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ICE CLIMBING

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Midwest Mountain Guides is an Outdoor Adventure Company that specializes in climbing and professional climbing instruction in Wisconsin and Minnesota.

They offer custom programs at many local climbing destinations around Wisconsin and Minnesota including: Devils Lake State Park, Interstate Park, Tettegouche State Park, Barn Bluff in Red Wing, MN, Sugar Loaf in Winona, MN, and Robinson Park in Sandstone, MN.

What separates them from other guide/adventure companies is the owner, Al, Wiberg, who is a Course Provider for the Professional Climbing Instructor Association (PCIA). This allows our company to stay at the forefront of safe climbing instruction and best practices in the climbing industry.

FAT TIRE BIKING

Cove Point has 2 Fat Tire Bikes available for guests. They can be reserved at the front desk. Spokengear in Two Harbors also does bike rentals. (218) 834-2117

DONALD D. FERGUSON DEMONSTRATION FOREST

8 miles of groomed multi use trail traversing 400 acres of wooded forest. Best for beginners and those looking to be immersed in the woods.

Take Highway 61 south for 23 miles, turn right on to County Highway 2 for 3 miles, turn left onto County Highway 12, turn right onto Moen Road, turn left onto Drummon Grade. No fee required for parking lot or trails.

SPLIT ROCK STATE PARK

8.7 miles of groomed multi-use trails that provide varied terrain from Lakeshore trails to Hillside overlooks. Good for the average adventurer and a great way to see one of the most popular parks on the North Shore.

Take Highway 61 south 5 miles and turn left onto Split Rock Lighthouse Road. State park passes are required for leaving cars in the parking lot.

FLATHORN-GEGOKA LAKE

5 miles of multi-use groomed trails are just long enough for a relaxing ride through tall pines. Take Highway 61 North for 9 miles, turn right onto Highway 1 for 30 miles, turn right onto Lake Gegoka Road.

NORPINE TRAIL SYSTEM

6 miles of groomed multi use trail bring you close to the Cascade River and through mixed forest.

Take Highway 61 North for 50 miles and access trail from the west side of Cascade River Trail System.

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WINTER ADVENTURE MAP

SNOWSHOEING / ICE CLIMBING
DOG SLEDDING / CROSS COUNTRY SKIING



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“ADOPT THE PACE OF NATURE; HER SECRET IS PATIENCE.” - RALPH WALDO EMERSON

“IF YOU DON’T DO IT THIS YEAR, YOU WILL BE ONE YEAR OLDER WHEN YOU DO.” - WARREN MILLER

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SNOW SHOEING

1. CPL PICNIC AREA

COVE POINT LODGE 4614 HIGHWAY 61 BEAVER BAY

If you are new to snowshoeing, practice right outside our front door! Head west out of our parking lot across the small bridge leading to the Fjord Cottages. Turn into the woods and follow the winding pathway up the gentle hillside. When you reach the last bridge leading over to the side yard of Crossings cross over the driveway onto the Gitche Gummee Bike Trail and use the SHT spur trail back to come back to the Lodge.

2. GOOSEBERRY FALLS

GOOSEBERRY FALLS STATE PARK 3206 MN-61 TWO HARBORS

There are two great options inside the park for snowshoeing, both are ungroomed trails with some hills and boardwalks. From the Visitor’s Center you will head out on the main trail towards highway 61. To follow the 1.5 mile Gitche Gummee trail loop cross over the bridge, go left, and experience incredible views of Gooseberry River Valley and Lake Superior. The other 2.5 mile loop option is to stay right at the bridge and follow the Gooseberry River up to Fifth Falls and back. Make sure to stay on the path and off the river ice as you enjoy historic CCC features and the natural sculptures of frozen waterfalls.

3. SPLIT ROCK STATE PARK

SPLIT ROCK STATE PARK 3755 SPLIT ROCK LIGHT HOUSE RD TWO HARBORS

A longer option exists along the 4.5 Split Rock River Loop. The starting point for this trail is located at the way side rest area parking lot. The ungroomed trail will give a spectacular view of Lake Superior at it’s eastern end. The 2 mile out and back hike to Day Hill is popular in all seasons. From the top of the hill there is a stunning view of Lake Superior and the mysterious stone fireplace to take pictures alongside.

4. TETTEGOUCHE STATE PARK

TETTEGOUCHE STATE PARK 5702 MN-61 SILVER BAY

For snowshoeing it is best to park in the lot on the northside of highway 61 and enter the trail system there. Heading up the west side of the Baptism River you can take the 2 mile out and back ungroomed to Cascade Falls for a beautiful winter escape.

5. SUGAR LOAF COVE SCIENTIFIC NATURE AREA

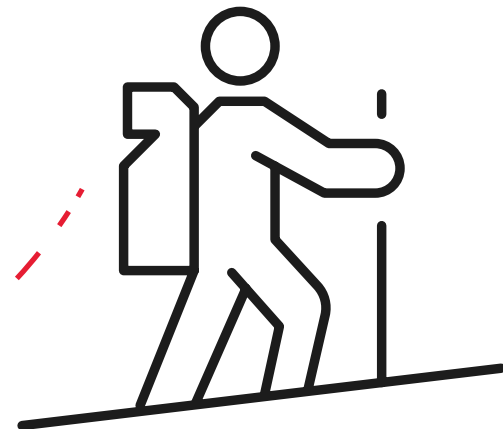
SUGAR LOAF COVE SCIENTIFIC NATURE AREA 9096 61 SCHRODER

From 1943 to 1971 Consolidated Paper Inc used this site to store pulp logs before transport. Since the end of their industrial use of the land it has been transformed into a healthy function eco-system with a gentle 1 mile loop of trail through replanted tower pines, along the bedrock of Lake Superior, and into marsh areas that provide great birding opportunities.

6. TEMPERANCE RIVER STATE PARK

TEMPERANCE RIVER STATE PARK 7620 61 SCHRODER

Carlton Peak is 3 miles of steep terrain but your rewarded with views of the scenic river gorge as you trapse through the forest to reach the top of this massive rock dome. The trail head is on the parking lot to the northeast side of the river.



CROSS COUNTRY SKIING

1. GOOSEBERRY FALLS

GOOSEBERRY FALLS STATE PARK 3206 MN-61 TWO HARBORS

Fees-MN Ski Pass and Park Permit are required; both sold at the Park Office. 20k of classic single track winds through the park ranging from easy to difficult. The 3.3k easy trail takes you through the campground and offers views of Lake Superior. Birch Loop is 7k of intermediate trail goes up the west side of the river. If you get chilled, head back to the main office where you can warm up in front of their ample fireplace.

2. SPLIT ROCK STATE PARK

SPLIT ROCK STATE PARK 3755 SPLIT ROCK LIGHT HOUSE RD TWO HARBORS

Fees-MN Ski Pass and Park Permit are required; both sold at the Park Office. Split Rock has a groomed multi use trail with classic ski tracks on one side and the other side rolled for skating, fat tire biking, and snowshoeing. There is something for everyone on this trail!

3. TETTEGOUCHE STATE PARK

TETTEGOUCHE STATE PARK 5702 MN-61 SILVER BAY

Fees-MN Ski Pass and Park Permit are required; both sold at the Park Office. These 25k of classic trails will take you through birch, aspen, and conifer forest. With many ups and downs, these trails are intermediate to advanced. Tettegouche also has 7k of skate skiing trail groomed. Grab a cup of hot coco or coffee to warm up in their main office.

4. NORTHWOODS SKI TRAIL

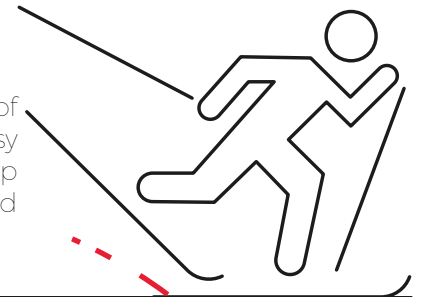
COUNTRY ROAD 5 SILVER BAY

Fees-MN Ski Pass. A single track for classic skiers stretches 19 km through the woods of Silver Bay. Head north from Cove Point Lodge on Highway 61 and turn on to Outer Drive/Country Road 5 at the Silver Bay stop light and go 3.2 miles to the parking lot.

5. SUOMI/FINLAND NORDIC SKI TRAILS

COUNTY ROAD 7 FINLAND

Fees-MN Ski Pass. This is a less visited trail and more difficult but worth the visit for the beauty of the Northwoods forest. 5.6k of single track for classic skiers. Head north on 61 from Cove Point Lodge, just past Tettegouche State Park take a left onto MN 1, at Finland take a right onto County Road 7 and after 1 mile park in the lot shared by snowmobilers.



HEALTH BENEFITS OF CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING
FULL-BODY WORKOUT / IMPROVE CARDIOVASCULAR ENDURANCE AND HEALTH / SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT / RELIEVE STRESS / IMPROVES ENDURANCE / CONNECT WITH NATURE / EXCELLENT FORM OF CROSS-TRAINING

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