

the north shore.



YOUR GUIDE TO CHICAGO'S BUSTLING NORTH SHORE



Just a few miles north of downtown Chicago along the magnificent shores of Lake Michigan, the North Shore truly offers something for everyone!

ARTS & THEATER

Northwestern University boasts one of the top theater programs in the country, so make sure to stop by for The Annual Waa-Mu Show, an original musical written, produced, and performed by Northwestern students. You will find music, theater, dance, and more on the North Shore!

MUSEUMS

Thought you could only find high quality museums in the city? Think again! The North Shore has many great museums, from the Bahá'í House of Worship to the Illinois Holocaust Museum to the Kohl Children's Museum. You can find something for all ages and all interests.

HISTORICAL LANDMARKS

The North Shore has a full and rich history, including the magnificent chateausque mansion of former U.S. Vice-President Charles Gates Dawes, the Grosse Point Lighthouse, built in 1873, as well as the home of famous suffragette, Frances Willard.

THE GREAT OUTDOORS

Sandy beaches, beautifully landscaped public parks, lively playgrounds, and scenic lakefront jogging and biking trails. What more could you ask for? Stop by the Chicago Botanic Garden for a relaxing respite from the hustle and bustle of city life.

SUMMER ON THE NORTH SHORE

Recharge from the long Chicagoland winters and soak in the sun on the North Shore! Take your bike on the Green Bay Trail from Northwestern's distinguished campus to the Chicago Botanic Garden or take in a musical performance at Ravinia, North America's oldest music festival. Sit outside on the patio of one of the North Shore's famous restaurants or sit out on one of the North Shore's many beautiful beaches. The North Shore even has top-ranked summer camps for kids. There are many, many great events and attractions to keep both kids and adults entertained through the summer months!