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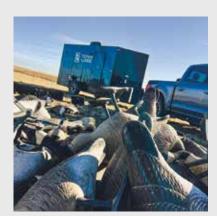
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Even though several people worked diligently putting together this guide, sometimes businesses get missed, or things change. That's why we encourage everyone to check out www.devilslakend.com for a complete listing of all our great places to stay, play, shop, and dine.



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## **ABOUT US**

#### **STOP IN OR CALL**

We are here to help. Open yearround, Monday-Friday from 8 am to 5 pm.

#### WE WILL PROVIDE

Information that will keep you up-to-date on area and statewide attractions, shops, restaurants and accommodations.

#### WE OFFER

Devils Lake items for retail as well as free WiFi, free brochures, maps, guides and coupons.

#### WE ARE LOCATED

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#### **GPS COORDINATES**

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#### **EVENT CALENDAR**

Check it out at devilslakend.com

#### **CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU**

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## **HOW TO GET HERE**

Devils Lake is conveniently located in the northeast quadrant of the state on U.S. Hwy 2 about 80 miles south of the Canadian border and 95 miles west of the Minnesota border. Most travel by automobile, but you also have the option to come by plane or train.

#### THE DEVILS LAKE REGIONAL AIRPORT

Devils Lake is serviced by United Airlines to Denver International Airport

www.devilslakeairport.com www.united.com

#### AMTRAK

The Amtrak Station is located in the heart of downtown Devils Lake. Amtrak comes through Devils Lake daily along the Empire Builder route.

#### www.amtrak.com

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## FISHING SEASON IS OPEN YEAR-ROUND

Nestled in North Dakota's famed wheat and grain belt lies an enormous lake known as a fish factory. Devils Lake may have created more fishing smiles than any place else in North America. It does so every day of the year since seasons are open year-round.

Open water fishing occurs from May into November when it transitions into winter ice fishing. New and regular visitors appreciate the knowledge of experienced fishing guides and guide services. Providing boats in summer or travel and shelters on ice, guides also supply the "where-to-go" hotspots, tackle, gear, bait and quickly become good friends. Warning: Visit and fish with guides once, and you will be hooked. Returning guide clients call each trip to Devils Lake a reunion.

Four species of game fish swim in the main lake and the connected lakes. With 165,000 acres currently, up from 40,000 acres 40 years ago, the growing lake caused considerable dike, road, railroad and shoreline reconstruction. In fact, the submerged roadbeds now attract walleyes. So do the rocky/gravely original shorelines created as the water rose more More free, public fishcleaning stations in and around Devils Lake than anywhere else.

#### SERVICE WITH A SMILE IS THE ATTITUDE OF DEVILS LAKE

**RESIDENTS.** They pooled resources with fishing clubs, state departments, conservation organizations and others to build firstclass fish cleaning stations at many launch sites. These are open from spring until freeze-up. There is also a year round heated or air-conditioned cleaning station just south of Ed's Bait Shop on Hwy 20. Fish cleaning station locations: Henegar Landing, Lakewood Landing, 6 Mile Bay, Spirit Lake Casino, Grahams Island State Park, Stump Lake Park Landing, Tolna Landing. Also, many resorts and motels have their own fish cleaning houses with freezers.

#### Handicap Accessible, Free, Public Fishing Piers

Special fishing docks for physically impaired and elderly fishermen have been installed on Channel A (great spring walleye highway), Henegar Landing, Pikes Playground and Fishing Pier and at the Creel Bay Lakewood Beach. For directions, check the Devils Lake website.



than 30 feet. Farms, homes, barns, silos, machinery and more reside under the surface. Guides like to show clients these objects on their fish-finder electronics.

Each summer the North Dakota Fish and Game conducts fish surveys, an annual project done for the past 33 years. Last year showed a phenomenal result for walleyes. The 2024 netting results were at long-term averages. Overall, the fisheries crews discovered 22.6 walleyes per net this year. The age structure showed strong correlations to past records, with the 15 to 20 inch walleyes and the 25 to 30 inch walleyes above average.

The eastern portion of Devils Lake has a higher salinity content, which impacts egg development. To supplement that end of the lake, fisheries stocked it with 480,000 walleye fingerlings this season. Of note, Todd Caspers, regional fish manager indicated that fall brood surveys showed a very strong catch of young-of-the-year walleyes.

Perch are a favorite of the ice crowd, and survey results showed most size classes near average, with the 12 to 15 inch perch considerably above average.

#### WHAT ABOUT PERCH?

Devils Lake is the Number One perch ice fishing destination in North America. They are regarded as one

of the tastiest freshwater fish. Perch school. Find one, and keep working the area. Catch one and more are sure to bite. Others will be nearby. Guides follow these schools and move their clients accordingly. Guide Mark Bry said, "Perch fishing is like an addiction – the tug is the drug. People can't believe how big they grow here." Limits are 20 per day with 40 in possession.

#### PERCH HAVE A BIG COUSIN – WALLEYES

Walleyes are members of the perch family. Their whitetipped tails excite fishermen as they bend rods and come within sight of the net. Springtime is special as walleyes move shallow to eat and spawn. Small lures, jigs with plastic paddle tails and slip bobbers with an enticing leech below are all popular. Summer means bottom-bouncing, slip-bobbers, trolling or casting crankbaits. Fall is a bonanza as walleyes feed heavily going into winter. Come winter, guides concentrate on walleyes early and late, with perch during the day. The limit is five walleyes daily with 10 in possession.

#### WHITE BASS ARE FUN!

Open water or under the ice, white bass bite. They will be part of every Devils Lake fishing day. Because of the popularity of walleyes and perch, white bass are seldom targeted. They school, and as a diversion to the day or just to have fun, catch one and stay in the vicinity to catch more. They are some of the fightingest fresh water fish, especially the 3 to 4 pounders so prevalent in the lake. Good eating, too, but when filleting, eliminate any red meat along the skin or lateral line. Get one on the line, and it will come to net when it's good and ready.

#### THEN, THERE'S PIKE

Pike seem to find fishermen. It's not essential to look for them, because they're everywhere some days; nowhere at other times. A few locals chase the biggest pike with their fly rods. A 51.5 inch pike with a girth of 22 inches was landed by Nathan LaFleur. He released what likely would have easily eclipsed the state record 37.5 pound pike. Pike zip, dash and go crazy on the end of a fishing line. In winter, tip-up running is a great kids' game. In spring, catch them from shore. At any other open water time, expect the unexpected when a pike says, "I want that." They're called water wolves for a reason. Respect their teeth. One of the best eating fish. Learn to fillet around bones (guides will show you) and enjoy the fight and the taste.

Devils Lake contains what every visiting fisherman wants – fish. Lots of them. And, guides who will share lessons on how to catch them. Check the listing on the Devils Lake website for a comprehensive list of guides.



Devils Lake is the number one destination for North American ice anglers.



## ICE HOUSE RENTALS AVAILABLE AT

Eastbay Campground701.350.1634Perch-Eyes Guide Service701.351.1294Spirit Lake Casino & Resort701.766.1541Woodland Resort701.662.5996

LOOKING TO RENT ADDITIONAL ICE FISHING EQUIPMENT? The Devils Lake Sportman's Lodge rents ice houses, portable ice houses, electronics and all gear.

Devils Lake Sportman's Lodge 701.662.4927

## GUIDE SERVICES FISHING CE FISHING HUNTING

#### A&H GUIDE SERVICE

701.381.8118 • ahguideservice@gmail.com

### ANCIL'S GUIDE SERVICE **(F) (F)**

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Guide service to Devils Lake offering summer and winter fishing.

#### BIG JOHN'S GUIDE SERVICES **F**

#### www.fishingguidedevilslake.com • 701.381.2599 fishingguidedevilslake@gmail.com

Offering both summer and winter guided fishing trips on Devils Lake. Come experience what Devils Lake is all about with one of the region's most sought-after guides.

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Let Bry's show you what the talk is all about! Experience Devils Lake at its best with Bry's Guide Service, offering summer/ice fishing packages, hunting and beautiful lodging.

#### DAKOTA SUNSET RESORT

#### www.dakotasunsetresort.com • 701.381.6087

dakotasunsetresort@amail.com

Fishing opportunities abound throughout the year on beautiful West Bay on Devils Lake.

#### DEVILS EYEZ GUIDE SERVICE Ē



Enjoy Devils Lake's four season fishing at its finest. Contact veteran guide Dave Randash to book your angling adventure.

#### DEVILS LAKE SPORTSMAN'S LODGE **F**

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Affordable year-round guiding as well as winter ice houses and sleeper shacks.

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#### FIN-HUNTERS GUIDE SERVICE **F**

#### www.fin-hunters.com • 701.840.5407 ctroswick75@gmail.com

Offering open-water, ice fishing and hunting. You'll learn about the techniques, as well as the opportunities central North Dakota has to offer while fishing with Cody Roswick, owner and operator. Lodging available.

#### FIRESIDE INN & SUITES **F**

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Our fishing guides will be on the ice scouting for schools of fish, to make sure our houses are placed in the best possible locations for you and your guests to have the best chance at a successful fishing vacation. When your day is over, bring your catch back to our game and fish cleaning station to fillet your fish.

#### HAYBALE HEIGHTS **F H**

#### www.haybaleheights.com • 701.351.3130

#### lucasmertens@hotmail.com

Guided fishing tours available year-round. Winter SnoBear ice fishing packages available.

#### JOHNNIE CANDLE **F**

#### www.johnniecandle.com • 701.371.9431 johnnie@gondtc.com

Johnnie Candle is a professional fishing guide and has been for over 20 years. He specializes in Devils Lake walleye fishing, but also is skilled in the areas of white bass and northern pike fishing. All fishing gear and equipment are provided.

#### K&M BISON LODGE & OUTFITTERS

#### 701.947.5947 • Kmbisonlodge2@gmail.com

#### LAKE COUNTRY GUIDE SERVICE **F**

#### www.lakecountryguideservices.com • 701.230.2280 LCGSJB@hotmail.com

John Bouvette, owner and head guide, offers year-round guided fishing packages with lodging available.

#### MCQUOID OUTDOORS 🕒 🕞

#### www.mcquoidguides.com • 701.351.6058

#### fishon@mcquoidguides.com

McQuoid Outdoors offers 30 years' experience with a full professional fishing guide service and deluxe lodging yearround, in Minnewaukan on the west shores of Devils Lake.

#### NICK'S DEVILS LAKE GUIDE SERVICE 🛛 🕞 🌘

www.nicksdevilslakeguide.com • 701.739.3346

#### nick.fautsch@gmail.com

Full-service guide offering summer fishing and winter ice fishing with a SnoBear. Over 13 years of guiding experience.

### NORTHERN FLIGHT GUIDE SERVICE

#### www.take-em.com • 701.662.5996 woodlandresort@gondtc.com

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#### PERCH-EYES GUIDE SERVICE **F B**

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Offering ice fishing, open water fishing, lodging, duck and goose hunting, upland hunting and buffalo hunts.

#### PERCH PATROL/PERCH EXPRESS 🕞 🕞

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#### RUSH VALLEY GUIDE SERVICE 🕒 🕞

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#### WOODLAND RESORT 🕞 🕞 🕂

#### woodlandresort.com • 701.662.5996 woodlandresort@gondtc.com

Looking for a full-service lakeside resort? Woodland has lodging, camping, guided fishing packages, ice house packages, boat rental, bait, tackle, full bar and restaurant, and a modern fish cleaning station.

For a complete list of all North Dakota guides, contact the N.D. Game & Fish Department • 701.328.6300 (Bismarck) or 701.662.3617 (Devils Lake) Neither the Chamber of Commerce nor the N.D. Game & Fish Department (NDGF) can recommend one guide service over another. However, we suggest you check with the NDGF to ensure the guide is licensed and/ or certified. Licensed guides are North Dakota residents who have paid a fee to the N.D. Game & Fish Department. Certified guides have also met the following requirements: proof of insurance, proof of current C.P.R. certification, and proof of First Aid certification. Be sure to ask the guide service for the name, address, and phone number of past customers that you can contact for a recommendation.



#### NONRESIDENT FEES

Fishing, hunting and furbearer certificate: \$2.00. This is the certificate to which all licenses and stamps are affixed.

## NORTH DAKOTA LICENSING & REGULATIONS

#### ONLY ONE CERTIFICATE IS NEEDED BY EACH LICENSEE

License Type	As of April 1, 2024
Nonresident Three Days	<sup>\$</sup> 35.00
Nonresident 10 Days	\$45.00
Nonresident Individual Season	<sup>\$</sup> 55.00
Nonresident Husband/Wife	<sup>\$</sup> 70.00

**LIMITS** Benson, Eddy and Ramsey Counties Fee includes certificate and ANS surcharge fees. \*Subject to change as state laws change.

#### SPECIES DAILY LIMIT/ POSSESSION LIMIT

Walleye	5	10
Northern Pike	5	10
White Bass	20	40
Perch	20	40

#### ANS SURCHARGE FEES

Resident Fishing & Combination	<sup>\$</sup> 2
Nonresident Fishing & Waterfowl	\$3
3-year Registration for boats licensed in ND	<sup>\$</sup> 15
Annual ANS Registration for boats not licensed in ND	<sup>\$</sup> 15

#### ANS SURCHARGE FEES

Starting back in 2020, a surcharge will be added to certain game and watercraft licenses to support the Aquatic Nuisance Species Program Fund. All boats licensed in North Dakota will include this surcharge when renewing the license. Boats not licensed in North Dakota are required to pay an annual fee and display an ANS sticker to legally operate watercraft on state waters. **This can be purchased at https://gf.nd.gov** 

#### AQUATIC NUISANCE SPECIES

Help preserve our lake and prevent transfer of Aquatic Nuisance Species (ANS). Wash your boat, trailer, and pickup prior to entering Devils Lake. Also, to keep other organisms from spreading into our lake, clean and disinfect your live wells and other places lake water accumulates. Your cooperation is appreciated.

#### FISHING REGULATION HIGHLIGHTS

- A fishing year is defined as April 1 in any calendar year through March 31 of the following calendar year.
- The licensee shall carry the fishing license on his/her person at all times while fishing.
- Any nonresident under the age of 16 years may take and possess a limit of fish without a nonresident license if accompanied by an adult possessing a valid fishing license.
- ND law permits the use of boats legally numbered under the numbering system of another state for a period of 90 days.
- Ice houses are no longer required to be licensed. An unoccupied house does require identification. The house must display on its outside, in characters at least 3 inches high, owner's name and address or phone number.
- All aquatic vegetation must be removed from boats, personal watercraft, trailers, and fishing and hunting equipment such as fishing poles, bait buckets, lures, duck decoys, and waders, before leaving a body of water. That means "vegetation free" when transporting watercraft and/or equipment away from a boat ramp, landing area or shoreline.
- Live aquatic bait or aquatic vegetation may not be transported into North Dakota.
- All water must be drained from boats and other watercraft, including bilges, live wells, baitwells and motors before leaving a body of water.
- All drain plugs that may hold back water must be removed, and water draining devices must be open on all watercraft and recreational, commercial and construction equipment bilges and confined spaces during any out-of-water transport of same.
- All water must be drained from bait buckets as anglers leave the shore or remove their boats from the water. Anglers must properly dispose of unused bait away from the river, as dumping bait in the water or on shore is illegal. In all other waters not infested with Class I ANS species, anglers can transport live bait in water in containers of five (5) gallons or less in volume.

## BAITSHOPS

ACKERMAN ACRES 701.662.2542 East Hwy 2 ackermanacres.com

BJORNSON'S SHELL 701.662.6600 601 East Hwy 2

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EASTBAY CAMPGROUND 701.398.5184 eastbaycampground.com Boat Rental

ED'S BAIT SHOP 701.662.8321 South Hwy 20 GRAHAMS ISLAND STATE PARK 701.766.4015 parkrec.nd.gov/parks

NEWBY'S ACE HARDWARE 701.662.9818 West Hwy 2

PETE'S BAIT SHOP 701.662.8033 East Hwy 2

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Boat Rental/Ice House Rental

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#### PUBLIC FISH CLEANING STATIONS

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- GRAHAMS ISLAND STATE PARK
- HENEGAR BOAT LANDING
- LAKEWOOD RECREATION AREA
- MINNEWAUKAN
- SIX MILE BAY
- SPIRIT LAKE CASINO & RESORT

FOR DIRECTIONS & DETAILS, SCAN:



#### **INFORMATION CENTERS**



Devils Lake Visitor Center & Chamber of Commerce

Minnie H Rest Area

#### LAKE REGION POINTS OF INTEREST

- 2. Sons of Jacob Cemetery
- 3. Fort Totten State Historic Site, Museum
- **4.** White Horse Hill National Game Preserve
- 5. Creel Bay Golf Course
- **6.** Camp Grafton National Guard Camp
- 7. Lakewood Bible Camp

#### STATE CAMPGROUND

8. Grahams Island State Park

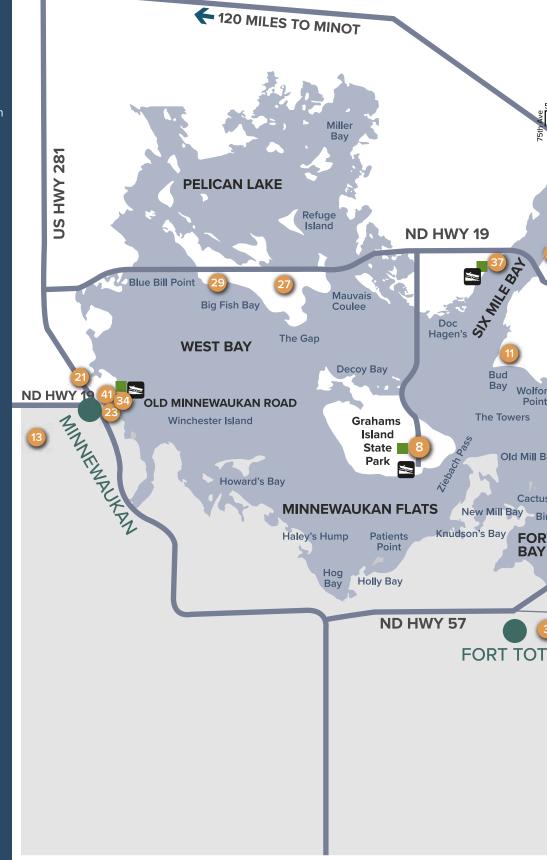
#### PRIVATE CAMPGROUNDS, CABINS, LODGES & RESORTS

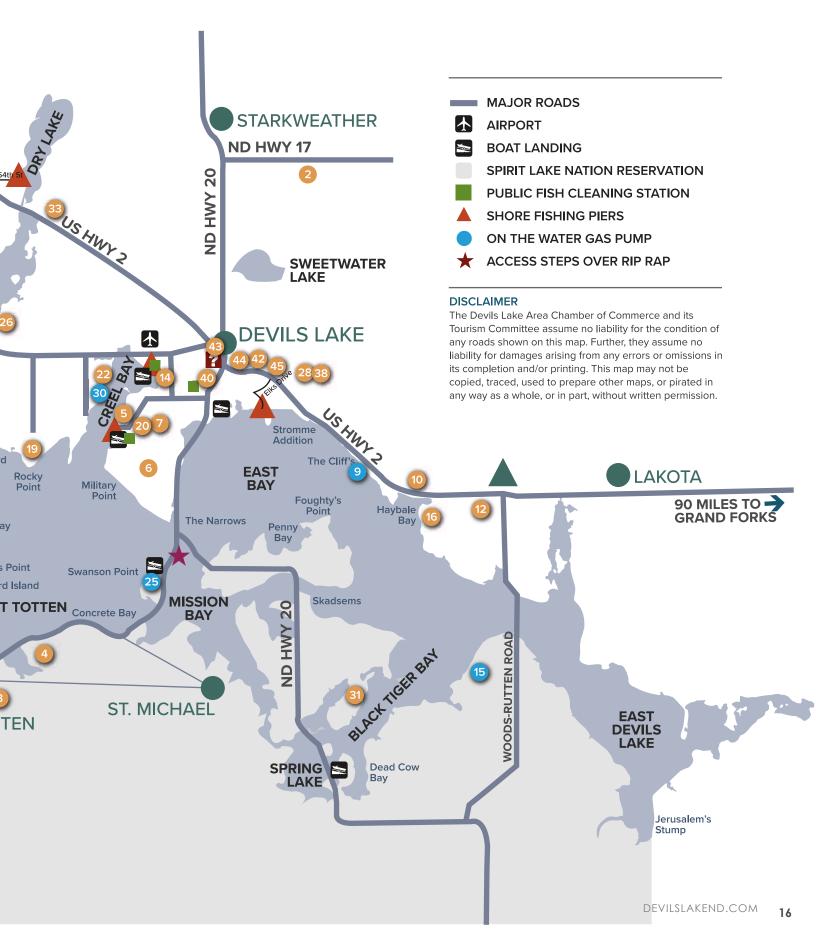
- 9. Ackerman Acres
- 10. APRV Campground
- 11. Bayview Resort
- 12. Bry's Guide Service/Fish Rehab Lodge
- 13. Country RV
- 14. Eagle Bend Campground
- 15. Eastbay Campground
- **16.** Haybale Heights
- 19. Lakeview Lodge
- 20. A Lakeside Retreat
- 21. Perch-Eyes Guide Service
- 22. Peterson Woods
- 23. Reel'm Inn
- **25.** Spirit Lake Casino & Resort
- 26. 6 Mile Lodge
- 27. Dakota Sunset Resort
- 28. Prairie Pines Lodge
- 29. West Bay Resort
- **30.** Woodland Resort
- 31. Black Tiger Bay RV Park
- 33. JMO Lodging
- 34. McQuoid Lodging
- 37. Freedom Lodge
- 38. Rush Valley

#### **BAIT SHOPS**

- 8. Grahams Island State Park
- 9. Ackerman Acres
- 25. Spirit Lake Casino
- 30. Woodland Resort
- 40. Ed's Bait Shop
- 41. Drifter's Bait Shop
- 42. Pete's Bait Shop
- 43. Newby's Ace Hardware
- 44. Bjornson's Shell
- 45. Cenex East Travel Plaza

## CHURCHES FERRY





#### **MUSEUMS**

- 1. Historic Sheriff's Residence
- 2. Lake Region Heritage Center

#### CEMETERY

- 3. Devils Lake Cemetery
- 4. Pet Cemetery Sons of Jacob (Located on other map)

#### POINTS OF INTEREST

- 5. Chamber of Commerce & Tourist Information Center
- 6. World War Memorial Building
- 7. Lake Region Public Library

#### **CITY PARKS & RECREATIONAL FACILITIES**

- 8. Roosevelt Park & Softball Diamonds
- **9.** Ruger Park & Softball Diamonds
- 10. Odd Fellows Park
- 11. Mike Dosch Swimming Pool
- 12. Rotary Club Tennis Complex
- 13. Quentin Burdick Sports Arena
- 14. Bill Jerome Arena
- 15. Lake Region Curling Club
- **17.** Bridgestone Park
- **18.** Lakewood Recreation Area
- 81. Dockside Family Entertainment Center

#### EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES

- 19. North Dakota School for the Deaf
- 20. Lake Region State College
- **21.** Devils Lake High School & Sports Complex
- **22.** Sweetwater School
- **23.** Central Middle School

#### TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES

- **24.** Amtrak Train Depot
- 25. Devils Lake Regional Airport

#### **GROCERY STORES & LAUNDROMATS**

- 26. Leevers Foods
- 27. Minnie H Cleaning Center72. Super Walmart Spirit Lake Casino (shown on lake map)

#### **SHOPPING CENTERS**

Downtown - 4th Street (Main St) Holiday Mall - Hwy 2 City Plaza - Hwy 2

#### **DESIGNATED BUS PARKING**

5th Ave between 5th & 6th St. Railroad Avenue between 3rd & 4th St.

#### DISCLAIMER

#### MOTELS

- 28. Spirit Lake Motel (701.662.4918)
- **29.** Sleep Inn & Suites (701.544.1111)
- 30. Fireside Inn & Suites (701.662.6760)
- 31. Devils Lake Sportsman's Lodge (701.662.4927)
- 32. Devils Lake Inn (701.662.5381)
- 33. Super 8 (701.662.8656)
- 34. Cobblestone Hotel & Suites (701.544.0129)
- 35. SunLac Inn Devils Lake (701.662.5011)
- **36.** Holiday Inn Express (701.665.3200)

#### AGENCIES

- 37. Law Enforcement Center
- 38. City Offices/Forward Devils Lake
- 39. Ramsey County Courthouse
- 40. ND Game & Fish Department
- 41. US Fish & Wildlife Center
- **42.** Recycling Center
- 43. CHI St. Alexius Health Devils Lake Hospital
- 44. Altru Clinic-Lake Region
- **45.** CHI St. Alexius Health Devils Lake Clinic
- 46. Post Office
- 47. Devils Lake Animal Clinic
- 48. ND Highway Patrol
- 49. Sunshine Clinic
- 66. Sanford Clinic

#### CHURCHES

- 50. Bethel Evangelical Free Church
- 51. Church of God (Seventh Day)
- 52. Church of Latter Day Saints
- 53. Episcopal Church of the Advent
- 56. First United Methodist
- 57. In His Image
- 58. Our Savior's Lutheran
- 59. Peace Lutheran
- 60. River of Life Chapel
- 61. St. Joseph Catholic
- 62. St. Olaf Lutheran
- 63. St. Peter's Lutheran
- 65. Westminster Presbyterian

#### **RV DUMP STATION & BOAT WASH**

80. Cenex West

#### FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

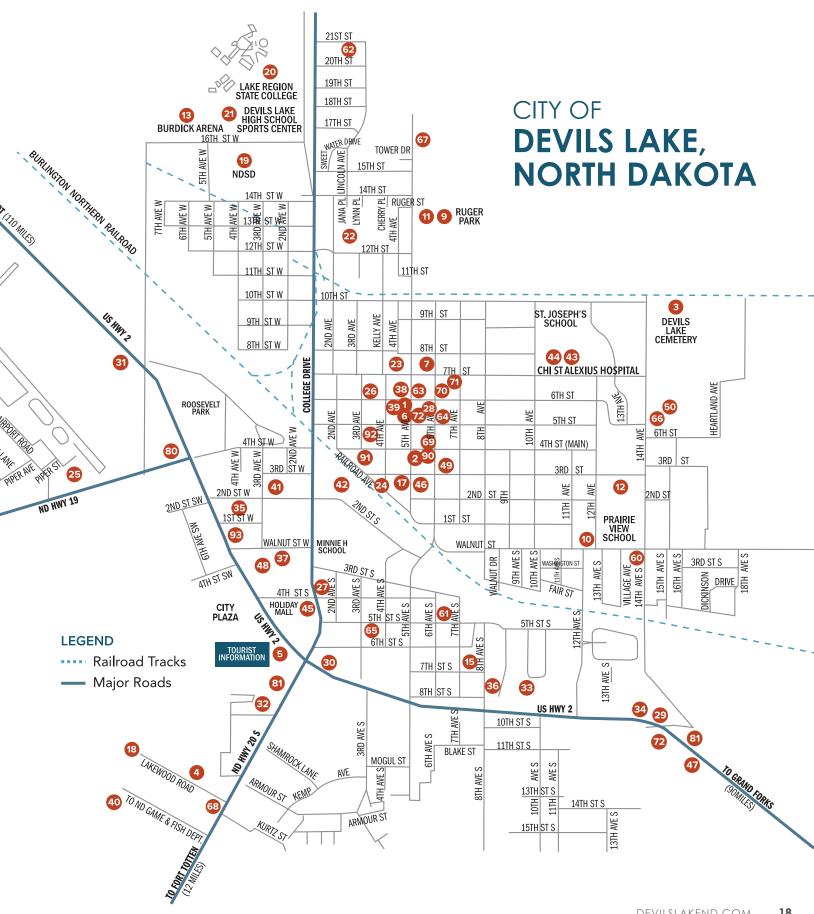
- 68. Knights of Columbus
- 69. VFW Club
- 70. Odd Fellows Lodge
- 71. Elks Lodge

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#### DEVILS LAKE MUNCIPAL AIRPORT



#### RESORTS AND GUIDE SERVICES

Check the guide listing on the devilslakend. com website. Most guide services and resorts provide both hunting and fishing packages.



FOR MORE DETAILS, SCAN:

#### ASK PERMISSION FIRST

Want to hunt a parcel of land? Ask! Many landowners and farmers welcome out-of-staters. There are a few "rules" to follow. Determine from the owner where to drive (stay on these roads), do NOT litter (empty shells, cans, etc.), close gates securely, get at least one-quarter mile away from buildings or livestock, smile and thank the owner for the privilege of enjoying North Dakota on their land.

## HUNT DEVILS LAKE WITH CAMERAS AND/OR SHOTGUNS

Two types of hunters travel to Devils Lake. Some arrive in the fall with dogs and shotguns. Others hunt with cameras and eyeballs while taking in the splendor of bird-life and skies and waters filled with waterfowl.

Thousands of acres of wetlands (perhaps as much as a couple hundred thousand acres) with Devils Lake at the center beckon waterfowl. Ducks and geese have plugged Devils Lake into their internal GPS systems. The famed flyway is a major migration resting spot.

Connecting lakes, marshes, ponds, creeks, rivers and swamps plus miles and miles of harvested grain fields provide sanctuary and food. These same wet hotspots host hundreds of songbird species spring, summer and into fall when they head south.

Hunters fund conservation more than any other group. They buy state and federal licenses and pay excise taxes on gear, guns and ammo which directly supports state and federal wildlife efforts.

Devils Lake is one of the few areas in North America where all 41 waterfowl species (with the exception of saltwater species) either migrate through in spring and fall or can be counted in the dozen or so species that nest in and around this special region.





Those with cameras target waterfowl broods in June and July. They love the sight of massive flocks filling the skies spring and fall offer. Photographic opportunities abound. The Lake Alice National Wildlife Refuge 18 miles from Devils Lake attracts ducks, geese, wading birds, shore birds and songbirds to its 12,000 acres of shallow wetland and grassland. At White Horse Hill, ornithologists have identified 214 distinct bird species. White Horse Hill National Game Preserve 10 miles south of Devils Lake works in an interactive bird and wildlife partnership with the US Fish and Wildlife Service. Teaching about and showcasing the local, unique prairie potholes is a main attraction.

Shotgunners travel from throughout North America and the world to experience the fall waterfowl extravaganza. There are many guide services catering to hunters. The guides deploy hundreds of decoys in fields or on water to lure waterfowl. The guides are experienced. They've been at it for decades. They're experts. They scout daily and know where the birds are for the best "shoots." They know how to "talk" to the birds and call them. Guides cater to all their clients' needs.

Depending on the weather, many hunters take advantage of what's known locally as "Cast and Blast." They hunt mornings and fish the warmest part of the day into evenings. Fishing guides know fall is the best time for walleye limits and for real trophy-sized walleyes.

Whether armed with a camera or a shotgun, Devils Lake is the place where birds thrive. They live here. They call this region home when passing through. Visit and see what everybody's talking about!

#### ELECTRONIC ACCESS APP

**Electronic posting of private land is now available in North Dakota.** This makes it easy for hunters to determine the status of land (open or closed) as well as the owner. With that information, hunters may contact the owner when requesting permission to hunt.

There are two map applications, the PLOTS Guide viewer and the ArcGIS Explorer app. Posted lands are in dark orange crosshatch. Clicking on the parcel will display the individual who posted the land and may include additional contact details.

The PLOTS Guide map mobile app does not require cell service. Once uploaded, the app allows hunters to view location, posted lands, public lands and PLOTS tracts. Go to gf.nd. gov to upload the PLOTS app. The ArcGIS app requires cell service.

Landowners may also post with signs. If the land is entirely enclosed by a fence, posting of signs at gates constitutes a posting of the entire parcel. **The North Dakota code is simple, "Ask permission first."** 



OPEN WATER | ICE FISHING | BLAST & CAST | HUNTING ancilsguideservice.com | 701.230.0367



Devils Lake is a destination for campers – whether with an RV or tent – and offers over 17 additional private campgrounds around the lake. Go to devilslakend.com for campsite locations and more details.

## **CAMPING** FOR THE ADVENTUROUS

#### GRAHAMS ISLAND STATE PARK

Grahams Island State Park just west of the City of Devils Lake and located on the lake is one of the most used North Dakota state parks. It is named after Capt. Duncan Graham, the area's first white settler who arrived after the War of 1812. With 1,100 acres of wooded land, the park showcases 130 different native plants and a host of shore birds, waterfowl and song birds. Bird watching is a favorite past-time. The causeway to the Park stretches for miles and is a favorite shoreline fishing destination.

Amenities include modern and primitive camping sites, six sleeping cabins, an activity center, picnic shelters, playground, dog park, showers, meeting facilities, RV dump station, cross country ski trails, bait shop, boat rentals and boat ramp. **Park reservations: 800.807.4723 or 701.766.4015.** 



## CAMPGROUNDS

<ul> <li>★ Member of Devils Lake Chamber of Commerce</li> <li>■ Service Available</li> </ul>	Seasonal	Overnight Spots	Electricity	Water	Full Hookups	Tenting	Pull Thrus	Group Sites	Boat Ramp	Shower House	Convenience Store	On-Site Dump	Nightly Rates	Weekly Rates	Close to Lake	Distance from Town	Boat Rental	Marina	Fish Cleaning Station	WiFi	Laundry
★ APRV Campground 701.662.1074	90	90	-	•	•								-	-	-	5					
★ Bayview RV Park & Campground 701.662.3961 or 701.351.5002 www.bayviewrvdevilslake.com	127	2	•	-	•				•	•			-	•	•	8			-		
★ Country RV 701.351.7297 www.countryrvpark.com	17	3	•	-	•		•			•		•	-	•		21					
★ Eagle Bend Henegar RV Park 701.739.3867	22		-	•	•			•	•						-	2			-		
★ Eastbay Campground 701.398.5184 www.eastbaycampground.com	298	22	•	•	-	•	-	•	-	-	•	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	•	-
★ Grahams Island State Park 701.766.4015 www.parkrec.nd.gov/grahams-island-state-park		184	-	•	•	-	•	-	•	•	•	•	-		-	15	-		-		
★ Haybale Heights 701.351.3130 www.haybaleheights.com	200		•	•	•				-						•	6			•	•	
★ Minnie H RV Court 701.662.4079		2	•	•	•								-	•		0					
★ Spirit Lake Casino & Resort 701.766.4888 or 1.800.946.8238 www.spiritlakecasino.com	95	15	•	•	•				•	•	•	•	-	•	•	7	•	•	-		•
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+ Camp Grafton Training Center Lodge 701.665.7650 cgtclodging@gmail.com		7	•	•	•	•						•	•		•	5					•

+ Serving active service members and veterans only.

## **CITY PARKS**

#### **BRIDGESTONE PARK**

Located in downtown Devils Lake on 3rd Street, this green space is a great place for a picnic. Events are also hosted here throughout the year.

#### LAKEWOOD PARK

Similar to other parks in the area, but closer to the lake with a boat loading dock, fish cleaning station, restrooms and shore fishing pier. Bike path connects Lakewood to Devils Lake.

#### ODD FELLOWS PARK

A great sledding hill in winter, open spaces and wildlife habitat.

#### PIKES PLAYGROUND AND FISHING PIER

Located on the shores of Devils Lake, offering ADA-compliant fishing pier and playground equipment, picnic areas and vault toilet.

#### **ROOSEVELT PARK**

Ideal park for gathering friends and family: picnic shelters and grills, places for volleyball, basketball, softball, horseshoes and skateboarding, playground, gazebo and weekly summer music.

#### **RUGER PARK**

Action-packed year-round: walking/biking path, frisbee golf course, softball games, playground, swimming pool and water slides, volleyball and basketball courts, lighted ice hockey rink, picnic shelters and flower beds. Take advantage of the three-seasons modern facility to host your family gatherings or events. Take your dog for a run in one of the two fenced dog areas. Ruger Park also plays host to the city's fishing pond.

#### SOUTHSIDE PARK

Located on 8th Avenue SE, this neighborhood park located south of Macs Hardware is equipped with new playground equipment, picnic shelter and outdoor basketball court.



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# FOR ALL TASTEBUDS

### **FINE DINING**

#### **PROZ LAKESIDE AT THE COVE**

#### 1012 Woodland Drive 701.662.5996

Breathtaking view, indoor or outdoor eating in summer, a fireplace in winter, fish and pasta; baskets and full meals.

#### THE RANCH STEAKHOUSE

#### 1119 South Hwy 20 701.662.6630

Converted from a working barn in 1946. Scratch cooking and top-quality steaks, fish and chops. Full bar, wine service.

#### Voted #1 Steakhouse in North Dakota!

#### THE VIEW

#### Located in the Spirit Lake Casino Hwy 57 & 20 South of Devils Lake 701.766.4747

Cordon bleu chefs with fine dining, great atmosphere, a glorious view of the lake.

#### BAR AND GRILL

#### **BLACK PAWS BREWING CO.**

#### 424 4th St NE

Local handcrafted brew and soda. Food options also available with axe throwing.

#### LOTTA'S

410 4th Ave NE • 701.662.3318

#### PROZ END OF THE LINE SPORTS BAR & GRILL

#### 101 6th St NE • 701.662.2101

Enjoy your meal in the tiki bar in the summertime or the caboose anytime; finest homemade pizzas. Must be 21.

#### TY'S LODGE

#### 218 Shelver Place (Hwy 2 East) • 701.662.2542

Located at Ackerman Acres with a view of the lake, this rustic atmosphere offers burger and other baskets, appetizers and pizza for you, your family and friends.



#### FAMILY DINING

Meeting room available.

#### **ANNA'S COCINA & TEQUILA**

City Plaza - Hwy 2 • 701.662.3030 Authentic Mexican food, serving lunch and dinner.

#### **APPLEBEE'S NEIGHBORHOOD BAR & GRILL**

**508 Hwy 2 East • 701.544.1444** Casual dining at its best! Dine-in or Carside To Go at www.applebees.com.

#### **CEDAR INN FAMILY RESTAURANT**

#### 445 Hwy 2 West • 701.662.8893

Good down-home cooking and friendly family atmosphere. Known for their homemade tomato soup.

#### **COYOTE PIZZERIA**

City Plaza - Hwy 2 • 701.662.8884 A hot spot for signature and house pizzas with awesome customer service.

#### **DAKOTAH BUFFET**

#### Located in the Spirit Lake Casino Hwy 57 & 20 South of Devils Lake • 701.766.4747

Three buffets a day; nightly feature: prime rib, seafood, and steak and shrimp.

#### MARCO'S PIZZA

**425 College Drive N** • **701.662.5200** In-house dining and delivery, lunch and dinner.

#### **MARYANN'S PLACE**

#### 317 4th Street NE • 701.662.4562

Pizza and other fun foods along with arcade games. Ice cream truck during the summer months (701.739.4561).

#### **MR. & MRS. J'S FAMILY RESTAURANT**

#### 318 Hwy 2 East • 701.662.8815

60 item food bar; home of the "Pig-Out Omelet (12 eggs) Award"; food for everyone.



#### **OLD MAIN STREET CAFE**

#### 416 4th St NE • 701.662.8814

Specializing in a homemade soup bar and other family fare; great view of the downtown and a look at the city's past.

#### PAUL'S ASIAN FOOD

#### 320 4th St NE • 701.662.5888

Chinese buffet to eat in or to go; also order off the menu.

#### WHITE HOUSE CAFE

Located in the Holiday Mall • Hwy 2 West 701.662.4852

Pancake house without chain name; great for banquets, catering, or a cup of coffee.

#### **COFFEE & DONUTS**

#### **BULLY BREW COFFEE**

#### 210 Hwy 2 West, Suite 1 • 701.662.3866

Connecting with people around the shared love for great coffee and food. Outdoor seating and meeting space available.

#### **COFFEE CONNECTION DRIVE-UP**

#### N College Drive • 701.662.9400

Home of giant cookies and other freshly-baked goodies; specialty coffee drinks, shaved ice. You name it – they'll make it.

#### **CROSSROADS COFFEE AND ESPRESSO**

#### 130 Hwy 2 • 701.665.1065

Drive through or dine in and order a cup of coffee or specialty drink. Also try our homemade baked goods, soups and sandwiches.

#### **DEVILS LAKE DOUGHNUTS**

#### 502 6th St SE • 701.662.2412

High quality, delicious, gourmet donuts made fresh by hand. 5:30 am - noon

#### THE LIQUID BEAN

#### 316 4th Avenue • 701.662.1065

Gourmet coffees and specialty drinks, baked goods, and noon specials of soup and paninis; great atmosphere.



#### FAST FOOD

**BURGER KING** 

866.394.2493

**CHAMPS CHICKEN -**

HOT STUFF PIZZA

1803 Hwy 2 East

701.662.4014

Hwy 2 East

BJORNSON'S SHELL -HOTSTUFF PIZZA 601 Hwy 2 East 701.662.6600

#### KFC

403 Hwy 2 West 701.662.2675

#### **MCDONALD'S**

124 4th Street SW 701.662.3285

SUBWAY 376 Hwy 2 West 701.662.3852

#### **TACO JOHN'S**

354 Hwy 2 West 701.662.2227

DAIRY QUEEN OF DEVILS LAKE 604 Hwy 2 East 701.662.4622

#### HARDEE'S

515 Hwy 2 East 701.662.4430

### LAKESIDE DINING

#### **BOBBERS & PROZ GRUB HUB**

#### 1010 Woodland Dr. • 701.662.5996

Enjoy the summer on the lake at Woodland Resort. Boat, fish, play, and eat! Serving: pizza, wings, tacos, nachos, grinders, and more!

Download the Proz Lakeside app to place your order, either from Woodland Resort or your boat. Boat slips available for those who boat up to grab their grub.

Open Thursday-Sunday (weather permitting) Outdoor entertainment Fridays and Saturdays





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## If you expanded or relocated your office to Devils Lake, ND, could one of them be you?





VISIT www.devilslakend.com

## RELOCATE www.forwardevilslakend.com



## **ACTIVITES** FOR ALL AGES

#### GOLFING

#### Creel Bay Golf Course • 515 Country Club Rd • 701.662.2408 golfdevilslake.com

18-hole golf course set against the backdrop of sparkling Devils Lake. Wide open course with water and sand hazards, and treelined fairways. This challenging course will thrill even the most avid golfer. After your rounds, relax in the new club house with a wall of windows and an outdoor patio for an even better view of the town's namesake.

#### **KAYAK RENTALS**

#### Creel Bay Golf Course • 515 Country Club Rd • 701.662.2408 golfdevilslake.com

No boat? No problem! Creel Bay Golf Course offers a chance to be on the water with kayak rentals. Ease into the water using the convenient launch and enjoy some time on the water. Sit on the patio when you are done with a cold drink and take in more of the views.

#### **CROSS COUNTRY SKIING**

#### Grahams Island State Park & Creel Bay Golf Course

When the snow flies, trails are groomed at both Grahams Island State Park and Creel Bay Golf Course. Just remember to grab your day pass at the state park if you plan to spend some time there.

No skis? No problem! You can rent skis by the day in downtown Devils Lake at Gerrells Sports Center.

Devils Lake offers yearround activities, from Cross Country ski trails, events throughout the year, kayak and boat rentals to get you on the water, and breathtaking views from White Horse Hill.



#### **SNOWSHOEING**

## White Horse Hill National Game Preserve whitehorsehill.org

Would you rather snowshoe? White Horse Hill Game Preserve has free snowshoe rentals. Check out their website for details on which days they are renting out snowshoes – or bring your own out to the hill anyway!

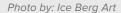


#### White Horse Hill

Take in many educational programs available to the public in the newly constructed outdoor amphitheater. Climb the stairs to the top of the White Horse Hill overlook for a panoramic view of the surrounding rolling hills and prairie. The Devils Lake Vista provides spectacular views of the lake and the hardwood forest that contains American elm, basswood, bur oak and green ash.

The Visitor Center features exhibits on North Dakota's habitats and a gift store. The hours for the Visitor Center change by season. The Auto Tour is open throughout the year from 8 am to sunset, but portions may be closed during winter months. Call for hours and availability. The Devils Lake Vista provides spectacular views of the lake and the hardwood forest.





Downtown Devils Lake is to shopping what the lake is to fishing.

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# SHOPPING

**Downtown Devils Lake** is to shopping what the lake is to fishing. Something for everyone. From bait to boutiques. From lures to jewelry. From fishing rods to flowers. From tall tales to service-with-a-smile. From a mall to Mom-and-Pop stores. From gifts to cookies. From coffee to antiques. From blenders to tires. From boats to tea cups. Everything for the family. Everything for the fishermen. Everything for the farmers. Everything for the campers. Everything for visitors to enjoy.

Devils Lake, with nearly 400 retail businesses, restaurants and shops, tucked away on Main Street and along the Hwy 2 corridor, offers unique dining and shopping. Spend a few hours or an entire afternoon exploring and meeting new friends.

# GAMBLING

# Spirit Lake Casino • ND Hwy 20/57 1.800.WIN.UBET • spiritlakecasino.com

No need to travel to Las Vegas! It's all right here in the Lake Region: Top-notch gambling, great dining, quality shows and lavish accommodations. Try your hand at one of the 568 slot machines, video poker, blackjack, craps or bingo. The casino also offers a high-stakes room and smoking area. Enjoy the seemingly endless buffet or go to the top to The View Steak house, overlooking the Lake Region and the marina as well as the finest in dining. Other options for charitable gaming throughout the Lake Region include pull tabs, blackjack and the wheel.

# **MOVIE THEATER**

# Encore 301 Theatre • 125 4th St SW encore301.com

Enjoy a movie in Devils Lake's recently renovated movie theater. Everything is brand new — new seats, new screens, new curtains, new projectors, new bathrooms.

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# DOCKSIDE ENTERTAINMENT CENTER

# Corner of Highway 2 & Highway 20

Fun for the whole family under one roof! Enjoy sports simulators, pickleball, bowling, indoor walking track, arcade and an indoor playground.

# LAKE REGION ARTS CENTER

# Corner of 4th Ave & 4th Street

## **Downtown Devils Lake**

Immerse yourself in the vibrant expressions of creativity from our talented local artists.





# HISTORY FOR THE CURIOUS

# Built in 1867, the Fort Totten Historic Site has served many purposes over the decades and has been restored to the look of its

**use as a fort.** If you listen carefully, you can almost hear the soldiers marching in the square. For a more complete history, set aside time to enter the original buildings. Take in the Plummer's Store and stroll the wooden boardwalks. Stop at the Interpretive Center Gift Shop or check out the Traveling Exhibits. And why not complete the experience? Book a room at the Totten Trail Historic Inn (frontier-style bed and breakfast).

The downtown Devils Lake area is a historic monument to its origins from the 1880s. The charm of turn-of-the-century brick and design is seen on the buildings lining Main Street. Take a walking tour and view 59 buildings on the National Historic Register.

Stop in to investigate the Lake Region Heritage Center, museum and art gallery that houses the unique history of the Lake Region. Displays include the Old Post Office, Life of the Lake: Devils Lake, The Federal Courtroom, and other unique displays.

The Sheriff's House Museum is a stop where you can step back in time. It features parlors, kitchen and dining rooms, five bedrooms that have changed little from the time the residence was occupied in 1911. It also features exhibits narrating and interpreting the history of Devils Lake.

# HERITAGE MUSEUMS

# LAKE REGION HERITAGE CENTER

September-May Open Wed & Thurs 12pm-5pm, Fri 9am-5pm

June-August Open Wed-Fri 12pm-5pm, Sat 9am-1pm

For more information, call 701.662.3701.

#### THE SHERIFF'S HOUSE

Open during the summer Tues-Sat 11am-3pm

After Labor Day, by appointment.

For information, call 701.662.7080.

# HISTORIC SITES

### FORT TOTTEN STATE HISTORIC SITE

Mid-May to mid-Sept: 9am-5pm, and winter months, by appointment.

For more information, call **701.766.4441**.

### TOTTEN TRAIL HISTORIC INN

A unique chance for you to experience the frontier past by staying in an authentic fort building renovated as a bed and breakfast.

For reservations, call **701.766.4874** or visit www.tottentrailinn.com.

# **EVENTS**

# JANUARY DEVILS LAKE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT ICE FISHING TOURNAMENT

# January 25, 2025 • Six Mile Bay & Memorial Building Downtown • dlvfdicefishingtourney.com

25,000 tickets are sold for one of the largest ice fishing tournaments in the Midwest. Activities around town throughout the weekend. Just make sure to buy your ticket in October.

# FEBRUARY Shiverfest

# February 15-16, 2025 devilslakend.com

What better way to get outdoors than Shiverfest! Check out the website for all of the event details located around town and on the ice of Devils Lake.



# MAY WHITE HORSE HILL NATURE FESTIVAL

May 2025 • White Horse Hill whitehorsehill.org/events Activities throughout the year.

# SPIRIT LAKE OYATE SPRING WACIPI

May 3-4 2025 • Burdick Arena Native American dance and singing competition.

# **DEVILS RUN**

# May 30, 31, and June 1, 2025 • Roosevelt Park devilslakend.com

North America's hottest car show and rod run is Devils Run. In its 33rd year, this is a yearly event that takes place the first weekend of June each year. Car show, parade, vendors and so much more. It's a weekend for the whole family.

# JUNE

# 49th ANNUAL CHAMBER FISHING TOURNAMENT

# June 20, 2025 • Grahams Island State Park devilslakend.com

This longest running North Dakota fishing tournament is sure to be a fun time. Prizes also for 1st, 2nd and 3rd largest walleyes, among other prizes. It's a one-day tournament with an option to fish a second day if weather prohibits.

# JULY FORT TOTTEN LITTLE THEATRE

# July 2025 • Roosevelt Park

# forttottenlittletheatre.com

The Fort Totten Little Theatre has produced a musical theater production every summer since 1963.

# FORT TOTTEN DAYS POW WOW

# July 25-27, 2025 • Andrew Shaw Sr. Arena, Fort Totten A North Dakota Pow Wow at its finest. Take in this three-day event south of Devils Lake in Fort Totten, North Dakota.

# SEPTEMBER

Photos by: Devils Lake Tourism and Ice Berg Art

# DEVILS LAKE WINE WALK

# September 11, 2025 • Downtown Devils Lake

Make stops along our historic downtown district, sipping different wines, sampling appetizers, taking in games and

shopping until you drop. Hosted by the Devils Lake Area Chamber of Commerce and the downtown business district.

**Devils Lake NDRA Shootout** Sept 5-7, 2025 • Burdick Arena facebook.com/DevilsLakeChuteOutRodeo

# SUMMERTIME

Take in Arts in the Park on Tuesday evenings during the summer at Roosevelt Park. Entertainment starts at 7 pm and is free to the public. Arts in the Park runs June through August.

The local farmers market is in Roosevelt Park on Saturdays from 8am - Noon. It opens up in July and runs through sometime in October.

# For a complete listing of events, check out the community event calendar at devilslakend.com.

Dates and times subject to change.

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Cobblestone Hotel & Suites 701.544.0129 www.staycobblestone.com/nd/devilslake	66			-	-		•	
Devils Lake Inn 701.662-5381 www.devilslakehotel.com	43			-	-			
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Bayview Resort LLC 701.662.3961 • 701.351.5002 www.bayviewrvdevilslake.com	2							
Bry's Guide Service/Fish Rehab Lodge 701.739.0161 www.brysguideservice.com	4							
Cliff-Side Cabin 701.398.3077 www.cliffsidecabinnd.com	1							
Connie's Cabin 701.230.1602	1							
Dakota Sunset Resort 701.381.6087 www.dakotasunsetresort.com	4							
Eastbay Campground 701.398.5184 www.eastbaycampground.com	13							
Haybale Heights 701.351.3130 www.haybaleheights.com	5							
JMO Lodging www.jmolodging.com	2							
K&M Bison Lodge & Outfitters 701.947.5947 www.kmbisonlodge.com	17							
Kistler Prairie View 701.665.5060 www.lakeviewlodgedl.com	1							
Lakeview Lodge 701.665.5060 www.lakeviewlodgedl.com	10							
McQuoid Lodging 701.351.6058 www.mcquoidguides.com	3							
Perch-Eyes 701.351.1294 www.percheyes.com	6							
Prairie Pines Lodge 701.351.0287	1							
Restful Refuge 701.351.2024 www.restuflrefugedevilslake.com	1				•			
Rush Valley 701.740.3868 www.rushvalleyguideservice.com	2							
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# ANNUAL REPORT DEVILS LAKE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

# A YEAR OF GROWTH AND COLLABORATION: A LOOK BACK AT 2024

**2024** has been an exciting year for Devils Lake, brimming with growth, new initiatives, and community spirit. As the Executive Director of the Devils Lake Chamber of Commerce and Tourism, it has been a privilege to witness firsthand the impressive strides our region has taken, and I'm thrilled to share our successes with you as we prepare for an even brighter 2025.

One of the most notable achievements this year was receiving the Regional Workforce Impact Program Grant from the North Dakota Department of Commerce. This grant, made possible by the North Dakota Legislature, is a major investment in the future of Devils Lake, empowering us to strengthen our workforce and enhance opportunities for our local businesses. As part of our commitment to supporting this growth, the Chamber will roll out a four-part workforce series in 2025, along with roundtable discussions focused on insurance, investments, and other key business topics.

As for projects, 2024 has been an outstanding year for the Lake Region, marked by significant milestones that will further enhance our community. We celebrated groundbreakings for the Woodland Resort Event Center and the Ramsey County Event Center, the grand opening of the Dockside Family Entertainment Center, and the unveiling of the newly remodeled Devils Lake Regional Airport, which received \$16.8 million in updates. The newly remodeled emergency room has also opened, equipped with state-of-the-art technology. These accomplishments are a testament to the hard work and dedication of many, and I couldn't be prouder of those who made these projects a reality. With these exciting developments, I am even more optimistic about what the future holds for Devils Lake and our region.

Tourism continues to be a significant driver of our local economy. This year, we set a record for lodging and restaurant tax collections, which allows us to reinvest in our community. These funds helped us award over \$84,000 in grants for capital improvement projects, including enhancements to the Arts Center, park board bounce houses, and the Ramsey County Event Center. Our marketing efforts, funded by these taxes, ensure that Devils Lake remains a destination of choice for visitors, and we are proud to support the growth of tourismrelated businesses in our region. A particularly touching moment this year was my appointment to the North Dakota Military Commission. I am proud to represent our community in advocating for policies that support military families and veterans. This commitment is mirrored by the Chamber's new event, which will honor our local North Dakota National Guard members and their families. These men and women, who are both soldiers and community members, deserve our utmost respect and appreciation, and we are excited to celebrate them with a special ceremony this November.

Devils Lake also shines during the holiday season, and we are thrilled to announce the new Hometown Holiday Celebration. This event, held on Small Business Saturday, will feature everything from a cocoa crawl with locally designed mugs to fireworks and a spectacular tree lighting ceremony in downtown Bridgestone Park. It's the perfect way to bring our community together and highlight the importance of supporting local businesses.

Looking ahead, our chamber is working on some transformative projects for 2025. The "Wheelchairs and Walleyes" initiative, in collaboration with the Devils Lake Park Board, will make our beautiful lake more accessible with an ADA lift system. Additionally, our downtown will receive a facelift with new lighting, murals, and artwork as part of the "Activate Downtown" initiative.

These projects, along with our ongoing efforts to engage with and support our local businesses, would not be possible without the incredible partnerships we have built throughout the year. The City of Devils Lake, our sponsors, and our Chamber members consistently step up to ensure that we continue to thrive as a community.

As we enter 2025, I am excited for what lies ahead and confident that, together, we will continue to grow, succeed, and make Devils Lake an even better place to live, work, and visit.

We hope you will join us on this journey!



Yours Truly, **Suzie Kenner**  *Executive Director, Devils Lake Chamber of Commerce & Tourism* 

# devils lake Chamber of Commerce

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The Lake Region is a region on the rise—rising in business and industry, in tourism and recreation, and in education and healthcare. I am truly honored to serve as the Director of the Devils Lake Area Chamber of Commerce and its Tourism Division. Our dedicated team is deeply invested in the success of this community. Together, with the support of our committed Board of Directors, we invite you to embrace the energy, forge new connections, and take full advantage of one of the most valuable resources our region has to offer—your Chamber.

The Devils Lake Area Chamber of Commerce is not just an organization; it's a collective force driving positive change and prosperity. We invite you to explore this guide and our website at devilslakend.com, connect with members and actively participate in the exciting opportunities that lie ahead.

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# A PLACE TO CALL

Devils Lake, North Dakota, is more than just a destination—it's a community where you can lay

**down roots and build a life.** With its beautiful landscapes, friendly neighborhoods, and dynamic local economy, this city offers the perfect balance of small-town charm and modern

conveniences. Whether you are looking to raise a family, start a business, or simply enjoy the great outdoors, Devils Lake has something for everyone.

One of the most compelling reasons to call Devils Lake home is its thriving economy. Our community is growing, and opportunities abound in industries ranging from tourism and agriculture to retail and healthcare. With strong support from local organizations like the Chamber of Commerce and initiatives aimed at workforce development, residents can access resources that encourage both personal and professional growth. Plus, with a variety of grants and incentives, starting a business here is more accessible than ever.

For those who enjoy the outdoors, Devils Lake is a paradise. The area is renowned for its year-round recreational activities, from world-class fishing to boating, hiking, and bird watching. In the winter, the lake becomes a hub for ice fishing, snowmobiling, and cross-country skiing. Surrounded by scenic parks and open spaces, residents have endless opportunities to explore and enjoy the natural beauty that makes Devils Lake so unique.

Devils Lake is also a family-friendly community, with excellent schools, affordable housing, and a strong sense of safety and security. Our local schools and college provide quality education, while the area's affordability allows families to find homes that meet their needs without breaking the bank. The sense of community here is strong, with neighbors looking out for each other and a variety of events that bring people together throughout the year.

What truly sets Devils Lake apart is its welcoming spirit. Newcomers often find themselves embraced by the community from the moment they arrive. Whether through local clubs, events, or neighborhood gatherings, there are countless opportunities to get involved and make meaningful connections. With a low cost of living and a high quality of life, Devils Lake provides an environment where residents can thrive both personally and professionally.

Lastly, the future of Devils Lake is as bright as its residents. With ongoing projects like the development of the downtown area, enhancements to parks and recreational spaces, and investments in infrastructure, the city is continually evolving while maintaining its roots. It's a place where tradition meets progress, and where the possibilities for a fulfilling life are endless.

If you're looking for a place where community, opportunity, and nature come together, Devils Lake is waiting for you. We invite you to visit—and perhaps stay a little longer to see why so many have chosen to make Devils Lake their home.

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# **NORTH DAKOTA RANKS** NUMBER ONE IN THE **NATION** FOR SEVERAL THINGS, INCLUDING:

## **Public education support**

A 2024 Forbes report ranked North Dakota as the top state in the country for public education support.

### Internet access

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North Dakota is ranked in the top 10 states for internet access, with about 95% of North Dakotans having access to internet that's 100 Mbps or higher.

## **Honey production**

North Dakota is the top producer of honey in the United States.

## Natural environment

DEVILS LAKE AVERAGE AGE POPULATION

North Dakota is ranked number one for natural environment in US News Best States. The state is known for its scenic landscapes, including the Badlands, which feature canyons, rock formations, and geological hues.

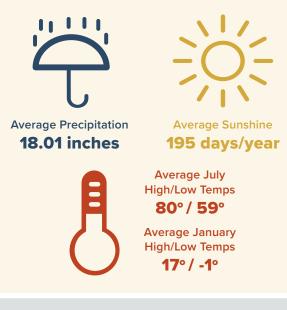
### **Agriculture**

North Dakota is a top producer of spring wheat, durum wheat, dry edible peas, dry edible beans, flaxseed, and canola.

Ο North Dakota is also ranked as one of the best states for millennials. business, and having happy workforces.

# THE WEATHER IN **NORTH DAKOTA** VARIES GREATLY, AS DO REPORTS OF YEAR-ROUND COLD AND SNOW.

Suffice it to say that reports of never-ending bonechilling cold are greatly exaggerated. In reality, weather often varies by location with the southwest (banana belt) generally warmer than the northeast. In fact, the average high in North Dakota in February is 29 degrees, the same as Minneapolis; six degrees less than Chicago; and 10 degrees less than Boston.



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