

DAY ONE

The northern unit of the **Kettle Moraine State Forest** is just 45 minutes north of Milwaukee. **The Henry Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center** is your first stop when you arrive in the forest. The forest naturalists can guide you to the **Mauthe Lake Recreation Area, Long Lake Recreation Area** and offer many educational opportunities. The center is a great place to view exhibits about the frozen history of Wisconsin and the gifts left by the glaciers. Pick up a map of the trails and nearby places to explore.

Your adventures continues in southern Fond du Lac County at **Horicon Marsh**, the site of both a national and state wildlife refuge. This extinct glacial lake is the largest freshwater cattail marsh in the United States. Learn the story of Horicon Marsh at the Explorium as you watch, listen and touch the changes of the marsh over time. Take a **Horicon Marsh Boat Tour at Blue Heron Landing** in Horicon or rent a canoe or kayak to explore on your own. The northern two thirds of Horicon Marsh is managed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services. Wildlife observation, photography, hiking, fishing, bicycling, snowshoeing, cross country skiing and deer and upland game hunting all take place in the changing seasons on the marsh.

Fondy Sports Park (April thru October) is tons of fun for every age. Go-karts, mini-golf, bumper boats, road karts, battling cages and a rock climbing wall will keep you busy for an entire afternoon. The Fondy Aqua Park includes water slides, a fresh water pond & huge sandy beach and rentals of stand up paddle boards, kayaks and paddle boats.

After dinner explore the shore of Lake Winnebago by bike or on foot with 6 recreational trails over 50 miles. In winter you can cross country ski or snowmobile.

DAY TWO

Head north of Stockbridge to **Calumet County Park** with over 5 miles of trails, a playground, campgrounds, marina and shore fishing. For winter fun check out the huge tubing hill! To see why **High Cliff State Park** is on everyone's outdoor adventure list you'll have to see it for yourself. With miles of scenic trails, historic markers, camping and swimming you can spend a day or a week enjoying this Lake Winnebago treasure. The Niagara Escarpment stretches from Wisconsin thru parts of Canada to Niagara Falls in New York and is often just called "The Ledge." At **Ledge View Nature Center** south of Chilton you can go cave crawling. Bring a flashlight to explore this underworld phenomenon called

“Carolyn’s Caverns.” To make sure you catch a fish head out to **Evergreen Valley Fish Farm** to reel in a perch or a bluegill from one of three man-made ponds (open by appointment only).

DAY THREE

Before you continue north check out **Brillion Nature Center and Wildlife Area**. The natural marsh, pond and forest make this a birding paradise. With over 6 miles of trails it is on every bird watchers list. As you head north around the lake you’ll discover the Heckrodt Wetland Reserve in Menasha. With 76 acres of urban nature reserve you’ll hike through habitats of forested wetland, cattail marsh, created prairie, open field and upland forest. In winter you can snowshoe and cross country ski in the Reserve. Head to Oshkosh for Disc Golf at **Red Arrow Park** or **Winnebago County Community Park**. In winter many of the local parks offer ice skating rinks and sledding hills. For a walk on the quiet side visit Omro and stroll across the charming walking bridges. Your options for sleeping vary from campgrounds to cottages to bed & breakfast inns to beautiful hotels.

DAY FOUR

If you like to spend some outdoor time on the golf course this area offers a variety of experiences. In Oshkosh enjoy the **Far Vu Golf Course** located in a peaceful country setting away from noise and distraction. In Fond du Lac **The Rolling Meadows Golf Course** and **Whispering Springs Golf Club** both offer a chance to enjoy the outdoors with friends and family. To spend the day on the water take a lesson at **Wind Power Windsurfing & Kiting Center**. Make a reservation for one of the local experts to guide you on how to take a thrilling ride on a kiteboard on Lake Winnebago. After all this adventure you’ll need to kick back at **Sunset on the Water Grill & Bar** and watch the experts take on “big air.”

KETTLE MORAINNE STATE FOREST

N1765 Co Rd G, Campbellsport, WI

Explore and enjoy almost 30,000 acres of rolling hills, lakes, forests and grasslands that were given to us 15,000 years ago during the Ice Age when our area lay under the grip of colossal ice sheets. Provides relaxation and recreation throughout all four of our glorious seasons. Summer provides picturesque horseback riding, camping, biking, hiking and fishing. Fall in love with our colors as you meander through our

winding roads during the autumn season. Winter provides excellent opportunities for skiing, snowmobiling, sledding, snowshoeing and tubing. Then watch as the forest comes alive during the spring season. Nature educational programs are offered year-round in the forest.

HENRY S. REUSS ICE AGE VISITOR CENTER

N2875 State Highway 67, Campbellsport, WI

Nestled in the Kettle Moraine sits the Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center. Learn about all the wonders of the Northern Unit from the wide array of recreational opportunities, to the world famous glacial features and to the Ice Age National Scenic Trail.

MAUTHE LAKE RECREATION AREA

Hwy GGG, Campbellsport, WI

Explore and enjoy almost 30,000 acres of rolling hills, lakes, forests and grasslands that were given to us 15,000 years ago. Throughout the year, the forest naturalists present a wide array of fun-filled educational programs. Hiking, biking, camping and backpacking are all activities that can be enjoyed at Mauthe Lake. A swimming beach with an 80-acre lake is perfect for canoeing or fishing off a pier.

LONG LAKE RECREATION AREA

N3299 Division Rd, Cascade, WI

Long Lake Recreational Area offers two swimming beaches with adjacent picnic areas, a pet picnic area, reservable picnic shelter, a 1.5 mile self-guided nature trail, a handicapped accessible fishing pier, bike trail access to Mauthe Lake Recreation Area, and boat launch

HORICON MARSH EDUCATION & VISITOR CENTER

N7725 Highway 28, Horicon, WI

The Education & Visitor Center brings a new modern design and provides for enhanced visitor services. This building features a spectacular Marsh Viewing Area with its three-sided glass walls focusing out onto the marsh. Activities at the center include: bicycling, fishing, photography, geocaching, paddling, snowshoeing, viewing movies, children's discovery area, two blinds available for use, NEW 1400 ft. boardwalk and special events and programs. New in 2015-Horicon Marsh "e;Explorium"e;.

FONDY SPORTS PARK

N5820 County Road D, Fond du Lac, WI

Official Sponsors of Summertime Fun! Indoor/outdoor sports and amusement park offers the following: Go karts, off road karting, paintball shooting gallery, bumper boats, lighted golf driving range, mini golf, video arcade, hi ball/aero ball and batting cages. Snack bar and picnic areas. Open Apr-Oct-weather permitting.

CALUMET COUNTY PARK

N6150 County Rd EE, Hilbert, WI

A 200-acre park, adjacent to Lake Winnebago, features a campground, playgrounds, volleyball court, picnicking, shelter rentals, hiking/biking trails, Native American Effigy Mounds, a post-civil war brickyard, geocaching, concessions, a modern boat launch facility that provides 6 launch lanes and plenty of parking. 15 transient slips (no overnight) marina with restrooms and showers. This is a DNR approved ADA accessible launch facility. Winter activities at the park consist of sledding, snow tubing, ice fishing access to Lake Winnebago and cross-country ski trails. Camping is available all year, but primarily from April 1 through Nov 1. We offer 71 sites, 59 of them being electric and 12 of them basic (no electricity). The electric sites have 20, 30 and some have 50 amp service. The padded sites accommodate RV's up to 40 feet in length. We have several sites for "e;tents only"e; that are tucked into the

woods. Many of our sites are along the lakeshore of Lake Winnebago.

HIGH CLIFF STATE PARK

N7630 State Park Rd, Sherwood, WI

High Cliff State Park is the only state-owned recreational area on Lake Winnebago, Wisconsin's largest inland lake. The park gets its name from the limestone cliff of the Niagara Escarpment, which parallels the eastern shore of Lake Winnebago. High Cliff State Park offers several camping opportunities for visitors, with a family campground, an outdoor group camp and an accessible cabin for people with disabilities. The park's marina has four boat launches and 100 slips available for rent. Rods, reels and basic tackle are available at the park office through the tackle loaner program. You can fish in the Butterfly Pond or Lake Winnebago. There is no cost to borrow the equipment. You will need to provide your own bait. Countless recreational activities for every season and extensive trail system including a trail that's adjacent to Native American Effigy Mounds. A Vehicle Admission Sticker is required to enter the park.

LEDGE VIEW NATURE CENTER

W2348 Short Rd, Chilton, WI

Ledge View Nature Center may be famous for their underground caves that you can tour, but there are plenty of other activities to do with the whole family! Two miles of trails, a nature center, and a 60 ft. observation tower are a few of the attractions at Ledge View. The park and nature center are open to the public year-round. Hours for use of the grounds are dawn to dusk. The building is open 8-4:30 daily (closed on major holidays).

EVERGREEN VALLEY FISH FARM

W1551 County Road E, Chilton, WI

Come and have a fun fishing experience on our beautiful property. Fish for a fee for

bluegills and perch. No fishing license required. We supply bait and fishing poles or bring your own if you prefer. We will even clean the fish you catch. Call ahead to schedule your visit.

BRILLION NATURE CENTER

W1135 Deerview Road, Brillion, WI

Aquatic insects and frogs can be found in Jason's Pond. Wisconsin fish, reptiles, and amphibians can be viewed inside the nature center. A restored prairie is home to over 50 species of wildflowers. Special events held throughout the year. The Nature Center is open Monday-Friday and some Saturdays. Call to confirm that they are open.

RED ARROW PARK

Taft Ave. & N. Eagle St. Oshkosh, WI,

Park Trail, Baseball - 3 diamonds, Fishing, Frisbee Disc Golf Course, Historical Interest, Nature Area, Picnic Area, Picnic Shelter, Playground Equipment, Skate Park, Softball - 3 fields, Sledding Hill

HECKRODT WETLAND RESERVE

Hwy 114 & Brighton Beach Rd, Menasha, WI

Heckrodt Wetland Reserve is a 76-acre urban nature reserve with habitats including forested wetland, cattail marsh, open water, created prairie, open field, and upland forest.

WINNEBAGO COUNTY PARK

625 E County Rd Y #500, Oshoksh, WI

270 acre site with 4 shelters, ball diamonds, soccer and rugby fields, 3 fishing lakes

plus a dog park

FAR VU GOLF COURSE

4985 County Road R, Oshkosh, WI

Mature 18-hole, par 72 golf course offers every type of golfer a unique, enjoyable golf experience.

ROLLING MEADOWS GOLF COURSE

560 W. Rolling Meadows Drive, Fond du Lac, WI

Rolling Meadows Golf Course is a great place to get together with friends and enjoy some outdoor recreation! Whether you are coming to see us for golf, FootGolf, or just to socialize at the 28th Hole, our goal is to make your experience a memorable one. The 28th Hole Bar and Grill is a perfect end to your experience at Rolling Meadows. Enjoy one of our legendary hamburgers or cool down with a refreshing beverage after your round. We have many different ways to help you enjoy some quality time with friends and family OUTSIDE. Enjoy our fabulous 27-hole championship course, 18-hole FootGolf course, full pro-shop and practice facility. Visit the bar and grill with your foursome or group. Lessons, club fitting and gift certificates available.

WHISPERING SPRINGS GOLF COURSE

380 Whispering Springs Drive, Fond du Lac, WI

Voted Fond du Lac County's best course! Country Club quality with affordable rates. Everything you need for an enjoyable round of golf. Is there a wedding in your future? Call to reserve our beautiful banquet facility!

WIND POWER WINDSURFING & KITING CENTER

N7351 Winnebago Drive, Fond du Lac, WI



Welcome to Wind Power! We not only offer new and used equipment for windsurfing, kiteboarding, stand up paddling (SUP), and Open Bic sailing but teach lessons, for most ages, - YEAR ROUND! Come out and join us for a new experience!

SUNSET ON THE WATER GRILL & BAR

N7364 Winnebago Dr, Fond du Lac, WI

Come dine on the shores of picturesque Lake Winnebago. Scenic lake views never fail to impress from our tranquil dining room as well as our spacious yet intimate lounge. Enjoy our full menu featuring our house specialty, prime rib, served daily! Besides our great weekly specials, we specialize in steaks, sandwiches, seafood, pasta and pizza! We also have a beautiful bar, Friday Night Fish Fry and an amazing Sunday Brunch Buffet. Open at 11am seven days a week!