

JANUARY 2019



from the Ashland Area Chamber of Commerce, 1716 West Lake Shore Drive, 800-284-9484, or 715-682-2500 All dates are subject to change. Please call ahead to confirm.

January 1-February 28:

- ♦ Bay City Cycles Winter Tune Up Specials! Basic Tune-Up: \$50. Deluxe Tune-Up: \$65. Super Tune-Up: \$70. 715-682-2091. January 1:
- ♦ Adult Pickleball League Kickoff at the Bretting Community Center Gym from 10am-12noon. Free! Help us get our new pickleball league off to a great start! 715-682-7059.
- January 5: Bad River Lodge and Casino presents, "Elvis Costume Dance & Singing Contest". Registration begins at 7pm and closes at 8:30pm sharp. No late entries!! Must be in Elvis attire! 1st place: \$1,500. 2nd place: \$1,000. 3rd place: \$750. www.badriver.com January 8:
- ♦ Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "Zoo Mobile" at 11-11:45am. www.nglvc.org. 715-685-9983.
- ♦ **Postpartum Classes with Jen Torborg** of Orthopedic & Spine Therapy every second Tuesday of every month! 4:30-5:15pm. 715-685-9656 or emailing jtorborg@ostpt.com.
- ♦ Chequamegon Food Co-op presents, "Beginner Knife Skills" from 5:30-7:30pm. Fee applies. Registration required. Cost is per person. Space is limited! Register at Customer Service or by calling 715-682-8251. Registration deadline: January 6. 715-682-8251.
- ♦ Harbor View Event Center presents, "History of Brownstone Quarrying.", 7pm. \$5 admission. 130 Harbor View Dr, 715-209-7279. January 9:
- ♦ Chequamegon Food Co-op presents, "Wellness Wednesday" all day. Free. No reservations necessary. 715-682-8251.
- ♦ **Women into Networking.** Meetings will be upstairs of the Sandbar Restaurant from 5-6:30pm. This will be a after business hours networking event with appetizers. No guest speakers anymore. Must RSVP by calling/texting 906-364-9100.
- ♦ Aqua Zumba Pool Party at the Bayfield Recreation Center from 6-7pm. With Lynda Warren. Fee applies. 715-779-5408 or visit www.recreationandfitnessresources.org/bayfield-rec-center.html.
- **January 10: Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "2019 Solar Group Buy Information Session"** from 7-8:30pm. Presented by Cheq Bay Renewables and Next Energy Solution. 715-685-9983 or visit www.nglvc.org.
- January 11-19: Penokee Mountain Poker Run! Stops in Mellen, Glidden, Clam Lake, and more! You can do it by snowmobile, ATV, vehicle, etc. Ends at Copper Ridge, 129 E Bennett Ave in Mellen. Winter bash is on the 19th at Copper Ridge. 715-292-0006.

January 12:

- ♦ **JET Travel & Tours invites you to join us for a "Travel Show"** from 9am-2pm at the AmericInn of Ashland to visit with us and some of our vendors to discuss any travel plans you may be thinking of. Sign up for one of our upcoming group tours, bombard us with travel questions to pick our brains on places we've been to. 715-682-9591.
- ♦ Bay City Sledding Days! Bohemian Hall, 319 11th Ave E, open as a warming house for sledding from 10am-2pm. 715-682-7059.
- ♦ Northwoods Harness Club presents the 33rd Annual Sleigh & Cutter Rally at the Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center, 29270 Co. Hwy. G., from 11am-3pm. Hook-up at 11am. 11am-12:30pm FREE Sleigh Rides sponsored by Northern State Bank. Parade is at 1pm. Concessions. Free admission. 715-685-9983.
- ♦ Encores! A FREE concert presented by Ashland Rotary Club and Ashland Music Boosters at 6pm, in the Ashland High School Auditorium, 1900 Beaser Ave. Free admission. Freewill offering. Concert proceeds will fund Ashland Rotary Education Leadership Grants and Ashland Music Booster Musical Instruments, Summer Music Camps, and Music Scholarships.
- ♦ 14th Annual Ashland Snowmobile Club Raffles, "Cashing In On The New Year" Drawing. At 7pm at the Neighborly Bar. Need not be present to win cash prizes. Two different raffles! Only 200 tickets sold. \$50 a ticket. 715-292-1115.www.ashlandsnowmobileclub.org
- ♦ Ashland Chamber Music Society presents "Zeitgest with Kevin Kling" at 7:30pm at the Presbyterian-Congregational Church. www.ashlandchambermusic.org.
- **January 13: Chequamegon Food Co-op presents, "Making Vinegar 101"** from 1-3pm. Fee applies. Register at Customer Service or call 715-682-8251. Registration deadline is January 11. 715-682-8251.
- **January 14: Ticket sale for the Father-Daughter Dinner Dance**, which takes place February 22 or 23, at the Lake Superior Elementary School at 5pm. Tickets are \$25. 715-682-7085.

January 17:

- ♦ **3rd Thursday!** You know, Thirsty Thursday, Thankful Thursday, Throwback Thursday, and now 3rd THURSDAY!! Downtown Retail Business will be open until 8pm on the 3rd THURSDAY of every month, with specials. 715-682-2500. www.visitashland.com.
- ♦ **Wellness Talks with Jen Torborg** of Orthopedic & Spine Therapy at the Bayfield Rec Center from 9-10am. Improving balance throughout your lifetime. 300 Manypenny Ave. 715-913-0400 or email jtorborg@ostpt.com.
- ♦ Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "Wisconsin Wolves presented by Adrian Wydeven" from 7-8:30pm. Doors open at 6:30pm. Program sponsored by the Friends of the North Pikes Creek Wetlands. 715-685-9983 or visit www.nglvc.org.

 January 18:
- ♦ Showcase for Recovery Benefit & Fundraiser for NorthLakes Community Clinic's Resource Coordinator Program at the Sandbar. From 5:30-8pm! Food and drinks provided (Goodwill donations of any amount will happily be accepted), door prizes, live music by various artists, raffle and silent auctions (featuring local artists and businesses! Check NorthLakes Community Clinic's Facebook page in January for weekly highlights on raffle and auction items. 715-685-2200.

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January 18-20: "Mary Poppins" performance at the Ashland High School, 1900 Beaser Ave, Ashland. January 18 at 7pm. January 19 at 2pm and 7pm. January 20 at 2pm. 715-682-7089.

January 19:

- ♦ Glidden Ice Fishing Contest, at Clam Lake, Elk Country ATV Club. 715-794-2298.
- ♦ **Wisconsin High School Ice Fishing Tournament** presented by the Wisconsin National Guard, on Chequamegon Bay, from 7am-3pm. Send off and weigh-in at the Armory, 420 Sanborn Ave. 715-577-2590 or email slafler@careertrain.com.
- ♦ Annual Butternut/Schnur Lake Association Fisheree at Timber Breeze Resort, N 16243 Lake Shore Dr., Butternut, from 7am-5pm. There is a minimal registration fee. Raffle tickets with lots of prizes to give away! 715-769-3333.
- ♦ Chequamegon Food Co-op presents, "Cheeky Monkey Food Safari" from 10-11:20am. Free. No reservation necessary. 715-682-8251.
- ♦ Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "Trout Unlimited Fly Tying Get Together" from 10am-2pm. Join the local chapter of Trout Unlimited for an afternoon of fly tying demos and telling fish stories in a relaxed small group gathering. www.nglvc.org
- ♦ Iron River Annual Fishin' Chicks Ice Fishing Contest, on Spider Lake, Iron River, from 10am-3pm. Only women compete, men can attend and assist. Proceeds benefit breast cancer awareness efforts. \$40 per admission. www.fishinchicksforbreastcancer.com
- ♦ **Indoor Ice Fishing Tournament** at the Neighborly Bar from 1-7pm. Proceeds to benefit the North Wisconsin Rod & Gun Club Ice Bridge Project. Chinese raffle, 50/50 raffle, and fish fry served 4-6pm. 262-689-0539. contactnwrgc@gmail.com.
- ♦ **7th Annual Penokee Mountain Range Riders Winter Bash Fundraiser**, at Copper Ridge in Mellen, 129 E Bennett Ave, at 5pm. Music, raffles, food and more! 715-292-0006.
- ♦ **ABC Raceway 2018 Awards Celebration,** at the Bad River Lodge and Casino, 73370 US Hwy 2, 5pm-12am. Open to the public. Social hour at 5pm, dinner from 6pm, award ceremony at 7pm, dancing 8:30pm-12midnight. Dinner tickets must be purchased in advance, no tickets sold at the door. 715-746-2390 or 715-682-2672. www.abcraceway.com.

January 19-20: Wisconsin State Free Fishing Weekend, no license required. 715-682-2500, or visit www.dnr.wi.gov. **January 22:**

- ♦ **Chequamegon Food Co-op presents, "Diet Overhaul!"** from 5:30-6:30pm. Free, but reserve your spot! Register at Customer Service or by calling 715-682-8251. Registration deadline is January 21. 715-682-8251.
- ♦ Harbor View Event Center presents, "One Room Schools in Bayfield County.", 7pm. \$5 fee. 130 Harbor View Dr. 715-209-7279. January 23: Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "Let's Talk About Pain Medicines" from 5:30-7pm. 715-682-9141. January 24:
- ♦ **Chequamegon Food Co-op presents, "Tapas Party"** from 5:30-7:30pm. Fee applies. Register at Customer Service or by calling 715-682-8251. Registration deadline is January 22. 715-682-8251.
- ♦ Business On Stage at the Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center. Presenting, "Deconstructing the Construction Biz: Perspectives on Building in the Bay Area". The event will feature a panel of local contractors and developers sharing their insights on the building industry. Complimentary Pizza: 6pm, Presentation and Q&A: 6:30pm, Networking: 7:30pm. 715-682-8344. www.businessonstage.org.

January 25: Dance Party at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church Social Hall from 5-8pm. Concessions, games, raffles, and more! A Home & School Association Event. 715-682-7622.

January 26:

- ♦ **14th Annual Justin Donner Memorial Fisheree**, at Donner's Bay on Turtle Flambeau Flowage, from 7am-4pm. \$1600 Cash giveaway throughout the day. Free kids fisheree. 715-762-2956, or visit www.jpdwarrior.com
- ♦ Washburn Winter Triathlon a 10k ski, 5k Fat Bike, 3k Snowshoe/Run. At the Lake Superior View Ski. Teams: \$99. Individual: \$49. Includes post-race meal. Participation is limited so REGISTER NOW at washburnwintertri.weebly.com. Special Room Rates at The Washburn Inn on the Lake at 715-209-7279.
- ♦ **Bargain Hut Gives Back Sale,** 420 Chapple Ave., from 9am-1pm. Items will be for the community to take at no charge. This is open to anyone and everyone within the area. 715-682-8522.
- ♦ Bay City Sledding Days! Bohemian Hall, 319 11th Ave E, open as a warming house for sledding from 10am-2pm. 715-682-7059.
- ♦ Snow Shoe Stomp in Prentice Park from 10am-12pm. Free guided snowshoe stomp on the new 1.5 miles of packed snowshoe trails. Bonfire, hot chocolate, snow games and more. Sponsored by Solstice Outdoors and Ashland Parks & Rec. 715-682-7059.
- ♦ The BRICK presents "Taste of the Bay 2019" from 7-9pm at the Northland College Ponzio Campus Center. Sample foods from restaurants and caterers all over the local area and support The Brick. Limited tickets for sale (\$30/person). \$40 at the door. Available at The Brick, the Northland College library, and from Brick board members. call 715-682-7425 or email director.thebrick@centurytel.net.
- ♦ **Bad River Casino presents, "Annual Karaoke Contest Preliminaries".** Registration starts at 7:30pm. Preliminaries at 9pm. Please call Colleen for your music request before the contest starts at 715-682-7121 ext. 1231.
- **January 26-27: Legendary Waters Resort & Casino**, 37600 Red Cliff Campground Rd, Bayfield, presents "**Pow Wow**" in the Legendary Waters Event Center. Grand Entry: 1pm and 6pm. 800-226-8478.
- **January 28: The Enrichment Center's Annual All-You-Can-Eat Pizza Buffet & Basket Raffle** at The Alley, 808 W Main St, from 4-7pm. Variety of pizza, spaghetti & meatballs, caesar salad & breadsticks and more! Basket raffles and 50/50 drawing. Tickets are \$13/Adult and \$9/Child. 715-682-2776.

January 30:

- ♦ Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "NW WI Flood Impact Study" from 10-11:30am. 715-685-9983.
- ♦ Aqua Zumba Pool Party at the Bayfield Recreation Center from 6-7pm. With Lynda Warren. Fee applies. 715-779-5408. www.recreationandfitnessresources.org/bayfield-rec-center.html.
- ♦ Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "Trout Unlimited Program with Corey Fisher" from 7-8pm. Corey Fisher is from the National Office of Trout Unlimited. 715-685-9983 or visit www.nglvc.org.

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SNOWMOBILE INFORMATION



Effective July 1, 2015, Wisconsin snowmobile registration will cost \$30.00 for three years. In addition, all snowmobiles will be required to have an annual trail pass to operate on a public trail or corridor. Trail passes will cost non-club/non-Association of Wisconsin Snowmobile Clubs members \$30.00 and can only be purchased through the DNR. Members who belong to both a snowmobile club and the AWSC will be able to buy the trail pass for \$10.00.

For more information on the Wisconsin Snowmobile Trail Pass, please visit the AWSC website at www.awsc.org or the DNR website at dnr.wi.gov. Out-of-state snowmobile passes are required for non-residents and can be purchased for \$50.00 at the following locations:

ASHLAND

Anglers All, 2803 E. Lake Shore Dr. DNR Service Center, 2501 Golf Course

River Rock Inn & Bait Shop, 1200 W. Lake Shore Dr.

MELLEN

Midland Services Mellen, 101 Wilderness

Northland Foods/Hardware Hank, 108 S.

Main St.

CLAM LAKE

Clam Lake Junction, 60967 St. Hwy. 77

BUTTERNUT

Butternut Feed Store, 121 N. Main St.

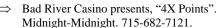
GLIDDEN

The Bear Crossing 107 E. Broadway

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

TUESDAY:

⇒ Bingo at Our Lady of the Lake, 7pm



WEDNESDAY:

Bad River Casino presents, "Cold Hard Cash" from 1-8pm. Win cash & rewards play. 715-682-7121.

FRIDAY:

Bad River Casino presents, "Knock Out Fridays" 7pm-11pm. Win Cash. 715-682-7121.

SATURDAY:

- MADski Program at Mt. Ashwabay, 10am-12pm. Jan 12- Feb 16. 715-779-3227
- Fat Bike Rides sponsored by the North Coast Cycling Association at 1pm. 715-209-8169.
- Youth Night (grades 6-12) at Mt. Ashwabay, 3-8pm, Jan 12- March 9. 715-779-3227

SUNDAY:

- NASTAR Racing at Mt. Ashwabay, 1:30-4:30pm, Starting Jan 6. 715-779-3227
- Ice-Racing at Maslowski Beach (Beginning TBD), 12pm. Conditions permitting.
- Open Skate at the Bay Area Civic Center, 5-7pm 715-682-2221





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Call ahead for any changes: 715-682-7089.

Boys Hockey

Bay Area Civic Center, 320 W. 4th Ave. January 5: Marshfield,

(JV) 5pm, (V) 7pm January 8: Barron, (JV) 5pm January 10: Tomahawk, (V) 7pm

January 12: Medford, (V) 5pm January 15: Chequamegon, (V) 7pm January 26: Kingsford, (V) 12pm January 31: Two Harbors,

Girls Hockey

Bay Area Civic Center 320 W 4th Ave.

January 5: Cloquet, (JV) 1pm (V) 3pm

Wrestling

Ashland High School Gym

January 3: Superior, 7pm January 10: Chetek-Weyerhaeuser, 7pm January 12: Invitational, 10am

Girls Gymnastics Bretting Community Center, 400 4th Ave W

January 8: Antigo, 5:45pm

Boys Basketball Ashland High School Gym

January 8: Cloquet, (JV)

5:45pm, (V) 7:15pm January 19: River Falls, (JV) 1:30pm, (V) 3pm

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January 22: Proctor, 5:45pm, (V) 7:15pm January 29: Rice Lake,

Girls Basketball Ashland High School Gym

January 7: Spooner, (JV) 5:45pm, (V) 7:15pm January 11: Phillips,

(JV) 5:45pm, (V) 7:15pm January 15: Rice Lake.

> 5:45pm, (V) 7:15pm January 25: Medford, (JV) 5:45pm, (V) 7:15pm



Vaughn Public Library Programs 502 W. Main St., Ashland 715-682-7060 http://vpl.wislib.org



Jan. 1: Library Closed! Happy New Year! Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30: Teen Chess Club, 5:30pm in the Meeting Room.

Jan. 8: Movie Matinee- "Leave No Trace" in the Garland Room at

Jan. 12 & 26: Winter Saturday Story Time, 11am in the Storytime Room

Jan. 15: B-Tween The Pages Book Club in the Garland Room at 4pm. Pizza and snacks provided.

Jan. 15: YA Book Discussion in the Garland Room at 6pm. Pizza and

Jan. 16: Early Release Day Fun. Fun and games in the Meeting Room at 1:30pm. Movie "Smallfoot" in the Garland Room at 3pm. Jan. 17: Books and Beyond! In the Meeting Room at 2pm.

Jan 29: New Book Buzz & Adult Book Discussion in the Garland Room at 6pm.

Book Nook Hours

Tuesdays, 9am-6pm Thursdays, 9am-6pm Saturdays, from 9:15am-12pm

Pre-School Storytime

Tuesdays at 10am.

Baby & Toddler Storytime

Fridays at 10am

Fun! Run! & Read!

Wednesdays, 9:30am in the Bretting Community Center Gym



Always call ahead for any changes 715-682-1243



Men's Basketball

1411 S. Ellis Ave. Kendrigan Gymnasium January 2: U of MN-Northwestern,

7:30pm January 9: North Central University, 7:30pm

January 12: U of MN-Morris, 5pm January 19: Martin Luther College, 5pm January 23: U of WI-Superior, 7:30pm

Women's Hockey

Bay Area Civic Center 320 W. 4th Ave.

January 11: U of WI-River Falls, 7pm January 12: U of WI-River Falls, 2pm

January 18: Marian University, 7pm January 19: Marian University, 4pm

Men's Hockey

Bay Area Civic Center 320 W. 4th Ave.

January 4: College of St. Scholastica, 7pm January 8: U of WI-Stout, 7pm

January 25: Marian University, 7pm January 26: Lawrence University, 4pm

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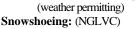
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Winter Activities

Skating Rink-East End:

16 Ave E& 5th St E. Warming house hours Fri- Sun 4-8pm.



Cross-Country Ski: Ashland Cross-Country Ski Trail, Chequamegon Bay Golf Club Ski Trail, Mt. Ashwabay, and more.

Sledding: Hot Pond, Valhalla, Northland College

Tubing: Mt. Ashwabay

Check www.visitashland.com for conditions.

33rd Annual Sleigh & Cutter Rally

January 12, 2019

Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center, Ashland, WI Hookup 11:00 am – Exhibition 1:00 pm

FREE SLEIGH RIDES 11am-12:30pm Rides sponsored by Northern State Bank. Concessions for sale.



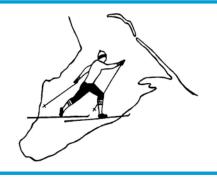


Wisconsin State Free Fishing Weekend

January 19-20, 2019 No license required. For more information, call 715-682-2500, or visit www.dnr.wi.gov.

Book Across the Bay February 16, 2019 Register at www.batb.org

The 10-kilometer course starts in Ashland and ends in Washburn. The event is held at night, and the course is lit by the stars above and up to 1,000 candles in ice luminaries that line the entire route.



BOOK IT Kids' Fun Race February 16, 2019 Register at www.solsticeoutdoorstore.com



Bike Across the Bay, February 17, 2019



10am
For more information, go to www.northcoastcycling.com

Chamber Dollars

Chamber Dollars encourage people to shop locally and can be used just like cash at any of the participating Ashland Chamber Members.

From restaurants to entertainment, retail stores to specialty shops, grocery & furniture stores, gas station to auto repair, pet care, and let's not forget your lodging needs.

Chamber Dollars offer you a truly unique gift.

They come in \$5, \$10,\$20, and \$25 dollar denominations and can be purchased with cash, check, or by credit card at the Chamber office.

Chamber Dollars are not redeemable for cash.