find burgers loaded with deliciousness and fried cheese curds or homemade chips that can't be resisted. There's always something cold and refreshing on tap. Planning a summer getaway? Many of our taverns have outside seating during the warmer months.

**FAMILY RESTAURANTS:** Anyone hungry for pizza? You'll find plenty of that in Vilas County, as well as entrees to fit anyone's taste and budget. After a day on the lakes or trails, there's nothing like settling into a Northwoods restaurant, where the portions are as generous as the service. The only question: table or booth?







## CAMPING

People who like to sleep under the stars will find a range of camping options, from county-owned land to state and national forests, as well as privately owned and operated campgrounds. Options include backcountry wilderness campsites and campgrounds with a full range of amenities, from single sites to larger campgrounds with more than 75 sites. In addition to several canoe camping sites along the Wisconsin River, Vilas County has recently developed and enhanced these camping areas. Find more at [vilas.org](http://vilas.org).

### TORCH LAKE CAMPGROUND AND RV PARK

**5130 Torch Lake Rd. | Conover**

Discover a campground that is perfect for families with a travel trailer, RV or tent. This campground is located on 39-acre Torch Lake, offering a beautiful backdrop for your camping adventure. Here, you're just a short walk from the beach, giving you easy access to an afternoon of relaxation on the water and a front row seat to a fabulous Northwoods sunset.

The campground offers modern amenities such as water, electric, flush toilets, showers, dumping station and WiFi. Take advantage of the picnic area featuring horseshoe pits and tables, so you can have a fun, leisurely day without leaving the campground. Anglers can go after the large-mouth bass that are common in the lake. Bring your four-wheeler—the campground has direct access to the Vilas County ATV/UTV trail system.

### TAMARACK SPRINGS CAMPGROUND

**5025 Tamarack Rd. | Conover**

Unplug and escape to this beautifully rustic campground. Tamarack Creek, which anchors this picturesque campground, winds throughout the area and provides a tranquil soundtrack to your camping getaway. Fall asleep to the sound of the bubbling creek, and in the morning, grab your gear and fish this top-notch trout stream.

The campground accommodates tents and small trailers, featuring a campground host and nine sites spread along both sides of the creek—six on the north side and three on the south side.

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### WILD BLUEBERRIES

*Annett C.* | [Conover](#)

Nothing better than hours spent bent over picking delicious wild blueberries; worth every back-breaking minute when you serve them over your morning oatmeal or better yet, serving up that first delicious piece of wild blueberry pie. There's NOTHING like it!

### RIVER ROAD EQUESTRIAN CAMPGROUND

**5056 River Rd. | Conover**

The River Road Equestrian Campground is an equestrian's perfect retreat. Connectivity with three horseback riding trails makes this campground an excellent hub for exploring Vilas County. Enjoy a relaxing night of camping before heading out for a day of tranquil riding through the area's winding paths and lush forests. Then at the end of the day, refresh and recharge at this unique campground that accommodates your equestrian friend. You'll feel right at home.

River Road is the only campground of its kind in Vilas County. It's located at the trailhead of the Torch Lake equestrian loop, which provides access to over 19 miles of well-marked trails. The loop includes the Torch Lake Trails, Ski Hill Trails and the Pioneer Creek Trail. You can ride to Conover and find dining spots that have hitching posts outside.



## MAP IT VILAS COUNTY



### WHAT DOES THE APP INCLUDE?

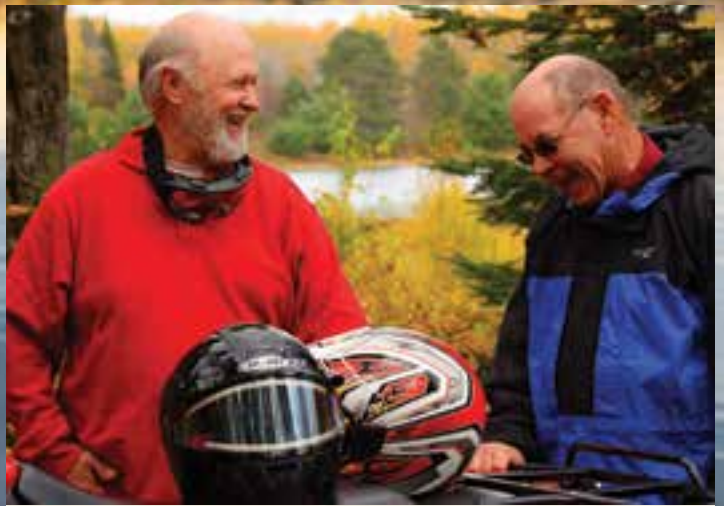
The Map It Vilas County trails app features nearly 90 trail maps! Discover trails for a variety of activities—the app includes ATVing/UTVing, biking, birdwatching, cross-country skiing, equestrian, hiking, hunting, off-highway motorcycling, paddling, snowmobiling, snowshoeing and swimming.

Exploring the beautiful forests of the Northwoods couldn't be easier or more rewarding. In Vilas County, we have not only built hundreds of miles of forest trails, we've created a free app that will help you discover the trail that's perfect for you. The Map It Vilas County trails app is unlike any other—it uses GPS mapping technology to help silent and motorsport enthusiasts navigate our vast forests.

Vilas County has a lot of trails—more than 75 silent sports trails, 700 miles of snowmobile trails and many miles more of equestrian and ATV/UTV trails/routes, as well as the brand-new off highway motorcycle trails. There are so many trails and so many options, you could explore for days!

Let our app help. We've built a filter system that you can use to find the trail that's perfect for you. Looking for a path nearby? Select a community and see all of your options. Bringing a dog along? You'll find spots where your best

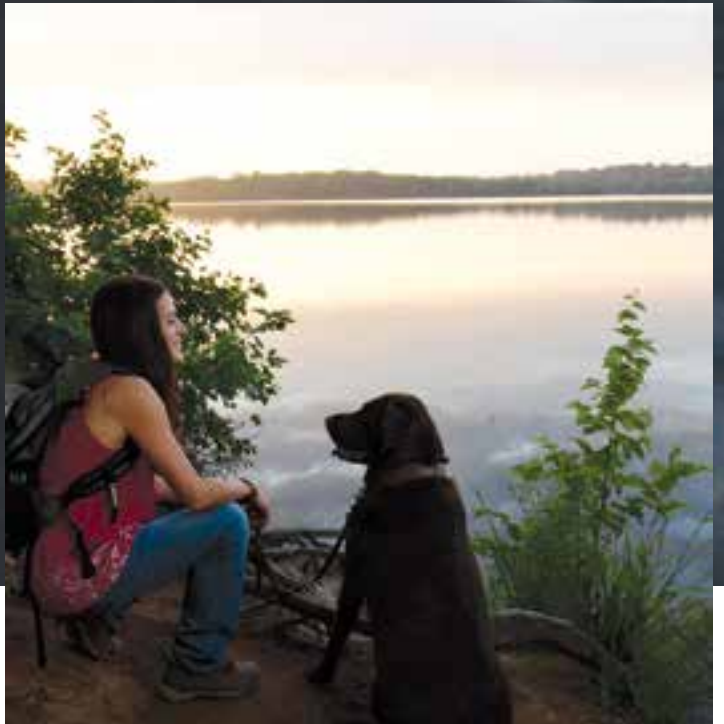




## COLORFUL CHARACTERS

*Carson J.* | [♥ Conover](#)

Our crew met up for a fall trail ATV ride and a few laughs.



## SUNRISE HIKING

*Theresa S.* | [♥ Sayner-Star Lake](#)

Banjo and I enjoyed an early morning summer trail hike. The sunrise was beautiful and the water was like a mirror—until Banjo decided to take a swim!

friend is welcome. Or perhaps you're only interested in a place to ride your bike? The app will show you places that are open to bicycling. You can also search for a trail that's the right length. If you have just a little time to explore, use the app to select one of our shorter paths. Or, if you're longing for serious adventure, use the app to find our longest trails.

Once you've decided where to go, the app will keep you on track for adventure. Use it to find you directions to the trailhead, a locator map and a description of what you'll see. Once you're on the trail, the app will show you exactly where you are. As you move, a dot on the app's interactive map will move so you can see how far you are from a trailhead or scenic spot. And when there's a split in the trail, you'll know which way to turn.

Our trails are so beautiful, some people choose a new route to explore every time they visit. The Map It Vilas County trails app helps you find those trails, so adventures here are even more memorable.

## GET THE MAP IT VILAS COUNTY TRAILS APP

The free Map It Vilas County trails app is your key to discovering Vilas County's trails. Here's a quick guide to the app.

- 1. BEFORE YOU GO:** Download the Map It Vilas County trails app at [trails.vilas.org](https://trails.vilas.org). The app is free and versions are available for Apple and Android devices.
- 2. START DREAMING.** The perfect trail is out there: use the app to find it. The app will show you all the public trails; the filters will help you zero in on one to explore. Select as many or as few options as you like; selecting more options will help you find just the right trail. For example, you can find hiking trails in Presque Isle that allow dogs, bike trails in Boulder Junction that are equipped with free repair stations and the snowmobile trails in Eagle River.
- 3. MAKE IT HAPPEN!** Use the app's "Trail Information" section to find a trailhead and parking and see a helpful description of the trail. Once you're on the trail, use the "Interactive Map" section to stay on the right path. A dot on the map will indicate your position—if you're wondering how far you are from your car or campsite or if there's a lake around the bend, just look at the app! The app will even display a trail map when there's no cell service available.
- 4. ENJOY.** While the app is rich with trail details, the biggest benefit is what you'll find off your device—an unforgettable wilderness experience. You'll be able to navigate the backcountry like a local and find the beautiful hidden spots that make Vilas County trails so special.



Download the app at [trails.vilas.org](https://trails.vilas.org)



## Where to Ride



Vilas County has miles of marked ATV/UTV routes, including some easy-riding routes and trails in Conover, Phelps, Land O' Lakes, St. Germain, Eagle River and Arbor Vitae. These routes, usually open from early May to the end of October, connect to other area trails and routes to the east and west. The routes and trails are all clearly marked, so you'll have no trouble getting around.



## COLOR COORDINATION IN THE NORTHWOODS

Jessica M. | [Manitowish Waters](#)

Beautiful day in the deep woods for a ride. Looking good with the pink flames.

## ORDER A TRAIL MAP

The Vilas County Silent Sports Trail Map includes individual maps for each trail and a county-wide map that includes the location of all the silent sports trails and six paddling routes. The free 23" by 38" foldable map is a must-have for every silent-sports enthusiast.



Order the map at [trails.vilas.org](https://trails.vilas.org)





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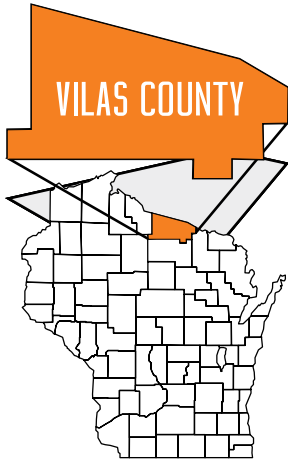
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TRAIL NAME	#	LENGTH	AREA	Hiking	Biking	Cross-Country Skiing	Snowshoeing	Equestrian	Hunting	Birdwatching	Leashed Pets Allowed	Disabled Access	Fee/Pass Required	Restroom	Picnic Area	Shelter	Water	Bike Repair Station
Anvil Lake Trail	1	12 mi	Eagle River	•	M	G	•			•	•		•	•				
Awassa Nature Preserve & Hiking Trail	2	2.1 mi	St. Germain	•	W	G	•		•		•							
Boulder Junction Winter Park	3	0.9 mi	Boulder Junction	•		G	•				•					•		
Catherine Wolter Wilderness Area	4	Various	Presque Isle			G	•		•	•								
Heart of Vilas County - Mercer Bike Trail	5	7 mi	Man. Wat./Mercer	•	P						•	•		•	•			
Heart of Vilas County - Manitowish Waters	5a	10 mi	Man. Waters	•	P						•	•		•	•			•
Heart of Vilas County - Boulder Junction	5b	21 mi	Boulder Junction	•	P						•	•		•	•		•	•
Heart of Vilas County - Sayner-Star Lake	5c	6 mi	Sayner-Star Lake	•	P						•	•		•	•		•	•
Heart of Vilas County - St. Germain	5d	13 mi	St. Germain	•	P						•	•		•	•			•
Decker Lake Trail	6	4.5 mi	Conover	•			•		•	•	•							
Deep Lake Trails	7	6 mi	Conover	•					•	•	•	•			•			
Eagle River-Land O' Lakes Bike Route	8	22 mi	Eagle R./Land O'		•						•			•	•	•		
Esacnaba-Palette Lake Trails	9	8.5 mi	Boulder Junction	•		G					S		•			•		
Fallison Lake Trails	10	2.5 mi	Boulder Junction	•			•			•								
Fern Ridge Trail	11	0.7 mi	St. Germain	•			•				•							
Franklin Lake Trail	12	1 mi	Eagle River	•			•			•	•	•	•	•				
Hidden Lakes Trail	12-2	13 mi	Eagle River	•			•			•	•	•	•	•	•			
Heart Lake Trail	13	4.9 mi	Conover	•					•	•	•							
Lac du Flambeau Route	14	17.9 mi	Lac du Flambeau		•						•			•				
Wilderness Lakes Trail System (WLT)	15a	Various	Land O' Lakes	•	•		•				•	•		•	•	•		
WLT - Land O' Lakes Bike Trail	15b	12 mi	Land O' Lakes	•	P						•			•		•		
Land O' Lakes Cross-Country Ski Trails	16	Various	Land O' Lakes			PG	•				•							
Langley Lake Trails	17	15.7 mi	Conover	•					•	•	•							
Lumberjack Trail	18	12.5 mi	Boulder Junction	•	M	•	•			•	•		•					
Madeline Lake Trail	19	5.5 mi	Minocqua	•	M	G					S		•			•		
Mud Minnow Lake Trail	22	2.8 mi	Eagle River	•		•	•		•	•	•							
Muskrat Creek Trail	23	6 mi	Conover	•		•	•		•	•	•							
Nicolet North Trails	25	15 mi	Eagle River	•	M	PG					•		•					
Nordmarka Trails	26	3 mi	Eagle River			G												
North Lakeland Discovery Center Trails	27	12 mi	Man. Waters	•	I/M	G	•			•	•			•	•	•		
N Lakeland School Nature & XC Ski Trl System	28	10 mi	Man. Waters	•		G					•					•		
North Trout Nature Trail	29	1 mi	Boulder Junction	•			•							•			•	
Phelps Trail	30	2 mi	Phelps	•		G	•				S							
Pioneer Creek Trail	31	7.35 mi	Conover	•		•	•	•	•	•	•							
Powell Trails	33	7 mi	Man. Waters	•		•	•			•	•							
Presque Isle-Winchester Bike Route	34	10.5 mi	Presque Isle	•	•					•	•	•		•	•	•		
Presque Isle Nature Trail	35	1.5 mi	Presque Isle	•							•	•		•				
Presque Isle-Pomeroy-Henry Trails	36	16 mi	Presque Isle		•						•			•				
Conover-Phelps Trail	37	7.6 mi	Conover/Phelps	•	P/M				•		•			•			•	•
Raven Trail	38	Various	Woodruff	•	M/W	G					•		•	•		•		
Razorback Ridges Trails	39	12 mi	Sayner-Star Lake		M	G					S			•		H		
Rohr's Wilderness Trails	40	Various	Conover	•	M	G	•				•			•		•	•	
Shannon Lake Trail	41	7 mi	St. Germain	•	M/W	•	•				•							
Ski Hill Trails	42	5.1 mi	Conover	•		•	•	•	•	•	•							
Snipe Lake & Ewald Lake Trails	43	16.4 mi	Eagle River	•		•	•		•	•	•			•	•			
Spectacle Lake-Kentuck Lake Trail	44	2.5 mi	Phelps	•			•			•	•		•					
Star Lake Nature Trail	46	2.5 mi	Sayner-Star Lake	•			•						•				•	
Three Eagle Trail	47	11.25 mi	Eagle River	•	I	G					•			•			•	
Tom Roberts Memorial Nature Trail	48	0.5 mi	Boulder Junction	•								•	•					
Torch Lake Trails	49	5.35 mi	Conover	•		•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•			
Trampers Trails	50	2.5 mi	Sayner-Star Lake	•		•					•							
Van Vliet Hemlocks	51	3.2 mi	Presque Isle	•		•	•			•	•							
White Squaw Lake Trail	52	7.4 mi	Conover	•		•	•		•	•	•							
Guido Rahr Sr. Tenderfoot Forest Preserve Trl	53	2 mi	Land O'/Pr. Isle	•					•	•	•							
WinMan Trails	54	Various	Man. Wat./Winch.	•	M/W	G	•				•							
Tara Lila Trails	55	3 mi	Eagle River	•		•	•				•			•			•	
Vista Lake Bike Routes	56	13.1 mi	Phelps	•	•		•				•							
Beaver Creek Trail	57	2 mi	Phelps	•			•		•	•								
Blackjack Springs Wilderness Trail	58	Various	Phelps	•					•	•				•				
Pioneer Creek Cross-Country Ski Trail	59	Various	Conover	•		G	•	•	•	•				•		H		
Pipke Park Trail System	60	Various	Presque Isle	•	I		•				•	•	•					
Deerskin Snowshoe Trails	61	Various	Phelps	•			•			•	•							
St. Germain Fat Bike Loop	62	1.8 mi	St. Germain		W		G											
Bear Lake Road	63	8.8 mi	Boulder Junction	•	P						•			•	•			
Nichols Lake Landing	64	1.25 mi	Boulder Junction	•	P						•			•	•			•
White Deer Loop	65	6.5 mi	Boulder Junction	•	P						•							

GRID KEY: G (Groomed) H (Heated) I (Improved) S (No Pets on Snow) M (Mountain) P (Paved) PG (Partially Groomed) W (Winter Fat Tire) Land Trails Hard Surface Trails Routes Equestrian Trails



# COUNTY MAP



## VILAS COUNTY

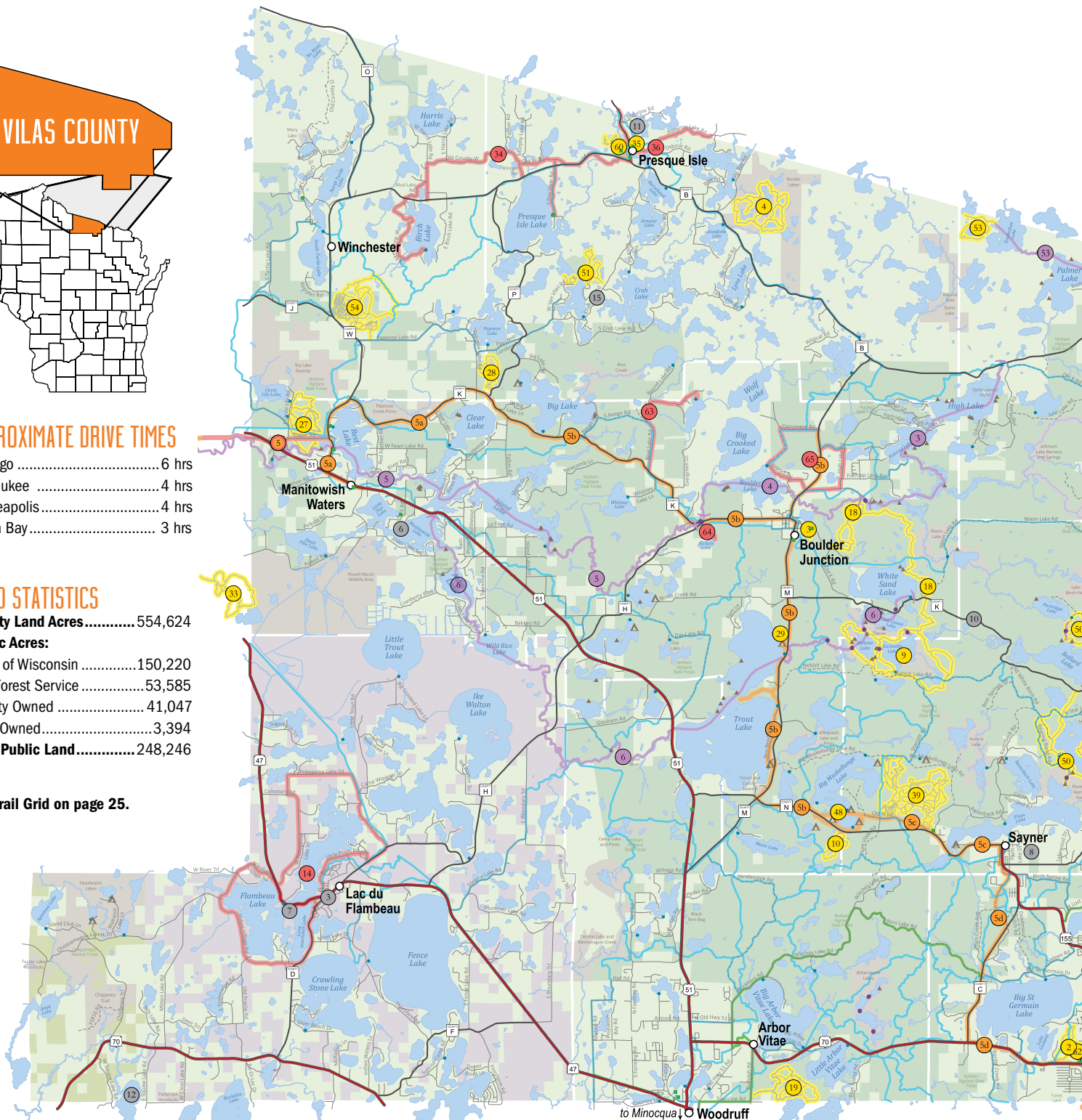
### APPROXIMATE DRIVE TIMES

Chicago .....	6 hrs
Milwaukee .....	4 hrs
Minneapolis .....	4 hrs
Green Bay .....	3 hrs

### LAND STATISTICS

County Land Acres.....	554,624
<b>Public Acres:</b>	
State of Wisconsin .....	150,220
U.S. Forest Service .....	53,585
County Owned .....	41,047
Town Owned .....	3,394
<b>Total Public Land.....</b>	<b>248,246</b>

See Trail Grid on page 25.



### TRAIL KEY

- Land Trails
- Hard Surface Trails
- Routes
- ATV/UTV Trails/Routes
- Points of Interest
- Snowmobile Trails
- Paddling Routes
- Equestrian Trails
- Off Highway Motorcycle Trail



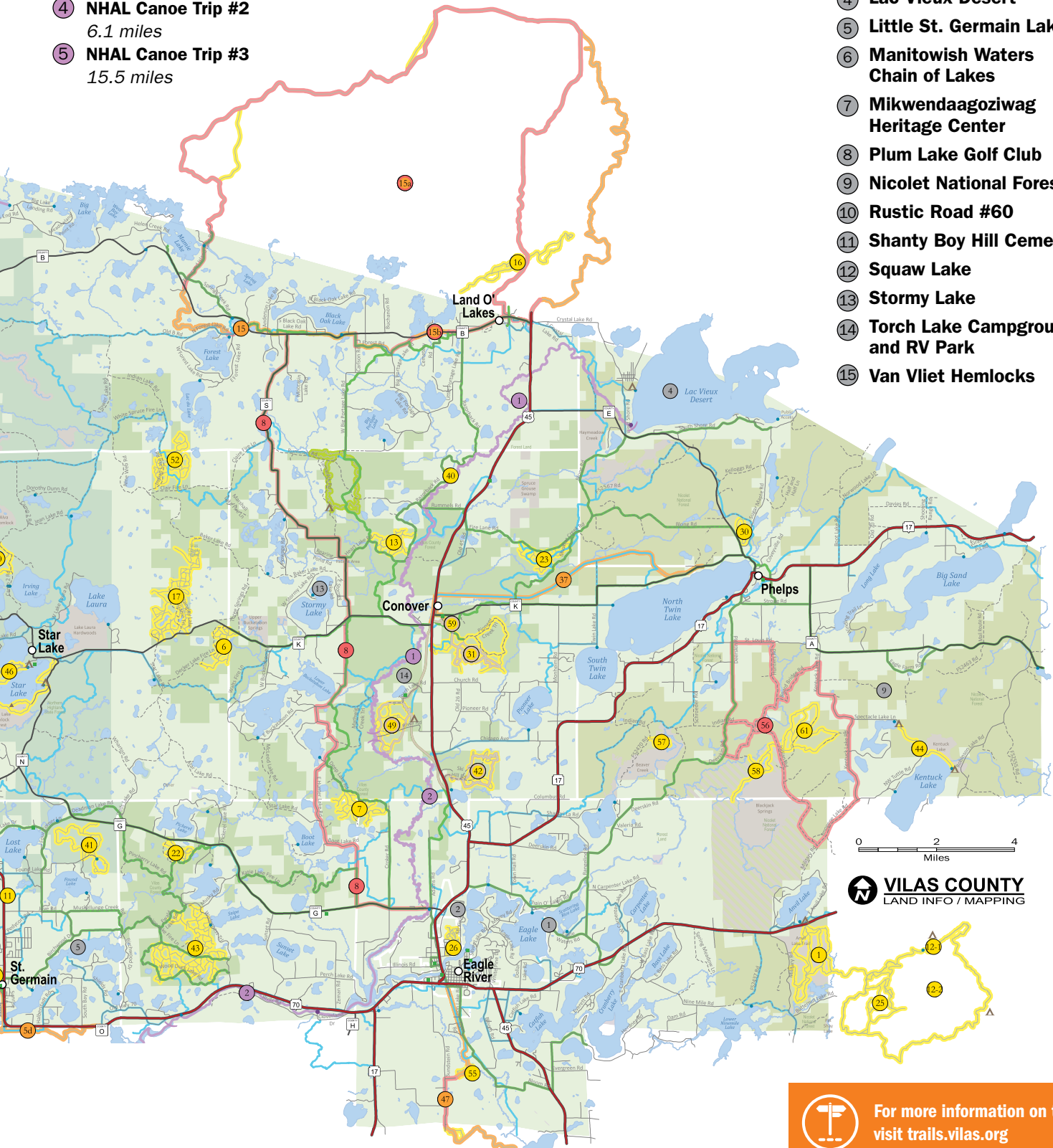
## PADDLING ROUTES

- ① **WI River Centennial Trail Trip #1**  
25 miles
- ② **WI River Centennial Trail- Trip #2**  
23 miles
- ③ **NHAL Canoe Trip #1**  
7.5 miles
- ④ **NHAL Canoe Trip #2**  
6.1 miles
- ⑤ **NHAL Canoe Trip #3**  
15.5 miles

- ⑥ **NHAL Canoe Trip #5**  
19 miles
- ⑤③ **Guido Rahr Sr. Tenderfoot Forest Preserve Access Route**  
3 miles

## POINTS OF INTEREST

- ① Eagle River Chain of Lakes
- ② Eagle River Golf Course
- ③ George W. Brown, Jr. Ojibwe Museum & Cultural Center
- ④ Lac Vieux Desert
- ⑤ Little St. Germain Lake
- ⑥ Manitowish Waters Chain of Lakes
- ⑦ Mikwendaagoziwag Heritage Center
- ⑧ Plum Lake Golf Club
- ⑨ Nicolet National Forest
- ⑩ Rustic Road #60
- ⑪ Shanty Boy Hill Cemetery
- ⑫ Squaw Lake
- ⑬ Stormy Lake
- ⑭ Torch Lake Campground and RV Park
- ⑮ Van Vliet Hemlocks



For more information on trails,  
visit [trails.vilas.org](https://trails.vilas.org)



## ARTS & MUSEUMS

The beauty and history of Vilas County comes alive in our rich collection of local museums and arts centers. Learn about the land that once greeted Native Americans and French voyageurs, European settlers and roving lumberjacks. Explore the Ojibwe culture and experience life in a logging camp. Discover the simple, inventive origin of the snowmobile and learn about the unique geology of Vilas County. See the beautiful work created by some of the most talented artists of the Northwoods or make your own Vilas-inspired creation.

### ARTS

**Land O' Lakes Area Arts (LOLA)**

Land O' Lakes | 715.547.3950  
lolaartswi.com

**North Lakeland****Discovery Center**

Manitowish Waters  
1.877.543.2085  
discoverycenter.net

**Trees for Tomorrow**

Eagle River | 715.479.6456  
treesfortomorrow.com

**The Warehouse Arts Center**

Eagle River | 715.479.4060  
eagleriverart.com

### CHILDREN'S

**Northwoods Children's Museum**

Eagle River | 715.479.4623  
northwoodschildreismuseum.com

### CULTURAL

**George W. Brown, Jr. Ojibwe Museum & Cultural Center**

Lac du Flambeau | 715.588.3333  
ldfmuseum.com

**Mikwendaagoziwag Heritage Center**

Lac du Flambeau | 715.588.2139

### LOCAL HISTORY

**Boulder Junction Historical Museum**

Boulder Junction | 715.385.2617

**Dr. Kate Museum**

Woodruff | 715.356.6896  
drkatemuseum.org

**Eagle River Historical Museum**

Eagle River | 715.337.0811  
eagleriverhistory.org

**Land O' Lakes Historical Society Northern Waters Museum**

Land O' Lakes | 715.547.6979  
landolakeshistory.org

**Minocqua Museum**

Minocqua | 715.356.7666

**National A&P Historical Museum & Research Center**

Manitowish Waters | 715.892.2967

**The Old Schoolhouse Gallery**

Star Lake | 715.542.3998

**Phelps Historical Museum**

Phelps | 715.545.3303  
phelpsmuseum.com

**Presque Isle Heritage Museum**

Presque Isle | 715.686.2481

**Vilas Historical Museum**

Sayner | 715.542.3388  
vilasmuseum.com

**Winchester Historical Display**

Winchester | 715.686.2926

### SNOWMOBILING

**Snowmobile Hall of Fame & Museum**

St. Germain | 715.542.4463  
snowmobilehalloffame.com

**World Snowmobile Headquarters**

Eagle River | 715.479.2186  
worldsnowmobilehq.com







## CALENDAR OF EVENTS



### MAKING WAVES

*Dani C.* | [Sayner-Star Lake](#)

The Plum Ski-ers put on quite a show for us!

## JANUARY

### 6 Moose Tracks Snowshoe Race

11am-3pm. Minocqua Winter Park. The Moose Tracks Snowshoe Race 5K and 10K distances through trails and forests of the park. Racers complete 1 or 2 laps of a 5K trail. 715.356.3309 [minocquawinterpark.org](http://minocquawinterpark.org)

### 11-13 Vintage World Championship

**Snowmobile Derby** 9am-5pm. Eagle River Derby Complex. Classic vintage races dedicated to the grand old racing machines of the sixties, seventies and eighties. These machines are meticulously resorted and tuned to be reliable and the competition is highly reminiscent of the good old days. 715.479.4424 | [derbycomplex.com](http://derbycomplex.com)

**12 Arctic Warrior** 10am-4pm. Wild Bear Grill & Pub. St. Germain. Gather your friends and join us for our 3rd Annual Arctic Warrior Snowshoe and Winter Obstacle Course Race here in St. Germain. The race will wind around Little St. Germain Lake. 715.477.2205 | [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)

### 18-20 World Championship Snowmobile

**Derby** 9am-10pm. Eagle River Derby Complex. Known as the "Indianapolis 500 of Snowmobile Racing," enjoy seeing high-tech snowmobiles reach speeds in excess of 100 miles per hour on a solid ice oval. Marvel at the high-flying snocross pilots as they maneuver over the demanding course. 715.479.4424 | [derbycomplex.com](http://derbycomplex.com)

### 19 5th Annual Wittig's Point Tavern "Big Fish" Ice Fishing Tournament

8am-4pm. Wittig's Point Resort & Tavern. Boulder Junction. 100% payout. 3 biggest bluegill, 3 biggest walleye, 3 biggest northern. Prizes, trophies, raffles! \$20 per angler pre-register or \$25 day of the event. 715.892.1544 | [wittigspoint.com](http://wittigspoint.com)

### 25-27 Women on Snow Weekend

Eagle Waters Resort. A weekend of snowmobiling and fun in Wisconsin's Northwoods. Saturday evening brings a themed banquet full of prizes and surprises. Meals, lodging and gas are included in the price for the weekend. 715.479.4411 | [womenonsnow.org](http://womenonsnow.org)

## FEBRUARY

### 1-2 Discover WI & Boondock Nation Presents: St. Germain Radar Runs

Fri. 12-7pm; Sat. 12-4pm. West Bay of Little St. Germain Lake. Enjoy fun runs, speed runs, bikini runs, vendor row and Snow Outlaw Racing Finale. 715.477.2205 | [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)

**2 Wolf Tracks Rendezvous** 9am-3pm. Minocqua Winter Park. A 42K marathon for intermediate and expert skiers and a 24K half-marathon for beginner to intermediate skiers. 715.356.3309 [minocquawinterpark.org](http://minocquawinterpark.org)

## 2 Three Bear Sled Dog Races

9am-4pm. Land O' Lakes Town Hall Grounds. Land O' Lakes. Races and winter games of professional sled dog racing showcasing the best from the USA and Canada! Sat. includes great racing, mutt races, family games, food, ice skating and more! 715.547.3432 | 3bear.org

## 2 8th Annual Tara Lila Snowshoe

**Celebration** Noon-9pm. Tara Lila trails. Eagle River. The Tara Lila Snowshoe Celebration is a free, family-friendly event where snowshoers of all skill levels can enjoy groomed trail loops of varying lengths. The event features food, guided tours, campfires and a candlelight showshoe walk. 920.312.8937 | taralila.org

**2 Musher's Ball** 8-11:30pm. Gateway Lodge. Land O' Lakes. Live music by Sons of the Legends. Join in the fun and dancing to celebrate the Three Bear Sled Dog Race! Casual attire. 715.547.3321

**6 Groomer Show** 9am-4pm. Walker Equipment, Inc. St. Germain. Walker Equipment, home of Arrowhead Groomers, located here in St. Germain, hosts the Arrowhead Groomers Show, one of the largest groomer shows in Midwest. Stop out and see equipment displays and demonstrations. 715.479.4200 arrowheadgroomers.com

**8-10 14th Annual Labatt Blue/USA Hockey Pond Hockey National Championship** 9am-4pm. Chanticleer Inn. Eagle River. This four-on-four shiny hockey tournament is all about camaraderie and played in two 15 minute halves on rinks carved out of snow under a canopy of the sky on a frozen lake rimmed by hardy pine trees. 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**9 Ice Cold Beer Fest** 1-3pm. Minocqua Brewing Company. Over 25 vendors will pack their barrels of libations for a day of celebration and fundraising on Lake Minocqua! 715.356.2600 minocquabrewingcompany.com

**12-Mar. 1 Subaru Winter Experience** 8am-5pm. Chanticleer Inn. Eagle River. Enjoy a full day of adrenaline behind the wheel of a 2019 Subaru. Test your limits behind the wheel. It will be done in a controlled and safe yet thrilling way. Register online. 715.479.4486 subaruwinterexperience.com

**16 Forest Frenzy Winter Triathlon** 10am-3pm. Camp Manito-wish YMCA. Boulder Junction. A 7.5K cross-country ski, 5K snowshoe, and a 7.5K fat bike. Awards & hot soup following the race. 715.385.2400 forestfrenzywintertriathlon.com

**16 Northwoods Blizzard Blast** 10am-4pm. Conover Town Park. Winter fun for everyone! Cold weather enthusiasts of all ages will enjoy snowshoe baseball, horse drawn sleigh rides, giant ski races, recliner races, ice bowling, slap shot hockey and the Artisan Bazaar. Kids will revel in the dogsled dash. 715.547.8120 blizzard-blast.com

# MARCH

**2 Squirrel Hill Loopy Loppet & Beat the Bunny** 9am-3pm. Minocqua Winter Park. Dual-technique race, featuring 1 lap in classic technique, exchange gear, then a lap of skate skiing for adult racers. Total - 24K, 10K, and 4.5K. The 2K "Beat the Bunny" race is just for kids! 715.356.3309 minocquawinterpark.org

**3 Winter Park Bark Skijor Race** 10am-3pm. Minocqua Winter Park. Any & all skijorers compete with their dogs on 10K or 5K course. Solo interval starts at 30-second intervals. Awards to top and age class male & female finishers. Dog treats. 715.356.3309 | minocquawinterpark.org

# APRIL

**6 8th Annual Maple Syrup Fest** 8am-4pm. Phelps High School. Enjoy sugar bush tours, tree-tapping demos, children's activities, arts and crafts, maple treats, and more! Visit the Maple Café for breakfast and lunch specials. Sign up for fun, educational or cooking classes. All things maple syrup in Phelps! 715. 545.3800 | phelpswi.us

# MAY

**3-4 Annual Sayner Spring Stampede** 9am-3pm. Sayner Community Center. This event is a stamper's dream come true! Vendors galore, classes, make & takes, and a huge new & used stamp sale! 715.542.3996 | sayner-starlake.org

**4 6th Annual Martinis in May** 6-9pm. Whitetail Inn. St. Germain. Watch the best bartenders of the Northwoods compete against each other with their martini making skills. The evening includes hors d'oeuvres and live entertainment. 715.477.2205 | st-germain.com

**11 23rd Annual Journeys Marathon** 8am-2pm. Riverview Park. Eagle River. This challenging and inspirational race starts near Boulder Junction and is loved by all. If you're not up for the 26.2 miles of the full marathon, you may enjoy the half marathon, power walk, 10K or 5K. Registration is open to the public. 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**18 5th Annual White Deer Triathlon** 9am-3pm. Boulder Junction Community Center. A 3K paddle, 22K bike ride and a 6K run. Awards & cookout following the race. 715.385.2400 whitedeertriathlon.com

**24-26 Town Wide Garage Sale** 8am-4pm. Boulder Junction Chamber of Commerce. Held throughout the Boulder Junction area. Maps available from the Boulder Junction Chamber of Commerce. 715.385.2400 boulderjct.org

**24 Eagle River Gun Show** 3-8pm. Eagle River Ice Arena. Gun shops and collectors at one location buying and selling firearms, ammo, knives and more. Admission is \$6. Children 14 and under are free. 608.752.6677 | bobandrocco.com

**25 Manitowish Waters Boat & Car Show** 10am-4pm. Little Bohemia. Manitowish Waters. Check out the many boats and cars, music, and plenty of food. 715.543.8488 | manitowishwaters.org

## 25 Memorial Day Arts & Crafts Show

10am-4pm. Downtown Eagle River. This arts and crafts show features many crafters and artists from the area. Food will be available as well as live music. Also featured will be downtown business sidewalk sales. 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**26 Classic Sled Roundup** 9am-4pm. St. Germain Community Park. Browse displays and competitions of antique sleds and find bargains at the swap meet. 715.542.4463 | snowmobilehalloffame.com

**31-Jun. 1 15th Annual Northwoods Birding Festival** 9am-4pm. North Lakeland Discovery Center. Manitowish Waters. Experience the best of birding in Wisconsin's Northwoods during peak spring migration. Warbler walks, field trips, workshops and programs. Great for anyone interested in learning more about our feathered friends. 715.543.2085 discoverycenter.net

# JUNE

**1 June Bloom Arts & Crafts Festival** 9am-3pm. Torpy Park. Minocqua. Over 75 crafters and artisans featuring handmade items, food and live music. Free admission for all! 1.800.44.NORTH | minocqua.org

**7 Up North Beerfest—Premier Beer Night** 6-8pm. Hi-Pines Campground. Eagle River. A more eloquent tasting of hand crafted beers. Specialty beers will be showcased that will not be served at the event on Sat. There will be live entertainment, tasty hors d'oeuvres and special sampling glasses for the showcased beers. 1.800.359.6315 eagleriver.org

**8 Walk in the Woods Art Fair** 9am-3pm. St. Germain Chamber Park. Enjoy wine sampling, cheese tasting and live music as you stroll through the woods to find one of a-kind treasures. 715.477.2205 st-germain.com

**8 Up North Beerfest** 2-6pm. Hi-Pines Campground. Eagle River. Over 30 breweries, just under 150 different beers. Sampling glasses, a beer guide and live entertainment will be provided. Food will be available for purchase. Advanced tickets are \$40. Tickets at the gate \$45 (if available). 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**14-15 St. Germain Community Wide Rummage Sale** 9am-3pm. Downtown St. Germain. Enjoy bargains from around our Community at the St. Germain Rummage Sale! 715.477.2205 | st-germain.com

**15 Eagle River Union Airport Props & Pistons** 8am-4pm. Eagle River Union Airport. The kickoff to the day is the Fly-In and the Boy Scout Pancake Breakfast. The Speed Run is open to street legal cars, trucks and motorcycles. We will also have aircraft on display, RC Models, raffles, fly-bys, fantastic food and airplane rides. 715.479.7442 | erairport.com

**15 23rd Annual Lakesfest** 10am-3pm. Lac du Flambeau Department of Natural Resources Facility. Lac du Flambeau. Join us for canoe races, kid's activities, live entertainment, free hot dogs and soda and hourly raffles. State and Tribal displays for viewing! 1.877.588.3346 lacduflambeauchamber.com

**15 Devil's Elbow 5K** 6-10pm. Trout Lake Golf Club. Woodruff. Experience this unique run/walk on the Club's fairways and trails. Proceeds benefit community projects in Arbor Vitae. 715.385.2189 troutlakegolf.com/devils5k

**15-16 Solstice Bike Festival.** Manitowish Waters. Celebrate the longest day of the year & the official start to summer! Join the excitement of the Friday night ride 5-8pm, family fun paved trail ride and many road rides on Sat. from 7am-4pm. 715.543.8488 | solsticefestival.us

**29 Pinwheel Festival** 9am-4pm. Vilas County Fairgrounds. Eagle River. This is a one day, outdoor, rain or shine, summer fun event in Eagle River, WI. Enjoy arts & crafts, merchant market, delicious food vendors, free train rides, live entertainment and walk through our 1,500 petal pinwheel tunnel. Fun for all. 715.581.5861 | almondtreeevents.com

**29-30 Presque Isle Days** 9am-4pm. Downtown Presque Isle. Join us for Presque Isle's signature festival! Silent sports day is Sat. at Pipke Park from 9am-1pm. The festival, including a professional logger show is Sun. at Community Center and Baseball Fields from 10am-4pm. 715.686.2910 | presqueisle.com

**30 St. Germain Independence Celebration** 10am-10pm. St. Germain Community Park. Enjoy a day full of fun including: craft and vendor fair, kids rides, games, live entertainment and a parade at 3pm. The day culminates with the best fireworks in the Northwoods! 715.477.2205 | st-germain.com

**30 Taste of Conover** 11am-3pm. Conover Town Park. Specialty foods served by area businesses. Beverages provided by Conover Chamber of Commerce. 1.866.694.4389 | conover.org

# JULY

**3 Summer Salute Fireworks** 10-11pm. Land O' Lakes Airport. One of the best fireworks shows in the Northwoods! Enjoy Independence Day fireworks, sponsored by the Phelps/Land O' Lakes Lions Club. Food and refreshments available. Gates open at 5pm. Come tailgate and enjoy the evening! 715.547.3432

**4 Manitowish Waters 4th of July Celebration** 9am-10pm. Manitowish Waters. Arts and crafts sale, food, live music, kids' games, trout pond & more. Parade at 1pm. All followed by fireworks show. 715.543.8488

**4 4th of July in Lac du Flambeau** 9am-10:30pm. Downtown Lac du Flambeau. Join us to celebrate the 4th of July with a parade at noon. Enjoy Native American crafts, food and a Pow Wow. Fireworks at dusk. 1.877.588.3346 lacduflambeauchamber.com

**4 Party in the Street - Eagle River 4th of July Celebration** 10am-3pm. Downtown Eagle River. Enjoy live music, beer garden, burgers and brats (United Way Benefit), American Legion corn, kids activities and the Eagle River parade featuring over 80 entrants and specialty floats. 715.479.4903 | eagleriverbiz.biz



**4 Summer Salute 4th of July Parade and Picnic** Noon-4pm. Downtown Land O' Lakes. Join us in downtown Land O' Lakes for our 4th of July Parade and a picnic in the park following the parade. Food, music, games and more! 715.547.3432 [landolakes-wi.org](http://landolakes-wi.org)

**4 Star Spangled Jubilee** Noon-10pm. Main Street. Boulder Junction. Enjoy a parade down Main Street beginning at noon. Fireworks display at 10pm at the Boulder Junction Airport. 715.385.2400 [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**4 4th of July Celebration in Sayner** Noon-10:30pm. Downtown Sayner. A fun-filled day of festivities, starting with the Plum Lake firemen's chicken bbq at noon, parade at 3pm, Plum Ski-ers water ski show at 7pm and fireworks at dusk. 715.542.3789 | [sayner-starlake.org](http://sayner-starlake.org)

**4 4th of July Festivities** 2-10:30pm. Downtown Minocqua. Kiddie Parade 3:45pm. Parade 4pm. Concert in the park, waterski show, and fireworks. 1.800.44.NORTH | [minocqua.org](http://minocqua.org)

**4 Phelps 4th of July Celebration** 3-11pm. Downtown Phelps. The ultimate small-town 4th of July Celebration! Enjoy a parade and celebration including food, refreshments, live music, inflatables and games for kids. Fireworks over North Twin Lake at 10 pm. 715.545.3800 | [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)

**4 4th of July Fireworks** 10pm. Vilas County Fairgrounds. Eagle River. Enjoy the colorful fireworks shot high in the sky over the Vilas County Fairgrounds. 1.800.359.6315 [eagleriver.org](http://eagleriver.org)

**6 Muggy Buggy 5K & Xtreme Mud Run** 9am-3pm. Minocqua Winter Park. Test your skills on our timed trail running race, the Muggy Buggy 5K. After an awards ceremony for the top overall and age class male and female finishers, strut your stuff in our Xtreme Mud Run. 715.356.3309 [minocquawinterpark.org](http://minocquawinterpark.org)

**9 22nd Annual Picnic in the Park** 5-8:30pm. Wavering Park. Phelps. Enjoy chicken and ribs, baked beans, potato salad, fresh fruit, homemade dessert. Live music, entertainment. Proceeds for Northwoods Living Care Foundation. 715.545.3800 | [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)

**12-14 37th Annual Bear River Pow Wow** Grand Entry is Fri. 7pm; Sat. 1pm & 7pm; Sun. 1pm. Bear River Pow Wow Grounds. Lac du Flambeau. This annual event brings tribes from across the nation to celebrate together. Public welcome. Admission. 715.588.3346 [lacduflambeauchamber.com](http://lacduflambeauchamber.com)

**13 Moonlight 5K Run/Walk** 6-11pm. Downtown Eagle River. Enjoy a kids carnival, music and fun for the entire family. 1K Sunset Run for kids aged 10 and under at 9pm. 5K run/walk at 10pm. All proceeds benefit the Pines Community Wellness Center. 715.479.4473 x3351 | [npsd.k12.wi.us/wellnesscenter/moonlightrun.cfm](http://npsd.k12.wi.us/wellnesscenter/moonlightrun.cfm)

**16 Sidewalk Sales Day** 9am-5pm. Main Street. Boulder Junction. Held throughout the Boulder Junction downtown area, enjoy a bargain extravaganza at all participating shops. 715.385.2400 | [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**17 Fleezaar** 7am-3pm. Manitowish Waters Community Church. Sponsored by the Manitowish Waters Community Church, this giant flea market and bazaar presents one year's worth of treasure! 715.543.2998

**17 Dragon Boat Festival** 7:30am-4pm. Torpy Park. Minocqua. Sponsored by Howard Young Foundation, 45 foot boats with 20 paddlers, a drummer and steersperson take to the water. All proceeds benefit Howard Young Foundation. Costumes & music—something fun for everyone! 715.439.4005 [howardyoungfoundation.org](http://howardyoungfoundation.org)

**17 23rd Annual Steak in the Park** 5-8pm. Wavering Park. Phelps. Enjoy a great steak dinner with potatoes, salad, roll and dessert along with live music. Rain or Shine! Proceeds benefit local Lions Club projects. 715.891.1025 [phelpsllionsclub.org/events/steak-in-the-park](http://phelpsllionsclub.org/events/steak-in-the-park)

**20 Don Gillum Bike-Hike Memorial** 8am-1pm. Conover Town Park. Enjoy the new and growing Conover-Phelps trail and support the American Cancer Society's patient/family outreach services and Relay for Life of the Northwoods. 715.545.3800 [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)

**20 47th Annual Artarama Riverwalk Art Show & Sale** 9am-3pm. Riverside Park. Eagle River. This is a nationally known, one day, juried art event showcasing more than 90 top-quality artists. There will be live music, food and refreshments. Admission is free. 715.525.2100 | [artarama-er.com](http://artarama-er.com)

**20 Spend the Day in Manitowish Waters** 9am-5pm. Manitowish Waters. Sample great foods by local restaurants, live music & beverages! Sidewalk sales through town, art show & more! 715.543.8488 [manitowishwaters.org](http://manitowishwaters.org)

**26-28 Northwoods Summer Art Tour** 10am-5pm. Various Northwoods' Art Studios. Some of the Northwoods finest artists are allowing visitors a behind-the-scenes view of how their work is created. There will be artist demonstrations, see their inspirations and have the unique opportunity to make purchases directly from them. 715.385.3334 [northwoodsarttour.com](http://northwoodsarttour.com)

**27 Summer Classics Airport Day** 8am-4pm. Land O' Lakes Airport. Start the day at the Land O' Lakes Airport with the famous free pancake breakfast! Tour the airport, check out the planes and enjoy many fun activities. Learn how to make a kite and fly them! 715.547.3377

**27 Forest Fest** 9am-3pm. Trees for Tomorrow. Eagle River. A day of celebrating all the forest has to offer. This free event is held rain or shine! Enjoy exhibits, programs focusing on wood harvesting, wood products, wilderness, wildlife, water quality and much more. 715.479.6456 [treesfortomorrow.com](http://treesfortomorrow.com)

## AUGUST

**2 4th Annual Bacon Dash Trail Run/Walk** 6-8pm. St. Germain Community Center. This 5k trail run/walk starts and finishes at the Pig in the Pines Bacon Bash. Bacon Dash participants will receive a commemorative t-shirt and free admission all day Friday. 715.477.2205 | [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)

**2-3 Pig in the Pines: Bacon, BBQ & Bands** 11:30am-10pm. St. Germain Community Park. It's definitely a great time! Be sure to join in this celebration offering great BBQ and live music all day and night. 715.477.2205 | [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)

**2-3 Eagle River Antique Show & Sale** 9am-5pm. Eagle River Derby Complex. The longest running antique show in the Northwoods. Exhibitors for the show are professional antique dealers from the Northern Wisconsin Antique Dealers Association (NWADA) along with select guest dealers. There is something for everyone. 920.533.8731 [eagleriverrotary.com](http://eagleriverrotary.com)

**3 Community Wide Garage Sales** 8am-4pm. Land O' Lakes area. Up to 50 garage sales or more for your shopping fun! Maps available at the Land O' Lakes Chamber Sat. morning at 7am. 715.547.3432 | [landolakes-wi.org](http://landolakes-wi.org)

**3 63rd Annual Fireman's Pig Roast and Picnic** Noon-9pm. Wavering Park. Phelps. A full day of fun: kids' activities, picnic and pig roast with live music. Fireworks at dusk. 715.545.3800 | [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)

**3-4 Arbor Vitae Fireman's Picnic** 8am-8pm. Arbor Vitae Fireman's Park. Music on the grounds, fireworks and plenty to eat and drink. Presented by the Town of Arbor Vitae and the Arbor Vitae Fire and Rescue Department. 715.356.9247 [arborvitaeafiredept.org](http://arborvitaeafiredept.org)

**4 Sayner-Star Lake Street Fair** 10am-9pm. Downtown Sayner. Join us on Sayner's Main Street for a fun-filled day with a craft show, live music, kids' activities, food, Lions Bobber Race and much more! 715.542.3789 | [sayner-starlake.org](http://sayner-starlake.org)

**8 After Loon Delight Craft Show** 9am-4pm. Torpy Park. Minocqua. Handcrafted items for sale by over 100 exhibitors. The craft vendors and artisans featured at the show are selected for their handmade craftsmanship and artistic talents. 1.800.44.NORTH | [minocqua.org](http://minocqua.org)

**8-11 Vilas County Fair** Times vary. Vilas County Fairgrounds. Eagle River. Enjoy chainsaw carving, petting zoo, bean bag toss events, face painting, Sixel's Martial Arts demos with sumo wrestling, beer garden, live entertainment, wristband specials, fair food and more! 715.479.2057 | [vilascountyfair.com](http://vilascountyfair.com)

**9 Musky Jamboree Street Party** 7-10pm. Coontail Market. Boulder Junction. Located by Coontail Corner. Live music. Beverages served by the American Legion Post 451. 715.385.2400 | [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**10 Musky Jamboree Best Fish Fry Cook Off** 3-6pm. Main Street. Boulder Junction. Taste & judge the best fish fry. Live music & beverages served by the Boulder Junction Lion's Club. 715.385.2400 | [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**10 Ride with Leinie** 9am-4pm. Forest Lake Country Store. Land O' Lakes. Take a "Ride with Leinie"! Pick one of two bike rides, followed by Leinenkugel beer tasting and a brat lunch. Dick Leinenkugel will lead one ride. 906.544.2448 [wildernesslakestrails.org](http://wildernesslakestrails.org)

**11 63rd Annual Musky Jamboree** 9am-4pm. Main Street. Boulder Junction. Car show, over 150 art & craft booths, food booths, kids' casting contest, flea market, live entertainment and more. 715.385.2400 | [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**11 Musky Fun Run** 7:30-9:30am. Boulder Junction Baseball Park. 5K and 10K courses beginning at the Boulder Junction Baseball Park and winding through scenic, gently rolling asphalt surfaced roads, woodland and paved trails. Race begins at 7:30am. Kids Races (10 and under) following the 10K finish. 715.385.2400 | [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**14 Paul Bunyan Fest** 10am-4pm. Downtown Eagle River. This fun-filled family event features chainsaw carving demonstrations, over 75 arts & crafts vendors and live music. Enjoy a Paul Bunyan-sized lunch which includes a heap of potato salad, corn, a HUGE BEEF sandwich, pickle and a cookie. 1.800.359.6315 | [eagleriver.org](http://eagleriver.org)

**24 5th Annual Twin Triathlon** 8am-noon. Downtown Phelps. Unique event in the Northwoods! 8K paddle on North Twin, 16K bike ride, then 5K run on Vista Lake Biking Trails. Register as individual, family or team. Do one leg or all three! 715.545.3800 | [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)

**24 Classic Auto Show** 8am-3pm. Downtown Eagle River. Enjoy beautiful classic cars on display, wonderful food and lots of fun. Trophies will be awarded in various categories. 715.479.4903 [eagleriverbiz.biz](http://eagleriverbiz.biz)

**31 Northwoods Bad Dash Mud Run** 10am-1pm. Manitowish Waters. A 4 mile-12 obstacle mud run. Followed by music, food, raffles and awards. Fun for all! 715.543.8488 | [manitowishwaters.org](http://manitowishwaters.org)

## SEPTEMBER

**1 Labor Day Arts & Crafts Show** 10am-4pm. Downtown Eagle River. Arts and crafts show featuring many area crafters as well as artists from the Northwoods and beyond. Also enjoy downtown sidewalk sales and Sausage Fest in Riverview Park. 1.800.359.6315 [eagleriver.org](http://eagleriver.org)

**1 Sausage Fest** 11am-4pm. Riverview Park. Eagle River. Enjoy music, dancing, raffles, a variety of sausages and Oktoberfest style beers. Also enjoy lots of children's activities. This is an Eagle River Lions Club event. 715.479.2131

**14 27th Annual Colorama Arts & Crafts Fair** 9am-3pm. Boulder Junction Community Center. Craft show, farmers market and wild game sandwiches at the Community Center. 715.385.2400 [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**14 Woods & Water Paddle Races** 9am. Lynn Ann's Campground. St. Germain. 5K or 7M race on your kayak or SUP. Proceeds from the event benefits the Multiple Sclerosis Society. Call Lynn Ann's or visit their website for event details and registration. 715.542.3456 [lynnannscampground.com](http://lynnannscampground.com)



**14 Sep Timber Ride** 8am-3pm. Tribute Brewing Company. Eagle River. Ride the beautiful Three Eagle Trail from Tribute Brewing Company to the Three Lakes Winery and back (28 miles round trip) or ride from Tribute Brewing Company to the Conover area and back (31 miles). 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**14 Wild Rice Fest** 8am-4pm. Downtown Lac du Flambeau. A 5K Run/Walk (registration at 8am) kicks off a full day of fun including wild rice harvesting demonstrations, wild rice & Indian fry bread cooking contest, vendors/crafters, food, shopping and games all day! 715.588.3346 lacduflambeauchamber.com

**14 10th Annual Scarecrow Fest** 11am-5pm. Downtown Phelps. Come to downtown Phelps on North Twin Lake. Free family fun, kids' games, scarecrow contest, pumpkin chuckin', quilt & fine arts display, hay rides, 40+ craft fair vendors, music, food, beverages. 715.545.3002 | phelpsscscrowfest.org

**20 Eagle in One Golf Outing** Noon-8pm. Eagle River Golf Course. The Eagle River Golf Course will be turned into a complete Par 3 course offering participants a chance at a hole-in-one prize on each hole they golf. Cost includes 18 holes of golf with a cart, hors d'oeuvres on course and dinner after. 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**21 2nd Annual Fish N' Lure Auto Rally** 1-5pm. Presque Isle Community Center. View the fall colors! All cars welcome, from classic cars to your family station wagon! A rally where getting to the finish first means nothing! 715.686.2910 presqueisle.com

**21 Colorama** 9am-4pm. St. Germain Community Park. Come to the Birthplace of Colorama - enjoy a farmers market, craft show, wagon rides and Pints in the Park Beer Tasting - this is a not to miss event. 715.477.2205 | st-germain.com

**27-29 Plum Lake Colorama Weekend** 10am-5pm. Downtown Sayner. Take in the colors of fall in downtown Sayner! Enjoy fall festivities and special sales at the shops in town. 715.542.2884 | sayner-starlake.org

**28 Lakeland Rotary's Rump Roast Run** 7am-11am. Downtown Minocqua. 5K and 10K run/walk on the streets and trails of Minocqua. A calf-mile for kids. This event is in conjunction with Beef-A-Rama. 715.356.5252 | tandhtiming.com/events/rump-roast-run-2018-copy

**28 Beef-A-Rama** 8am-4pm. Downtown Minocqua. The business community says thank you by grilling beef up and down main street. Live entertainment, parade, contests, crafts, sandwiches, and beverages for all! This event features over 100 craft vendors. 1.800.44.NORTH | beefarama.com

**28 Summer Finale-Colorama in Land O' Lakes** 10am-3pm. Land O' Lakes area. Enjoy the fall splendor in downtown Land O' Lakes! Many fun events, including horse-drawn wagon rides, crafts, art exhibits, radar runs, food, music and more! 715.547.3432 | landolakes-wi.org

## OCTOBER

**3 Cranberry Fest Marsh & Wine Tasting Tours** 11am-12pm. Eagle River Area Chamber of Commerce. This amazing two-hour tour offers insight into the cranberry planting, growing and harvesting process. After the tour, enjoy sampling of cranberry wine and other cranberry products. 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**5 Cran-A-Rama** 9am-3pm. Manitowish Waters Community Center. Celebrate the cranberry harvest season with an arts and crafts fair, fresh cranberries, fall color, marsh tours & more! 715.543.8488 manitowishwaters.org

**5 Cranberry Fest Berry Bog Jog 5K Run/Walk** 9-10am. Riverview Park. Eagle River. A family friendly 5K jog. Highlights include a flat and fast course (great for strollers/children) on a well-marked route. Each paid participant will receive a specially designed quality t-shirt. 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**5-6 Cranberry Fest** 9am-4pm. Vilas County Fairgrounds. Eagle River. Everything Cranberry and more! Delicious foods from fresh cranberries and craisins, pastries and warm autumn drinks to homemade goods, arts and crafts, clothing and music. There is something for everyone! 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**5 Cranberry Crush Casino Night & Music Fundraiser** 5:30-11pm. Trees for Tomorrow. Eagle River. Join us and support a great cause! Enjoy casino games and live bluegrass music. Attendees may purchase a ticket to play casino games, to see the band or a ticket for admission to both. Proceeds support natural resources education for K-12. 715.479.6456 treesfortomorrow.com

**5 Zurko Antique & Vintage Market** 8am-4pm. Downtown Eagle River. Enjoy the annual eclectic mix of antiques, collectibles, shabby-chic, primitives, old toys, vintage, advertising, pottery, country farm and a host of treasures. All for sale! 715.526.9769 | zurkopromotions.com

**11-13 Northwoods Fall Art Tour** 10am-5pm daily. Various Northwoods Art Studios. A self-guided tour of artist-owned galleries and studios. Artist demonstrations and art available for purchase. Brochures available at area Chambers of Commerce. 715.776.7872 | northwoodsarttour.com

**12 24th Annual Harvest Fest** 10am-3pm. Downtown Boulder Junction. Kids games, shop the Haystack, fall treats, and hayrides from 10am-3pm. Kids may dress in costumes and follow Granny Autumn through downtown Boulder Junction to the various event locations. 715.385.2400 | boulderjct.org

## NOVEMBER

**9 Old Fashioneds Up North** 6-10pm. Eagle Waters Resort. Eagle River. Northwoods bartenders put their skills to the test in our Old Fashioned making competition. Heavy hors d'oeuvres will be provided and live entertainment with a supper club theme throughout the evening. 1.800.359.6315 | eagleriver.org

**16 9th Annual Great Shopping Escape** 9am-3pm. Boulder Junction Community Center. Gather your girlfriends and meet home party reps, visit local shops and art galleries and have breakfast or lunch at one of our restaurants. 715.385.2400 boulderjct.org

**29-Dec. 1 Christmas in Downtown Sayner** 10am-5pm. Downtown Sayner. Enjoy the shops, refreshments and holiday spirit as the holidays officially commence at the shops and restaurants of Sayner. 715.542.2884 | sayner-starlake.org

**29 31st Annual Christmas Walk** 5-8pm. Downtown Boulder Junction. Welcome in the holiday season with the lighting of the town, a visit from Santa and Mrs. Claus, carolers, sleigh rides and treats for shoppers at the stores. 715.385.2400 boulderjct.org

**29 Santa Comes To Town** 1-3pm. Downtown Land O' Lakes. Santa arrives at the Land O' Lakes airport and travels with the children to the Town tree and Santa village for cookies, hot chocolate, Christmas carols and gifts. Horse-drawn wagon rides. 715.547.3432 landolakes-wi.org

**30 "Lighting Up St. Germain" Holiday Celebration** Downtown St. Germain. Ring in the holidays by shopping local throughout the day and stay to enjoy the "Lighting Up St. Germain" Holiday parade at 5pm. 715.477.2205 | st-germain.com

**30 Christmas Craft Sale** 10am-3pm. Land O' Lakes Elementary School. Crafters offering special holiday items to help you complete your Christmas shopping. Food and refreshments will be available. 715.547.3432 | landolakes-wi.org

**30 Christmas Walk Kids Day** 10am-1:30pm. Boulder Junction Community Center. Christmas shopping house, activities and lunch with Santa and Mrs. Claus. 715.385.2400 | boulderjct.org

**30 Jingle Bell 3K** 4-5pm. St. Germain Chamber of Commerce. Bear the weather - warm, cold, snow or no snow and join us "jingling" in the Holiday Season in this family friendly 3k. 715.477.2205 st-germain.com

## DECEMBER

**6 Christmas for the Town** 4-6:30pm. Manitowish Waters. Enjoy making Christmas crafts, hot dogs, chili, hot cider & Christmas cookies. Santa & Mrs. Claus arrive at 5pm to join the fun! 715.543.8488 manitowishwaters.org

**13 Sleigh Rides and S'mores on a Winters Night** 5-8pm. Pipke Park. Presque Isle. Horse-drawn sleigh rides, bonfire, games and s'mores! Maybe even a visit from Santa! 715.686.2910 presqueisle.com

**26-31 Marvel in Manitowish Waters** Celebrate the holidays in Manitowish Waters! Indoor/outdoor activities throughout the town. Fun for all! 715.543.8488 | manitowishwaters.org





## RECURRING EVENTS

**Jan. 2-Mar. 27 Guided Snowmobile Trail Rides** 9am-2pm. Old Train Depot. Eagle River. Weekly guided rides open to everyone during the riding season. Meet at the Historic Railroad Depot in downtown Eagle River. 262.442.4876

**Jan. 2-Apr. 17 Winter Farmers' Market** 11am-3pm. VFW Post 8637. Eagle River. Every Wed. enjoy farm fresh products and crafts. 715.477.0645  
[eaglerivermainstreet.org](http://eaglerivermainstreet.org)

**May 17-Sep. 27 Minocqua Farmers' Market** Minocqua Park Complex. Every Fri. from 8am-1pm, this producer's only farmers' market features products and agricultural products from the surrounding eight counties. 715.536.4613  
[minocquafarmersmarket.com](http://minocquafarmersmarket.com)

**May 20-Oct. 14 Kalmar Bingo** 6-9:30pm. Kalmar Community Center. Eagle River. Everyone is welcome. Card sales begin at 5pm. Early bird begins at 6pm. Regular bingo begins at 7pm. Food and beverages available. 715.479.2633

**May 24-Aug. 30 Eagle River Speedway Stock Car Racing** 6-10pm. Eagle River Speedway. One of the longest consecutive running dirt stock car racing tracks in the midwest opens its 45th season. Enjoy specials for the fans and racers throughout the year. Gates will open at 6pm, with hot laps at 7pm. 715.479.5208  
[eagleriverspeedway.com](http://eagleriverspeedway.com)

**May. 27-Sep. 2 St. Germain Flea Market** 8am-3pm. St. Germain Community Park. Every Mon. Memorial Day to Labor Day, rain or shine. St. Germain is home to one of the largest flea markets in the Northwoods. 715.891.7333 | [sgfire.org](http://sgfire.org)

**Jun. 2-Oct. 6 Eagle River Sunday Farmers' Market** 10am-2pm. Join us for veggies, flowers, honey, breads, jams, meats, cheeses, maple syrup and much more. 715.477.0645 | [eaglerivermainstreet.org](http://eaglerivermainstreet.org)

**Jun. 3-Aug. 26 BINGO** 7-9:30pm. St. Germain Community Center. Enjoy great fun at St. Germain BINGO! Ten games will be played with \$1,000 given out, numerous door prizes and a 50/50 raffle. Doors open at 6:30pm. Bingo begins at 7pm. 715.477.2205 | [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)

**Jun. 4-Aug. 27 Lions Club Weekly Summer Craft and Flea Market** 8am-2pm. Boulder Junction Community Center. Held every Tues., a large outdoor flea/craft market. 715.686.7970 | [e-clubhouse.org/sites/boulderjunction](http://e-clubhouse.org/sites/boulderjunction)

**Jun. 6-Aug. 22 Concert in the Park** 6:30pm. Torpy Park. Minocqua. Every Thurs. as local musicians gather in various groups to provide music as a gift for the many visitors to the area! 1.800.44.NORTH  
[minocqua.org](http://minocqua.org)

**Jun. 9-Aug. 25 Free Fishing Seminars** 7-8:30pm. Boulder Junction Community Center. Boulder Junction fishing guides offer free fishing seminars throughout the summer. Varied topics. Held at various locations on Sun. at 7pm. 715.385.2400  
[boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**Jun. 10-Aug. 19 Manitowish Waters Bingo** 6-8:30pm. Manitowish Waters Community Center. Mon. throughout the summer! However there's NO Bingo on July 15! Doors open at 6pm, bingo starts at 7pm. Concessions available. 715.543.8488 | [manitowishwaters.org](http://manitowishwaters.org)

**Jun. 12-Aug. 7 Kid's Fishing Tips** 6:30-8pm. Hi-Pines Campground. Eagle River. Headwaters Chapter Muskies, Inc. of Eagle River provides basic fishing instruction to children ages 5-13. FREE. 715.477.2667 | [headwatersmuskies.com](http://headwatersmuskies.com)

**Jun. 12-Aug. 21 Summer Concert Crawl** 6:30am-8pm. St. Germain Chamber Park. Bring your lawn chairs, spread out your blankets, and enjoy an evening of live music in the Chamber Park. The concerts are free and will take place rain or shine. 715.477.2205 | [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)

**Jun. 12-Aug. 30 Min-Aqua Bats Ski Show** 7-9pm. Aqua Bowl. Minocqua. Every Sun., Wed., and Fri. starting at 7pm, enjoy one of the oldest waterski show teams in the United States today, originating in 1950. This is a free show! 715.575.9754  
[minaquabats.com](http://minaquabats.com)

**Jun. 18-Aug. 6 Nature at Night Series** 7-8pm. Trees for Tomorrow. Eagle River. Local experts will spend an hour presenting on a variety of natural resource and nature-themed topics. The lecture series is geared for older children and adults. The cost is free. Suggested donation is \$2/person. 715.479.6456  
[treesfortomorrow.com](http://treesfortomorrow.com)

**Jun. 18-Aug. 13 Pow Wows** 7-10pm. Waaswaaganing Indian Bowl. Lac du Flambeau. A celebration of the Ojibwe heritage, dancing to the rhythm of the drum in traditional regalia. An event for the whole family. Every Tues. 715.588.3346  
[lacduflambeauchamber.com](http://lacduflambeauchamber.com)

**Jun. 19-Aug. 7 Music on Main Street** 7-9pm. Boulder Junction Chamber of Commerce. Local musicians perform in downtown Boulder Junction on Wed. from 7pm-9pm. Rain backup location at the Boulder Junction Community Center. 715.385.2400 | [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**Sep. 16-Oct. 19 Lake Nokomis Cranberry Harvest Tours** 10:30am-2:30pm. Lake Nokomis Cranberries. Eagle River. Want to see the harvest in person? Stop by and take one of our free harvest tours. 715.479.6546  
[lakenokomiscranberries.com](http://lakenokomiscranberries.com)



# FISHING EVENTS

## FEBRUARY

**2 Frozen Tozen Ice Fishing Tournament**  
8am-5pm. Boulder Junction Boat Landing. Cash prizes, raffle drawings. Food & beverages. Proceeds benefit the Boat Landing Improvement Fund. 715.385.2400 [boulderjct.org](http://boulderjct.org)

**2 9th Annual Ice Fishing Classic**  
7am-3pm. Pioneer Lake Boat Landing. Conover. Registration starting at 7am with fishing, food, beverages, and prizes for the largest fish in the categories and drawings. Proceeds benefit the Conover Volunteer Fire and Rescue. 715.477.2036

**9 Plum Lake Fishing Tournament**  
6am-5pm. Sayner Community Center. Ice fishing on Plum Lake (with registration at the south shore pier access) 6am-3pm. Raffle prizes and crowning of the Ice Shack Queen (5pm) at the Community Center. Presented by the Sayner-Star Lake Lions Club. 715.542.2046

**16 Winterfest Rendezvous in Manitowish Waters** 10:30am-5:30pm. Rest Lake. Ice fishing tournament, food, beverages, raffles and music under heated tent on the ice. Night fireworks show. 715.543.2455

**16 Sand Lake Pub Ice Fishing Derby**  
7am-3pm. Sand Lake Pub. Phelps. Ice Fishing Derby on Sand Lake in Phelps in Vilas County. All prizes are awarded at the conclusion of the tournament. 715.545.3200 | [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)

## MAY

**17-19 Spring Walleye Tournament**  
Presque Isle Community Center. Fishing tournament on area lakes. Registration Fri. 10am. Fish fry luncheon to follow at noon on Sun. 715.686.2910 | [presqueisle.com](http://presqueisle.com)

**18 Fishing with the Stars** 7am-4pm. St. Germain Community Center. Fish away in this catch and release competition where you may win an chance to spend a day on the lake with fishing legends John Gillespie, Pete Maina & Rob Manthei. 715.477.2205 [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)

**31-Jun. 2 Fishing Has No Boundaries**  
7am-4:30pm. Wild Eagle Lodge. Eagle River. Fishing Has No Boundaries is an event for the disabled angler, providing fishing on the Eagle River Chain of Lakes. Pontoon boats for wheelchairs, safe ramps and docks, guides, boats, bait, fish cleaning, celebrity speakers and more. 715.479.9309

## JUNE

**8-9 Spring Classic Musky Tournament**  
7am-5pm. Eagle River Chain of Lakes. Catch and release musky tournament. 715.477.2667 | [headwatersmuskies.com](http://headwatersmuskies.com)

**15 Hank Lesniak's Valley of the Giants Musky Tournament** 7am-3pm. Hillside Resort. Phelps. Headquartered at Hillside Resort with musky fishing on Lac Vieux Desert. Entry fee includes prime rib dinner and cash prizes. 715.547.3646 [hillside-resort.com](http://hillside-resort.com)

**22-23 Professional Musky Tournament Trail (PMTT)** 7am-4pm. Eagle Waters Resort. The most high-profile, exciting, educational and entertaining musky tournament in the country. The PMTT is not only for the pros, but also the dozens of other excellent musky anglers who may have the desire and ability to become pros. 1.800.359.6315 | [eagleriver.org](http://eagleriver.org)

## JULY

**11 Eagle River Fishing Day for Kids**  
10am-4pm. Vilas County Fairgrounds. Eagle River. This fun filled day is for children between 7-12 years old. Area fishing mentors share the beautiful Northwoods by taking a child fishing for the afternoon. Pre-registration is required. There are only 50 spots available. FREE. 1.800.359.6315 [eagleriver.org](http://eagleriver.org)

## AUGUST

**16-18 National Championship Musky Open** 6am-5pm. Vilas County Fairgrounds. Eagle River. The largest amateur musky tournament in existence. This annual event draws anglers from all over. From expert anglers to the little ones, everyone is welcome to participate. 1.800.359.6315 [eagleriver.org](http://eagleriver.org)

**24 Dan and Connie's Fishing Classic**  
7am-4pm. Sand Lake Pub. Phelps. Enjoy a day on the lake and a chance for cash prizes with musky fishing on Big Sand Lake. 715.545.3200 | [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)

## SEPTEMBER

**1 Swen Musky Tournament** 8am-4pm. Hillside Resort. Phelps. Headquartered at Hillside Resort with musky fishing on Lac Vieux Desert. Entry fee includes chicken, dinner, cash prizes, door prizes and hat. 715.547.3646 | [hillside-resort.com](http://hillside-resort.com)

**6-9 43rd Annual World Championship Musky Classic** Fri. noon-6pm, Sat. 7am-6pm, Sun. 7-11am. Manitowish Waters Community Center. Anglers fish designated lakes in Manitowish Waters, Boulder Junction, Presque Isle and Winchester. 715.543.2657 [wcmuskyclassic.com](http://wcmuskyclassic.com)

**7 North & South Twin Lakes Musky Tournament** 6am-4pm. Northern Exposure Bar & Restaurant. Phelps. Headquartered at Northern Exposure Restaurant and Bar with musky fishing on North and South Twin Lakes. 715.545.3555

**21-22 Paul's Pro Am Musky Tournament**  
7am-5pm. Eagle River Chain of Lakes. A memorial tournament in memory of Paul Riedel Sr. 300 anglers (150 teams) will be accepted. 34-inch minimum size limit with judge boats right on the water. Payouts will total over \$28,000 based on a full field of 150 teams. 715.477.2667 [headwatersmuskies.com](http://headwatersmuskies.com)

## OCTOBER

**4-6 39th Midwest Musky Classic Tournament** 8am-6pm. Phelps Chamber of Commerce. Musky fishing on North & South Twin, Big Sand Lake and Lac Vieux Desert. One of the longest running tournaments in northern WI. Huge muskies, huge prizes! 715.545.3800 | [phelpswi.us](http://phelpswi.us)

**5 Greater Wisconsin Musky Tournament**  
7am-7pm. St. Germain Community Center. Enjoy two days on the water and fish for the winning musky. Individual and team prizes. 715.477.2205 | [st-germain.com](http://st-germain.com)

**5-6 4th Annual Boulder Junction Lions Walleye Classic** Boulder Junction Area Lakes. Walleye fishing tournament on Boulder Junction area lakes. Registration Sat. 9am at the Community Center. Fishing Sat. 10am-6pm, Sun. 7am-4pm. Awards and dinner at Headwaters Restaurant, 6pm. Cash prizes. 715.892.2366










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<b>BRIDGEWATER INN - EAGLE RIVER</b> 431 Railroad St. N.   715.479.5153   bridgewaterinn.net <i>Daily 10am-10pm.</i>	Your doorway to the Eagle River Chain of Lakes. Small motel perfect for family reunions, group parties and ATV, snowmobile and motorcycle groups.	45		
<b>CHANTICLEER INN - EAGLE RIVER</b> 1458 E. Dollar Lake Rd.   715.479.4486   chanticleerinn.com <i>Daily 8am 'til closing.</i>	Year-round resort, motel & condo complex. Located three miles east of Eagle River, off Hwy. 70, on the shores of Voyageur & Dollar Lakes.	50		
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<b>HARV'S VACATION RENTALS, INC. - ST. GERMAIN</b> 8066 Mohawk Trl.   715.891.4307   harvsvacationrentals.com <i>Hours vary.</i>	We offer a variety of the area's nicest resort cabins and lake homes to meet every budget. We'll make your northern Wisconsin vacation memorable!	46		
<b>IDLE HOURS RESORT OF ST. GERMAIN - ST. GERMAIN</b> 1692 Idle Hours Ct.   715.542.3765   idlehours.com <i>Year-round.</i>	Resort on Little St. Germain Lake with 11 cabins, up to five bedrooms. All have fireplaces. Most have two bathrooms, A/C, dishwashers, washer/dryer and deck.	52		
<b>LAKE FOREST RESORT - EAGLE RIVER</b> 1531 Golf View Rd.   715.479.2455   lakeforestresort.com <i>Office is open Mon.-Fri. 9am-4pm.</i>	Our cozy and homelike condominiums are nestled lakeside on the famous Eagle River/Three Lakes Chain of Lakes in the beautiful Northwoods of Wisconsin.	-		
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<b>PITLIK'S SAND BEACH RESORT - EAGLE RIVER</b> 4833 Sand Beach Dr.   715.479.4955   pitliksresort.com <i>Open daily. Seasonal hours.</i>	Resort, restaurant and bar. Creating family traditions...has become our family's tradition. Since 1928! Friday night fish fries. Home of the "Ultimate Bloody Mary." 12 cabins.	53		
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<b>SERENITY BAY RESORT - ST. GERMAIN</b> 1276 Halberstadt Rd.   715.479.8866   serenitybayresort.com <i>Year-round Mon.-Sun. 8am-5pm.</i>	Serenity Bay Resort, open since 1946, known for its stunning 600-foot beach, classic Northwoods cabins and impeccable grounds.	42		
<b>WHITE BIRCH VILLAGE - BOULDER JUNCTION</b> 8695 Village Ln.   715.385.2182   whitebirchvillage.com <i>Hours vary. Phones are answered 7 days a week 8:30am-8pm.</i>	White Birch Village Resort offers a unique vacation experience in a "Northwoods Nice" environment. Through a variety of amenities, we offer a complete vacation experience.	54		
<b>WILD EAGLE LODGE - EAGLE RIVER</b> 4443 Chain O' Lakes Rd.   715.479.3151   wildeaglelodge.com <i>Summer: Daily 7am-11pm. Non-summer: Daily 8am-10pm.</i>	Wild Eagle Lodge is nestled along the beautiful shores of the Eagle River Chain of 28 Lakes. We offer relaxation, hospitality and year-round activities.	42		



## CAMPING

<b>CAMP HOLIDAY, INC. - BOULDER JUNCTION</b> 11475 Rudolph Lake Ln.   715.385.2264   camp-holiday.com May-Oct. 8am-10pm.	Complete camping facilities for tents and RVs on Rudolph Lake. Camp store, boat rentals, sandy beach, game room, snack bar and cable TV.	52		
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<b>LYNN ANN'S CAMPGROUND - ST. GERMAIN</b> 1597 South Shore Dr.   715.542.3456   lynnannscampground.com Daily: 8am-10pm.	Family-oriented campground.	50		

## COMMUNITY

<b>BOULDER JUNCTION CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 5352 Park St.   715.385.2400   boulderjct.org May-Labor Day: Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm, Sat. 9am-4pm. Labor Day-Columbus Day: Mon.-Fri. 9am-4pm, Sat. 9am-3pm. Columbus Day-April: Mon.-Fri. 9am-4pm, Sat. hours vary.	Stop by our visitor center, the little cabin on Hwy. M, for information on recreation and events along with where to shop, dine and sleep.	48		
<b>CONOVER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 4665 Cty. Rd. K E.   715.479.4928   conover.org Tues.-Thurs. 9am-2pm.	Conover Visitor/Info Center, located at 428 US Hwy. 45, is not staffed but open 24/7/365. It is loaded with informational brochures year-round.	50		
<b>EAGLE RIVER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 201 N. Railroad St.   1.800.359.6315   eagleriver.org Winter: Mon.-Fri. 8am-4:30pm, Sat. 10am-2pm. Summer: Mon.-Fri. 8am-4:30pm, Sat. 9am-3pm, Sun. 10:30am-2:30pm.	The Eagle River Area Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Center provides information to visitors about the Eagle River area, its activities, lodging facilities and area businesses.	56		
<b>LAC DU FLAMBEAU CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 602 Peace Pipe Rd.   1.877.588.3346   lacduflambeauchamber.com Mon.-Fri. 8am-4:30pm and on special event days. Call 1.877.588.3346 anytime and leave a message.	Boozhoo (Hello)! The Lac du Flambeau Chamber provides information and referrals about attractions, business, culture and history to community members and visitors alike. Enjoy your stay.	43		
<b>LAND O' LAKES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 715.547.3432   landolakes-wi.org Mon.-Fri. 9am-2pm, Sat. 9am-noon.	Land O' Lakes Chamber of Commerce is your headquarters for all the information you need while in the Northwoods. Stop in and check it out.	45		
<b>MANITOWISH WATERS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 5733 Airport Rd.   715.543.8488   manitowishwaters.org Mon.-Fri. 9am-4pm. Sat. 9am-noon (mid-June-mid-August).	Manitowish Waters is the Original "Up North" Experience! Rich history, breathtaking sights, beautiful lodging and various events: there's always something going on in Manitowish Waters.	47		
<b>MARSHFIELD CLINIC - EAGLE RIVER AND MINOCQUA</b> 500 Commerce Loop   715.479.0400   marshfieldclinic.org 9601 Townline Rd.   715.358.100   marshfieldclinic.org Mon.-Fri. 8am-5pm.	Family medicine, complementary and alternative medicine. Outreach services in orthopedic surgery, general surgery, urology, pediatrics, obstetrics and gynecology are also available.	54		
<b>MINOCQUA AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 8216 State Hwy. 51S   715.356.5266   minocqua.org Mon.-Fri. 8am-5pm. Closed Sat. & Sun. 24-Hour Visitors Center on site.	Visit the Minocqua Area Chamber of Commerce at the 24-hour Visitors Center and find out why we truly are Nature's Original Waterpark™.	46		
<b>PRESQUE ISLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 8305 Main St.   715.686.2910   presqueisle.com Summer: Mon.-Fri. 9am-3pm, Sat. 9am-noon. Fall, Winter, Spring: Mon.-Fri. 9am-2pm.	Visit Presque Isle, Wisconsin's Last Wilderness, to enjoy hiking, biking, kayaking, canoeing, fishing and snowmobiling in our spectacular natural surroundings.	54		
<b>SAYNER-STAR LAKE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 715.542.3789   sayner-starlake.org 10am-5pm.	Sayner-Star Lake offers tennis courts, pristine lakes, snowmobile and ski trails, bike trails, gift and clothing boutiques and several restaurants.	40		
<b>ST. GERMAIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE</b> 473 State Hwy. 70E   715.477.2205   st-germain.com Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5pm.	Your headquarters for all the information you need while in the Northwoods. Road, trail and lake maps. Event, dining, shopping, lodging and attraction info.	55		

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<b>THE ANGLER'S CHOICE GUIDE SERVICE</b> 715.892.3020   theanglerschoicguideservice.com Daily: 6am-6pm.	Year-round fishing guide service. Open water and ice fishing (6 insulated/heated houses each with underwater camera). Snowmobile trail guiding, day or overnight.	2		
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## TRAILS

<b>VILAS COUNTY RECREATIONAL TRAILS SAFETY - EAGLE RIVER</b> c/o Vilas Co. Forestry Dept.   330 Court St.   715.479.5160	Supports Vilas County trail user groups in their efforts to promote safer trails.	47.52		
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## DINING

<b>19TH HOLE SPORTS BAR AND GRILL - ST. GERMAIN</b> <b>9067 State Hwy. 70W   715.542.4042   19thholesportsbar.com</b> <i>Hours vary summer to winter.</i>	Dine after golf or cozy up by the fireplace when snowmobiling. Try our homemade pizza and sandwiches and relax watching our four big TVs.	54		
<b>AQUALAND ALE HOUSE - BOULDER JUNCTION</b> <b>10450 Main St.   715.385.0380   facebook.com/aqualandalehouse</b> <i>Summer hours: Tues.-Sun. 11am-9pm. Closed Sun. &amp; Mon. during off-season.</i>	A Northwoods gastropub featuring 20 craft beers, fine wine and flavored soda. Enjoy wood-fired pizza, daily dinner specials, artisan sandwiches, fresh salads and homemade desserts.	45		
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<b>SPANG'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT - ST. GERMAIN</b> <b>6229 State Hwy. 70E   715.477.1200   spangsitallianrestaurant.com</b> <i>Call for off-season and winter hours.</i>	Homemade food is at the heart of our mission. From Italian and American classics to our one-of-a-kind favorites, there's something for everyone!	50		

## SHOPPING & SERVICES

<b>FOREST LAKE COUNTRY STORE - LAND O' LAKES</b> <b>6256 Cty. Hwy. B   718.614.4085   forestlakecountrystore.com</b> <i>Summer: Sun.-Tues. 8am-2pm, Wed.-Sat. 8am-8pm. Winter: Sun., Wed.-Thurs., 8am-2pm, Fri. 8am-8pm, Sat. 8am-4pm. Closed Mon. &amp; Tues.</i>	There are over 150 wines & 120 craft beers. Look for Stonewall Kitchen products, jams, salsas, cheese, sausage, crackers, wild rice and more.	43		
<b>GLIK'S - EAGLE RIVER</b> <b>111 Wall St.   618.876.6717   gliks.com</b> <i>Hours vary. Visit gliks.com for complete store hours.</i>	Glik's is a family-owned clothing store with brands and styles specifically chosen for your community. Flattering denim styles, on-trend tops, shoes & accessories.	53		
<b>GREENWEAVERS GIFT &amp; APPAREL - SAYNER</b> <b>2965 State Hwy. 155   715.542.2884   green-weavers.com</b> <i>Open year-round, daily 10am-5pm. Special appointments accepted. Call 715.542.2884.</i>	Fashion-forward apparel for the independent-minded woman. Ensembles from across the globe. Casual, everyday wear, business casual, special occasion, dressy. 3,000 sq. ft. of inventory.	41		
<b>MOONDEER &amp; FRIENDS GALLERY - BOULDER JUNCTION</b> <b>10354 Main St.   715.385.2082   moondeergallery.com</b> <i>Open daily mid-May through the holidays (Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm, Sun. 11am-3pm) and January Saturdays. Closed February-April. Call for seasonal hours.</i>	Contemporary fine art & craft by Wisconsin artists, antiques, many smaller gift items, books, cards, Putumayo World Music CDs, professional custom frame service.	53		
<b>NORTHERN WATERS ANGLING ARCHERY &amp; APPAREL - CONOVER</b> <b>160 US Hwy. 45   715.477.2224   northernwatersconover.com</b> <i>Mon-Sat. 8am-5pm, Sun. 8am-4pm.</i>	Retail sporting goods store and archery range with a full selection of fishing, hunting, archery supplies and Northwoods apparel. Live bait and Wisconsin licenses sales.	50		
<b>PEOPLES STATE BANK - EAGLE RIVER</b> <b>1011 East Wall St., Suite B   715.479.1794   bankpeoples.com</b> <i>Lobby hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-5pm. Drive-up: Mon.-Fri. 8am-5:30pm, Sat. 9am-noon.</i>	Peoples State Bank is one of the largest community banks in central and northern Wisconsin, offering great rates and outstanding service for individuals and businesses.	47		
<b>PREMIER POWERSPORTS &amp; MARINE - ST. GERMAIN</b> <b>7792 State Hwy. 70E   715.479.0065   premierpowersportsandmarine.org</b> <i>Mon.-Fri. 8am-5pm, Sat. 8am-4pm, Sun. by appointment.</i>	Service and sales of boats and recreational equipment. We also offer rentals, indoor storage, a retail store and parts and accessories.	52		
<b>SHAW BUILDING &amp; DESIGN, INC. - PRESQUE ISLE</b> <b>1.800.699.7449   715.385.0190   shawbuilders.com</b> <i>Please call for an appointment. greg@shawbuilders.com.</i>	Shaw Building & Design is a Wisconsin Licensed Contractor and Lindal Cedar Homes dealer. We have a designer and build custom homes of any style.	44		
<b>VILAS COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORP. - EAGLE RIVER</b> <b>555 Enterprise Way   715.337.0061   vilascountyedc.org</b> <i>Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm. Weekends by appointment.</i>	Promotes economic development throughout Vilas County. Provides assistance to start-up businesses as well as assisting existing businesses to grow.	45		

## THINGS TO DO

<b>BOAT SPORT MARINA - EAGLE RIVER</b> <b>3624 State Hwy. 70E   715.479.8000   boatsport.com</b> <i>Summer: Daily 8am-5pm.</i>	Boat Sport Marina is a full service marina offering sales, service and rentals.	49		
<b>EAGLE FALLS ADVENTURE GOLF AND LASER TAG - EAGLE RIVER</b> <b>1040 E. Pine St.   715.477.0808   eaglefallsadventuregolf.com</b> <i>Summer: Daily 10am-10pm. See website for spring and fall hours.</i>	18-hole adventure style mini golf course with beautiful landscape, waterfalls, bridges and more. A 3,000 sq. ft. black light multi-level laser tag arena.	51		
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<b>LAKE NOKOMIS CRANBERRIES INC. - EAGLE RIVER</b> <b>6031 Cty. Rd. D   715.479.6546   lakenokomiscranberries.com</b> <i>Memorial Day-Harvest: Mon.-Sat. 10am-4pm, Sun. 10am-2pm</i> <i>Winter hours: Tues.-Sat. 10am-4pm</i>	Lake Nokomis Cranberries offers marsh tours and free wine tasting of our award-winning wines. Shop our cranberry-themed gourmet gift shop, open year-round.	45		
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<b>STORMY KROMER - IRONWOOD, MI</b> <b>1238 Wall St.   1.888.455.2253   stormykromer.com</b> <i>Mon.-Fri. 8am-5pm, Sat. 9am-noon.</i>	Home of the Original Stormy Kromer wool cap. Free daily factory tours, Mon.-Fri. at 1:30pm CT. Shop the retail store at the factory.	52		
<b>WILDWOOD OUTDOOR ADVENTURES - EAGLE RIVER</b> <b>5179 State Hwy. 70W   715.477.3333   wildwoodoutdooradventures.com</b> <i>Daily from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend and by appointment all other days of the year.</i>	Your Northwood Adventure Headquarters. Tubing, kayaking, canoeing and stand-up paddleboarding on one of our many river trips. Guided/private tours available or take rentals home!	43		



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"Most women have a vision of how they want to look, but finding the right clothing to define one's own, unique style takes time, energy and patience," says Wendy Kimbrell, GreenWeavers owner. "Because we're all so uber-busy, many women simply don't have time to explore the possibilities of their wardrobes.

"At GreenWeavers, we do the work for them."

'The work' begins with GreenWeavers personnel traveling the globe to find unique fashion not offered in mainstream retail outlets or online. Often, GreenWeavers offers international apparel that has never been seen in the U.S.

In addition, GreenWeavers is different than the average urban boutique in that it offers significantly more space and inventory.

"Most urban boutiques are forced to pay astronomical rents for teeny spaces," says Kimbrell. "Because of our location, GreenWeavers can offer a huge volume of designer clothing at lower prices."

Located in the center of town on Sayner's Main Street, GreenWeavers has been providing fashion advice and apparel for 18 years. Boasting more than 3,000 sq. ft. of retail space, there is plenty of room for patrons to relax and take their time to find just the right ensembles.

"Some women literally spend the entire day here," Kimbrell laughs. "Even the men are happy about that, because we're right across the street from The Sayner Pub, where husbands often pass the time watching a game, or shooting the breeze with the locals."

Everyday wear abounds at GreenWeavers, which provides pants, shirts, tunics, dresses, skirts and coats for women wishing to spruce up their work and play wardrobes. Special occasion apparel for reunions, parties, conventions and cruises is vast and varied. Artsy accessories like shoes, jewelry, scarves, shawls, handbags and hats are always available in abundance. And when it comes to wedding apparel, particularly for mothers of the bride or groom, GreenWeavers is ready to oblige.

But looking good doesn't have to be dictated by a special occasion, Kimbrell says.

"Women should look fantastic wherever they go," she says. "Because when you look good, you feel good."

Jeanne Schmidt, GreenWeavers assistant manager, agrees.

"It's especially rewarding when we achieve a particular style, or look, that a customer has been searching for but never has been quite able to find," she says. "When that happens, women literally light up, and walk out of the store feeling fabulous, satisfied and empowered. Women should feel like that every day, wherever they go."

Schmidt adds that GreenWeavers sales associates always offer honest advice and never try to sell patrons clothing that does not look terrific on them.

"It's so important to find garments that accent the finer attributes of your body type," she says.

"Women should look fantastic wherever they go... when you look good, you feel good."

– Wendy Kimbrell, *GreenWeavers* Owner

Sizes at GreenWeavers range from Extra Small to Double Extra Large, so women of all shapes and sizes can make the most out of what the boutique has to offer.

And they do make the most of them.

Chicago resident Loretta Pierson, for instance, travels from Chicago to GreenWeavers twice annually.

"I've been shopping for my clothes at GreenWeavers for 14 years now, and I simply won't buy clothes anyplace else," Pierson says. "Why would I?"

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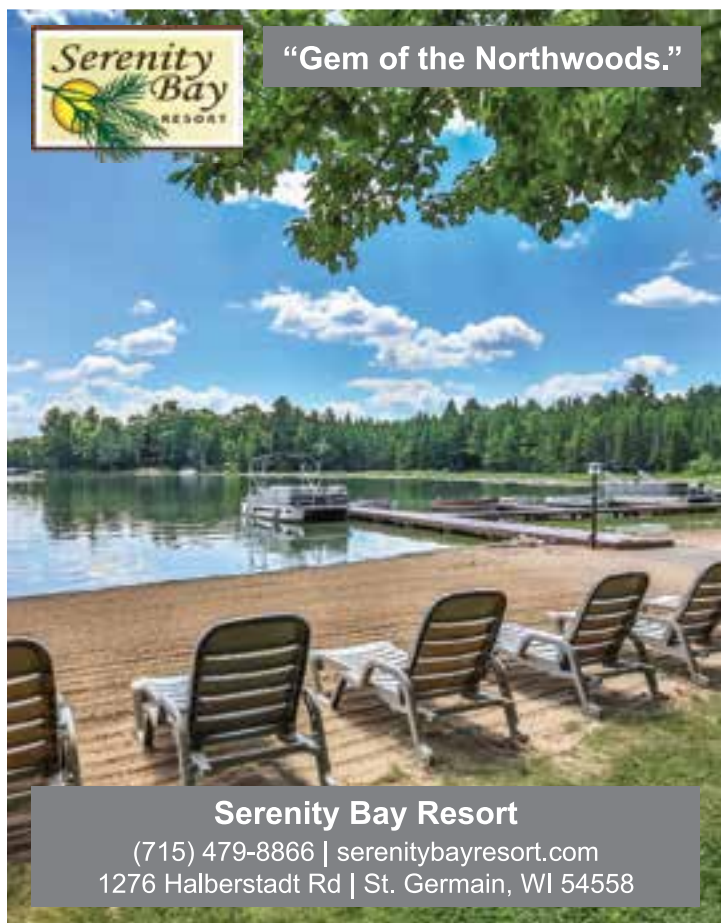


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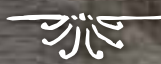
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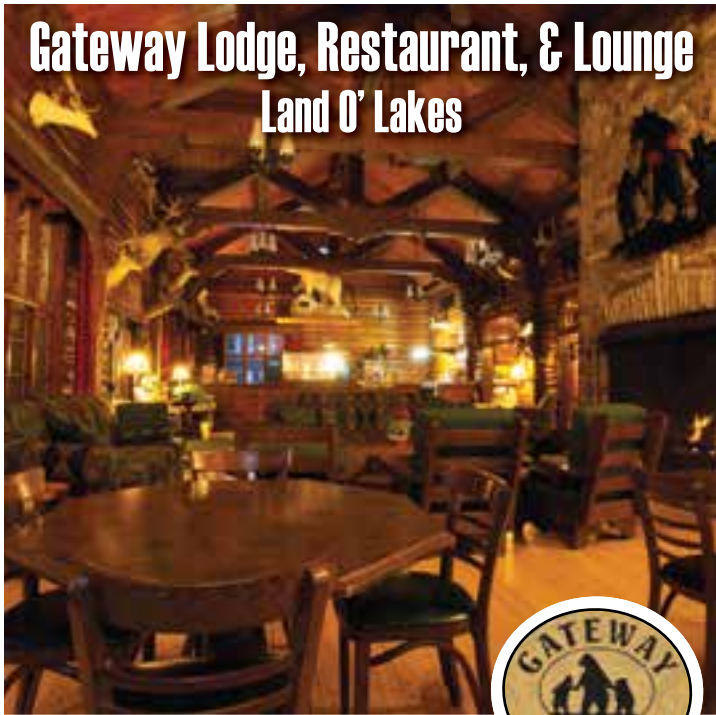
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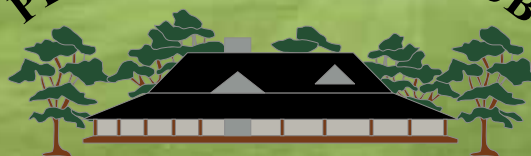
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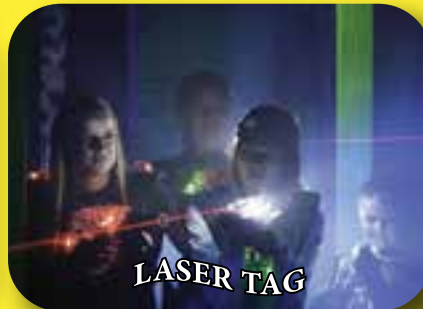
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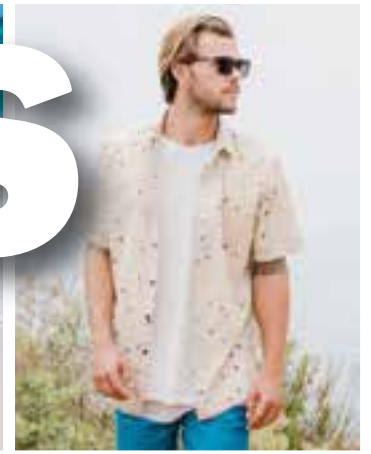
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