

Welcome to the Hiawatha Haus!



I first lived in Ironwood during the summer of 2021 – a friend of mine was working for the Ottawa National Forest, and I was working remotely due to the pandemic. I took the opportunity to move out of Portland, Oregon, and spend the summer with my friend in Ironwood. I fell in love with the area, and even though I moved back to Portland, I always wished I was back in the Upper Peninsula. In the fall of 2024, I made my dream of becoming a Yooper a reality when I bought the Hiawatha Haus!

Hiawatha Haus is named after our giant neighbor, Hiawatha, the world's largest Native American statue, built in 1964. No one really knows why he's here, but we love having him as our mascot. "Haus" is a reference to the Hugel Haus at Powderhorn, where I lived for my first summer in Ironwood. Hiawatha Haus is over 130 years old and has several charming quirks. Lots of love from me, my family, and the prior owners have transformed this old house into a Northwoods retreat.

To make your stay as enjoyable as possible, I've compiled my favorite spots in and around Ironwood in this guidebook. It's my passion to share the outdoors with others – I write about my travels on my blog, kati-explores.com. If you ever find yourself in the PNW, check it out for local recommendations! In the meantime, read on for your expertly curated guide to the best of the western UP.

With love,



House Information & Rules

WiFi: HiawathaHaus

Password: 314EastPine

House Rules

Please note: There are cameras facing the exterior doors, the yard, and the driveway – we get lots of wildlife passing through, and we need to keep an eye on the weather during winter months. Thank you for understanding!

In the event of emergencies:

- Call 911.
- Ironwood Police Non-Emergency Line: (906) 932-1234
- There is a fire extinguisher in the cupboard (labeled). Please know how to use it *before* you need to.
- Local hospital: Aspirus Ironwood
 - N10561 Grandview Ln, Ironwood, MI 49938
 - (906) 932-2525
 - Emergency room open 24/7
 - Walk-in clinic open 9-6 weekdays, 9-4 weekends, closed holidays
- **With any non-urgent questions or comments, please contact me through the Airbnb app! For urgent matters, contact:**
 - Property Manager (*emergency only*): Elizabeth, (906) 680-5550
 - Host (*keep in mind I am likely across the country!*): Kati, (360) 718-0299

Please observe the following rules during your stay:

- **No smoking anywhere on the property** – not in the house, not in the yard, not in the garage. An additional cleaning fee will be charged if our housekeeper smells or sees evidence of smoking.
- **No pets.** An additional cleaning fee will be charged for any pet hair or damage found by our housekeeper.
- **Please respect the private areas in the home** – we hope to finish renovating the upstairs by the end of 2026, but it is private for now. Check back soon for updates!
- **No parties or events** without prior approval, and only registered guests are allowed to stay overnight.
- **Please remove shoes** before walking on any carpet or putting feet on furniture.
- **Please treat the Hiawatha Haus with respect** – clean up any spills immediately, report damage, leave our belongings where they are and put things back after using, only use the supplies you need, etc.
- **Please watch children carefully when using the play equipment in the yard** – host is not responsible for any injuries or accidents.
- **Please do not park in front of our neighbors' driveways** – this includes snowmobiles, ATV's, cars, and other vehicles. In the event a neighbor is blocked in, we will make every effort to contact you to move your vehicle but will tow if necessary. Thanks for being a kind neighbor!

Check-out Instructions:

- **Check-out time: 10 am**
- Load and start the dishwasher.
- Put used towels in hamper.
- Take trash bags out and put in cans outside.
- Garbage and recycling are picked up on Friday morning. **If you are here on a Thursday night, it would be very much appreciated if you could roll the cans to the sidewalk!**
- Make sure all personal belongings have been removed from the house, garage, washer/dryer, porch, yard, etc.
- Message me on AirBnb letting me know you've checked out, so our housekeeper can start preparing for the next guest!

Thanks for familiarizing yourself with our house rules and useful info! Now for the fun part – my favorite places in and around Ironwood.

Hiawatha's Guide to the Western Upper Peninsula





Coffee & Breakfast

In Ironwood/Hurley

- **Contrast Coffee (0.7 miles away, a 13-minute walk or a few minutes' drive)** – this is my favorite coffee shop in Ironwood, because it reminds me so much of Portland, OR where I grew up. It's conveniently located downtown, just a short walk from the Haus. They have fancy craft coffees, breakfast sandwiches, pastries, and crepes.
- **Rigoni's Bakery (0.6 miles away, a 13-minute walk or a few minutes' drive)** – best spot for pasties in Ironwood. They also serve homemade pastries and bread. The bakery is next to the Ironwood Historic Depot Park, a great place to sit and enjoy your breakfast.



Contrast Coffee



Sharon's Cafe

- **Sharon's Café (1.2 miles away, a 25-minute walk or 4-minute drive)** – Welcome to Wisconsin! Drive over the Montreal River to check out Hurley, our next-door neighbor. Sharon's is in a historic building, with TONS of indoor seating with outlets (perfect for remote workers). They have my favorite cinnamon rolls in the area and lots of brunch/lunch options (great prices too).

A little further...

- **Randall's Bakery in Wakefield (20-minute drive)** – Wakefield has a smaller downtown, but it's worth driving to just for Randall's. These are *my absolute favorite pasties in the whole UP*. If you arrive early enough, you might even get a breakfast pasty before they sell out. If you're adventurous, you can bike the Iron Belle from Ironwood to Wakefield, get breakfast, and bike back (~20 miles total biking).

Even further...

- **Dixie's Coffeehouse in Manitowish Waters WI (45-minute drive)** – I recently discovered this cozy café, south of Ironwood in the resort town of Manitowish Waters. There is plenty of indoor seating with large windows overlooking Rest Lake, as well as outdoor seating in Adirondack Chairs on the pier. Great coffee, pastries, and breakfast options. I recommend the breakfast strata (like a savory bread pudding or quiche). Be warned, the WiFi is not great here, so don't count on working remotely from this café.



Dixie's

- **Black Cat Coffeehouse in Ashland WI (50-minute drive)** – another new discovery of mine! This is an eclectic, artsy coffeehouse that's one of the few cafes open until 7 pm around here. I highly recommend stopping here if you find yourself in Ashland. They also have live music from 7-10 pm on some summer nights.



Black Cat Coffeehouse



Restaurants & Bars

Close to Ironwood

- **Elk & Hound (7-minute drive)** – located in the Gogebic Country Club golf course. It is my favorite place for Fish Fry Friday!
- **El Tarasco (5-minute drive)** – the only Mexican restaurant up here! It is located in Hurley and always very busy. I recommend the chile relleno.
- **Golden Dragon Chinese (0.5 miles away, a 10-minute walk or couple minutes' drive)** – the only Chinese restaurant! It is conveniently located in downtown Ironwood. My dad recommends the pork fried rice.
- **Cold Iron Brewing (0.7 miles away, a 15-minute walk or couple minutes' drive)** – Cold Iron is another place that makes me feel like I'm back in Portland. They do not serve food but will allow you to bring in your own. There are occasional live music and trivia events. They have several local beers on tap, as well as nonalcoholic seltzer drinks (and the occasional nonalcoholic beer on tap).
- **Up-N-Smoke BBQ (0.7 miles away, a 15-minute walk or couple minutes' drive)** – I suggest getting food here, then enjoying it at the nearby park or at Cold Iron Brewing. This food truck is super popular and might have a long wait, but it's worth it!

Further Away

- **Konteka (50-minute drive to White Pine MI)** – the Konteka hotel serves breakfast, lunch, and dinner with a unique twist... the restaurant leaves food out for black bears to eat, and the dining room has a huge window for bear viewing. *Yes, this is ethically questionable.* Yet I have been here several times, despite wholeheartedly disagreeing with this practice. If you want an almost guaranteed black bear sighting, Konteka is the place to go. Keep in mind, White Pine is in the Eastern time zone, so be sure to arrive during their open hours.



Black bears at Konteka!



Local Businesses

Groceries and Food

- **Northwind Natural Foods Co-op (0.6 miles away, a 12-minute walk or a couple minutes' drive)** – the Co-op sells locally made gifts and food, grab-and-go deli foods (including some of the most amazing chanterelle mushroom soup), and more unique natural groceries you might not be able to find at Walmart or Super One.
- **European Treats (0.7 miles away, a 12-minute walk or a couple minutes' drive)** – my family is Slovak, and I grew up eating eastern European food. This European food store has all my nostalgic favorites. I recommend getting a bag of pelmeni or pierogi to cook at home for a cozy night in.

Libraries

- **Ironwood Carnegie Library (0.7 miles away, a 13-minute walk or a couple minutes' drive)** – I love historic Carnegie libraries, and Ironwood's does not disappoint. Their hours are limited, so verify online before heading over. They have great WiFi and cozy spots to work.
- **Bessemer Public Library (15-minute drive)** – if the Ironwood library is closed, check out the nearby Bessemer library. It is in the basement of Bessemer city hall. It also has limited hours and closes daily for the librarians to take a 30-minute lunch.



Ironwood Carnegie Library



Mercer WI Library

- **Mercer Library (30-minute drive)** – Mercer, Wisconsin is a lovely little town south of Ironwood, next to Manitowish Waters. They have a beautiful library with sunny windows, a forest mural, and local historical exhibits.

Fitness

- **NRG Fitness (1.1 miles away, a 20-minute walk or 4-minute drive)** – I started taking Pilates classes here with Maggie and already feel stronger! NRG is woman-owned, and offers yoga, cardio, strength, Pilates, and dance classes. Keep in mind that some instructors only take cash (others take Venmo), and you'll need to fill out a waiver online before showing up.
- **Snap Fitness (1.7 miles away, a 30-minute walk or 5-minute drive)** – you will need a membership here, but for only \$44/month, it's worth it for longer trips! My favorite perk is the 24/7 access for members.

Gifts and Shopping

- **GG's Gifts & Boutique (5-minute drive)** – this is a new store recently opened by a 19-year-old female entrepreneur. You can find stylish gifts, and unique items handcrafted by local artisans. The Hiawatha magnet on our fridge is sold here!
- **Dan's Antique Mall (0.6 miles away, a 12-minute walk or a couple minutes' drive)** – a huge antique store in the heart of downtown Ironwood! Be sure to check out the basement too. It's like visiting a museum!

Outdoor Gear

- **Hobby Wheel (6-minute drive)** – with the Iron Belle just minutes away from the Haus, and tons of mountain biking trails, Ironwood is a huge biking hub. Hobby Wheel supplies bikes, accessories, and apparel, and rents out skis, snowboards, and snowshoes.
- **Big Sno Outfitters (12-minute drive)** – another great option for ski and snowboard equipment and rentals!
- **Ableman Clothing & Footware (13-minute drive)** – Abelman's was founded in 1887 and has been at its current Bessemer location since 1902. I got my first pair of Hoka Clifton's here in 2021, so I credit Abelman's towards starting my passion for running!
- **Stormy Kromer (5-minute drive)** – Stormy Kromer has been making iconic wool hats since 1903, and their factory is located just a few minutes from the Haus. They offer free tours of the factory and have an outlet store where you can find discounted products.



Stormy Kromer Hat

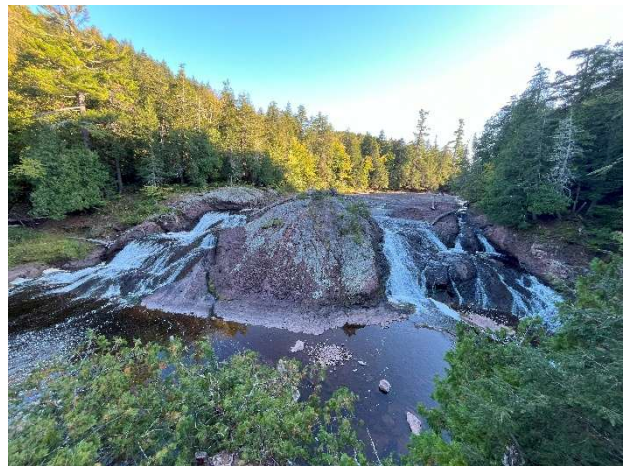


Outdoor Activities

Hiking

- **Black River Road Waterfall Corridor (30-minute drive)** – starting at the Powderhorn resort, take Black River Road up to Lake Superior, and you'll pass several trails to waterfalls. Each hike is relatively short, and if you do them all in one day, it will be about 5-miles total hiking. The North Country Trail passes through here for those who want a longer hike. *This is on National Forest Land, so an America the Beautiful parking pass is required. You can buy a day pass at Black River Harbor.* Here's a list of the waterfalls in the order you'll drive past:

- **Great Conglomerate** – 3/4-mile trail
- **Potawatomi & Gorge Falls** – 1/8-mile trail
- **Sandstone Falls** – 1/4-mile trail
- **Rainbow Falls** – 1/2-mile trail from trailhead, or start at Black River Harbor and hike 3/4-mile to the other side of the falls



Great Conglomerate Falls



Copper Falls State Park

- **Copper Falls State Park (40-minute drive)** – *Requires a Wisconsin State Parks Pass, but you can buy one on site.* This park has a series of interlocking trails that can be hiked in the summer or snowshoed/skied in the winter. The most impressive trail loop is called the Doughboys Trail (I have no idea why...). It crosses several bridges built by the Civilian Conservation Corps, Brownstone Falls, and Copper Falls. A spur trail takes you up several stairs to a 65-foot observation tower with amazing views of the forest.

- **Presque Isle (40-minute drive)** – just past Wakefield, MI, you’ll turn off the highway and head to the westernmost section of the Porcupine Mountains State Park, Presque Isle. This is French for “almost island” and you’ll see why! As this is a state park, you’ll need the Michigan State Parks pass on your car. There is a beautiful Lake Superior beach here with a suspension bridge taking you to the “almost” island. There are multiple waterfalls along the river, and you can hike on either side of the river to make a loop hike.



Presque Isle

- **Waterfalls** – there are so many waterfalls in the area it would be impossible to list them all. I recommend the Find Your North Waterfall Guide, which you can access here for interactive driving directions: <https://travelironwood.com/waterfall-guide/> (PDF is also at the end of this guidebook!)



Watch for blue NCT markers!

- **North Country Trail** – the North Country Trail will take you all the way from Vermont to North Dakota, but if you’re not feeling that ambitious, you could do a longer hike or backpacking trip through the Upper Peninsula. The only way to access Presque Isle from the other half of the Porkies is to hike the NCT. You can also connect the waterfalls on the Black River Road with the NCT, instead of hiking to each one individually. Blue markers or blazes on trees will tell you when you’re on the NCT.

Beaches, Lakes, & Rivers

- **Sylvania Outfitters Kayak Rentals (55-minute drive)** – located in Watersmeet MI in the heart of the Ottawa National Forest is the Sylvania Wilderness. There are no roads to explore over 21,000 acres of wilderness, you can only go by foot or by watercraft. Sylvania Outfitters offers extremely affordable kayak, canoe, and paddleboard rentals to help you explore the wilderness. They also offer transportation for you and the watercraft to several different entry points. I rented kayaks here in 2021 and loved exploring the waterways – just bring bug spray!



Kayaking in the Sylvania Wilderness



Black River Harbor Suspension Bridge

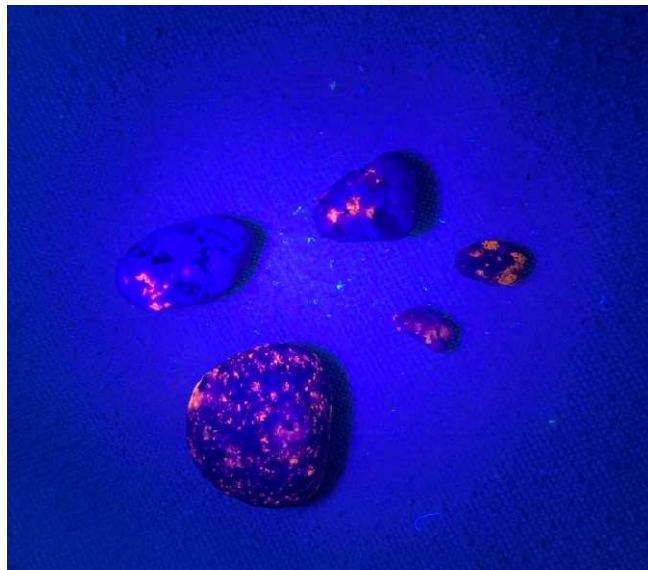
- **Black River Harbor Beach (30-minute drive)** – take Black River Road to the end of the earth, Lake Superior. This is my favorite beach! It is a short walk over a suspension bridge to access the beach, where you can swim, relax, hike, or look for Yooperlites on the shore.
- **Lake Gogebic (one hour drive)** – Lake Gogebic is the largest lake in the UP, and there are several access points. Great for fishing and boating!
- **Gile Flowage (13-minute drive)** – another great fishing and boating spot in Wisconsin! Check out nearby Gile Falls.

- **Sunday Lake (20-minute drive)** – one of my favorite places to run! There is a 2.8-mile loop road around the lake that makes for a beautiful walk/run. There is a swimming beach with platforms to swim to, playgrounds, picnic shelters, and sand volleyball courts. Downtown Wakefield is nearby, go pick up a pasty or dessert from Randall's Bakery and have a beach picnic!



Swimming beach at Sunday Lake

- **Little Girls' Point Beach (27-minute drive)** – this pebble beach is very popular amongst rock hunters! The water is crystal clear and perfect for swimming and floating.



Yooperlites are “syenite rocks rich with fluorescent sodalite” that glow under black light and are found on the shore of Lake Superior.

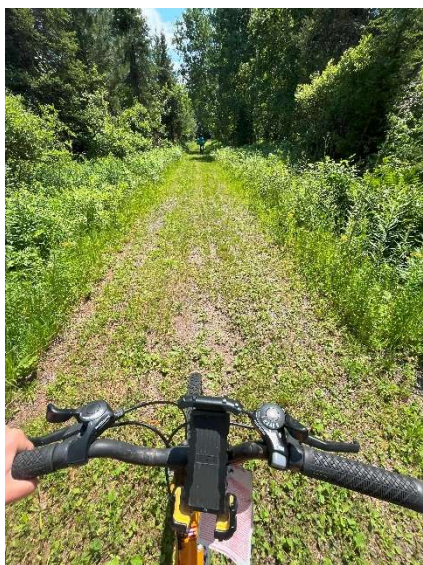
Biking

- **Iron Belle Trail (bike downtown to the Depot Park Trailhead)** – I love that the Hiawatha Haus is less than a mile from the Iron Belle Trailhead! Just bike a few minutes to Depot Park downtown, and you can take the Iron Belle as far as you wish. The entire trail goes all the way to the lower peninsula, so I like to turn around in Bessemer. Once, I took the Iron Belle all the way to Wakefield and back! The trail used to be a railroad, so it has a gentle grade and is perfect for beginners. Deer sightings are common; bear sightings are rare but do happen! You'll cross bridges with views of boggy wetlands and forests. Many people also walk or run here, or cross-country ski in the winter.



Iron Belle Trail

- **Mountain Biking** – I am not a mountain biker, so I'll do my best here, but there are several local trails and parks!
 - **Wolverine Nordic Trails (11-minute drive)** – connects with Powderhorn Mountain trails. During the summer, the Nordic ski trails are used by both mountain bikers and hikers.
 - **Winman Trails (40-minute drive)** – I was amazed at how beautifully kept up this new park is! They have so many mountain bike trails with features, a skills park, and a warming chalet complete with a pizza oven.



Agonikak Trail

- **Agonikak Trail (one hour drive)** – starting at the **Ottawa National Forest Visitor Center** in Watersmeet, take the rugged Agonikak Trail to Land O'Lakes Wisconsin. This is not for the faint of heart! The trail is all gravel and dirt, with rolling hills. The bugs are insane, and we've seen bear scat several times (but never a bear). Road bikes will struggle on this one, so make sure your tires can handle it. You can either take the Agonikak back to Watersmeet or make a loop with Duck Lake Road for an easier, paved ride back with views of the lake. In Land O' Lakes, make sure to stop at the **Sawbuck** for coffee, and the **Dari Maid Drive In** for ice cream and snacks.

Winter Sports

- **Big Powderhorn Mountain (13-minute drive)** – this mountain will always have a special place in my heart, as I lived here during the summer of 2021. There are 45 trails, 9 chairlifts, 2 terrain parks, and 2 bars/restaurants. Lift tickets are \$95/day for adults, and it is part of the Indy Pass program.



An original painting I did from the top of Big Powderhorn Mountain, in 2021 – notice Copper Peak Ski Jump in the back!

- **Snowriver Mountain Resort (20-minute drive)** – a lift ticket here covers both Black River Basin and Jackson Creek Summit! Prices range from \$90-\$120 depending on the day.
- **Mount Zion (5-minute drive)** – this is part of the Gogebic Community College. This resort is small, with only one chairlift, but a lift ticket is only \$50. There is also a cross-country ski trail system here.
- **Nordic (cross-country) ski trails**
 - **Miners Memorial Heritage Park (a short walk away)** – the park goes right through the city, and you can walk (or ski) there from Hiawatha Haus! The trails wind through remnants of old mines. I believe the park operates on a donation basis, and there are drop boxes at the trailheads.

- **Wolverine Nordic Trails (11-minute drive)** – the Nordic trails here connect with trails at Big Powderhorn. There is a warming chalet open during ski season from 9-5. There are 8 groomed ski trails ranging from beginner to expert. Suggested donation of \$10/day can be purchased online or dropped in a box at the chalet.
- **ABR Ski Trails (7-minute drive)** – voted #2 cross country ski resort in the country in 2024! There are skis for rental and purchase at the trailhead. Day passes are about \$15.
- **Snowmobiling** – Ironwood is known as the gateway to the Upper Peninsula's snowmobile trails. You can access over 2,000 miles of trails to the east, and hundreds more in Wisconsin to the west. Cloverland Motorsports and Ironwood Powersports are two local options for renting. Hiawatha Haus is just a short ride away from the main trails through downtown.



The Porcupine Mountains Ski Resort is another nearby ski hill that offers fall color chairlift rides.

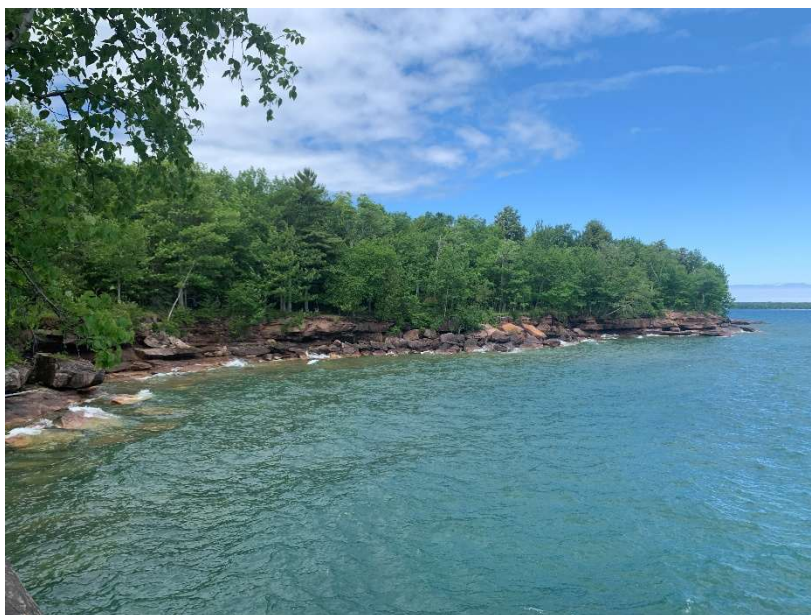
Day Trips & Nearby Adventures

There is so much to do just around Ironwood, but if you are looking for a day trip, the Hiawatha Haus is a perfect home base. Here are two of my favorite weekend destinations, both less than two hours from Ironwood.

Apostle Islands National Lakeshore

The Apostle Islands National Lakeshore is 90-minutes west of Ironwood, in Bayfield, Wisconsin. The lakeshore has beautiful beaches along Lake Superior, stunning rock formations, and several islands you can take the ferries to explore. Keep in mind, this is federal land, so you will need a parking permit for many locations. The “America the Beautiful” National Park pass gives you a discount in some spots but does not fully cover parking.

- **Madeline Island** – take a short ferry ride from Bayfield to Madeline Island. You can take your car on the ferry or rent a bicycle (or even a moped) to get around the island. There are cute cafes and restaurants, a golf course, beaches, and hiking trails, including Big Bay State Park.



Shores of Lake Superior from Madeline Island

- **Lakeshore Trail** – this hiking trail starts at Meyers Beach (requires a parking pass which can be purchased onsite). The trail continues for just over 5 miles to Mainland Campsite #1, but most people turn around 2.5 miles in. You’ll start hiking on an impressive boardwalk system through boggy wetlands, then switch to dirt trails. At the 2-mile to 2.5-mile mark, you’ll get incredible lake views with beautiful sea caves and other rock formations. After passing a formation called the Bowl, the

trail loses most of its lake views and gets very overgrown and buggy. However, if you want a long hike, it's worth continuing to Lunch Beach (just before the campsite). I only saw one other party on this section of trail and had the entire beach to myself.

- **Sea Caves Kayaking** – to get an up-close view of the sea caves, you can take one of many guided tours that start at Meyers Beach. The National Park Service website has a list of approved kayaking guides. It's recommended to use a guide, as weather on Lake Superior is unpredictable and rough.



Apostle Islands Sea Caves

Porcupine Mountains State Park

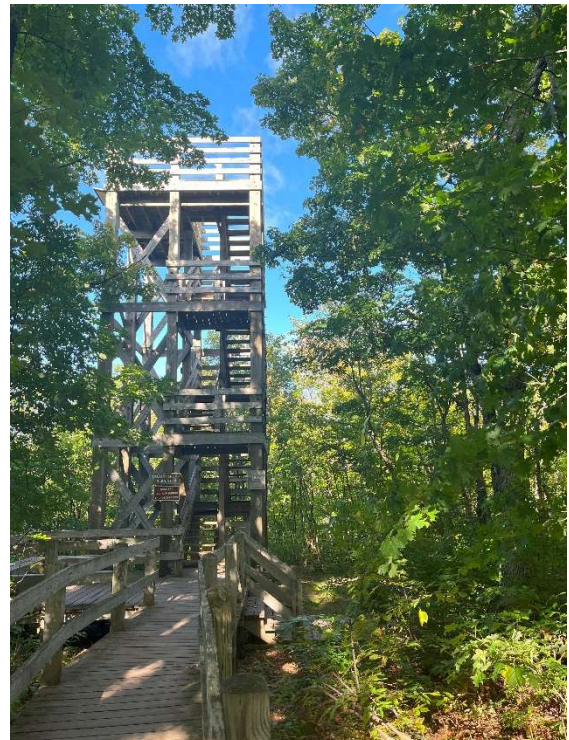
The Porcupine Mountains are a Michigan state park one hour east of Ironwood. You will need a Michigan State Parks pass, which is sold in the parking lots of several attractions, as well as in the visitor center. Here are some of my favorite things to do:



- **Lake of the Clouds** – this is probably the most photographed sight in the Porkies! You can see it through the Lake of the Clouds Scenic Overlook, or on the Escarpment or Big Carp River trails. The scenic overlook is just a short walk from the parking lot and offers incredible views of the Porkies, especially stunning in the fall.

Lake of the Clouds

- **Summit Peak Observation Tower** – it's a short hike to the tallest point in the Porkies, Summit Peak. The views from the 50-foot tower are absolutely amazing. On a clear day, you can even see Isle Royale. Late September and early October are usually the peak fall color weeks in the Upper Peninsula, and the observation tower is the best place to see the trees change.



Summit Peak Observation Tower



Escarpment Trail

- **Escarpment Trail** – this 8-mile out-and-back hike takes you from a trailhead off Highway 107 to the Lake of the Clouds overlook. I’ve heard this trail described as one of the best of the Midwest. It has 1,600 feet elevation gain altogether and could be classified as moderate to difficult, depending on weather conditions. You’ll be hiking on a ridge above the Big Carp River with views of Lake of the Clouds from all angles.

- **Porcupine Mountains Ski Area** – during the fall, you can take a scenic chairlift to the top of the ski hill. The rides are \$10 per person and only available on weekends during the fall. There are ranger talks at the top, and you can either hike or take the lift down.



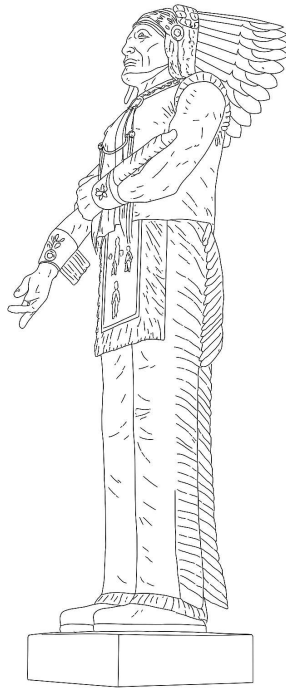
Fall Color Chairlift Ride



Bonanza Falls

- **Bonanza Falls** – a hidden gem on the way from White Pine to the Porkies. It’s not much of a hike, but a small parking lot and picnic area right next to a massive cascading waterfall.

Thanks for reading!



I hope you enjoy your stay at Hiawatha Haus! Ironwood is my favorite place in the world, and it's my greatest joy to share it with you.

Please sign our guestbook and add a note!

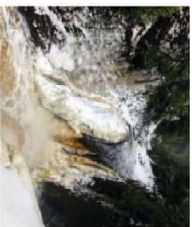
And don't hesitate to reach out with any questions – I'd love to provide advice or tips to help you have an incredible time here in the Upper Peninsula.



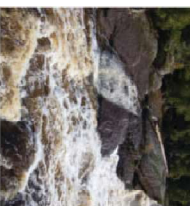
1. GREAT CONGLOMERATE
46.6375 - 90.055
Water source: Black River
This waterfall is named for the large piece of conglomerate rock that divides the two segments. Walking trail 3/4 mile.
[Icons: car, foot, wheelchair]



2. POTAWATOMI
46.6375 - 90.05139
Water source: Black River
Upstream from Gorge Falls and is reached from some parking lot. Walking trail 1/8 mile.
[Icons: car, foot, wheelchair]



3. GORGE
46.64028 - 90.05028
Water source: Black River
Named for the deep, narrow gorge above and below the falls. Walking trail 1/8 mile.
[Icons: car, foot, wheelchair]



4. SANDSTONE
46.65 - 90.047
Water source: Black River
This waterfall drops off of rock slabs spring to unique appearance. Walking trail 1/4 mile.
[Icons: car, foot, wheelchair]



5. RAINBOW
46.65889 - 90.04361
Water source: Black River
An impressive waterfall that can be viewed from either side. Walking trail from road 1/2 mile. Walking trail from harbor 3/4 mile.
[Icons: car, foot, wheelchair]

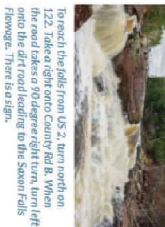
18. SAXON
46.5327 - 90.3827
Water source: Montpelier River
This big, impressive waterfall is on the Michigan/Wisconsin border and features a gorge below the falls that is one of the deepest in the Midwest.
[Icons: car, foot, wheelchair]

19. SUPERIOR
46.564818 - 90.415244
Water source: Montpelier River
Only a few hundred yards from the shores of Lake Superior this impressive waterfall is surrounded by dramatic gorge walls.
[Icons: car, foot, wheelchair]

20. INTERSTATE
46.472506 - 90.199832
Water source: Montpelier River
This waterfall is also known as Montpelier falls and is located on the Michigan/Wisconsin border.
[Icons: car, foot, wheelchair]



From US 2 turn right onto Montpelier Rd. and continue until Black River Rd. Turn left onto Black River Rd. and continue to the Black River Waterfalls 1-45. There are signs for each waterfall along the road.



To reach the falls from US 2, turn north on 122. Take a right onto County Rd B. When the road takes a 90 degree right turn, turn left onto the dirt road leading to the Saxon Falls. There is a sign.



The US 2 and Hwy 122 junction is in Wisconsin, but you will cross into Michigan. About 1/2 mile past the Michigan border turn left on to the gravel road that leads to the parking lot. There is a sign.



This is just past the US 2/105 51 interchange. Look for the smaller Peveren Falls sign. Turn right onto the gravel road. Follow this road short distance (.3 miles) to a small turn around.