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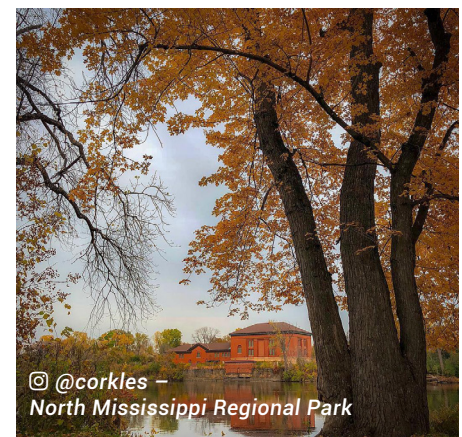
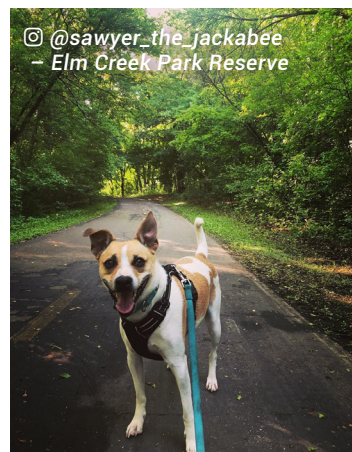


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# WELCOME

## to Minneapolis Northwest!

When you visit Minneapolis Northwest, you'll experience the fun of three distinct of big-city adventure, multicultural flavor, and rustic tranquility with our family attractions, outdoor recreation, unique venues, distinctive shopping, and diverse dining options. Our vibrant and versatile destination offers enjoyment for everyone, whether you're traveling for business or pleasure. With this guide, we invite you to explore our cities and start planning your trip or event.

### BROOKLYN CENTER

Located along the banks of the Mississippi River, Brooklyn Center is only minutes from downtown Minneapolis and is the perfect place to experience the excitement of both the metropolitan area and the great outdoors. It is home to the state's one and only Topgolf location, the historic Earle Brown Heritage Center, and beautiful North Mississippi Regional Park. You can savor flavors from around the world at eateries like Jambo Africa and Que Viet Village House III, and the city has hotel options to fit your every need, including Embassy Suites and Radisson Hotel.

### BROOKLYN PARK

As the sixth-largest city in Minnesota, Brooklyn Park is filled with attractions and activities for everyone from families to corporate travelers. Culturally rich neighborhoods feature acclaimed local restaurants like Lemon Grass Thai and Crazy Cajun, and the city's Historic Eidem Farm celebrates the area's past. With access to the Mississippi River, including the Mississippi River Paddle Share program, numerous parks, trails and golf courses, Brooklyn Park is an excellent place to visit in any season.

### MAPLE GROVE

Maple Grove continues to be one of the fastest-growing communities in the state. Its Arbor Lakes Shopping & Dining District features brand name and boutique stores, top-notch restaurants, and entertaining community events throughout the year, like Chalkfest at Arbor Lakes – the state's largest street art chalk festival. Nearby, the city's Central Park Ice Loop shines as one of the only ice trails in North America, and Elm Creek Park Reserve draws more than a million active visitors each year.

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Minneapolis Northwest provides fun for every season with a variety of events for kids, adults and everyone in between. We're also just a short drive from annual events and celebrations in Minneapolis and Saint Paul. Take a trip through our calendar of events and start planning your Minneapolis Northwest adventure today!

## JANUARY

### The Great Northern Minneapolis & Saint Paul

The Twin Cities' epic winter festival featuring the Saint Paul Winter Carnival, City of Lakes Loppet Ski Festival and U.S. Pond Hockey Championships.

### Fatbike Frozen Forty/Frozen Feet 5K/10K/Half

#### Maple Grove

A multi-mile fat bike race that offers racers a great mid-winter challenge on a course composed of 100% groomed singletrack.

## FEBRUARY

### Polar Plunge Maple Grove

#### Maple Grove

Support Special Olympics Minnesota by jumping in a freezing lake in February! You can also cheer from the sidelines.

### Wonders of Winter

#### Maple Grove

Maple Grove's winter celebration includes ice-skating performances, horse-drawn wagon rides through the snow, roasting s'mores and kick-sledding demos.

### Beer Dabbler Winter Carnival

#### Saint Paul

Head to the Minnesota State Fairgrounds to sample more than 100 local craft brews, groove to the silent disco and enjoy live bands.

## MARCH

### St. Patrick's Day Parade & LuckyPalooza

#### Saint Paul

Saint Paul goes all out with St. Patty's celebrations including an epic block party and a parade that draws thousands.



## APRIL

### Twin Cities Spring Babies Festival

#### Brooklyn Park

Welcome the coming of spring with baby ducks, chicks, goats and lambs, a corn seed pit, giant slide and sandbox, tractor wagon rides and yummy fair foods.

### Minneapolis St. Paul International Film Festival

#### Minneapolis

View more than 250 films at this one-of-a-kind festival held at the historic St. Anthony Main Theatre.

## MAY

### Spring on the Farm

#### Brooklyn Park

Stop by Historic Eidem Farm to visit the baby ducks and goats, help plant vegetables in the garden and enjoy a spring craft.

### Art-A-Whirl

#### Minneapolis

Local artists take over the Northeast Minneapolis Arts District for the largest open studio tour in the country, featuring nearly 800 artists in every medium, tasty local brews and live bands.

### Cinco de Mayo West Side Festival

#### Saint Paul

This annual Cinco de Mayo festival celebrates the West Side community's Mexican heritage. Enjoy a parade, DJ's and live music, and a jalapeño-eating competition.

### Festival of Nations

#### Saint Paul

Nearly 100 ethnic groups come together for a unique three-day experience that celebrates cultural heritage through dancing, performances, exhibits and cuisine.

## JUNE

### Chalkfest at Arbor Lakes

#### Maple Grove

The Midwest's largest chalk festival takes over Main Street Arbor Lakes with professional and amateur artists as they create astonishing sidewalk chalk art, including 3D pieces. Perfect for Instagrammable photo ops!

### Twin Cities World Refugee Day

#### Brooklyn Center

This celebration of culture and life brings Minnesotans together to recognize and uplift the diverse gifts that refugees bring to the state. Event-goers enjoy free live entertainment, food and vendors from around the world, children's activities, a community resource fair and interactive educational displays.

### Town Green Sounds of Summer

#### Select weeknights through Aug.

#### Maple Grove

Make the most of summer at the Town Green Bandshell with musical acts every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday nights, and movies at dusk on Fridays.

### Brooklyn Center Days

#### Brooklyn Center

Brooklyn Center's annual city festival brings families together with its fun activities, variety of food, live music, educational opportunities for kids, a parade and fireworks.

### Saturday Pop-Up Market

#### Select Saturdays through Oct.

#### Brooklyn Center

Browse local artisan crafts and goods, and sample delicious food trucks during this monthly open-air market.





## **MSRA Back to the 50's Weekend** **Minneapolis**

The nation's #1 car show is a true blast from the past with more than 11,500 registered classic vehicles, live music, vendors, kids games and a craft fair.

## **Twin Cities Pride Festival**

### **Minneapolis**

One of the largest Pride festivals in the country featuring a parade and a park full of fun vendor booths in Loring Park in Minneapolis.

# **JULY**

## **Maple Grove Days**

### **Maple Grove**

Enjoy the city of Maple Grove during its annual festival featuring a car show, bed races, bean bag and pickleball tournaments, talent show, live bands, festival foods and fireworks.

## **Arbor Lakes Art Fair**

### **Maple Grove**

Browse amazing creations by local artists at The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes in conjunction with Maple Grove Days.

## **Summer Faire**

Wednesday nights through Aug.

### **Maple Grove**

Kick back and relax with live music Wednesday nights at The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes. Family and dog-friendly.

## **Red, White and Boom**

### **Minneapolis**

Celebrate Independence Day during this annual event that attracts more than 75,000 people to sites along the downtown Minneapolis riverfront including music, fireworks and family events.

## **Basilica Block Party** **Minneapolis**

Summer's best music festival on the grounds of the Basilica of St. Mary in Minneapolis featuring two nights with three stages and 10+ bands!

# **AUGUST**

## **IgboFest**

### **Brooklyn Park**

Celebrate the the diverse cultures of Brooklyn Park at this annual Liberian festival featuring traditional musical performances, fashion, and authentic food and craft vendors.

## **Tater Daze**

### **Brooklyn Park**

Part of Celebrate Brooklyn Park, Tater Daze recognizes the city's potato-growing heritage and offers festive events to forge new traditions.

## **Maple Grove Triathlon**

### **Maple Grove**

A perfect event for fitness enthusiasts, this charming countryside adventure starts with a swim in the pristine waters of Weaver Lake, followed by a scenic bike ride and run around the lake.

## **Woof-a-Pawlooza**

### **Maple Grove**

Bring your four-legged family member to this canine-friendly expo at The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes benefitting Good Karma Animal Rescue of MN.



## **Uptown Art Fair**

### **Minneapolis**

Minneapolis' annual fine arts festival with a reputation as one of the most exceptional art fairs in the United States.

## **Minnesota State Fair**

### **Saint Paul**

The BEST fair in the country shows off for 12 days with crazy and unique foods-on-a-stick, a Midway with thrilling rides, popular music acts, and tremendous shopping.

## **Minnesota Renaissance Festival**

### **Weekends Aug-Oct | Shakopee**

Step back in time at this medieval festival with live jousting, fire- and sword-eaters, a fairy garden, turkey legs and beer, and a variety of entertaining shows.

## **Irish Fair of Minnesota**

### **Saint Paul**

Irish heritage is on display at this large annual festival in Saint Paul, which includes music, dance and family activities.

# **SEPTEMBER**

## **Twin Cities Harvest Festival and Maze**

Weekends Sept. through Oct.

### **Brooklyn Park**

Get lost in one of Minnesota's largest corn mazes! Enjoy live music, food, a straw bale maze, corn seed pit, pumpkin slinger, inflatables and a pumpkin patch.

## **Concert on The Lawn**

### **Maple Grove**

Revel in the late-summer weather with a music festival on the Great Lawn at Central Park in Maple Grove. Includes food trucks, beer tents and swag bags.

## **Bark Park Expo & Wiggle Butt 5K**

### **Brooklyn Park**

This dog-centric, annual fundraiser for pets features a dog-friendly 5K, dog lure course, agility equipment, food trucks, shopping vendors and more.

## **ValleySCARE & The Great Pumpkin Fest**

Select weekends, Sept. through Oct.

### **Shakopee**

Gasp, scream and laugh throughout this fun-filled Halloween experience located at Valleyfair.



# **OCTOBER**

## **Autumn Woods Classic**

### **Maple Grove**

Gather your family and friends for a 1K, 5K, or 10K run through Elm Creek Park's beautiful fall colors. Each participant gets a s'more at the finish line!

## **Girl's Night Out**

### **Maple Grove**

Support Hope Chest for Breast Cancer with a pink-themed shopping fundraiser at The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes. Includes gift bags, shopping discounts, wine, beer and treat samples.

## **Medtronic Twin Cities Marathon**

### **Minneapolis**

Run through Minneapolis and Saint Paul while the beautiful autumn colors are peaking.

## **Fall Festival on Main Street**

### **Maple Grove**

Costumes are encouraged as kiddos trick-or-treat at local businesses along Main Street. Family activities are offered.

## **Fall on the Farm**

### **Brooklyn Park**

Families are invited to experience life on the farm 19th-century style at Historic Eidem Farm! Harvest vegetables, try fresh-pressed apple cider, tour the house and visit the farm animals.

## **Big Woods Halloween**

### **Maple Grove**

Stop by Eastman Nature Center for its annual Halloween bash featuring a pumpkin scavenger hunt, potion-brewing and puppet show.



## Halloween Family Fun Day

### Maple Grove

Tricks and treats abound during this annual family fun day at Weaver Lake Community Park. Activities include pumpkin rolling and a scream contest.

## Trick-or-Treat Spooktacular

### Brooklyn Park

For kids up to age 14, enjoy games, inflatables, crafts, music, Bingo, and trick-or-treating.

## U.S. Open Racquetball Championships

### Minneapolis

See the top racquetball players in the world compete for the largest total prize money purse in the sport.

## Twin Cities Oktoberfest

### Saint Paul

Raise your stein at Twin Cities Oktoberfest and celebrate German heritage with bratwurst, spaetzle, Schnitzel and lots of beer!

# NOVEMBER

## Plaid Market

### Maple Grove

Enjoy festive holiday shopping at the annual Plaid Market which showcases the artisan products of 35 local Minnesota makers, and features live music and a pop-up taproom.

## Santa's Magical Workshop at The Fountains

### Maple Grove

Find your way to The Fountains at Arbor Lakes to get started on a fabulous holiday season by meeting Santa and participating in holiday activities.



A Norwegian Christmas

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Twin Cities Harvest Festival and Maze

## Holidazzle

Select weekends, Nov. and Dec.

### Minneapolis

Minneapolis' annual holiday festival kicks off in Loring Park for a whole month and includes ice skating, craft vendors, photos with Santa, holiday movies in the park and fireworks.

## Moustache Run

### Minneapolis

Don a mustache and help raise money for prostate cancer research during this fun running event.

# DECEMBER

## A Norwegian Christmas

### Brooklyn Park

Experience a traditional turn-of-the-century holiday gathering at Historic Eidem Farm with ornament-making, carols and hot cocoa.

## Hometown Holiday on Main Street

### Maple Grove

Welcome the holiday season with a parade, tree-lighting ceremony, and appearances by Santa and Mrs. Claus on Main Street in Maple Grove.

## Winter Wonderland

### Maple Grove

Stop by The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes to meet Santa and his reindeer (for real!) and enjoy seasonal activities and crafts.

## Holly Sunday

### Brooklyn Center

In Brooklyn Center, create a festive art piece to take home, enjoy entertainment, a variety of holiday games, and savor delightful refreshments.

## Minnesota Nordic Ski Opener

### Maple Grove

Embrace winter with one of Minnesota's biggest cross-country skiing events held at Elm Creek Park Reserve, including free skiing, rental equipment and mini lessons.

# CAPITALIZE ON THE COLD

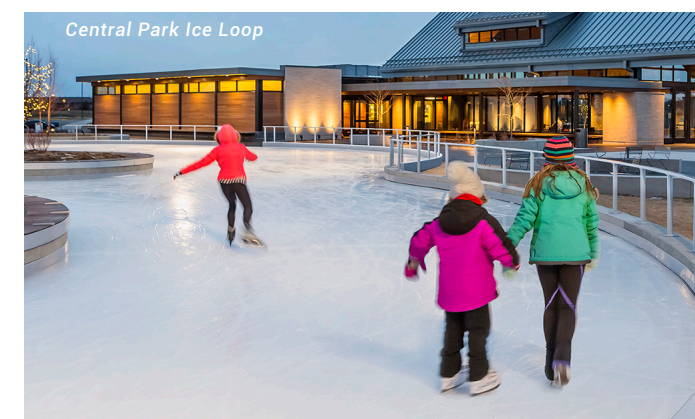
in Minneapolis Northwest

As the temperature drops, Minnesota heats up with exhilarating winter activities and festivals, and Minneapolis Northwest offers an abundance of winter fun so you can capitalize on the cold all season long. From hockey rinks and miles of skiing trails, to skijoring with your dog and ice fishing, here are the best ways to rejoice in a Minnesota winter.

## WINTER RECREATION

Sharpen your skates and embrace the State of Hockey with plenty of smooth ice surfaces to try out. For an original ice-skating experience, skip the traditional rinks and skate the **Central Park Ice Loop** at Maple Grove's Central Park. November through March, take in picturesque park views throughout the meandering 800-foot ice-skating trail – the first of its kind in Minnesota and only a few in all of North America. It truly is a sight to see and experience and makes a great activity for family fun or even date night. The loop is refrigerated and Zamboni-maintained, ensuring a smooth skate every time. Entrance is free, and skates are available to rent. If you do like to slap a puck or two while you're on your skates or want to practice the art of figure skating, check out the **Brooklyn Park Ice Arena** or **Maple Grove Ice Arena**, both are home to various school and youth hockey teams and offer figure skating lessons.

Most of us are familiar with dog sledding, but have you heard of skijoring? It's similar except you're pulled on cross-country skis! In fact, the Norwegian word 'skijoring' literally translates to 'ski driving.' If your pooch has pent-up winter energy, skijoring guarantees they'll get some quality exercise. Grab your Nordic skis and leash for your dog and you're



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Maple Grove Polar Plunge

halfway there! Add some harnesses and arctic grade bungees, and you're all set. If you're apprehensive about trying out the sport, beginner/basic skijoring classes are offered at Three Rivers Park District locations, such as **Eagle Lake Regional Park** and **Elm Creek Park Reserve**.

It's nearly impossible to have winter fun without making a stop at **Elm Creek Park Reserve**. As the largest park in Three Rivers Park District (4,900 acres!), it's one of Minnesota's most popular destinations throughout the year. From December through March, the park's **Winter Recreation Area** turns the reserve into a thrilling winter wonderland. Grab your mittens and scarf and get ready to explore!

Enjoy a peaceful day on the snow when you experience classic cross-country skiing. Elm Creek's 11 miles/18K of perfectly groomed trails allow you to explore the scenery at your own pace, and there are trails to suit every age and ability. The park includes a fully lit 5.8K trail and 2.5K path for night skiing fun. If you're feeling extra adventurous, try fat tire biking and ride along the park's tree-lined paths that cater to both beginners and experts. Anyone who enjoys biking in the summertime will enjoy fat tire biking, because there is definite crossover. *Tip: If you don't own a fat tire bike, you can rent one from Maple Grove Cycling.*

Discover more winter recreation listed in our Parks & Recreation directory.

And for more extreme action, shred the slopes at **Terrain Park** and test new tricks on the jumps and chutes.

Not a skier or snowboarder? No problem. At Elm Creek, you don't need special equipment or expertise to enjoy a day on the tubing or sledding hills. Hop on the moving sidewalk to effortlessly climb a 10-story ascent, then grab one of the specially designed inner tubes and soar down the hillside. Start on one of the easier chutes to warm up, then venture down one of the thrilling expert lanes.

If you want a break from tubing, grab your sled and head to the nearby sledding hill. With all the outdoor fun you'll have, you might need a rest to catch your second or third wind. In that case, relax at the **Elm Creek Chalet**. A blend of modern and rustic design, the chalet provides equipment rental, concessions, seating, and, perhaps most importantly, a large fireplace and hot chocolate. It's also available to rent for special events.

One of the most unique parks in Minneapolis Northwest, **Mississippi Gateway Regional Park** sits along the Mississippi River and features a 12-foot-wide observation walkway on top of the dam, giving you spectacular views of the glistening winter scenery. Spot wildlife such as deer, eagles and hawks and go on a hunt to discover mammal tracks like coyotes and foxes. Snowshoeing and cross-country skiing are popular activities, too, and the park's visitor center provides year-round educational programming.



Elm Creek Park Reserve



Wonders of Winter

## EVENTS

The Twin Cities knows how to put on great winter festivals. **The Great Northern** is perhaps the most epic, as it features three of the most popular snow-time events: **Saint Paul Winter Carnival**, **City of Lakes Loppet Ski Festival** and the **U.S. Pond Hockey Championships**. Attend one or all of these and you'll be a part of true Minnesota winter traditions. During the Winter Carnival, you'll see historic Saint Paul transform into a snowy and icy wonderland with different activities and celebrations each night.

The City of Lakes Loppet Ski Festival brings out the best in winter athletes. Enjoy the beer garden, vendor village, and stroll through the Luminary Loppet to admire the trail lit up at night. The festival takes place at The Trailhead in **Theodore Wirth Park**, a new facility featuring an adventure shop, gym, lockers and

food. And you can't get more authentic than the U.S. Pond Hockey Championships at Lake Nokomis – played outdoors on a frozen lake the way nature intended.

If you're feeling brave and a little crazy this winter, grab your swimsuit and get ready to cool off for a good cause. The **Maple Grove Polar Plunge** raises money for the Special Olympics Minnesota by challenging participants to collect money to entice them to jump feet-first into the frozen waters of Fish Lake. Get a team together and dress in costume for your plunge. If you'd rather stay bundled up, that's okay – the Polar Plunge is fun to watch, and participants love to have a cheering section.

For another wintery adventure, challenge yourself to one of the Terrene Tires **Fatbike Frozen Forty** competitions. Choose from the men's or women's solo two-, three- or four-lap races, or, if you're feeling super ambitious, the 100-mile course. All participants in all races receive a sweet swag bag, complimentary food (including hot breakfast burritos), as well as access to the fire pits and a heated tent.

If you love classic winter fun that's perfect for all ages, then you'll love the **Wonders of Winter** festival at **Central Park** in Maple Grove. Each February, bundle up for a day of kicksledding, snowshoeing, horse-drawn wagon rides and ice carvings. There will also be fat tire bike demonstrations, storytelling, ice-skating performances and plenty of hot chocolate and s'mores kits on hand. ●



Terrain Park

Whether you're making snow angels or speeding down a tubing hill, we want to see what adventures you get up to in wintertime.

share your winter adventures with  
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# Discover INDOOR FUN for the Whole Family

When you're craving a little indoor time, there are endless activities to keep you entertained in Minneapolis Northwest, even on the coldest or rainiest of days. Shed those coats and get ready to have some fun!

Venetian Indoor Waterpark



## ProKART Indoor Racing

Feel the need for speed? Buckle up and step on the gas when you challenge your friends to a race at ProKART.



## Indoor Farmers Market

Shop till you drop at Maple Grove's Indoor Farmers Market and sign your kids up for the Power of Produce Kids Club.



## Playground Plaza

All the best parts of a playground – the slides, the monkey bars and space to run – in a climate-controlled environment.

## Three Area Libraries

Three cities = three amazing libraries with active areas for kids and quality programming. Hennepin County Libraries of Brooklyn Center, Brooklyn Park and Maple Grove.

## Community Centers & Pools

Each city in Minneapolis Northwest features active community centers and indoor pools. Kids can also get lost in the Maple Maze at the Maple Grove Community Center.

## Bowlero Brooklyn Park

48 lanes of bowling, a full arcade, restaurant AND laser tag? Yes, please!

## Topgolf

Rain, snow or shine, Topgolf always rises to the occasion. No golf experience needed and all ages are welcome.

## Venetian Indoor Waterpark

The 25,000-square-foot waterpark provides a Mediterranean-style weatherproof retreat with two four-story waterslides.

## Dave & Buster's

With arcade games, a Million Dollar Midway and virtual reality game experiences, you can release all your energy at Dave & Buster's.

## WhirlyBall

Try out this hilarious combination of basketball, lacrosse and bumper cars. Then explore the escape room and laser tag arena.



WhirlyBall



# TO THE BROOKLYNS AND BEYOND!

One-of-a-kind Restaurants Offer World  
Flavors Just Minutes Outside the Twin Cities

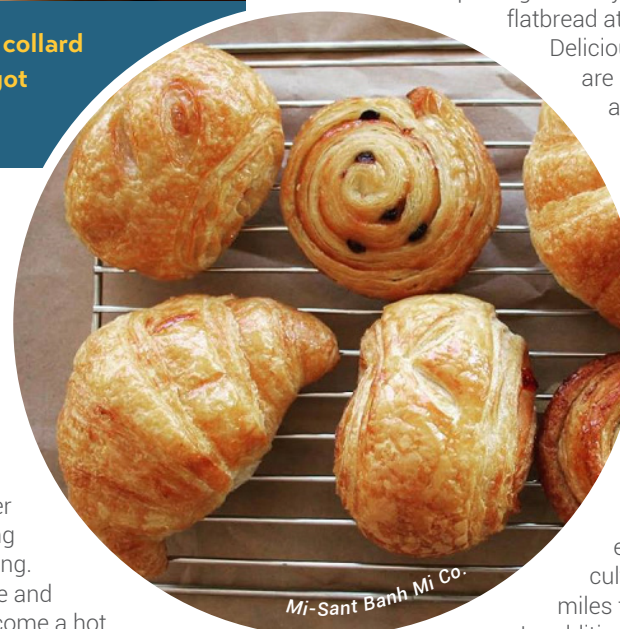
You don't need a passport to take a flavor journey around the world! From collard greens and sriracha fried rice to banh mi and a Cajun seafood boil, we've got a kaleidoscope of tasty options in Brooklyn Center and Brooklyn Park.



Crazy Cajun

## Crazy Cajun

This drool-worthy Louisiana-style restaurant is a favorite among some Minnesota Vikings, and it's for good reason! For some delightfully hefty portions and full-on Cajun spices in a fun, casual and laid back atmosphere, Crazy Cajun is the place to be. Owner John Nygen grew up in Texas, tasting the vibrant flavors of southern cooking. He packed up his skills and expertise and opened Crazy Cajun in 2017. It's become a hot spot ever since with its now-famous seafood boils with fresh market seafood. Choose from crawfish, mussels, king crab, blue crab, snow crab, clams, and jumbo shrimp, then pick one of two sauces – the house garlic butter sauce (Cajun-style) or the coco sauce made of sweet



Mi-Sant Banh Mi Co.

coconut cream, garlic, butter, and basil leaf. From there you choose your heat level – mild, medium, hot, and fire. Add corn, potatoes and sausage to your boil and you're set to leave full and satisfied! You can also experience the taste of fried frog legs and homemade gumbo.

## Irie Vybz Jamaican Restaurant

"Irie" is a Jamaican adjective describing the ultimate positive, pleasing, all-encompassing quality experience. That's a perfect way to describe the dishes at Irie Vybz Jamaican Restaurant in Brooklyn Center! Try authentic Jamaican cuisine like Jerk Chicken, Drunken Jerk Shrimp, Curry Goat, Oxtail or the Caribbean Jerk Chicken Wraps. For those of you who prefer a stateside menu, enjoy a wide selection of American options from BBQ ribs to burgers. There's something for everyone at Irie Vybz Jamaican Restaurant.

## Jambo Africa

Enjoy slow-cooked collard greens, perfectly spiced goat curry, and tender Kenyan flatbread at Jambo Africa.

Delicious, African recipes are made from scratch and include Oxtail, Curry Stew, Chicken Wings, Jollof Rice, Plantains, Sambusas and more. Also enjoy African coffee, tea and wines. Apart from being a destination for tasty African cuisine in the Midwest, Jambo Africa is a center for experiencing African culture thousands of miles from the continent.

In addition to serving Kenyan and Liberian cuisine, the restaurant is an African cultural hub and frequently hosts events including live music, poetry, storytelling and more.



Irie Vybz

## Lemon Grass Thai

Lemon Grass Thai in Brooklyn Park offers more by keeping things simple and local. Head Chef and Owner Ann Ahmed has fused Thai with global palates since 2005 and is inspired by her travels across the U.S., Asia and Europe. The result of her creativity and expertise is colorful and original dishes that transport customers to other worlds. "This is not the typical Thai restaurant," says Ann. And with globe lights and fresh flowers in the renovated dining room, you'll have a unique urban dining experience right here in Minneapolis Northwest. The menu at Lemon Grass Thai is as varied as Chef Ann's travels around the globe. Everything from curries and rice entrees, to finger-licking appetizers and lunch specials, there is truly something for everyone. In addition to the many Thai favorites on the menu, customers can enjoy watching the magic happen at the sushi bar, as chefs expertly craft beautiful, fresh sushi rolls. Traditional favorites like the Unagi Roll, California Roll and Spicy Salmon Roll are sure to satisfy, but if you want to dine outside the box, opt for one of the many specialty rolls.

## Mi-Sant Banh Mi Co.

Mi-Sant Banh Mi has become the talk of the town since arriving on the scene in 2018. The brightly lit, fast-casual restaurant is proud to uphold the integrity of the banh mi sandwich, highlighting Vietnamese flavors like pickled carrots and daikons, cucumbers, and cilantro. Baguettes are baked throughout the day, so the banh mi you order for dinner will be





Que Viet Village House III

amazingly fresh. The menu is well-rounded with rice and noodle bowls, spring rolls, breakfast croissants and pastries. Mi-Sant becomes the perfect lunch spot on warm days with its charming patio.

### Mama Ti's African Kitchen

Just a few miles from Jambo Africa you'll find Mama Ti's African Kitchen, also serving up some of the best African dishes in Minneapolis Northwest. Kabobs, seasoned wings, fried fish, jollof rice, oxtails, couscous, fried okra, collard greens and more provide a wide range of choices. You can purchase select food items from their store, such as Palava Sauce, Palm Butter Soup, Kitily Torborgee and Cassava Leaf, so you can bring African flavors to your home. With any meal, you'll want to pick up Mama Ti's West African Ginger Beer (non-alcoholic). For centuries, cultures have used ginger for its medicinal benefits extracted from ginger root. Adding water, sugar cane juice, crushed pineapples, and lemon make Mama Ti's Ginger Beer the perfect beverage to pair with your meal.

### Que Viet Village House III

Que Viet Village House III is the longest-running Vietnamese Restaurant in Minnesota. The popular pho restaurant is known for its handmade egg rolls, created from a simple

home recipe, bursting with flavorful ground pork and vermicelli in a crispy shell and served with an unforgettable fish sauce dip! You can also grab Que Viet's giant egg roll on a stick at the great Minnesota Get-Together, the Minnesota State Fair! The State Fair specialty made Food Network's list of "America's Best Foods on a Stick."

### MT Noodles

This family owned eatery serves traditional Vietnamese cuisine crafted from homemade recipes and handmade sauces. With more than three decades of experience, there's a story behind every dish. The restaurant is named after Mỹ Tho, a city in South Viet Nam where Chef Anh Bui was born. She and her family are excited to share the joys of cooking, and their passion shines through in their robust flavors. Whether you dine in or take-out, make a point to visit MT Noodles for an unforgettable dining experience. ●



For more dining inspiration, check our Dining & Drinks directory.

share  
your FOODIE ADVENTURES  
with #WELOVEMNW  
and you could be featured on our website.

# FOODIE CHECKLIST:

## Top Dining Discoveries to Experience in Minneapolis Northwest

- Try one of the best burgers in the Twin Cities at Wagner's Drive-In.
- Unwind with the Smoking Gun Cocktail at Brick & Bourbon, a unique spin on the classic old-fashioned, served under a glass dome enshrouded in smoke with a mini-Belgian wafer garnish.
- Indulge in the quirky designs and scrumptious flavors of Unicorn Poop at Nadia Cakes.
- Celebrate any day of the week with margaritas and dishes like quesadillas, fajitas, and more at Riviera Maya Cantina & Restaurant.
- Take your taste buds on a trip to Italy at Sweet Taste of Italy and order "The Mother Load," a special that can feed a small army with spaghetti, garlic bread, a giant gondola sandwich, salad, meatballs, cinnamon bread, pizza and wings!
- Enjoy a nostalgic meal at 50's Grill with a homemade pot pie and a slice of sweet pie or a classic malt.
- Imagine pristine ocean views of Greece as you dine on classic Greek food at Olympia Café! Choose from Greek classics including gyros, Spanakopita, Moussaka, Dolmades and more!
- Embrace some southern charm and flavors while you devour the fish boil at Crazy Cajun.
- Sample the many Thai flavors and sushi creations at Lemon Grass Thai with a bento box lunch.
- Take a trip to Wonderland with a tea party at The Mad Hatter Restaurant & Tea House.



Wagner's Drive-In



Nadia Cakes



# The Best Ways to Spend Long SUMMER DAYS in Minneapolis Northwest

@curtishelmer1 - North Mississippi Regional Park

Summer is a wonderful time of year, with long beautiful days and relaxing nights! There are plenty of ways to enjoy these endless summer days, including the longest day of the year — the Summer Solstice — in Minneapolis Northwest. Whether you enjoy outdoor concerts, dinner on a patio or a walk through the park, there's something for you to check out during the summer months.

## EXPLORE THE GREAT OUTDOORS

With more than 20 miles of trails, the largest park in the Three Rivers Park District — **Elm Creek Park Reserve** — is a paradise for nature lovers. Bike or hike the beautiful trails and watch for wildlife, then cool off with a dip in the swimming pond! This man-made pond has filtered and chlorinated water, a sand beach, changing shelter and concessions. Check out the floating boardwalk at **Eastman Nature Center** and enjoy a variety of nature activities. Plus, this is also where you can find cell phone audio stops, trail guide sheets, exploration kits and more things to do at the reserve.

With the LED illuminated splash pad, the gardens, the pickle ball courts and playground, there are plenty of things to do in Maple Grove's **Central Park**. This beautiful urban park is the perfect place to spend countless hours with the family on a long summer day. Hike, bike, run, walk and explore **Mississippi Gateway Regional Park**. With 160 acres,



Mississippi Gateway Regional Park

access to the Mississippi River and a 12-foot-wide observation walkway on top of the dam, getting lost in the beauty of the park is half the fun. **North Mississippi Regional Park** offers spectacular views of the Mississippi River and the surrounding woods and prairie just off the

freeway. Kayak along the river from Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park or North Mississippi Regional Park with the only rent-a-kayak program in the state, **Mississippi River Paddle Share**.

## FREE ENTERTAINMENT UNDER THE STARS

From free concerts to a movie series, Brooklyn Center is an epicenter of events this summer! Head to Centennial Civic & Veterans Memorial Amphitheater for **Brooklyn Center's Entertainment in the Park** concerts every Tuesday June through August. Past concerts have included a variety of genres from big band music to bluegrass. For more family friendly entertainment, children's concerts are scheduled for Thursday mornings. or cuddle up for a movie in the park every Friday during the summer at dusk.

For more endless summer entertainment, head to Maple Grove's **Town Green** for its annual **Sounds of Summer** concert series. Pack a cooler and grab your friends because this free series runs every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday throughout June, July and August. Expect concerts for all ages and special events throughout the summer. Start the week right with live music on Mondays and Wednesdays, from jazz and R&B to 80's dance pop and salsa.

Celebrate family on Thursdays with a variety of music and dance for the kids. Kick off the weekend with movies at sunset on Fridays.



Paddleboarding



Town Green

## FESTIVE FUN

### Chalkfest at Arbor Lakes

For two days only, talented artists from around the world will be pouring into Minneapolis Northwest to transform **Main Street Arbor Lakes** into one of the largest street art festivals in the Midwest — **Chalkfest at Arbor Lakes**! Grab your family and friends and join the fun! Visit on Saturday to watch 50 international artists begin their artistic process and come back Sunday to enjoy their finished masterpieces. From gigantic chalk murals to 3D pieces, this free festival brings in artists and chalk art lovers from throughout the world.

### Brooklyn Center Days

The annual **Brooklyn Center Days** kicks off right around the summer solstice. The festival starts with the Earle Brown Days parade, which features more than 70 parade participants, and continues with the annual Golf Festival at **Centerbrook Golf Course**, and the Red, White & Brew event following right after, on the golf course. Additional events include the Run, Jump or Fly 5K and Kids 1K Fun Run at **West Palmer Lake Park** and the Family Festival at **Centennial Park**.

### Maple Grove Days

For more than 30 years, **Maple Grove Days** has been quite the spectacle. This five-day event includes everything from fireworks to an art fair, kiddie games, a fishing clinic, outdoor





freshest mangoes! Order the Triple Ice Cream Delight with green tea, vanilla, and mango ice cream flavors topped with chocolate syrup.

## GREAT PATIOS FOR SUMMER DINING

There's no better way to embrace the beauty of summer than enjoying a great meal on a scenic patio. **Maple Tavern** in Maple Grove is more than a traditional bar and grill. It has a great patio, and more importantly, an exceptional build-your-own Bloody Mary bar. **The Highlander**, located at **Rush Creek Golf Club**, is a romantic spot complete with a stone fireplace and gorgeous views of the golf course.

## BREWERIES

**OMNI Brewing Co.** has an inviting taproom and great selection of craft beers. Check out its calendar for fun events like Yoga in the Taproom, Cribbage Sundays, Taproom Trivia and more. **Blue Wolf Brewing Company** is the first brewery to open in Brooklyn Park and focuses on German-style beers. Besides its flagship brews, the brewery also offers rotating taps with various styles and seasonal varieties. ●

## THE BEST SCOOPS IN TOWN

When the days heat up, cool down with a scoop or two (or three!) from any one of these popular spots. If you're an ice cream fanatic, visit **Two Scoops** in Anoka to try the Tornado Challenge. This 20-scoop challenge includes a scoop of every flavor available, all topped with hot fudge (or another topping of your choice), whipped cream and a cherry on top, naturally.

For a truly one-of-a-kind frozen treat, head to **Mango Mango Dessert**, which fuses sweet soups in the traditional Hong Kong style with modern desserts. And they use only the



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# DOG DAYS OF SUMMER!

## Top Dog-Friendly Adventures in Minneapolis Northwest

Everyone deserves a vacation, including your pooch, and Minneapolis Northwest is the perfect destination for your canine companion to wag its tail and enjoy all the dog-friendly adventures the area has to offer. You and your pup can sample award-winning food, shopping and entertainment, as well as the parks and recreation areas that make this region so popular with nature lovers. Here are some of the most popular dog-friendly places and activities in the area.

Elm Creek Park Reserve Dog Park in Maple Grove was recently voted one of the top 10 dog parks in the country by USA Today. Your dog will love the nearly 30 acres of open fields and play areas, as well as the park's large fenced-in forest.

Other popular dog parks in the area include Brooklyn Park Environmental Nature Area, Fish Lake Regional Park and Brookdale Park. All these parks offer spectacular river or lake views and endless fun recreational opportunities with your furry friend!

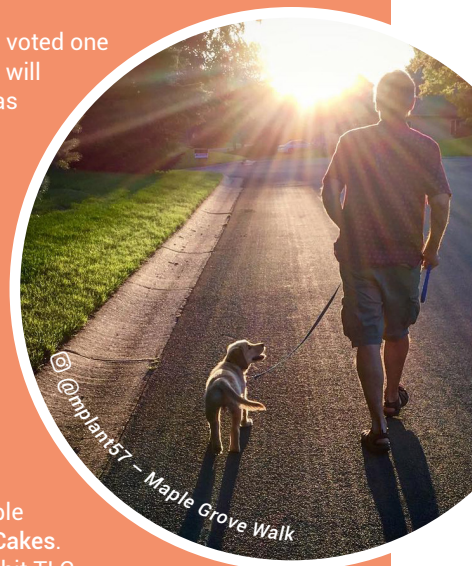
The beautiful patio at **3 Squares Restaurant** on Arbor Lakes Parkway is the perfect place to bring your pooch as you enjoy an al fresco meal. The restaurant also provides doggy dishes filled with water to keep your pup's thirst quenched!



Don't miss Maple Grove's **Nadia Cakes**. As seen on the hit TLC show "Fabulous Cakes" and Food Network's "Cupcake Wars," Nadia Cakes makes its doggy cupcakes by hand.

Watch the sunset with your puppy from the patio at Maple Grove's **OMNI Brewing Co.**

Another can't-miss festival is **Woof-a-Pawlooza** at The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes. It benefits the Good Karma Animal Rescue of Minnesota and features live music, raffles and a talent competition as well as an adoption area.





# HIT THE ROAD, JACK!

## Top Quirky Things to Do Near Minneapolis Northwest

Stone Arch Bridge

Sometimes all you need is the open road, some great company, and a few fun adventures to create memories you'll never forget! Luckily, the Twin Cities are full of one-of-a-kind spots to complete your road trip bucket list. So, grab your favorite traveling buddies and explore some of the most unique finds! Don't know where to start? We've got you covered with a list of 10 of our favorite fun, quirky places to discover within an easy drive of Minneapolis Northwest!

### 1 Enjoy a Whimsical Round of Mini Golf at Can Can Wonderland

Can Can Wonderland offers a year-round carnival atmosphere for children and adults alike. This whimsical venue features a brightly colored 18-hole mini golf course unlike any other and a rousing Boardwalk Arcade boasting 20 of your favorite vintage arcade games and dozens upon dozens of unique pinball machines.

### 2 Reach New Heights at Minneapolis Bouldering Project

Get your climbing fix at **Minneapolis Bouldering Project**, which features 20,108-square feet of climbing terrain and offers complimentary introductory bouldering lessons. At this state-of-the-art facility, which opened in 2017, there are no ropes or harnesses—only a 16-inch foam floor to cushion the fall.

### 3 Catch a Movie Under the Stars at Vali-Hi Drive-In

If you're up for a nostalgic experience, go see a movie at the **Vali-Hi Drive-In** in Lake Elmo. This is just one of less than half a dozen classic drive-in movie theaters left in Minnesota! The theater is open every night during the summer and plays three of the latest new releases back-to-back-to-back, starting at dusk. Don't forget to snap a pic in its vintage black and white photo booth and play some games in the arcade, while you grab some snacks at the concession stand!

### 4 Combine Art and Instagrammable Moments at Minneapolis Sculpture Garden

**Minneapolis Sculpture Garden** has an Instagram-worthy collection of modern and contemporary art in the heart of the city. Start your sightseeing with the iconic "Spoonbridge and Cherry," then check out 17 more works including "Hahn/Cock," a



### 6 Meet a Woolly Mammoth at the Bell Museum of Natural History

Explore the **Bell Museum of Natural History**, a place for families and friends to get close to the wild with the hands-on Touch and See Lab and wildlife dioramas. Discover the natural world through exhibits, programs, and more. Travel back in time and meet a Woolly Mammoth and view the whole world in a new way at its planetarium.

### 7 Indulge Your Sweet Tooth at Minnesota's Largest Candy Store

You'll literally feel like a kid in a candy store when you're surrounded by more than 3,000 treats at **Minnesota's Largest Candy Store**. You can't miss the giant yellow barn or fencing along Highway 169 in Jordan. Inside, you'll find sweets from throughout the world, including hard candy, gummies, gumballs, licorice, taffy and caramel, as well as the largest soda selection in the world!

### 8 Take in Iconic Views at the Stone Arch Bridge

Completed in 1883 as a railroad bridge, **Stone Arch Bridge** in Minneapolis is a mecca for pedestrians and bicyclists to experience some of the best panoramic views of the Minneapolis skyline,

giant bright blue rooster. The Sculpture Garden, a partnership between Walker Art Center and the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board, is free and open daily from 6 a.m. to midnight.

### 5 Have a Tea Party at The Mad Hatter Restaurant & Tea House

Follow Alice down the rabbit hole on a whimsical and delightful culinary journey at **The Mad Hatter Restaurant & Tea House!** Located in Anoka's historic Woodbury House, built in 1857 and beautifully situated on the Rum River, The Mad Hatter offers a truly unique dining experience with its fabulous high tea services, along with a scrumptious brunch menu.

### 9 Chill with the Cool Cats at The Cafe Meow

For a relaxing escape, check out Minneapolis' first cat cafe, **The Cafe Meow**, offering a unique and enjoyable experience where you can enjoy quality coffee and tea while relaxing in a lounge with 10-15 rescue cats that are up for adoption! Who doesn't enjoy a cup of tea with a side of kitty cuddles?! Be sure to save room for Meowcarons!



### 10 Huzzah! Step Back in Time at the Minnesota Renaissance Festival

The **Minnesota Renaissance Festival** is the largest Renaissance Festival in the United States and welcomes around 300,000 people each year. Costumes are encouraged for the fête that features jousting, musicians, dancers, fairies, mermaids, animal rides, games and even a unicorn. Nosh on a turkey leg, one of the many (and there are many) tempting food options and have a pint of ale. •

For more quirky adventures, check out our [directory of Attractions](#).



Minnesota's Largest Candy Store





Town Green Sounds of Summer

## The 10 Best Things to Do with **KIDS THIS SUMMER**

School's out! Parents across the nation know summer is the best time to spend with their kids. Luckily, Minneapolis Northwest has plenty of summertime activities to keep families busy. From kid-friendly outdoor events to nationally recognized attractions, here are the top things to see and do with kiddos this summer.

### 1 FESTIVE AREA EVENTS

A visit to Minneapolis Northwest in the summer isn't complete without a stop at one of our exciting community festivals. There's family fun to be had at **Maple Grove Days** with bed races, a parade, live music and dancing, inflatables and games, bean bag tournaments and much more. The **Arbor Lakes Art Fair** also takes place during Maple Grove Days. Mark your calendar for **Woof-a-Pawlooza** – a perfect event for the four-legged members of your family. Check out our Calendar of Events on page 8 for more summer events you can plan your visit around.

### 2 MUSIC & MOVIES

Get dancin' during the **Sounds of Summer** concert series at **Town Green**. The series provides a variety of music weekday evenings all summer long, from country and classical, to rock and oldies. Several events are dedicated to kids' music with performances by the Splatter Sisters

and the Teddy Bear Band. Town Green also hosts Movies by Moonlight on Fridays at sunset, beginning mid-July. Bring a blanket and cuddle up as you watch a warm-hearted movie together under the stars.



Maple Grove Days



IgboFest

### 3 MAKE A SPLASH

Swimming is the penultimate summer activity, and you and your kids can get wet n' wild at **Bunker Beach Water Park** in Coon Rapids, the state's largest outdoor water park and wave pool! Go down the slides in the Twisted Towers, conquer the three-foot waves in the Wave Pool, tackle the 10-foot Aqua Climb wall, or relax on a leisurely float along the Lazy Loop. Smaller kids will like the Adventure Pool, a zero-depth entry pool with a maximum depth of two feet.

Experience that one-of-a-kind summery beach feeling at the **Elm Creek Swimming Pond** located within **Elm Creek Park Reserve**. This man-made chlorinated pond is the perfect spot for kids to feel the sand between their toes and get crafty building sand castles. Changing areas, bathrooms and concessions are conveniently located, and life guards are always on duty.



Elm Creek Swimming Pond

### 4 CELEBRATE CULTURE

Did you know that 1-in-5 residents of Brooklyn Park was born outside of the U.S.? Come celebrate the area's cultural roots at **IgboFest** in August, presented by the Umunne Cultural Association of Minnesota. IgboFest showcases cultural activities with a full day of free family fun, drawing more than 5,000 visitors. Activities include tasting authentic African dishes and trying your hand at African crafts; enjoying a variety of dance and music performances and processions, and chances to win prizes with the raffle drawing.

### 5 WIDE OPEN SPACES

There's an abundance of beautiful outdoor green space in Minneapolis Northwest where kids can run and play and get dirty such as **Elm Creek Park Reserve**, **Mississippi Gateway Regional Park** and **North Mississippi Regional Park**. Nature centers within the parks host a variety of fun, educational, kid-friendly events throughout the summer. Kids can learn how to navigate with a compass, go "inside" a beehive, and study the birds, fish, turtles, and frogs of the Mississippi River. Head to our listing of Nature Centers on page 66.





Central Park – Maple Grove

In addition to the area's regional parks, Maple Grove's **Central Park** boasts one of the best playgrounds in the area and includes an amazing interactive splash pad! Kids love prancing through the shooting streams of water and it's extra fun in the evening when the pad is lit up with colorful LED lights.

## 6 LET'S GO FLY A KITE

Before heading to Elm Creek or Central Park, make a summer game stop at **Grey Duck Games & Toys** in **The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes**, a locally owned boutique specializing in new and old-school games of all kinds – including outdoor games – like kites, frisbees, disc golf discs and more. Pick up a cool new toy or game the whole family will love. There are also board games, juggling props, collectible cards, hula hoops and a real-life laser tag game.

## 7 GET ON THE GREEN

There are many ways for kids to enjoy golf in Minneapolis Northwest. **Brookland Golf Park** is known for its FootGolf course that people of all ages love. The sport is similar to soccer – players kick soccer balls into 21-inch diameter cups – and is scored like traditional golf. If your young golfer has a keen interest



Brookland Golf Park

in the game, make time to visit the **Eagle Lake Youth Golf Center**, which caters to beginning golfers. Take advantage of practice areas, driving ranges, and two different nine-hole courses.

## 8 FOOD TO LOVE

Your family needs fuel to keep up, and nothing tastes quite like summer like having a hot dog and fries outside on the **Portillo's** patio, and the boisterous atmosphere is perfect for energetic kids. Chicago-style hot dogs and Italian beef sandwiches lead the menu, followed by chicken sandwiches and tenders, burgers, salads, ribs, pasta and arguably the best chocolate cake in town.



IgboFest

Go back in time at the hop when you visit **Wagner's Drive-In** in Brooklyn Park. This local favorite has been a staple in the community for years and it's no wonder, as Wagner's serves up juicy hamburgers and delicious sides in a classic drive-in setting. Roll down your window to place your order, or place your order inside and sit out at the umbrellaed picnic tables.

## 9 SCREAM FOR ICE CREAM

Hot days call for cool treats and ice cream is a delicious way to beat the heat. **Tii Cup** in Brooklyn Park serves shaved snow in addition to its cool and colorful bubble teas. Biing, the Taiwanese shaved snow, comes

out smooth and velvety – some say it's even fluffier than ice cream. Try unique flavors like Papaya, Honeydew, Almond or Jasmine Tea. **3 Squares Restaurant** features a few delicious ice cream desserts. There's the Molten Brownie with a chocolate fudge brownie, caramel and chocolate sauces, Sebastian Joe's vanilla ice cream, and whipped cream. You can also get the same dessert with a chocolate chip cookie!

## 10 IN CASE OF RAIN

In case of inclement weather, head to **Playground Plaza** for a day at a climate-controlled indoor playground in Maple Grove. In this facility, kids can bounce their hearts out on the giant trampoline, explore the large and bright playground equipment and play lawn games on the turf field. Picnic areas and party rooms are available, too. Kids should dress to play in socks at all times! ●



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## Your Fall Itinerary for **FAMILY FUN** in Minneapolis Northwest

Crunchy leaves. Crisp apples. Pumpkin spice. Stunning colors. It must be autumn in Minneapolis Northwest! Filled with family friendly fall events, as well as affordable and convenient hotels and dining options, a memorable weekend with your family is closer than you think. Breeze through our fall itinerary and start planning your adventure.



### BREAKFAST OPTIONS **Fat Nat's Eggs**

You guessed it from the name, locally owned **Fat Nat's Eggs** specializes in creating one-of-a-kind egg dishes. Using the freshest ingredients, every meal is made to order to ensure everyone gets a breakfast to remember. Choose from seven different kinds of eggs Benedict or spice up your morning with a Fat Nat's specialty like Huevos Rancheros Carnitas.

### **Daily Dose Café and Espresso**

For a grab-and-go breakfast, head to **Daily Dose Café & Espresso** in Brooklyn Park or in Maple Grove for muffins, scones and biscotti, yogurt parfait with fresh fruit, or a hot breakfast panini. Get a coffee to go for an added pick-me-up!



### RISE & SHINE MORNING FUN

#### **Twin Cities Harvest Festival and Maze**

Get lost in autumn excitement at the popular **Twin Cities Harvest Festival and Maze**. The festival features one of Minnesota's largest corn mazes, measuring 20 acres, and features entertainment for the whole family! Besides the corn maze, there is a corn seed pit, a straw-bale maze to climb over



Corn Seed Pit

(or under, depending on your approach), a petting zoo and hayrides where the whole family can sit back and relax. There's even more – live music, pony rides and a pumpkin patch. This must-visit fall festival should be on every family's list. *Bonus tip: Come back in the spring for the Twin Cities Spring Babies Festival at the same location!*

### **FootGolf at Brookland Golf Park**

Visit **Brookland Golf Park** for a rousing game of FootGolf with the family. A combination of the popular sports of soccer and golf, players use soccer balls on a traditional golf course with 21-inch diameter cups. The FootGolf course features nine holes and has its own set of tees and greens.



### LUNCH OPTIONS **50's Grill**

Step back in time at **50's Grill** where the jukebox is jumping and the food is served up with a smile. With dishes like homemade meatloaf, fresh burgers and famous chicken pot pie, you'll feel as if you never left home. Before you leave, treat the kids and order a smooth and tasty malt or a hot fudge sundae.

### **Riviera Maya Cantina & Restaurant**

**Riviera Maya Cantina & Restaurant**, a delicious Mexican bar and grill, has a large, varied menu with options for even the pickiest eaters. Flavorful tacos, enchiladas, fajitas and burritos will keep you fueled for fun the rest of the afternoon.



### AFTERNOON ADVENTURES **Fall on the Farm**

Experience **Fall on the Farm** at **Historic Eidem Farm** to get a taste of what harvest life was like at the turn of the century when the autumn season was all about preparing for the upcoming winter. Activities



Twin Cities Harvest Festival and Maze

include harvesting the garden, pressing cider, carving pumpkins and cooking fall treats in the kitchen. *Bonus tip: Children under the age of four get in for free!*

### **Eastman Nature Center**

Within beautiful **Elm Creek Park Reserve** is **Eastman Nature Center** – an epicenter of seasonal events for the whole family. On select weekends, enjoy **Fall Color Tram Tours** that take you on a tractor-drawn ride through the woods to marvel at the gorgeous fall colors. You may even spot wildlife! The center also hosts apple cider and honey harvest demonstrations, leaf printing, and more. If you're in town towards the end of October, stop by the center for its **Big Woods Halloween** featuring carnival games, puppet shows and a pumpkin scavenger hunt.



### DINNER OPTIONS **3 Squares Restaurant**

An ideal spot for family dining is **3 Squares Restaurant**. With its varied menu and casual atmosphere, you'll feel like you're in the comfort of your own home. Not to mention the food is outstanding, so everyone is guaranteed to leave satisfied. The kids' menu has fun and funky favorites like spaghetti tacos and a kid-size portion of its signature steak and pierogies. The best part: breakfast is served all day!





### Sweet Taste of Italy

After a morning and afternoon of busy fall fun, relax and refuel at **Sweet Taste of Italy**, a locally owned Italian restaurant with a savory menu made from scratch every day. Order your family a piping hot specialty pizza like Chicken Bacon BBQ, Bacon Cheeseburger or Tropical Paradise. Also offered is the daily All-You-Can-Eat special: choose from spaghetti, mostaccioli or penne alfredo with garlic bread and choice of tossed salad or 20 oz. fountain soda.



### NIGHTTIME GRAND FINALE

#### Venetian Indoor Waterpark

Parents and kids will have a blast splashing around in the **Venetian Indoor Waterpark** at the **Holiday Inn & Suites** in Maple Grove. Enjoy two 4-story waterslides, a walking bridge, whirlpool, activity pool with water basketball, concession area and a 1,200-sq. ft. arcade. Convenient and affordable, this stress-free hotel is the perfect home base for your visit to Minneapolis Northwest and a great activity to close out your family weekend.

### Dave & Buster's

Featuring more than 200 games (yes, you heard right) in its Million Dollar Midway, **Dave & Buster's** is fun for the whole family (parents will be busy winning tickets, too)! Enjoy this premiere entertainment complex and play everything from billiards to shuffleboard. And you definitely won't want to miss Dave & Buster's new Jurassic World virtual reality experience! •



Dave & Buster's

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# FREE THINGS

## to Do with Kids

Ready...set...GO! How many **FREE** activities can you check off with your kids?

- Walk/bike across the Mississippi River at Mississippi Gateway Regional Park. The 12-foot-wide walkway provides great views of the area.
- Get a photo with an inspiring 3D chalk mural at Chalkfest at Arbor Lakes.
- Explore 11 galleries at the Walker Art Center in Minneapolis, free from 5-9 p.m. every Thursday evening and the first Saturday of every month.
- Go birding at Palmer Lake Park in Brooklyn Center and keep track of what kinds of birds you spot.
- Explore the tropics and meet exotic animals from around the world at Como Zoo & Conservatory in Saint Paul.
- Check out Robot Park at the Brooklyn Park Library, as well as the library's dynamic play area where young kids can interact with hands-on learning stations.
- Cool off with a trip to the Splash Pad at Central Park in Maple Grove, featuring glowing LED lights for a fun experience at dusk.
- Visit one of the area's farmers markets or pop-up markets in Brooklyn Center, Brooklyn Park, and Maple Grove – with free entertainment and kids' activities.
- Venture into the Minneapolis Sculpture Garden to get a picture with the iconic cherry and spoon.
- Play the outdoor instruments at the Music Plaza at Town Green. Six specially made, weather-resistant instruments create great music and never have to be tuned.
- Catch an outdoor movie at sunset during the summer months at Entertainment in the Park in Brooklyn Center and Movies by Moonlight in Maple Grove.



Chalkfest at Arbor Lakes



Central Park Splash Pad





## Pumpkin Spice and Everything Nice: **GIRLFRIENDS' GETAWAY** Guide to Minneapolis Northwest in Autumn

Don't let the year end without taking some personal time to enjoy the beauty of fall with a girlfriends' getaway to Minneapolis Northwest! We've gathered some of our favorite ways to experience this wonderful season to help you plan the perfect fall trip with your gal pals. From apple picking and rock climbing to wineries and spas, here are our top recommendations for a memorable weekend getaway with the girls.

### RETAIL THERAPY AND PAMPERING

No getaway is complete without a little rest and relaxation. Enjoy retail therapy at popular areas like **The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes** and **Albertville Premium Outlets**, or plan a relaxing group retreat at one of the local spas. **The Woodhouse Day Spa's** Woodhouse Experience is a full-day spa session that offers the best of everything,

including an aromatherapy bath cure, massage, facial and pedicure. Your crew will leave feeling rejuvenated and on cloud nine. The zen ambiance at **Simonson's Salon & Spa** and **Face Foundrie** will help ease your tension before the massage even begins. And finish your weekend retreat with manicures and pedicures at **Taj Salon & Spa**. While its talented technicians are working their magic on your fingers and toes, you and your friends can start planning your next trip to Minneapolis Northwest.

### EXPLORE THE OUTDOORS

As the leaves change from emerald green to blaze orange and bright red, and the temperature starts to cool, fall becomes the best time to get outdoors and enjoy the crisp air. Gather your friends and have a true Minneapolis Northwest autumn experience by visiting one of the nearby apple orchards. At **Apple Jack Orchards** and **Minnetonka Orchards**, your group can pick apples, navigate a corn maze and search for the

perfect pumpkin. Both orchards have gift shops where you can shop for handmade candles and baskets, baked goods (mmm, apple pie) and local delights like honey, maple syrup and caramels to take home.

To get even closer to nature, consider a group trip to **Elm Creek Park Reserve**, Three Rivers Park District's largest park. Your friends will love the colorful fall foliage and the park's miles of hiking trails, and you all can experience one of Elm Creek's delightful Fall Color Tram Tours. Another park to visit is **Mississippi Gateway Regional Park** which has more than 150 acres of trails, lakes and wildlife reserves. Take a leisurely bike ride through the forest or hone your paddling skills with a kayak ride on the Mississippi River. Later in the season, your crew can also enjoy a snowshoeing or cross-country skiing adventure.

### ACTIVE ADVENTURES

Go for a climb and get your stretch on with the girls at **Minneapolis Boulderling Project**. This expansive boulderling gym offers classes and climbing experiences for everyone, from "gumbies" (climbing newbies) to accomplished boulderers. Start your journey with one of the gym's complimentary introductory classes, and then perfect your form on 20,000-square feet of climbing terrain. Minneapolis Boulderling Project even has a Treadwall, a rotating climbing wall, and features a fully equipped weight room! When it's time to decompress, center your mind and body with a restorative yoga class.

For some friendly competition, bring the group to the only **Topgolf** location in Minnesota. No matter your skills, Topgolf is the kind of place where anyone can play and, more importantly, win! The high-tech, climate-controlled facility features more than 100 hitting bays where your group can chip, swing and try to hit the giant targets on the green. All of the balls are equipped with microchips making it fun to tally up points or yardage!



### SPIRITED FUN

There are plenty of places in Minneapolis Northwest where you and your girlfriends can enjoy delicious cocktails, local brews and regional wines. Take advantage of generous happy hour specials at popular restaurants like **CRAVE American Kitchen & Sushi Bar** and **Brick & Bourbon** in Maple Grove. **Pittsburgh Blue** is also famous for serving creative cocktails like its Watermelon Pisco Sour, while the margaritas at **Teresa's Mexican Restaurant** are simply out of this world.







For some locally brewed libations, plan a trip to one of the nearby breweries or wineries. **Pryes Brewing** has won awards for its citrusy Miraculum IPA and ridiculously smooth Dublin Dry Stout. While **Blue Wolf Brewing Company** in Brooklyn Park serves German-style beers that are the perfect sips for craft beer newbies; its Wolf Cry Rye Ale and Summer Sunshine are light and refreshing. The breweries aren't just about the beer. At **OMNI Brewing Co.** and **Wicked Wort**, you and the girls can get centered with a yoga class, join a taproom trivia group or sing along with some of the best cover bands in the region.

And what girlfriend gathering is complete without a bottle of wine? Take an excursion to popular wineries nearby like **Buffalo Rock** (its LaCreDa is a delicious alternative to Chardonnay) and **Two Rivers Vineyard & Winery**. At **Schram Vineyards Winery & Brewery**, you and your friends can relax and reconnect over a glass of its delicious Bumble wine, a refreshing mix of honey and raspberry flavors.

## TREAT YOURSELF

After rock climbing, wine tasting and apple picking, you and the crew are bound to be hungry. Enjoy a relaxing lunch at **Daily Dose Café and Espresso** and order its delicious pesto turkey panini or spinach artichoke flatbread. Or head to **Mi-Sant Banh Mi Co.** in Brooklyn Park to taste its authentic banh mi sandwiches, spring rolls and noodle bowls. Save room for a delicious old-fashioned milkshake at **50's Grill** in Brooklyn Center.

Satisfy your sweet tooth at **Nadia Cakes**, a premier cupcake shop and custom cake studio that was featured on the TLC show "Fabulous Cakes" and Food Network's "Cupcake Wars." Or enjoy a bowl of shaved ice at **Tii Cup**. You also don't want to miss the yummy doughnuts, including Texas doughnuts the size of your face, at **Hans' Bakery** in Anoka. This family run bakery has been crafting its famous sweets since 1973.

Finally, for an event your friends will never forget, enjoy afternoon tea at **The Mad Hatter Restaurant & Tea House**. You all will have an Alice in Wonderland moment with its Queen of Hearts tea service that includes a variety of traditional English treats like lemon blueberry scones and classic cucumber sandwiches. It's not just the tea that will get everyone talking. The restaurant is located in the historic Woodbury House on the Mississippi River. Built in 1857, the house is the second oldest in Anoka County. ●



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# 10 LOCAL STORES TO SHOP

**FUN FACT:** Minneapolis Northwest has the second largest shopping area in Minnesota, second only to the Mall of America. Turn window shopping into actual shopping when you hit up some of the best local shops in Minneapolis Northwest!

## BOUTIQUES

### 1. Apricot Lane

Each designer-inspired piece at Apricot Lane is carefully curated with flattering, trendy styles picked by the owner to reflect the vibe of the local area, and new styles arrive each week.

### 2. Leela & Lavender

An emerging fashion and gift boutique, Leela & Lavender helps each woman discover her best self with the style, fit, and price she needs. Shop brands like Barefoot Dreams, Marc Fisher, Gorjana, and Sorel.

### 3. Flaunt Accessories

A special locally owned shop, Flaunt Accessories opens its doors the third weekend of every month, showcasing trendy wraps, jewelry, and scarves – everything needed to complement your new outfits.

### 4. Fox Run

Go on a shopping spree at Fox Run, a unique boutique featuring artisan products by Minnesota makers. Choose from handmade candles, bath and body products, bags, shirts, accessories, quirky cards, and décor.

### 5. Celtic Croft

This unique shop features authentic kilts, tartans, Clan Crests, Celtic jewelry and decor to complement your Scottish, Irish or Welsh heritage. A perfect stop for fans of the TV show "Outlander"!



## UNIQUE GIFTS

### 6. The Woods Gifts

Head to The Woods Gifts for a taste of Minnesota's north woods. Enjoy WoodWick Candles, gourmet foods from Stonewall Kitchen, along with Minnesota-made and Minnesota-themed gifts.

### 7. Olfactory Scent Studio

Custom blend your own unique fragrance and take it with you in the form of a candle, room spray or body scrub! Olfactory's 100+ fragrances include Sandalwood, Tomato Leaf, and Pecan Pie.

### 8. GoodThings

Great things are always happening at GoodThings with its selection of traditional and trendy home goods products, clothing, jewelry and gift items, including fun items for your office, garden and kitchen.

### 9. Grey Duck Games & Toys

Every fun game you can imagine is at Grey Duck Games & Toys, from Melissa & Doug products and Socker Boppers to Crazy Aaron's Thinking Putty, mini-Asteroids, and a giant selection of board games.

### 10. Love That Olive

Since 2010, Maple Grove's charming gourmet balsamic and olive oil store has imported its products direct from Italy. Find inspiration for your own cooking and bring the best appetizer to your next party.





# 10 FUN DATE NIGHT IDEAS

in Minneapolis Northwest

It's always exciting to go on a date in a new city, and Minneapolis Northwest has plenty of fun and unique date ideas that will take the stress out of planning and also give you a date to remember.

## 1 TASTE LOCALLY MADE BEER AND SPIRITS

**OMNI Brewing Co.** continues to be one of the most popular hangouts in Minneapolis Northwest. Cool craft beers like Loonacy and A Little Hoppy are brewed on-site, and you can take a brewery tour when you call in advance. Have your date coincide with one of the brewery's special events, such as Food Truck Fridays and Saturdays, Infuseday Tuesdays, taproom yoga or trivia nights. At **Blue Wolf Brewing Company** in Brooklyn Park, you and your date can sample a variety of German-style beers. The Wolf Cry Rye Ale is perfect for those just getting into craft beer, or for someone looking for something lighter. The No Coast American Pale Ale is fragrant and hoppy, made with Mosaic hops with a tropical fruit note and hints of pine and earthiness. You can also order in food from nearby **Broadway Pizza!** For fancy cocktails, make a reservation at **Skaalvenn Distillery & Cocktail Lounge**. This Norwegian-inspired distillery features a very cool Japanese-inspired cocktail room. Unique drink creations are made by expert mixologists using Skaalvenn's own vodka, aquavit, rum, habanero rum, and bourbon.

## 2 DRESS UP FOR DINNER

Make **Brick & Bourbon** your spot for a classy dining experience with your date. The industrial-chic environment invites couples to get comfortable in cushy red leather booths. Browse the extensive drink menu filled with unique artisan cocktails and a variety of whiskey flights, and split a starter like Duck Bacon Wontons or Firecracker Shrimp. On summer nights, opt for the lovely outdoor patio with its own bar and three fire pits. When all is said, done and devoured, Brick & Bourbon hits the trifecta for date-night dining: excellent bar, incredible kitchen and top-notch service. And nothing quite sets the mood like dining at an upscale steakhouse like **Pittsburgh Blue**, where you're invited to feel as fancy as you desire. This Zagat-rated upscale restaurant gives you and your partner an opportunity to dress up a bit for a great night out of steak, salmon, ribs and splitting a bottle of wine. End your evening by sharing a slice of five-layer chocolate mousse cake.

## 3 CREATE A FRAGRANCE

Scent is a powerful tool in creating lasting memories. Meet up at **Olfactory Scent Studio** for a unique date where you each get to create your own special fragrance. Have fun browsing (a.k.a. sniffing) through Olfactory's 100+ soy-based candle scents to identify your favorites. A Scent Stylist will then work with you to develop a great combination. When your custom scent is blended to perfection, add it to a product of your choosing: candles, room and linen sprays, reed diffusers, or take home one of the many bath and body products available, such as bath salts, body scrubs and body sprays.

Popular scent combinations include:

- For the bookworm: old books, red wine, leather and rain
- For the summer-lover: watermelon, sweet grass and ginger ale
- For the gardener: tomato plant, basil, earth and honeysuckle
- For the coffee connoisseur: coffee bean, chai tea, hazelnut and whipped cream

## 4 EXPLORE THE GREAT OUTDOORS

Adventurous couples will thrive at **Elm Creek Park Reserve** with recreation opportunities for every season.

Also include **Eastman Nature Center** in your itinerary for a casual stroll on the floating boardwalk and a visit to the renovated nature center. Depending on the time of year you may see trumpeter swans, wild turkeys, bluebirds and abundant native wildflowers.

Kayak enthusiasts should take advantage of the **Mississippi River**

**Paddle Share** program, with station stops at **Mississippi Gateway Regional Park** and **North Mississippi Regional Park**. Reserve a kayak ahead of time, then pick it up at the starting station and get paddling down the mighty river. Single-person and tandem kayaks are available.

There are three options for **Mississippi River Paddle Share** located in Minneapolis Northwest:

- Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park to North Mississippi Regional Park – 7.5 miles
- River Park to North Mississippi Regional Park – 4.5 miles
- North Mississippi Regional Park to Boom Island Park – 3.9 miles

## 5 COMPETE FOR THE DINNER BILL

**Dave & Buster's** isn't just for kids – though it may make you and your date feel like kids again! Compete against each other in old-fashioned pinball, Dance Dance Revolution or auto racing to see who picks up the tab. Get ready for thrills when you take on the Jurassic World VR Experience. And you won't strike out if you take your date to **Bowlero** in Brooklyn Park. Not only does Bowlero have bowling lanes galore, it also features giant video and arcade games, billiards and a full-size laser tag arena. Finally, you can't beat the fun you'll have at **Topgolf**, playing the classic Topgolf game or switching it up to a chipping contest or longest drive contest.

## 6 SEE A LOCAL SHOW

Local favorite **Yellow Tree Theatre** provides an intimate 120-seat space where every view is a good view, and any performance will give you and your date lots to discuss afterwards. The Osseo location has a lovely small-town feel and a lobby bursting with charm and charisma. The theater celebrates more than 10 seasons of professional storytelling with four fantastic shows each season. Shows focus on exploring the complexity of the human spirit, and include quirky comedies, original musicals





and classic plays. Minneapolis Northwest is also just minutes from the stunning theater scene of Minneapolis and Saint Paul, with convenient access to the **Orpheum Theatre**, **Brave New Workshop** and the **Ordway Center for the Performing Arts**.

## 7 ENJOY LIVE MUSIC

The **Shoppes at Arbor Lakes** hosts a series of free concerts in the summer as part of its **Summer Faire Concert Series**. Listen to different bands playing every type of music genre from modern country rock, to jazz and blues, to alternative rock. You can check the concert schedule in advance, and don't forget to bring along lawn chairs for comfy seating. Keep an eye on Town Green's **Sounds of Summer Concert Series**, also throughout the summer, featuring grassy, terraced seating and romantic sunset views of Arbor Lakes. The concession stand is always open, so you can grab an ice cream cone or popcorn when the mood strikes.

## 8 SKATE AND SNUGGLE

Minnesota winters provide lots of chances to get cozy with your date and also take you out of your comfort zone. Skate hand in hand (or mitten in mitten!) at the **Central Park Ice Loop** in Maple Grove. The meandering trail winds through peaceful landscaping with sparkling lights and gives couples a special outdoor winter experience. Rent skates at the pavilion for \$5 and make as many loops as you like. By the end, you'll both have the hang of it. Afterwards, wind



Central Park Ice Loop

down and warm up with a piping hot beverage from **Daily Dose Café and Espresso** (locations in Maple Grove and Brooklyn Park). Savor its seasonal beverages and flavorful roasted coffee blends or soothing loose-leaf teas.

## 9 VISIT A SPRING OR FALL FESTIVAL

Looking for a date to celebrate the changing seasons? How about one that includes baby goats, cheese curds and hayrides? In the spring, plan a date at the **Twin Cities Spring Babies Festival** where you can each feed and hold adorable baby goats, chicks, bunnies and lambs. Stick around for the goat races, live music, a giant slide, and yummy fair foods that are perfect for sharing. Even mark the occasion with a caricature! Then, in the fall, visit the **Twin Cities Harvest Festival and Maze** in the same location and get lost in one of the largest corn mazes in the state. Put your heads together to complete the maze trivia and win prizes, and impress your date with a stop at the Pumpkin Slinger. Then grab a couple cups of hot cider and enjoy a relaxing hayride around the festival grounds.

## 10 STAY THE NIGHT

Finally, couples who are looking for a staycation or traveling here from out of town should look at Minneapolis Northwest's great hotels for a romantic overnight stay. The **Minneapolis Marriott Northwest** ranks as one of the premier all-suite hotels in the entire Midwest, featuring **Wadsworth Restaurant** – a classy location for a romantic meal or a night cap. **Embassy Suites Minneapolis-North** provides the most convenient access to your plans in downtown Minneapolis. From the ease of the European-style check-in to the spacious and well-equipped guest rooms and suites, your stay will only be enhanced by the attentive service of the hotel staff. Also, consider the **Courtyard by Marriott** featuring an outdoor whirlpool with a heated deck for extra cozy nights in the fall and winter. And it's steps away from the eateries and shopping at **The Fountains at Arbor Lakes**. •

# Quench Your Thirst: WHERE TO GET A GOOD DRINK in Minneapolis Northwest

Whether you're craving a house-made craft cocktail, a stiff bourbon concoction or a classic martini, here are some of the most superb drinks at the best spots in Minneapolis Northwest.



### Brick & Bourbon

- **Floating Yoda** – Vodka, Kahlua, cream, and a scoop of locally made Sebastian Joe's Mint Ice Cream
- **Maple Old Fashioned** – Served under a glass dome enshrouded in smoke with a mini-Belgian wafer garnish

### Topgolf

- **"Blue" Berry Bash Golfbag** – SKYY Vodka, Bombay Sapphire Gin, Chambord Black Raspberry Liqueur, Finest Call Premium Juice Citrus Sour, Blackberry Reäl, and lemon
- **Spicy Bloody** – ABSOLUT Peppar Vodka or Tanteo Jalapeño Tequila, Zing Zang Bloody Mary Mix, Filthy Pickle Stuffed Olive, lime, lemon, and a kosher salt rim

### Psycho Suzi's Motor Lounge

- **Mai Tai** – A hefty cocktail made the traditional way with fresh squeezed lime, amber rum, house-made orgeat, Curacao, and a dark Jamaican rum float. Garnished with mint and love
- **Coconut** – A cross between a tropical White Russian and a Piña Colada, but not really. Vanilla, coconut cream, allspice, and West Indies Rum

### Skaalvenn Distillery & Cocktail Lounge

- **Hot hot hothothot Toddy** – Bourbon, ginger, chamomile, lemon, honey, almond orgeat cream foam, finished with nutmeg and lemon expression
- **Minnesota-made vodka, aquavit, rum, habanero rum, and bourbon**

### CRAVE American Kitchen & Sushi Bar

- **Blue Julep** – A twist on the classic mint julep, house-made blueberry syrup and fresh mint mixed with Tattersall Rye and served over a Minnesota ice cylinder
- **Rhubarb Champagne Punch** – Tattersall Barreled Gin, locally made Earl Giles rhubarb syrup, topped with sparkling rosé and finished with a drizzle of aged balsamic



Psycho Suzi's Motor Lounge





Bowlero Brooklyn Park

## ATTRACTIONS

### ARTS & ACTIVITIES

**Apple Jack Orchards**  
4875 37th St SE  
Delano  
763-972-6673  
applejackorchards.com

**Brooklyn Center Community Center**  
6301 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-569-3400  
cityofbrooklyncenter.org

**Brooklyn Park Community Activity Center**  
5600 85th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

**The Café Meow**  
2323 Hennepin Ave S  
Minneapolis  
612-212-8471  
thecafemeow.com

**Color Me Mine**  
12155 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-420-0005  
colormemine.com

**Como Park Zoo & Conservatory**  
1225 Estabrook Dr  
Saint Paul  
651-487-8200  
comozooconservatory.org

**Hennepin County Library – Brookdale**  
6125 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
612-543-5600  
hclib.org

**Hennepin County Library – Brooklyn Park**  
8500 W Broadway Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
612-543-6225  
hclib.org

**Hennepin County Library – Maple Grove**  
8001 Main St  
Maple Grove  
612-543-6450  
hclib.org

**Hindu Temple of Minnesota**  
10530 Troy Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-425-9449  
hindumandirmn.org

**Maple Grove Arts Center**  
11666 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-370-3003  
maplegroveartscenter.org

**Maple Grove Community Center**  
12951 Weaver Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovmn.gov

**Minneapolis Bouldering Project**  
1433 West River Rd N  
Minneapolis  
612-308-2800  
minneapolisboulderingproject.com

**Minnesota Zoo**  
13000 Zoo Boulevard  
Apple Valley  
952-431-9200  
mnzoo.org

**Minnesota's Largest Candy Store**  
20430 Johnson Memorial Dr  
Jordan  
facebook.com/  
minnesotaslargestcandystore

**Minnetonka Orchards**  
6530 County Rd 26  
Minnetrista  
763-479-6530  
minnetonkaorchards.com

**Stone Arch Bridge**  
100 Portland Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-230-6400  
minneapolisparcs.org

**Town Green Bandshell**  
7991 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6527  
maplegrovmn.gov

**Vali-Hi Drive-In**  
11260 Hudson Blvd  
Lake Elmo  
651-436-7464  
valihi.com

### GAMES

**Bowlero Brooklyn Park**  
7545 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-503-2695  
bowlero.com

**Bunker Beach Water Park**  
701 County Rd A  
Coon Rapids  
763-324-3310  
bunkerbeach.com

**Bunker Park Stable**  
550 Bunker Lake Blvd NW  
Anoka  
763-757-9445  
bunkerparkstable.com

**Can Can Wonderland**  
755 Prior Ave N, #004  
Saint Paul  
651-925-2261  
cancanwonderland.com

**Dave & Buster's**  
11780 Fountains Way  
Maple Grove  
763-493-9815  
daveandbusters.com

**Mall of America**  
60 E Broadway  
Bloomington  
952-883-8800  
mallofamerica.com

**Maple Maze at Maple Grove Community Center**  
12951 Weaver Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovmn.gov/community-center/maple-maze

**MiniSota Play Cafe**  
12459 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-432-0428  
minisotaplaycafe.com

**Nickelodeon Universe**  
5000 Center Ct  
Bloomington  
952-883-8800  
nickelodeonuniverse.com

**Ninjas United**  
8752 Monticello Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-575-8188  
ninjasunited.com

**Playground Plaza**  
11701 95th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-228-3833  
playgroundplaza.com

**ProKART Indoor Racing**  
11700 Troy Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-428-1333  
prokartindoor.com

**Sky Zone Maple Grove**  
16501 County Rd 30  
Maple Grove  
952-641-0832  
skyzone.com

**Sundance Entertainment Center**  
15240 113th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-420-4800  
sundanceentertainment.com

**Topgolf**  
6420 N Camden Ave  
Brooklyn Center  
763-201-9636  
topgolf.com

**Valleyfair**  
1 Valley Fair Dr  
Shakopee  
952-445-7600  
valleyfair.com

**Venetian Indoor Waterpark at Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites**  
11801 Fountains Way  
Maple Grove  
763-425-3800  
venetianwaterpark.com

**WhirlyBall Twin Cities**  
13644 80th Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-657-1555  
whirlyballtwincities.com

### HISTORY

**Hennepin History Museum**  
2303 3rd Ave S  
Minneapolis  
612-870-1329  
hennepinhistory.org



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# DIRECTORY

# ATTRACTIONS



Central Park Splash Pad

## Historic Eidem Farm

4345 101st Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-4604  
brooklynpark.org/eidemfarm

## Maple Grove History Museum

9030 Forestview Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-5983  
maplegrovehistory.org

## Minnesota History Center

345 W Kellogg Blvd  
Saint Paul  
651-259-3000  
mnhs.org/historycenter

## Pierre Bottineau House at Elm Creek Park Reserve

12400 James Deane Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-494-7700  
threeriversparks.org/location/  
historic-pierre-bottineau-house

## MUSEUMS

### American Swedish Institute

2600 Park Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-871-4907  
asimn.org

### The Bakken Museum

3537 Zenith Ave S  
St. Louis Park  
612-926-3878  
thebakken.org

## Bell Museum

2088 Larpenteur Ave W  
Saint Paul  
612-626-9660  
bellmuseum.umn.edu

## Mill City Museum

704 S 2nd St  
Minneapolis  
612-341-7555  
mnhs.org/millcity

## Minneapolis Institute of Art

2400 3rd Ave S  
Minneapolis  
612-870-3000  
new.artsmia.org

## Minneapolis Sculpture Garden at Walker Art Center

725 Vineland Pl  
Minneapolis  
612-375-7600  
walkerart.org/visit/garden

## Minnesota Children's Museum

10 7th St W  
Saint Paul  
651-225-6000  
mcm.org

## Minnesota Museum of American Art

350 Robert St N  
Saint Paul  
651-797-2571  
mmaa.org

## Science Museum of Minnesota

120 W Kellogg Blvd  
Saint Paul  
651-221-9444  
simm.org

## Walker Art Center

725 Vineland Pl  
Minneapolis  
612-375-7600  
walkerart.org

## Weisman Art Museum

333 E River Pkwy  
Minneapolis  
612-625-9494  
wam.umn.edu

## SPORTS

### Allianz Field – Home of the Minnesota United FC

400 Snelling Ave N  
Saint Paul  
612-928-2400  
mnufc.com

### CHS Field – Home of the St. Paul Saints

360 N Broadway St  
Saint Paul  
651-644-3517  
chsfield.com | saintsbaseball.com

### Target Center – Home of the Minnesota Lynx and Minnesota Timberwolves

600 N 1st Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-673-0900  
targetcenter.com  
lynx.wnba.com  
nba.com/timberwolves

### Target Field – Home of the Minnesota Twins

1 Twins Way  
Minneapolis  
612-659-3400  
mlb.com/twins/ballpark  
mlb.com/twins

### TRIA Rink – Home of the Minnesota Whitecaps

400 Wabasha St N  
Saint Paul  
651-726-8742  
triarink.com  
whitecaps.nwhl.zone

### U.S. Bank Stadium – Home of the Minnesota Vikings

401 Chicago Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-777-8700  
usbankstadium.com  
vikings.com

### Xcel Energy Center – Home of the Minnesota Wild

199 W Kellogg Blvd  
Saint Paul  
651-265-4800  
xcelenergycenter.com  
nhl.com/wild

### University of Minnesota Sports

umn.edu  
gophersports.com

### 3M Arena at Mariucci

1901 4th St SE  
Minneapolis  
612-625-5804

### Ridder Arena

1815 4th St SE  
Minneapolis  
612-625-5804

### TCF Bank Stadium

420 SE 23rd Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-624-8080

### Williams Arena

1925 SE University Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-624-6487

## THEATERS

### Brave New Workshop

824 Hennepin Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-332-6620  
bravenewworkshop.com

### Chanhassen Dinner Theatres

501 W 78th St  
Chanhassen  
952-934-1525  
chanhassendt.com

### Children's Theatre Company

2400 3rd Ave S  
Minneapolis  
612-874-0400  
childrenstheatre.org

### Guthrie Theater

818 S 2nd St  
Minneapolis  
612-377-2224  
guthrietheater.org

### History Theatre

30 10th St E  
Saint Paul  
651-292-4323  
historytheatre.com

### Lyric Arts Main Street Stage

420 E Main St  
Anoka  
763-422-1838  
lyricarts.org

### Ordway Center for the Performing Arts

345 Washington St  
Saint Paul  
651-224-4222  
ordway.org

### Orpheum Theatre

910 Hennepin Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-339-7007  
hennepintheatretrust.org

### Pantages Theatre

710 Hennepin Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-339-7007  
hennepintheatretrust.org

### State Theatre

805 Hennepin Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-339-7007  
hennepintheatretrust.org

### Theater Latté Da

345 13th Ave NE  
Minneapolis  
612-339-3003  
latteda.org

### Theatre in the Round

245 Cedar Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-333-2919  
theatreintheround.org

### Yellow Tree Theatre

320 5th Ave SE  
Osseo  
763-493-8733  
yellowtreetheatre.com



Yellow Tree Theatre





Brick & Bourbon

## DINING & DRINKS

### AFRICAN

#### African Deli

6930 Brooklyn Blvd, #13  
Brooklyn Center  
763-561-0086

#### African International Market

7617 Welcome Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-560-1320

#### Angelea's Soul Food Kitchen

7800 Zane Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-432-5642  
angeleassoulfoodkitchen.com

#### Estella's Kitchen

6838 Humboldt Ave N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-503-4680

#### Jambo Africa

1601 Freeway Blvd, #1756  
Brooklyn Center  
763-208-1456  
jamboafricarestaurant.com

#### Mama Ti's African Kitchen

7632 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-566-1009  
mymamatis.com

#### Milah's Royal Bistro

7648 Humboldt Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-432-2100  
milahsroyalbistro.com

#### Taste of Africa

7405 Regent Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-432-6646  
tasteofafricabp.wixsite.com/toabp

#### Value Foods African Market

615 66th Ave N, #5  
Brooklyn Center  
763-432-7420  
valueafricanmarket.com

#### Value Foods African Market

6820 Humboldt Ave N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-1482  
valueafricanmarket.com

#### Value Foods African Market

7609 Welcome Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-561-8888  
valueafricanmarket.com

### AMERICAN

#### 3 Squares Restaurant

12690 Arbor Lakes Pkwy N  
Maple Grove  
763-425-3330  
3squaresrestaurant.com

#### 50's Grill

5524 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-4947  
50sgrill.com

#### 6300 Steakhouse at Embassy Suites by Hilton Minneapolis North

6300 Earle Brown Dr  
Brooklyn Center  
763-367-3786  
embassysuites3.hilton.com

#### Baker's Square

8000 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-424-1464  
bakerssquare.com

#### Brick & Bourbon

7887 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-208-9477  
brickandbourbon.com

#### The Brooklyn at Edinburgh USA

8700 Edinbrook Crossing  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-8535  
brooklynedinburgh.com

#### Cam's Bar & Eatery

8517 63rd Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-533-4159  
camsbar.com

#### CRAVE American Kitchen & Sushi Bar

12734 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-316-6868  
craveamerica.com

#### Dave & Buster's

11780 Fountains Way N  
Maple Grove  
763-493-9815  
daveandbusters.com

#### Dehn's Country Manor

11281 Fernbrook Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-420-6460  
dehnscountrymanor.com

#### Famous Dave's

7825 Vinewood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-416-4600  
famousdaves.com

#### Fat Nat's Eggs

8587 Edinburgh Centre Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-425-0117  
fatnatseggs.com

#### Granite City Food & Brewery

11909 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-416-0010  
gcfb.com

#### Guy Fieri's Flavortown Kitchen

12650 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
orders.guysflavortownkitchen.com

#### Highlander Restaurant at Rush Creek Golf Club

7801 County Rd 101  
Maple Grove  
763-494-0400  
rushcreek.com/highlander

#### Hy-Vee Market Grille

9409 Zane Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-488-4500  
marketgrille.hy-vee.com

#### JC's Bar & Grill

13540 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-420-2107  
jcbarandgrill.com

#### Jammin Wings

2590 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-208-8368  
jamminwings.com

#### The Lookout Bar & Grill

8672 Pineview Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-424-4365  
lookoutbarandgrill.com

#### Lynde's Restaurant & Catering

209 County Rd 81  
Osseo  
763-424-3696  
lyndescatering.com

#### Mad Jacks Sports Café

8078 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-432-6263  
madjacksportscafe.com

#### Malone's Bar & Grill

12635 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-447-6500  
malonesbarandgrill.net

#### Mama G's

9705 County Rd 101  
Maple Grove  
763-420-2588  
mamags.com

#### Maple Tavern

9375 Deerwood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-425-2700  
mapletavern.com

#### Muddy Cow

9690 Colorado Ln N  
Brooklyn Park  
muddycowbar.com

#### Original Pancake House

6322 Vinewood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-383-0888  
ophmg.com

#### Palazzo Ristorante & Sala Lounge at Holiday Inn & Suites

11801 Fountains Way N  
Maple Grove  
763-425-3800  
venetianwaterpark.com

#### Pittsburgh Blue Steakhouse

11900 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-416-2663  
pittsburghbluesteak.com

#### Portillo's Hot Dogs

12251 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-316-0860  
portillos.com

#### Psycho Suzi's Motor Lounge

1900 Marshall St NE  
Minneapolis  
612-788-9069  
psychosuzis.com

#### Redstone American Grill

12109 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-420-0232  
redstonegrill.com



Lotus Maple Grove



## Rock Elm at The Grove

15641 Grove Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-205-9784  
rockelmtavern.com

## Slim's

6901 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-512-2000  
eatslims.com

## Topgolf

6420 N Camden Ave  
Brooklyn Center  
763-201-9636  
topgolf.com

## Wadsworth Restaurant at Minneapolis Marriott Northwest

7025 Northland Dr N  
Brooklyn Park  
877-303-1681  
marriott.com

## Wagner's Drive-In

7000 W Broadway Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
763-533-8262  
wagnersdrivein.com

## Wahlburgers

11852 Elm Creek Blvd  
Maple Grove  
wahlburgers.com

## WhirlyBall Twin Cities

13644 80th Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-657-1555  
whirlyballtwincities.com

## ASIAN

### Benihana

11840 Fountains Way  
Maple Grove  
763-315-0090  
benihana.com

### Bonchon

11708 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
bonchon.com

### Buasavanh

7324 Lakeland Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-1966

### China Bowl Chow Mein

9546 Noble Pkwy N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-5311  
chinabowlbrooklynpark.com

### China Hope

1428 85th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-585-1000  
chinahopetogo.com

### China Star

6276 Boone Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-535-5447  
happychinastar.wixsite.com/8888

### Hip Sing BBQ & Deli

6201 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-537-4430  
hipsingbbq.com

## Hong Kong Chinese Restaurant

13631 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-420-9888  
hongkongmaplegrove.com

## Hong Thai

11628 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-703-3410  
hongthairestaurant.com

## House of Hui's

6822 Humboldt Ave N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-0240  
houseofhui.com

## Ichiddo Ramen

11716 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-391-8088  
ichiddo.com

## Kim Anh Pastry & Deli

8586 Edinburgh Centre Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-425-8888  
kimanhrestaurant.com

## Kyoto Sushi

13751 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-488-1588  
kyotomn.com

## Lemon Grass Thai Cuisine

8600 Edinburgh Centre Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-494-8809  
lemongrassmn.com

## Lotus Maple Grove

13704 83rd Way N  
Maple Grove  
763-762-8932  
lotusmaplegrove.com

## Mi-Sant Banh Mi Co.

8540 Edinburgh Centre Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-355-5947  
mi-sant.com

## MT Noodles

8459 W Broadway Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-3055  
mtnoodles.com

## New King Buffet

5927 John Martin Dr  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-8300

## Ocean Buffet

5800 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-3999  
oceanbuffetmn.com

## P.F. Chang's China Bistro

12071 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-493-9377  
pfchangs.com

## Panda Garden Buffet

8089 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-391-8061  
pandagardenbuffetmn.com

## Phuong Trang

8072 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-425-0009

## Que Viet Village House III

6100 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-0215

## Rolls & Bowls Asian Cook House

9656 Colorado Ln N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-762-8931  
rollsnbowls-mpls.com

## Rose Garden Asian Bistro

6090 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-7000  
rosegardenmn.com

## Sawatdee & Zushiya

7885 Main St N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-5708  
sawatdee.com

## Shanghai Chan Chinese

9640 Colorado Ln  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-8866  
shanghaichanmn.com

## Sweet Basil

9310 Zane Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-391-7362  
sweetbasilcuisine.com

## Ten Sushi at The Fountains

11631 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-777-5090  
tensushimn.com

## Thai Express

11660 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-657-0772  
thaipressfood.com

## Thanh Vi Restaurant

3023 85th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-424-9259  
thanhvibrooklynpark.com

## Vietnam House Restaurant

7962 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-425-9991  
vnhouserestaurant.net

## Xin Xin Restaurant

6930 Brooklyn Blvd, #10  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-2233

## Yu Fong

6330 Vinewood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-559-7334  
doyufong.com

## BRAZILIAN

### Grill Hall Churrascaria

9695 63rd Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-999-5918  
grillhallusa.com

### Rodizio Grill

12197 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-657-1133  
rodiziogrill.com

## BREWERIES & WINERIES

### 10K Brewing

2005 2nd Ave  
Anoka  
763-392-4753  
10kbrew.com

### 612Brew

945 Broadway St NE  
Minneapolis  
612-930-4606  
612brew.com

### Able Seedhouse + Brewery

1121 Quincy St NE  
Minneapolis  
612-405-4642  
ablebeer.com



Jambo Africa

## Bauhaus Brew Labs

1315 Tyler St NE  
Minneapolis  
612-276-6911  
bauhausbrewlabs.com

## Blue Wolf Brewing Company

8515 Edinburgh Centre Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-390-6700  
bluewolfbrew.com

## Buffalo Rock Winery

4527 23rd St SE  
Buffalo  
763-682-9463  
buffalorockwinery.com

## Dangerous Man Brewing Company

1300 NE 2nd St  
Minneapolis  
612-236-4087  
dangerousmanbrewing.com

## Elm Creek Brewing Co.

11469 Marketplace Dr N  
Champlin  
763-208-3623

## Forgotten Star Brewing Co.

38 Northern Stacks Dr  
Fridley  
763-657-7231  
forgottenstarbrewing.com

## Fulton Brewing Taproom

414 N 6th Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-333-3208  
fultonbeer.com/tap-room



Rolls & Bowls Asian Cook House



## Granite City Food & Brewery

11909 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-416-0010  
gcfb.com

## Indeed Brewing Company & Taproom

711 NE 15th Ave  
Minneapolis  
612-843-5090  
indeedbrewing.com

## Invictus Brewing Company

2025 105th Ave NE  
Blaine  
763-208-3063  
invictusbrewingco.com

## OMNI Brewing Co.

9462 Deerwood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-424-6664  
omnibrewing.com

## Pryes Brewing Company

1401 W River Rd N  
Minneapolis  
612-787-7937  
pryesbrewing.com

## Schram Vineyards Winery & Brewery

8785 Airport Rd  
Waconia  
schramvineyards.com

## Skaalvenn Distillery & Cocktail Lounge

8601 73rd Ave N, Suite 14  
Brooklyn Park  
651-592-9195  
skaalvenn.com



OMNI Brewing Co.

## Sociable Cider Werks

1500 Fillmore St NE  
Minneapolis  
612-758-0105  
sociablecider.com

## Surly Brewing Company

520 Malcolm Ave SE  
Minneapolis  
763-999-4040  
surlybrewing.com

## Two Rivers Vineyard & Winery

6111 US-10 #200  
Ramsey  
763-439-4748  
tworiversvineyardandwinery.com

## Wicked Wort Brewing Company

4165 W Broadway Ave  
Robbinsdale  
763-504-9977  
wickedwortbrewingco.com

## CAFÉ/DELI

### Café Zupas

11669 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
612-252-5229  
cafezupas.com

### Cajun Deli

8038 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-391-0900

### Crisp & Green

11704 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-445-9690  
crispandgreen.com

### Daily Dose Café & Espresso

– Brooklyn Park  
9578 Noble Pkwy  
Brooklyn Park  
763-762-8104  
dailydosemn.com

### Daily Dose Café & Espresso

– Maple Grove  
15517 Grove Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-657-0919  
dailydosemn.com

### Grabbagreen

7744 Main St  
Maple Grove  
612-361-3355  
grabbagreen.com

## Great Harvest Bread Company

13714 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-416-1911  
maplegrovebread.com

## Jamba Juice

11632 Fountains Dr, #403  
Maple Grove  
763-703-3731  
jamba.com

## Panera Bread – Brooklyn Center

6064 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-561-1000  
panerabread.com

## Panera Bread – Brooklyn Park

5651 96th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
panerabread.com

## Panera Bread – Maple Grove

7778 Main St N  
Maple Grove  
763-416-0436  
panerabread.com

## COFFEE & DESSERT

### Brass Bell Bakery

13603 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-400-7346  
brassbellbakery.com

### Café Donuts

11175 Commerce Dr N  
Champlin  
763-571-4616

### Crumb Cookies

11623 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-777-7527  
crumbcookies.com/maplegrove

### Daily Dose Café & Espresso

– Brooklyn Park  
9578 Noble Pkwy  
Brooklyn Park  
763-762-8104  
dailydosemn.com

### Daily Dose Café & Espresso

– Maple Grove  
15517 Grove Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-657-0919  
dailydosemn.com

## GoCha Teahouse

8462 Xerxes Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-432-9445  
facebook.com/GoChaTeaHouse

## Hans' Bakery

1423 5th Ave  
Anoka  
763-421-4200  
hans-bakery.com

## The Mad Hatter Restaurant & Tea House

1632 S Ferry St  
Anoka  
763-422-4160  
madhatteranoka.com

## Mango Mango

11630 Fountains Dr, #7195  
Maple Grove  
763-373-8001  
mangmangdessert.com

## Nadia Cakes

11650 Fountains Dr, #207  
Maple Grove  
763-575-8885  
nadiacakes.com

## Nothing Bundt Cakes

8085 Wedgewood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-350-3877  
nothingbundtcakes.com

## Painted Turtle Chocolatier

229 Central Ave  
Osseo  
763-424-9475  
paintedturtlechocolatier.com

## Tii Cup

7958 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
612-516-8859  
tii-cup.com

## Two Scoops

1918 2nd Ave  
Anoka  
763-323-0622  
twoscoopsmn.com

## INDIAN

### Pizza Karma

11611 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-432-7561  
pizzakarma.com

## Tandoor Indian Cuisine

15607 Grove Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-898-3805  
grovetandoor.com

## ITALIAN

### Biaggi's Ristorante Italiano

12051 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-416-2225  
biaggis.com

### Buca di Beppo

12650 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-3466  
bucadibepo.com

### Olive Garden

12520 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-420-9699  
olivegarden.com

### Palazzo Ristorante & Sala Lounge at Holiday Inn & Suites

11801 Fountains Way N  
Maple Grove  
763-425-3800  
venetianwaterpark.com

### Portillo's Hot Dogs

12251 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-316-0860  
portillos.com

### Sweet Taste of Italy

9576 Noble Pkwy N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-4733  
sweettasteofitaly.com

## JAMAICAN

### Irie Vybz Jamaican Restaurant

6056 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-496-1861  
irievzbzjamaican.com

## MEDITERRANEAN

### The Great Greek Mediterranean Grill

7860 Main St  
Maple Grove  
218-341-0653  
thegreatgreekgrill.com

## Naf Naf Grill

12725 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-270-5609  
nafnafgrill.com

## Olympia Café

247 Central Ave  
Osseo  
763-424-3935  
olympiacafeandgyros.com

## MEXICAN

### El Hornito Mexican Grill and Bakery

7978 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-0021

### El Rodeo Mexican Restaurant

13572 80th Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-493-4443  
elrodeorestantmn.com

### Riviera Maya Cantina & Restaurant

7904 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-355-5340  
rivieramayamn.com

### Rusty Taco

6346 Vinewood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-355-5064  
rustytaco.com

### Serrano's Cocina at Radisson Hotel Brooklyn Center

2200 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-445-1013  
radissonhotels.com

### Tacos El Paraiso

8582 Edinburgh Centre Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-276-9379

### Teresa's Mexican Restaurant

16314 County Rd 30  
Maple Grove  
763-777-8431  
teresasmn.com

## PIZZA

### Angeno's Pizza & Pasta – Brooklyn Park

3060 Brookdale Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-560-0481  
angenospizza.com



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**Angeno's Pizza & Pasta – Maple Grove**  
13588 80th Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-420-8200  
angenospizza.com

**Broadway Bar & Pizza – Brooklyn Park**  
8525 Edinburgh Centre Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-488-8484  
broadwaypizza.com

**Broadway Bar & Pizza – Maple Grove**  
7951 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-416-4446  
broadwaypizza.com

**Chanticlear Pizza**  
16415 County Rd 30  
Maple Grove  
763-494-9949  
chanticlearpizzagrill.com

**Davanni's Pizza & Hot Hoagies**  
5937 Summit Drive  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-8220  
davannis.com

**Frankie's Pizza**  
13724 83rd Way N  
Maple Grove  
763-420-9220  
frankiespizza.com

**Jet's Pizza**  
16338 County Rd 30  
Maple Grove  
763-416-7835  
jetspizza.com

**Johnny Boy's Pizza**  
8419 W Broadway Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
763-951-2851  
johnnybpizza.com

**Pizza Karma**  
11611 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-432-7561  
pizzakarma.com

**Pizza Man**  
9703 63rd Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-533-6760  
pizzamanmg.com



Ten Sushi at The Fountains

**Punch Pizza**  
12107 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-3131  
punchpizza.com

**Rocky Rococo Pizza & Pasta**  
7540 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-560-5451  
rockyroccoco.com

**Rosati's Pizza**  
15511 Grove Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-270-5667  
rosatispizza.com

**Scoreboard Pizza**  
6816 Humboldt Ave N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-4455  
scoreboardpizzabc.com

**Solos Pizza Café**  
13356 Bass Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-551-9999  
solospizza.com

## SEAFOOD & SUSHI

**Cajun Deli**  
8038 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-391-0900

**Captain Crab**  
1360 Shingle Creek Crossing #202  
Brooklyn Center  
captaincrab.us

**Crazy Cajun**  
8578 Edinburgh Centre Dr  
Brooklyn Park  
763-568-7085  
crazycajunmn.com

**Hook Fish & Chicken**  
5711 Xerxes Ave N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-561-2121

**JJ Fish & Chicken**  
7615 W Broadway Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
763-425-0011  
jjfishandchickenbrooklynpark.com

**Kyoto Sushi**  
13751 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-488-1588  
kyotomn.com

**Ocean Buffet**  
5800 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-3999  
oceanbuffetmn.com

**Red Lobster**  
12515 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-4646  
redlobster.com

**Ten Sushi**  
16362 County Rd 30  
Maple Grove  
763-710-5522  
tensushimn.com

**Ten Sushi at The Fountains**  
11631 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-777-5090  
tensushimn.com

**Tokyo Sushi**  
9750 Schreiber Terrace  
Brooklyn Park  
763-703-4933  
tokyosushimn.com

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The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes

## SHOPPING & SPAS

### SHOPPING AREAS

**Albertville Premium Outlets**  
6415 Labeaux Ave NE  
Albertville  
premiumoutlets.com/outlet/  
albertville

**The Fountains at Arbor Lakes**  
11200 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-488-1511  
arborlakes.net

**Main Street Arbor Lakes**  
12459 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
arborlakes.net

**Mall of America**  
60 E Broadway  
Bloomington  
952-883-8800  
mallofamerica.com

**The Shoppes at Arbor Lakes**  
12459 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-432-7561  
shoppesatarborlakes.com

### SPAS & SALONS

**18 | 8 Fine Men's Salon**  
12063 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-400-9124  
eighteneight.com

**Belladerm MedSpa**  
7940 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-494-9905  
belladermmedsa.com

**BT Nails & Spa**  
1480 Shingle Creek Crossing, #104  
Brooklyn Center  
763-325-8899  
btailsnspabrooklyncenter.com

**Etica Salon**  
11202 86th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-5074  
eticasalon.com

**Face Foundrie**  
12163 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
855-959-3223  
facefoundrie.com

**GetNailed Salon**  
615 66th Ave N, #4  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-4624  
getnailedmn.com

**Hand & Stone Massage and Facial**  
11647 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
612-567-4426  
handandstone.com

**Kalla Lily Salon and Spa**  
9851 Maple Grove Pkwy N  
Maple Grove  
763-416-1700  
kallalily.com

**Massage Retreat and Spa**  
7876 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-557-7272  
massageretreat.com

**Reflect Salon**  
11620 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-559-3185  
reflect.salon



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## Salon Sartor

7270 Forestview Ln N #125  
Maple Grove  
763-315-3125  
salonsartor.com

## Simonson's Salon & Spa

13950 Grove Dr #300  
Maple Grove  
763-494-4863  
simonsons.com

## Spavia Maple Grove

11732 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-923-7000  
spaviadayspa.com

## Ta's Salon

7860 Vinewood Ln N, Ste 18  
Maple Grove  
763-503-4792  
tassalon.com

## Taj Salon & Spa

9744 Schreiber Terrace  
Brooklyn Park  
763-416-7775  
tajsalonspa.com

## Tranquility Spa Salon

8501 Jefferson Ln N, #1  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-3767  
tranquilityspasalon.net

## Uptown Curl

7884 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-208-5515  
uptowncurl.com

## Willow Salon

13555 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-494-0399  
thewillowsalon.com

## The Woodhouse Day Spa

12425 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-237-3772  
woodhousespas.com

## SPECIALITY STORES

### Amazing Threads

11262 86th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-391-7700  
amazing-threads.com

## Apricot Lane

12177 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-315-9300  
apricotlaneboutique.com

## Celtic Croft

8451 Xerxes Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-569-4373  
kilts-n-stuff.com

## Down in the Valley

13633 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-420-7451  
downinthevalley.com

## Flaunt Accessories

12265 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
612-703-5515  
flauntaccessories.com

## Fox Run

12241 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
foxrunmn.com

## GoodThings

12139 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-9255  
shopgoodthings.com

## Grey Duck Games & Toys

12449 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-205-6686  
facebook.com/greyducktoys

## J. Jill

12233 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-424-7522  
jjill.com

## Leela & Lavender

12185 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-205-1661  
leelaandlavender.com

## Love That Olive

13551 Grove Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-657-0857  
lovethatolive.com

## Olfactory Scent Studio

12113 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-600-6052  
olfactoryscentstudio.com

## Nordstrom Rack

12745 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-898-5300  
nordstromrack.com

## The Woods Gifts

15825 95th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-416-9663  
thewoodsgifts.com

## SPORTING GOODS

### Cabela's

20200 Rogers Dr  
Rogers  
763-493-8600  
cabelas.com

### Cycle Gear

12237 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
651-615-1590  
cyclegear.com

### DICK'S Sporting Goods

11361 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-315-5377  
dickssportinggoods.com

### REI

11581 Fountains Dr  
Maple Grove  
763-493-7861  
rei.com

### Twin Cities Running Co.

12862 Bass Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-746-0378  
tcrunningco.com



The Woods Gifts

# DIRECTORY



Elm Creek Park Reserve

## PARKS & RECREATION

### GOLF

#### Brookland Golf Park

8232 Regent Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-488-6497  
brooklandgolfpark.org

#### Centerbrook Golf Course

5500 Lilac Dr N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-549-3750  
centerbrookgolf.com

#### Central Park Disc Golf

8440 Regent Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

#### Eagle Lake Youth Golf Center at Eagle Lake Regional Park

11000 Bass Lake Rd  
Plymouth  
763-694-7695  
threeiversparks.org

#### Edinburgh USA Golf Course

8700 Edinbrook Crossing  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-8550  
edinburghusa.com

#### Disc Golf at Elm Creek Park Reserve

12420 James Deane Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-694-2043  
threeiversparks.org

#### Rush Creek Golf Club

7801 County Rd 101  
Maple Grove  
763-494-0400  
rushcreek.com

#### Sundance Entertainment Center

15240 113th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-420-4800  
sundanceentertainment.com

#### Topgolf

6420 N Camden Ave  
Brooklyn Center  
763-201-9636  
topgolf.com

### NATURE CENTERS

#### Brooklyn Park Environmental Nature Area

10201 W River Rd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

#### Carl W. Kroening Interpretive Center

4900 N Mississippi Dr  
Minneapolis  
612-370-4844  
minneapolisparks.org

#### Mississippi Gateway Regional Park Nature Area

10360 W River Rd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-694-7790  
threeiversparks.org

#### East Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park Visitor's Center

9750 Egret Blvd NW  
Coon Rapids  
763-324-3320  
threeiverspark.org

#### Eastman Nature Center

13351 Elm Creek Rd  
Dayton  
763-694-7700  
threeiversparks.org

### PARKS

#### Boom Island

724 Sibley St NE  
Minneapolis  
612-230-6400  
minneapolisparks.org

#### Brookdale Park & Dog Park

7650 June Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

#### Centennial Park

6301 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-569-3310  
cityofbrooklyncenter.org

#### Central Park – Brooklyn Park

8440 Regent Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org



## Central Park – Maple Grove

12000 Central Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6474  
maplegrovern.gov

## Eagle Lake Regional Park

11000 Bass Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7695  
threeiversparks.org

## Elm Creek Park Reserve

12400 James Deane Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7894  
threeiversparks.org

## Fish Lake Regional Park

14900 Bass Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7818  
threeiversparks.org

## Hartkopf Park

7300 Florida Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

## Lakeview Knolls Park

9450 Juneau Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6504  
maplegrovern.gov

## Minneapolis Chain of Lakes Regional Park

Shorelines of Brownie Lake, Cedar Lake, Lake of the Isles, Bde Maka Ska and Lake Harriet  
Minneapolis  
612-230-6400  
minneapolisparks.org

## Minnehaha Falls Regional Park

4801 S Minnehaha Dr  
Minneapolis  
612-230-6400  
minneapolisparks.org

## Minnesota Landscape Arboretum

3675 Arboretum Dr  
Chaska  
952-443-1400  
arboretum.umn.edu

## Mississippi Gateway Regional Park

10360 W River Rd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-694-7790  
threeiversparks.org

## Noble Sports Park

4600 95th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

## North Mississippi Regional Park

5116 N Mississippi Dr  
Minneapolis  
612-370-4844  
minneapolisparks.org

## Northwoods Park

7600 107th Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

## Palmer Lake Park

2800 69th Ave N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-569-3400  
cityofbrooklyncenter.org

## River Park

253 83rd Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

## Theodore Wirth Regional Park

1301 Theodore Wirth Pkwy  
Golden Valley  
612-230-6528  
minneapolisparks.org

## Town Green Park

7991 Main St  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6527  
maplegrovern.gov

## Weaver Lake Community Park

8401 Dunkirk Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovern.gov

## Zane Sports Park

8717 Zane Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

## RECREATION

### Brooklyn Park Sports Dome at Park Center Senior High School

7300 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-569-7654  
www.brooklynpark.org/  
parkprojects/dome

### Coon Rapids Dam Boat Launch at Coon Rapids Dam Regional Park

9750 Egret Blvd NW  
Coon Rapids  
763-342-3320  
anokacounty.us

### Eagle Lake Boat Ramp at Eagle Lake Regional Park

11000 Bass Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7695  
threeiversparks.org

### Elm Creek Park Reserve & Chalet

12400 James Deane Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7894  
threeiversparks.org/page/featured-venues



### Elm Creek Swimming Pond

12420 James Deane Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7894  
threeiversparks.org/location/  
elm-creek-swimming-pond

### Fernbrook Athletic Fields

14401 99th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovern.gov/parks-and-recreation

### Mississippi River Paddle Share

Multiple locations along the Mississippi River  
844-694-6489  
paddleshare.org

### National Sports Center

1700 105th Ave NE  
Blaine  
763-785-5600  
nscsports.org

### River Park Boat Launch

101 83rd Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

## Sunfish Pond at Brooklyn Park Community Activity Center

5600 85th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

### Three Rivers Park District Equipment Rental

Multiple locations  
threeiversparks.org/page/  
equipment-rental

### Todd Anderson Adaptive Field in Northwoods Park

7600 107th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
612-775-2306  
brooklynpark.org/park-amenities

### Weaver Lake Boat Launch at Weaver Lake Community Park

8401 Dunkirk Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovern.gov

## WINTER ACTIVITIES

### Brooklyn Park Ice Arena

Hockey, figure skating, ice skating  
5600 85th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

### Central Park Ice Loop

Figure skating, ice skating  
12000 Central Park Way  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6474  
maplegrovern.gov/parks-and-recreation/central-park-maple-grove

### Eagle Lake Regional Park

Cross-country skiing, skijoring, snowshoeing  
11000 Bass Lake Rd  
Plymouth  
763-694-7695  
threeiversparks.org

### Elm Creek Park Reserve Winter Recreation Area & Chalet

Cross-country skiing, downhill skiing, fat tire biking, skijoring, sledding, snow mobile, snowboarding, tubing  
12400 James Deane Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7894  
threeiverspark.org

## Fish Lake Regional Park

Ice fishing, skijoring, snowshoeing  
14900 Bass Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7818  
threeiversparks.org

## Hartkopf Park

Hockey, ice skating  
7300 Florida Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

## Kylawn Park Ice Rink

Hockey, figure skating, ice skating  
6015 Kyle Ave N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-569-3400  
cityofbrooklyncenter.org

## Maple Grove Community Center Ice Arena

Hockey, figure skating, ice skating  
12951 Weaver Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6465  
maplegrovern.gov/community-center/ice-arena

## Mississippi Gateway Regional Park

Snowshoeing  
10360 W River Rd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-694-7790  
threeiversparks.org

## Osseo Ice Arena

Hockey, figure skating, ice skating  
10390 Country Rd 81  
Osseo  
763-425-7306  
discoverosseo.com

## Theodore Wirth Winter Recreation Center & Wirth Chalet

Cross-country skiing, skijoring, sledding, tubing  
1301 Theodore Wirth Pkwy  
Golden Valley  
612-370-3926  
minneapolisparks.org

## Weaver Lake Community Park

Hockey, ice skating  
8401 Dunkirk Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovern.gov







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## MEETINGS & EVENTS

### HOTELS WITH MEETING SPACE

#### Cambria Hotel Minneapolis Maple Grove

9655 Grove Cir N  
Maple Grove  
952-225-2685  
choicehotels.com

#### Courtyard by Marriott Arbor Lakes – Maple Grove

11871 Fountains Way  
Maple Grove  
763-425-5355  
marriot.com

#### Embassy Suites by Hilton Minneapolis North

6300 Earle Brown Dr  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-2700  
embassysuites3.hilton.com

#### Hilton Garden Inn Minneapolis/ Maple Grove

6350 Vinewood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-509-9500  
hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com

#### Holiday Inn & Suites Maple Grove

11801 Fountains Way N  
Maple Grove  
763-425-3800  
ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels

#### Minneapolis Marriott Northwest

7025 Northland Ave N  
Brooklyn park  
763-536-8300  
marriott.com

#### Radisson Hotel Brooklyn Center

2200 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-8000  
radissonhotels.com

### SPORTS

#### Brookland Golf Park

8232 Regent Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-488-6497  
brooklandgolfpark.org

#### Brooklyn Park Ice Arena

5600 85th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org/recreation-and-parks/ice-arenas

#### Centerbrook Golf Course

5500 Lilac Dr N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-549-3750  
centerbrookgolf.com

#### Edinburgh USA Golf Course

8700 Edinbrook Crossing  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-8550  
edinburghusa.com

#### Elm Creek Park Reserve

12400 James Deane Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7894  
threeiversparks.org

#### Fernbrook Athletic Fields

14401 99th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovemn.gov/parks-and-recreation

#### Fish Lake Regional Park

14900 Bass Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7817  
threeiversparks.org

#### Gleason Fields

18815 67th Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovemn.gov/parks-and-recreation

#### Maple Grove Community Center Ice Arena

12951 Weaver Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6465  
maplegrovemn.gov/community-center/ice-arena

#### Mississippi Gateway Regional Park

10360 W River Rd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-694-7790  
threeiversparks.org

#### National Sports Center

1700 105th Ave NE  
Blaine  
763-785-5600  
nscsports.org

#### Noble Sports Park

4701 97th Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org/recreation-and-parks

#### Ralia Sports Center

8686 Valley Forge Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-391-6660  
brooklynpark.org/recreation-and-parks

#### Rush Creek Golf Club

7801 County Rd 101  
Maple Grove  
763-494-0400  
rushcreek.com

#### Todd Anderson Adaptive Fields

7600 107th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
612-775-2306  
brooklynpark.org/recreation-and-parks

#### Topgolf

6420 N Camden Ave  
Brooklyn Center  
763-201-9636  
topgolf.com

#### Zane Sports Park

8717 Zane Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org/recreation-and-parks

### VENUES

#### Bowlero Brooklyn Park

7545 Brooklyn Blvd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-503-2695  
bowlero.com

#### Brooklyn Center Community Center

6301 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-569-3400  
cityofbrooklyncenter.org

#### Brooklyn Park Community Activity Center

5600 85th Ave N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-493-8333  
brooklynpark.org

#### Centennial Park

6301 Shingle Creek Pkwy  
Brooklyn Center  
763-569-3310  
cityofbrooklyncenter.org

#### Central Park – Maple Grove

12000 Central Park Way  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6474  
maplegrove.mn.gov

#### Dave & Buster's

11780 Fountains Way  
Maple Grove  
763-493-9815  
daveandbusters.com

#### Earle Brown Heritage Center

6155 Earle Brown Dr  
Brooklyn Center  
763-569-6300  
earlebrown.com

#### Edinburgh USA Golf Course

8700 Edinbrook Crossing  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-8550  
edinburghusa.com

#### Elm Creek Park Reserve Chalet

12400 James Deane Pkwy  
Maple Grove  
763-694-7894  
threeiversparks.org

#### Leopold's Mississippi Gardens

9500 W River Rd  
Brooklyn Park  
763-315-3800  
leopoldsmn.com

#### Maple Grove Community Center

12951 Weaver Lake Rd  
Maple Grove  
763-494-6500  
maplegrovemn.gov

#### Rush Creek Golf Club

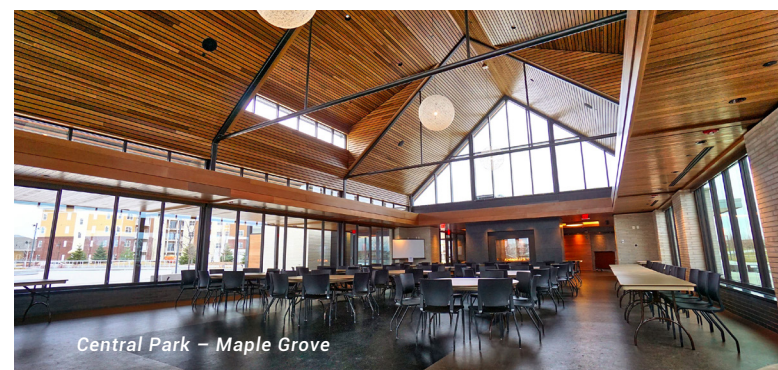
7801 County Rd 101  
Maple Grove  
763-494-0400  
rushcreek.com

#### Topgolf

6420 N Camden Ave  
Brooklyn Center  
763-201-9636  
topgolf.com

#### WhirlyBall Twin Cities

13644 80th Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-657-1555  
whirlyballtwincities.com



Central Park – Maple Grove





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## HOTELS

### BROOKLYN CENTER

**Best Western Plus**  
2050 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-7500  
bestwestern.com



**Country Inn & Suites by Radisson  
Brooklyn Center**  
2550 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-561-0900  
radissonhotels.com



**Embassy Suites by Hilton  
Minneapolis North**  
6300 Earle Brown Dr  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-2700  
embassysuites3.hilton.com



**Extended Stay America**  
2701 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-549-5571  
extendedstayamerica.com



**Fairfield Inn & Suites by  
Marriott Minneapolis North**  
6250 Earle Brown Dr  
Brooklyn Center  
763-561-8000  
marriott.com



**Motel 6**  
2741 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-9789  
motel6.com



**Quality Inn**  
1600 James Cir N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-560-7464  
choicehotels.com



**Travelodge Inn & Suites**  
6415 James Cir N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-561-8400  
wyndamhotels.com/travelodge



**Radisson Hotel Brooklyn Center**  
2200 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Center  
763-566-8000  
radissonhotels.com



**Super 8**  
6445 James Cir N  
Brooklyn Center  
763-447-4388  
wyndhamhotels.com



### BROOKLYN PARK

**Hampton Inn Brooklyn Park**  
9470 W Broadway Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
763-567-7900  
hamptoninn3.hilton.com



**Home2 Suites Brooklyn Park**  
9490 W Broadway Ave  
Brooklyn Park  
763-567-5810  
home2suites3.hilton.com



**La Quinta Inn & Suites  
Minneapolis Northwest**  
7011 Northland Cir  
Brooklyn Park  
763-971-8000  
wyndhamhotels.com



**Minneapolis Marriott Northwest**  
7025 Northland Dr N  
Brooklyn Park  
763-536-8300  
marriott.com



### MAPLE GROVE

**Asteria Inn & Suites**  
7285 Forestview Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-493-2277  
asteriamaplegrove.com



**Cambria Hotel Minneapolis  
Maple Grove**  
9655 Grove Cir N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-5556  
cambriasuitesmaplegrove.com



**Courtyard by Marriott Arbor  
Lakes – Maple Grove**  
11871 Fountains Way  
Maple Grove  
763-425-5355  
marriott.com



**Extended Stay America**  
12970 63rd Ave N  
Maple Grove  
763-694-9747  
extendedstayamerica.com



**Hampton Inn**  
7745 Elm Creek Blvd N  
Maple Grove  
763-494-4498  
hamptoninn3.hilton.com



**Hilton Garden Inn  
Minneapolis/Maple Grove**  
6350 Vinewood Ln N  
Maple Grove  
763-509-9500  
hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com



**Holiday Inn & Suites**  
11801 Fountains Way N  
Maple Grove  
763-425-3800  
ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels



**Residence Inn by  
Marriott Minneapolis  
Maple Grove/Arbor Lakes**  
11655 Arbor Lakes Pkwy N  
Maple Grove  
763-275-9630  
marriott.com



**SpringHill Suites by  
Marriott Minneapolis  
Maple Grove/Arbor Lakes**  
11675 Arbor Lakes Pkwy N  
Maple Grove  
763-275-9631  
marriott.com



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