

Northern Michigan

BEAVER ISLAND

2015-2016 VISITORS GUIDE



www.beaverisland.org

Maps, guides, and tourist information available year-round located on the grounds of the Municipal Marina just north of the ferry dock.

Monday through Friday 10:00am-4:00pm
Extended hours during busy summer season!
Phone: (231)448-2505
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Facebook: Friends of Beaver Island



WELCOME TO BEAVER ISLAND

Many people coming to Beaver Island look forward to its abundant nature and solitude. There are also fine museums, gift shops, art & craft galleries, the golf course, tennis courts, Island tours and many special events. Culinary options range from unique fast food to fine dining.

Much of what the Island offers is free for the finding: beachcombing, bird watching, biking, camping, hunting, fishing, cross country skiing or exploring the other islands. There are over 100 miles of scenic roads, lighthouses, old trails, cabins, beaver dams, and beautiful wildflowers.

Beaver Island is a pristine paradise with a year-round population of about 650 who have a history of welcoming visitors and sharing Irish traditions as well as the crystalline waters of the Beaver Island Archipelago. Plan a visit to America's Emerald Isle. *Chamber of Commerce*



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TRANSPORTATION

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Phone: (231) 448-2252

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Emerald Isle Hotel

www.emeraldislehotel.com

Phone: (231) 448-2376

Email: reservations@emeraldislehotel.com

The Erin Motel

Phone: (231) 448-2240

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www.harborviewbeaverisland.com

Phone: (231) 448-2201

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(231) 740-8551 December through April

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A LITTLE ISLAND HISTORY

Beaver Island was first inhabited by Native Americans.

French explorers stopped by and the Island once had a large Mormon community run by "King Strang."

In the late 19th century the island was the center of the finest fresh water commercial fishery in the world. Two museums tell visitors the whole story.



HOMES & COTTAGES TO RENT

Refer to www.beverisland.org for updated quarterly listings.

All rentals listed are non-smoking and have full kitchens.

Weekly peak rental rates listed. Call for best rates.

Legend: * (call), x (yes)

	SLEEPS	# BATHS	# BEDROOMS	SATELLITE TV	LINEINS	WATERFRONT	TOWN DISTANCE	PETS	INTERNET	WASHER / DRYER	GRILL	WEEK RATE
A PAINTED TURTLE COTTAGE, 231-448-2615 www.beverisland.org/painted-turtle	6	3	3	x	x	x	1		x	x	x	\$1,100
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ADENT'S SUNDOWN SHORES, 231-448-2164 www.beverisland.org/sundown-shores	7	1	4	x		x	3		x	x	x	\$950
AISLING "DREAM" HOUSE, 231-448-2168 www.beverisland.org/aisling-dream-house	8	2	3	x	x	x	1		x	x	x	\$1,595
ALLEN HARBOR HOUSE, pfogg@charter.net www.allenfoggcottages.com	8	3	3	x		x	0		x	x		CALL
ALLURE OF THE PINES, 231-448-2615 www.beverisland.org/allure-of-the-pines	8	2	4	x		x	1		x	x		\$1,100
AMERICA'S BEST KEPT SECRET, 231-448-2577 www.beverisland.org/americas-best-kept-secret	12	3	5				0.5		x		x	\$1,875
ARCHIE LAFRENIERE'S PARADISE BAY COTTAGE, 231-448-3148 www.beverisland.org/paradisebaycottage	6	1	2	x		x	0				x	\$750
AT LEISURE, 231-828-4185 www.beverisland.org/at-leisure	6	1	2		x	x	0		x	x		\$825
BACK HIGHWAY CABIN, 231-448-2330 www.beverisland.org/back-highway-cabin	5	1	2		x		0			x	x	\$600
BACK TO THE ISLAND, 586-725-0030 www.beverisland.org/back-to-the-island	8	2	3	x		x			x	x	x	\$1,400
BEAVER HARBOR CONDO RENTALS, www.beverisland.org/beaver-harbor-condo-rentals	5	1	2	x		x	0.2				x	\$700
BEAVER ISLAND POINT OF VIEW, 231-448-2377 www.beverisland.org/beaver-island-point-of-view	8	1	3			x	1.5	x		x	x	\$1,200
BUNKA CABIN, 517-896-4619 www.bunkacabin.com/	9	1	2		x	x	7		x	x	x	\$950
CLEVELAND'S BIG CHILL, 734-769-6075 www.beverislandrentals.com	12	3	4			x	10	x	x	x	x	\$1,350
CONVENT, 231-448-2206 www.beverisland.org/convent	15	2.5	7	x		x	0			x	x	\$1,600
DONEGAL WAVEFRONT, 231-448-2853/231-740-8551 www.beverisland.org/donegal-wavefront	8	3	3	x		x	3.5		x	x	x	\$1,100
DONNA'S PLACE, 231-448-2907 www.beverisland.org/donnasplace	4	1	1		x	x	9	x		x	x	\$850
DRIFTWOOD, 231-448-2164 www.beverisland.org/driftwood	8	3	4	x	x	x	2		x	x	x	\$1,850

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ENNISMORE, 314-241-4566 www.beverisland.org/driftwood	10	2	3	x	x	0		x	x	x		\$1,600
FISHERMAN HOUSE, 231-448-2733 www.mcdonoughsmarket.com/fishermans-house	8	2	4		x	x	0		x	x		CALL
FONT LAKE FISHING RETREAT, 1-479-957-5528 www.beverisland.org/font-lake-fishing-retreat	6	2	3	x		x	1		x			\$900
GETAWAY, 231-448-2670 www.beverisland.org/font-lake-fishing-retreat	8	2	2	x		x	0		x	x	x	\$750
HARBOR LIGHTS, 231-448-2059 www.beverisland.org/harbor-lights	6	2	3	x	x	x	1.5		x	x		\$1,150
HEAVEN, 231-448-2853 www.beverisland.org/heaven	6			x	x	x	5		x	x	x	\$1,200
HEAVENLY VIEW, 239-540-7198 www.emeraldislehotel.com/cabin	6	1	2		x	x	4			x		\$895
INDIAN POINT OF VIEW, 616-301-4006 www.beverisland.org/indian-point-of-view	8	2	3			x	3		x	x		\$1,200
INNISFREE CABIN AND GUEST HOUSE, 503-201-1939 www.beverisland.org/innisfree-cabin-and-guest-house	10	2	5	x	x	x	0.5		x	x	x	\$1,200
ISLAND AERIE, 989-560-8639 www.islandaerie.net/	12	3	4	x	x	x	1.5	x		x	x	\$1,800
ISLAND VIEW, 616-784-4334 *Barrier free www.beverisland.org/islandview	8	2	3	x	x	x	3		x	x		\$1,300
JOHANNA'S WAY, 231-448-2601 www.beverisland.org/johannas-way	6	2	2			x	8		x	x		\$900
LAST RESORT, 231-448-2733 www.mcdonoughsmarket.com/the-last-resort	6	2	2	x		x	6	*		x	x	CALL
LOCH WOODS SHORE, 231-448-2733/231-448-2499 www.mcdonoughsmarket.com/loch-wood-shores	6	2	3	x	x	x	6	*	x	x	x	CALL
MOONRISE, 231-448-2178 www.beverisland.org/moonrise	10	3	4	x		x	7		x	x	x	\$1,950
NO LAND, JUST SEA CORNER, 231-448-2059 www.beverisland.org/nolans-corner	6	2	3	x	x	x			x	x		\$1,025
NORTHERN LIGHTS, 231-448-2059 www.beverisland.org/northernlights	6	2	3			x	3.5			x		\$995
O'CONNOR'S COTTAGE, 989-362-3844 www.beverisland.org/oconnor	8	3	3		x	x	2		x	x		\$1,450
PINE OAK HOUSE, 616-309-8033 www.beverisland.org/pine-oak-house	8	3	3				0.5		x	x		\$600

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PLEASANT WATERFALL, 847-381-4534 www.beaverisland.org/pleasant-waterfall	8	2	3	x	x	3			x	x		\$850
SANTA CRUISE COTTAGE, www.beaverisland.org/santa-cruise	6	2	3	x		x	3.5		x	x	x	\$1,100
SUMMER RENTAL, 231-547-4046/231-547-6600 www.beaverisland.org/summer-rental	10	3	3	x	x		0.5	x	x	x	x	\$1,200
TEAGHIAIGH HOUSE, 231-675-5437 www.beaverisland.org/teaghiaigh	12	2	5		x	x	1			x		\$1,600
WATERCOLORS, 231-448-2067 www.beaverisland.org/watercolors	6	2	3						X	x		\$1,200
WICKLOW WINDS COTTAGE, 231-448-2377 www.beaverisland.org/wicklow-winds-cottage	10	2	3							x	x	\$1,400



ISLAND LIGHTHOUSES

Two lighthouses grace Beaver Island. The Beaver Head Light and keepers house at the south end is completely restored.

Guarding the entrance to Paradise Bay in the Island's NE corner is the Whiskey Point Light. It has also recently been completely restored.

The Island serves as the gateway by boat or plane to many other northern Lake Michigan lights.



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Paradise Bay Coffee Shop

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Beaver Island District Library

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Phone: (231) 448-2701

Email: island.library@gmail.com

Beaver Island Historical Society

www.beaverisland.net/beaver-island-history/

Phone: (231) 448-2254

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Phone: (231) 922-3756

Email: kroehling@nwm.cog.mi.us

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St. James Township

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Beaver Island Post Office

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Bill Wagner Peaine Township Campground

\$10 per night per campsite

22 rustic sites (no showers or electricity)

Located on the East side of Beaver Island (seven miles south of the St. James Harbor, accessed via East Side Road).

Open April 1st through the end of November

No reservations (first-come first-serve)

Campgrounds are rarely full more than one day at a time.

Showers: The Emerald Isle Hotel offers a dedicated bath, soap and towels included. \$10.00 per adult, \$5.00 per child.

Maps: The new 2013 Island Map & Guide is available for sale at the Chamber of Commerce office next to the Ferry Dock. Maps can also be sent via mail for \$7.00 including shipping and handling. Please send check to: Beaver Island Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 5, Beaver Island, MI 49782.



RECREATION

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THE GREAT OUTDOORS



Birding for a wide variety of species is very popular on Beaver Island.

photo Blackburnian Warbler

Surrounded by Lake Michigan and with a number of inland lakes, just about any kind of fresh water recreation has a place on Beaver Island.

To name a few: scuba & snorkel diving, sail & power boating, jet skis, swimming, beautiful beach fun, kayaking, plus an annual softball tournament and tons of terrestrial fun.

Nearly half of Beaver Island is state forest land, conservancy owned - managed or local government owned and in its pristine natural state.

The Island is a nature lovers dream and Islanders cherish the abundant natural beauty. It takes much more than a few weeks to explore all the trails and wild places. Even some towering old growth forest is found on Beaver Island.



HUNTING & FISHING

The Island is an outdoor sportsman's dream. Imagine a remote fishing and hunting lodge with fun for the whole family.

Five pound plus small mouth bass are common. One inland lake is an undiscovered largemouth paradise. The flats style fishing for golden bones is world class.

Beaver Island is a QDM whitetail destination. Hunting ducks, turkeys, upland game birds and rabbits is great.

Beaver Island Wildlife Club

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Indigo Guide Service

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HEALTH CARE

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WEDDINGS | CHURCHES

Weddings on Beaver Island are gaining in popularity every year.

Our Island offers a secluded honeymoon location for the new couple and a wonderful opportunity for guests to attend and extend their stay in the unique and beautiful Beaver Island Archipelago of islands.

The ideal dates are in June and September when the weather is great, but outside the peak family season.

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Holy Cross Catholic Church & Hall

www.dioceseofgaylord.org/inside/parishes-69/parish_203.html

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ENTERTAINMENT

A variety of events are enjoyed by Islanders and visitors alike.

Many locals of Irish decent take charge of regular celebrations starting with St. Patrick's Day. The Bite of Beaver Island food fest in October is tons of fun and autumn is a great time to visit and enjoy spectacular color.

The Community Center "downtown" across from the ferry dock is home to many events ranging from current films - comedy shows - live theater - musical productions and much more.

A pair of music festivals share the Island's long summer days and cool comfortable evenings; and numerous talented artists and craft persons call Beaver Island their home.

Beaver Island Community Center

www.beaverislandcommunitycenter.org

Phone: (231) 448-2022

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Beaver Island Cultural Arts Association

www.baroqueonbeaver.org

Phone: (231) 338-2926 May-October and
(734) 994-8904 October-May

Email: krys@krystyle.com

Beaver Island Music Festival

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Holy Cross Catholic Church & Hall

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EVENTS

Beaver Island Birding Trail 2015 Warblers on the Water *May 22-24 2015*

The events will be held over Memorial weekend. The festivities include presentations and field trips by expert field guides.

Beaver Island Bike Festival

June 19-21, 2015

Fully supported bike ride with rest stop snacks. Lunch at Bill Wagner campground. B.B.Q. buffet at the Shamrock. Beaver Island Bike Festival t-shirt. Bike transportation on the ferry. Live entertainment on Friday & Saturday nights. Prizes and extra goodies.

4th of July “Independence Day the Beaver Island Way” *Fireworks/Parade July 4, 2015*

The Big Parade & Island Airways Flyover, featuring the missing man formation at 2:00. Line up for the parade starting at Holy Cross Church at 1:00. Cannon fire by John Works.

Beaver Island Music Festival

July 16-18, 2015

www.bimf.net, phone: (231) 838-2883

A 3-day outdoor event combining nature, renewable energies, music and artwork, song and dance, on a small remote island in Lake Michigan. This unique festival has a wide variety of music, art, and activities for all ages, food, camping, and tours of the island. Artists perform on many of the ferry rides, shuttles run through out the festival, and camping is available all week.

Museum Week

July 19-25, 2015

Discover Beaver Island history with the annual Museum Week full of informative and entertaining events. Music; presentations on Nature, Oral History, and Native American culture; and Nature Walks, a Pet Show, and an Art Show.

Baroque on Beaver

July 24- August 2, 2015

www.baroqueonbeaver.org

A presentation of the Beaver Island Cultural Arts Association, Baroque on Beaver – A Festival of Classical Music brings professional and student musicians together on Beaver Island.

Homecoming

August 7-9, 2015

Island-wide celebration and time to come together for all Islanders as well as the famous softball tournament.

Beaver Island Half Marathon & Paradise Bay 5K

September 5, 2015

Half Marathon, 10K and 5K. Start at 10:00 am. Packet pick-up TBA. Registration link: <https://events.bytepro.net/beaverislandraces>

Bite of Beaver Island

October 3, 2015

See what the best professional and amateur chefs on the Island have to offer – sample a wide variety of treats.

The Island Boodle 5K Run

October 3, 2015

Come and join us for the annual 5K/Run/Walk starting in scenic St. James and offering a fast, beautiful lakefront-and-trails course.

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