

Chequamegon Bay Area Activities for May 2018

from the Ashland Area Chamber of Commerce,
1716 W. Lake Shore Drive ~ 800-284-9484/715-682-2500



May 1: Team MMC All-You-Can-Eat Pizza Buffet Fundraiser from 5-8pm at The Alley, 806 Main St W. Chinese raffle and 50/50 drawing. Funds go towards the Alzheimer's Association to help support vital research and essential programs and services. 715-685-5400.

May 3:

- ◇ Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "**Kinder Kritters Zoo Mobile**" from 11-11:45am. 29270 Co Hwy G, Ashland. www.nglvc.org.
- ◇ **Calling all entrepreneurs! FREE CLASS OPPORTUNITY! New Business 101: How to get started!** Ashland Area Development Corp, 422 3rd Street West. 5:30-7:30pm. Leave class with an idea of what it will take, how to start, and who to ask for help. You'll be among friends in a supportive environment, but if you don't want to share your idea with the group, no problem! Cost: FREE + refreshments provided. 715-682-8344.
- ◇ Chequamegon Food Co-op presents "**Dumplings and Spring Rolls**" at the Co-op, 700 W. Main St., from 5:30-7:30pm. Fee applied. 715-682-8251.

May 4:

- ◇ Bad River Lodge and Casino presents, "**May the 4th Be With You**". 73370 US 2 in Ashland. 715-682-7121.
- ◇ Freehands Lakeside presents **Live Music: "Sure its Only Me" Steve Matier** from 6-9pm. 2521 Lake Shore Dr W. www.facebook.com/freehandslakeside/
- ◇ Ashland Middle School and the Oredocker Project School presents, "**Round Dance- May the 4th be with you**" at the Ashland Middle School, 203 11th St E, from 7-9pm. Feast at 5pm. adebungie@sdak12.net. 715-682-7087.

May 4-28: Hauser's Superior View Farms Red Shed Plant Sale, 86565 County Hwy J, Bayfield. May 1st thru Memorial Day! Open 7 days a week from 9am-5pm. 715-779-5404. www.superiorviewfarm.com.

May 5:

- ◇ Bad River Lodge and Casino's "**2018 Women's Expo and BINGO fundraiser**". Doors open at 10am. Early birds at 11am. Lunch served at 12:30pm with raffle items and Chinese raffle. Must be 18 years of age or older to play. 715-682-7121. www.badriver.com.
- ◇ Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "**Intarsia Demo (Wood Crafting)**" from 11am-12:30pm at the Theater. www.nglvc.org. 715-685-9983.
- ◇ Bad River Lodge and Casino presents, "**Cinco De Mayo Mexican Buffet**" from 11am-2pm. 73370 US 2 in Ashland. Buffet is \$10.00. 715-682-7121.
- ◇ **Annual New Day Limited Dinner and Raffle**, at the Bay Area Civic Center, 320 W. 4th Ave. Doors open at 3pm. Fun, food, prizes and a dessert auction at 7pm! This years theme is Woodstock or Bust... for the cause. Tickets are \$50 and include admission and appetizers. Tickets are available at JET Travel, Neighborly Bar and Solstice Outdoors or you can call the New Day Shelter at 715-682-9566 for questions or to purchase tickets.

May 6: Annual Youth Awards Banquet sponsored by the Ashland Elks Youth Activities Committee, Lodge #137, AmericInn Conference Center, 3009 Lake Shore Dr E. Dinner starts at 5:30pm with the awards program to follow. 715-682-5215.

May 7: Ashland High School and Washburn High School Trap Teams, "**All-You-Can-Eat Buffet and Raffle**" at the Alley from 4-8pm. Pizza, wings, salad, soft drink, and Chinese raffle and 50/50 Raffle! Adults: \$13 and Children: \$9. Buffet tickets can be purchased from team members, River Rock Inn and Bait Shop, Sports Hollow, and Ashland Chamber of Commerce. Tickets also available at the door! 715-292-8970.

May 8: Chequamegon Food Co-op presents "**Everyday Yoga**" at the Co-op, 700 W. Main St., from 6-7pm. Fee applied. www.chequamegonfoodcoop.com.

May 9:

- ◇ Chequamegon Food Co-op presents "**Wellness Wednesday**" at the Co-op, 700 W. Main St., all day. 715-682-8251. www.chequamegonfoodcoop.com.
- ◇ **Ashland High School Orchestra concert** at 7pm in the AHS auditorium. 715-682-7089.

May 10:

- ◇ Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center presents, "**Turtles of the Northern Wisconsin**" from 7-9pm. Doors open at 6:30pm. www.nglvc.org. 715-685-9983.
- ◇ **Bay Days Karaoke Contest**. Qualifying round at the Frankie's Pizza. Registration and warm-ups at 7pm. Contest from 8-11pm. 1st place \$30, 2nd place \$20, and 3rd place \$15 certificate from Frankie's Pizza. Top 3 qualifiers from each contest will be in the Bay Days Karaoke Finals, July 21 at Bayview Park, with prizes totaling over \$2,000. Good Luck Singers! Even if you don't sing, come on down! The audience gets to be part of the show by judging for their favorite singer! Other qualifying rounds will be found on www.ashlandbaydays.com. Brought to you by the Ashland Chamber of Commerce, JD Bass Entertainment, and Heartland Communications.

May 11:

◇ **Women Into Networking 1 year anniversary Celebration!** At the Chequamegon Food Co-op Community Room, 700 W Main St, from noon-1pm. Come for some special giveaways and cake! Cost is \$10 and includes lunch. Limited space available. Must RSVP with name and phone number by calling/texting 906-364-9100 or through Facebook.

◇ Freehands Lakeside presents **Live Music: Yazmin Bowers** from 6-9pm. 2521 Lake Shore Dr W. 715-685-2583. www.facebook.com/freehandslakeside/

May 11-June 10: The 16th Annual Bayfield in Bloom. Admire over 50,000 blooming daffodils, a vibrant mosaic of roadside lupine & rolling orchards of apple blossoms bursting into rosy color during our month-long celebration of spring. 715-779-3335. visit www.bayfield.org for a schedule.

May 12:

- ◇ **Tent Raising** for Big Top Chautauqua, 32525 Ski Hill Rd., Bayfield, at 7am. Volunteers needed! 715-373-5552. www.bigtop.org.
- ◇ **2018 City of Ashland Spring Clean Up** from 7:30-4pm. City of Ashland Residents can dispose of materials at the Eagle Waster Transfer Station located at 405 Industrial Park Rd. 715-682-7061.
- ◇ Copper Peak presents the **Red Bull 400**. For the first time since 1994, Copper Peak, the iconic ski flying hill at N13870 Copper Peak Rd., Ironwood, Mi, will host an international competition at 8am. The worlds steepest 400-meter race. Watch the trailer. www.rebull400.com. 906-932-3500
- ◇ **Explore the National Scenic Trail- Lake Owen Interpretive Panel Hike** from 9am-noon. Meet hike leader, Mary Strenberg, at the parking lot of the Lake Owen Picnic Grounds located on Lake Own Drive, 5 miles south and east of Drummond. The focus of this hike will be the 4 panels that depict the culture and life of Native Americans who once lived in this area. The hike will be approximately 3 miles. 715-765-4789. che@northcountrytrail.org.
- ◇ Chequamegon Food Co-op presents "**Marinade Madness**" at the Co-op, 700 W. Main St., from 10am-12pm. Fee applied. 715-682-8251.
- ◇ **Kubota Field Event** at Lulich Implement, 64850 Us Hwy 63 in Mason, from 10am-2pm. Register to participate in demo event! Kubota & Landpride reps on hand to answer questions. 10% off Kubota parts! Stop out and test drive a variety of Kubotas! 715-746-2477.



May 12 continued:

- ◇ **Power of the Purse Benefit Raffle**, Neighborly Bar, 1301 W. Main St., from 10am-7pm. Chinese raffle featuring 100's of new and gently used purses filled with jewelry, accessories, cash and more! Proceeds to benefit the Chequamegon Humane Association. 715-682-9908.
- ◇ **Legendary Waters Resort & Casino**, 37600 Onigamiing Dr, presents **"Legendary Cribbage Tournament"** at 5pm. Registration begins 3pm. 800-226-8478 or visit www.legendarywaters.com.
- ◇ **ABC Raceway: Season Opener** - sponsored by Northern State Bank. Raceway is located at 2187 Butterworth Road. Grandstands open at 5pm, hot laps are at 6:15, and racing begins at 7pm www.abraceway.com. 715-682-4237.
- ◇ **Ashland High School Jr. Prom** in the AHS Gymnasium, 1900 Beaser Ave, from 8-12pm. Grand March is open to the public at 8:30pm. 715-682-7089.

May 13:

◇ **Mother's Day!**

- ◇ **Bad River Lodge and Casino presents, "Mother's Day Buffet"** from 11am-5pm. Buffet Adults: \$19.99. Seniors: \$17.99. Kids 12 and under : \$10.99. Beverage included. First 100 women will receive a gift and \$10 rewards play. 715-682-7121.

May 14: Design and the Existence of God Talk from 7-8:15pm in the Conference Center at WITC, 2100 Beaser Ave. www.nwoodcreation.org

- ◇ **May 15: Ashland Science on Tap**, hosts Briana Gross PhD, **"Apple Genetics Through Time and Space"** at 6:30pm at the Deep Water Grille-South Shore Brewery, 808 W. Main St. 715-682-4200 www.ashlandscience.org.

May 16: Ashland High School Band concert at 7:30pm in the AHS gymnasium. 715-682-7089.

May 17:

- ◇ **3rd Annual Ride Like a Girl: Ladies Night at Bay City Cycles, 412 Main St W, from 6-8pm.** Join Alex Faber and the area's women cycling enthusiasts for a night of wine, chocolate, shopping, socializing, and maintenance clinics... on us! 715-682-2091.
- ◇ **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. May's theme is a **Wine Walk**. 715-682-2500. visit www.visitashland.com.

May 17-19: 12th Annual Chequamegon Bay Birding & Nature Festival. Three days of birding and nature programs on the South Shore of Lake Superior at the peak of spring migration. Based at the NGLVC, 29270 Co Hwy G, Ashland. 800-284-9484. www.birdandnaturefest.com.

May 18:

- ◇ **"6th Annual Grilling for The BRICK,"** at Northwoods Community Credit Union, 121 W. Main St., from 11am-1pm. Sponsored by El Dorado Restaurant. For a \$6 donation, enjoy a freshly grilled brat or hot dog with all the fixin's along with chips, baked beans, dessert and a drink. All proceeds go to the "Make A Difference Fund" and will benefit The BRICK Ministries. They will also be accepting donations of goods for The BRICK, such as food items, toilet paper, paper towel, and feminine hygiene products. 715-682-9099.
- ◇ **WITC Ashland Commencement** at 7pm in the AHS gymnasium, 1900 Beaser Ave. A reception will be held from 5:30-6:30pm at WITC. The public is invited to attend the reception and ceremony. 715-682-4591.

May 19:

- ◇ **Northern Wisconsin's Largest House-to-House Garage Sale** from 8am-1pm. Community-wide garage sale throughout Ashland and some neighboring communities. 715-682-2500
- ◇ **Madeline Island Marathon and Half Marathon** from 8:30am-4pm. 888-475-3386. www.madelineisland.com.
- ◇ **The United Presbyterian Congregational Church Youth Group will be selling Indian Tacos** from 10am-1pm. Located at 214 Vaughn Ave. 715-209-8460.
- ◇ **Groundbreaking Ceremony at the Across the Pond Veterans Park** from 10am-1pm at the Iron River Community Center. 10-11am. 11am-12noon is ceremony. 1pm is groundbreaking. 715-372-4654 www.acrossthepondpark.org.
- ◇ **Path to Generosity** event at the Brettings Community Center, 400 4th Ave W, at 10:30am. Help us pack client kits for New Day Advocacy Center, stuff busy bags for Family Forum Head Start, assemble cat scratchers and fleece dog beds for Helping Paws Pet Rescue, and make dog treats and cat towers for Chequamegon Humane Association. Ans enjoy lunch provided by the Ashland Baking Company & meet Officer Chase from Ashland Police Department's K9 Unit. Please bring an item from one of the organizations' wish lists as admission to the event. All children present will receive a free book for attending. Please RSVP by May 15 by calling 715-685-0605 or email SuperiorShoresTeam@thrivent.com.
- ◇ **Daryl Jolma State Farm invites you to stop by their office**, 2022 Lake Shore Dr. E from 11am-1pm for free juice, hot dog and popcorn. 715-682-5900
- ◇ **Honor Flight Northland Fundraiser** at the Neighborly Bar from 2-10pm. Raffle drawing at 5:30pm. 50/50 drawing at 8pm. Live band "Chrome Pony" will be playing from 6-10pm. Food sales provided by Nortrax. We are raising money to send as many veterans from World War II, Korea, and Vietnam Wars to Washington D.C. to see their monuments for free. 715-374-2547
- ◇ **ABC Raceway:** sponsored by Heartland Communications. 2187 Butterworth Road. Grandstands open at 5pm, hot laps are at 6:15, and racing begins at 7pm. www.abraceway.com. 715-682-4237.
- ◇ **Bay Days Karaoke Contest.** Qualifying round at the Deep Water Grille. Registration and warm-ups at 7pm. Contest from 8-12pm. 1st place \$30, 2nd place \$20, and 3rd place \$15 certificate from the Deepwater Grille. Top 3 qualifiers from each contest will be in the Bay Days Karaoke Finals, July 21 at Bayview Park, with prizes totaling over \$2,000. Good Luck Singers! Even if you don't sing, come on down! You help judge for their favorite singer! Other qualifying rounds will be can be found on www.ashlandbaydays.com. Brought to you by the Ashland Chamber of Commerce, JD Bass Entertainment, and Heartland Communications.

May 20: Lost Creek Adventures Wilderness ACA Coastal Kayak Instructor Development Workshop Skills Assessments Course for levels 3 & 4, 24475 Hwy. 13, Cornucopia. 715-953-2223. www.lostcreekadventures.org.

May 21-23: Lost Creek Adventures Wilderness ACA Coastal Kayak Instructor Certification Workshop and Exam Levels 3 & 4, 24475 Hwy. 13, Cornucopia. 715-953-2223. www.lostcreekadventures.org.

May 22: Ashland Middle School Orchestra concert in the AMS commons at 6pm. 715-682-7087.

May 23:

- ◇ **Annual Plant & Used Garden Item Sale** at Menard Park, corner of Main Street and Chapple Avenue, from 11:30am-6pm. Plants and unwanted garden item donations welcome. Drop off donations at the park the day of the sale. Accepting: houseplants, herbs, perennials, annuals, trees, shrubs, vegetable, and unwanted garden items. Sponsored by GFWC Ashland Monday Club. Please label plants. 715-685-9976.
- ◇ **Ashland High School Choir** concert at 7pm in the AHS auditorium. 715-682-7089.

May 24:

- ◇ **"Drifting Through the Arts"** will be presented by Ashland School District students from 5-7pm on the lakewalk. Students will be performing music & skits, and displaying their artwork along the Waterfront Trail. 715-682-7089. Ext. 1287.
- ◇ **Ashland Middle School Band concert** at 7pm in the Dodd Gym. 715-682-7087.

May 25: Glidden's Annual Memorial Day Weekend Brat Feed at the Glidden Fire & Rescue Hall, 105 Wilderness Dr., Glidden. 715-264-5444. www.gliddenwi.org.



May 26:

- ◇ **Apple Blossom Run & Ride in Bayfield starting at 9am.** Join the community supporting the Bayfield Public Library to run, walk, or bicycle through the scenic orchard area on Memorial Weekend. The non-competitive, un-timed event will raise money for sustaining the library. 715-779-3953 or go to www.bayfieldlibrary.org.
- ◇ **Solstice Outdoors Kick Off to Summer** from 9am-6pm. FREE paddleboard and kayak demos throughout the day (weather permitting). 15 % off new surftech paddleboards, deals galore, beach fire and wienie and s'more roast and much more! 715-682-3590.
- ◇ Chequamegon Food Co-op presents **"Wild Foods Cookery; Wild Springs Salad"** at the Co-op, 700 W. Main St., from 10am-12pm. Fee applied. 715-682-8251. www.chequamegonfoodcoop.com.
- ◇ **Madeline Island Museum is open for the season!** Open daily from 10am-5pm. 715-747-2415
- ◇ Bad River Lodge and Casino presents, **"Mega Memorial Weekend Giveaway"** at 11pm. Have a chance to win a 2018 Keystone RV. 715-682-7121.
- ◇ **Northland College Commencement** at 2:30pm in the Ponzio Stadium, 1411 Ellis Ave. 715-682-1339. www.northland.edu for full schedule.
- ◇ **ABC Raceway: Military night with the Hornets-** sponsored by Ashland Area Chamber of Commerce. Free admission with military ID. Grandstands open at 5pm, hot laps are at 6:15, and racing begins at 7pm. www.abcraceway.com. 715-682-4237. Raceway is located at 2187 Butterworth Road.
- ◇ **Bad River Lodge and Casino presents live music from, "Big Skillet".** 73370 US Hwy 2 in Ashland. Doors open at 8pm. Music begins at 9pm. They will be performing old and new country music. Free admission. 715-682-7121. www.badriver.com.
- ◇ Freehands Lakeside presents **Live Music: Chequamegon Bay Peoples Orchestra** from 8-11pm. 2521 Lake Shore Dr W. 715-685-2583. www.facebook.com/freehandslakeside/

May 26-27: Spring Fling Paddleboard Sale at Lost Creek Adventures, 22475 Hwy 13, Cornucopia, starting at 9am on Saturday. 715-953-2223.

May 27:

- ◇ **Glidden Annual Walk, Run, Roll.** At Historic Marion Park, West Grant St., Glidden. Registration at 7:30am, 5-mile at 8am, 2-mile at 8:30am. 715-264-5444. www.gliddenwi.org.
- ◇ La Pointe Center for the Arts **Annual Wine Tasting Gala & Silent Auction** on Madeline Island from 2-5pm. Taste fabulous wines, learn about wine and food pairings, and shop the silent auction. Tickets are \$30 and include a round-trip ferry passage. 888-475-3386.
- ◇ **VFW Pancake Breakfast** at the VFW 7300 Hall, 118th E 1st St Glidden, WI. www.gliddenwi.org.

May 28:

- ◇ **Memorial Day ceremonies** throughout the county.
- ◇ **Memorial Day concert** at the Bandshell at 9:30am.
- ◇ **Memorial Day Remembrance Walk & Veterans Honor Garden Ceremony** at Madeline Island. 888-475-3386. www.mihpa.org.
- ◇ **Butternut Memorial Day Program and Annual Chicken Dinner** (following the Memorial Day program) at Butternut School, 312 W. Wisconsin St., at 10am. 715-769-3951. www.butternutwi.com.
- ◇ Bad River Lodge and Casino presents, **"Memorial Day BBQ"** from 11am-9pm. 73370 US Hwy 2 in Ashland. Only \$10.99 plus tax. Beverage included. 715-682-7121 or visit www.badriver.com.

May 29: Ashland WITC Webinar- Exercise in the Workplace-Really? from 11:30-12noon. 800-243-9482.

May 30: Chequamegon Food Co-op presents **"Living with Food Allergies Support Group"** at the Co-op, 700 W. Main St., from 6-7pm. Fee applied. 715-682-8251 or visit www.chequamegonfoodcoop.com.

May 31:

- ◇ **Girls Night Out!** A fun night of shopping from 4-7pm and from 7-9pm food and drink specials at participating businesses. Stop in and register for \$50 in Chamber Dollars. 715-682-2500.

◇ **Ashland Middle School Choir concert** in the AMS commons at 6pm. 715-682-7087.

3rd Thursday!!
May 17



Downtown Stores
 open until 8pm!!
www.visitashland.com



**Sunday Fat Bike
 Adventure Safari** 
at 1pm
 No registration.
 Email or call for location
murph007swat@gmail.com
 Call 715-209-8169



Girls' Night Out
May 31
4-7pm

Downtown Ashland
www.visitashland.com

**Memorial Day
 Concert at Bandshell**
May 28
9:30am 
www.visitashland.com

NORTHLAND COLLEGE *Times are subject to change.*
 715-682-1865

Northland College Baseball
May 1: College of St. Scholastica, 1:30pm, 3:30pm
May 5: Martin Luther College, 1:30pm, 3:30pm

Vaughn Public Library, 502 W. Main St.
 Visit vpl.wislib.org 715-682-7060

 *Times are subject to change.*
 715-682-7089


Boys Baseball *varsity at NC field*
May 3: Duluth, (V) 4:30pm, (JV @ Penn) 4:30pm
May 8: Butternut, (V) 4:30pm (JV @ Penn) 4:30pm
May 15: Superior, (V) 4pm, (JV @ Penn) 4pm

May 2: Eat Pizza for Summer Reading, 4-8pm. At the Alley. 806 Main St W. Join us for kids activities and basket raffles.
May 19: Library Garage Sale, 8:30-1pm in the basement of the VPL
May 28: Library will be closed.
May 29: New Book Buzz & Book Discussion Group. 6pm. Meeting Room. This month's book is TBA. Refreshments are provided.

Boys Tennis
May 3: Hermantown 4:15pm
May 8: Marshall, 4:15pm
May 15: Superior, 4:15pm


Girls Soccer
May 3: Antigo (V) 4:30pm
May 10: Lakeland Union (V) 4:30pm (JV) 6:30pm
May 17: Medford, (V) 4:30pm (JV) 6:30pm
May 24: Newman Catholic, (V) 5pm
May 25: Superior, (V) 4:30pm (JV) 6:30pm

Fun, Run, Read
 Wednesdays, 11am at the
 Bretting Community Center

Preschool Story Time
 Tuesdays, 10am 

Girls Softball
May 1: Cloquet, (V)4:30pm (JV) 6:30pm
May 14: Duluth Denfeld, (V) 4:30pm (JV) 5:45pm
May 15: Marshall, (V) 4:30pm (JV) 5:45pm

Boys and Girls Golf
May 16: Invitational, 12pm

Boys and Girls Track
May 7: Invitational, 4:30pm 

Baby & Toddler Storytime
 Fridays, 10am, Story Time Room.
 Children 2 and younger.

Book Nook Hours:
 Every Tuesday & Thursday
 9am-6pm
 Saturday 9:15am-12noon

3rd Thursday



DOWNTOWN
Ashland
WINE
WALK
& Shop

3rd Thursday!!

May 17

You know, Thirsty Thursday, Thankful Thursday, Throwback Thursday, and now 3rd THURSDAY!!!!!!

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Bargains!! Fun!! An evening of shopping!

May's theme is a **Wine Walk!**

For more details go to www.visitashland.com

Mothers Day Specials!

May 13

Check out all of the awesome places for dining on Mother's Day!



- **Bad River Lodge & Casino**—Buffet
- **Frankie's Pizza** -Free drink for Mom
- **Molly Cooper's** – Specials
- **New China Restaurant** – Buffet 11am-3pm
- **Rookery Pub in Cable**- Specials
- **The Breakwater Cafe** – Buffet 9am-2pm
- **The Niblick Bar & Grill** –Specials

Northern Wisconsin's
Largest House to House
Garage Sale



OFFICIAL
GARAGE
SALE

Northern Wisconsin's Largest House-to-House Garage Sale Saturday, May 19, 2018

Garage sales begin at 8am and end at 1pm.

With over 60 households participating, what a great time to get out and find a treasure! Interested in holding a sale? Call the Chamber at 715-682-2500.

The Daily Press will run the list of garage sales in the Friday, May 18, edition of the newspaper. House-to-House Garage Sale maps will be distributed on Friday, May 18, at 12 noon to the Ashland Chamber office, the Holiday gas stations, the Midland services station and Super H Foods.

Sales will be posted on May 18 on the Chamber Website, www.visitashland.com.

Sponsors of the House-to-House Garage Sale are The Evergreen Shopper, The Daily Press and the Ashland Area Chamber of Commerce.

Girls' Night Out ~ Thursday, May 31, 4-7pm

Our Annual Girls' Night Out, "Spring Fever," offers fun shopping in beautiful historic downtown Ashland from 4-7pm. Enjoy great deals, yummy treats, food and drink specials, plus register to win a great prize as well! Then stop for a food or drink special from 7-9pm.

This year's Grand Prize is \$50 in Chamber Dollars. Winner takes all!

Specials coming soon on our website www.visitashland.com.

