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Welcome to  
**SPICER**

Located on the shores of Green Lake, Spicer is the gateway to the Little Crow Lakes Region. Here, visitors can choose from a lakeside cottage, hotel, bed and breakfast, or campground during their stay.

Year-round activities are abundant in Spicer. Cross country skiing and snowmobiling are popular sports for residents and visitors in the winter. In the summer, swimming, fishing, and a variety of water sports can be enjoyed in area lakes. The area has two swimming beaches and is minutes from Sibley State Park. Shopping opportunities are also aplenty at gift, antique, and specialty shops and flea markets and farmer's markets.

From an informal hamburger and an ice cream cone to fine dining while onboard a dinner cruise, visitors won't have to look far on an empty stomach.

Bicycle recreation can also be enjoyed in Spicer. The area features a bike trail around Green Lake, access to the Glacial Lakes State Trail, and a BMX park. Sports enthusiasts can visit the Green Lake Ball Diamonds or try their skills at a game of basketball, volleyball, tennis, or horseshoes.

Spicer's annual Fourth of July celebration is not to be missed. The festival features a parade, street dance, fireworks, games, and much more.

*(Information gathered from the Spicer MN website.)*



**● COMMUNITY FACILITIES**

- 1 City Hall/Police
- 2 Erickdon Memorial Library
- 3 Fire Department
- 4 Post Office

**⚡ PARKS**

- 1 Beach St. Tennis Courts & Park
- 2 Community Park
- 3 Downtown City Park

**✝ CHURCH**

- 1 Cross Roads Community Church
- 2 Faith Lutheran
- 3 Hope Presbyterian
- 4 Living Word Lutheran
- 5 Our Lady of the Lakes

**🏫 SCHOOLS**

- 1 Prairie Meadows Environmental Learning Center

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- **Summer Concert Series:**  
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- **Green Lake Road Race:**  
Sunday, July 7
- **Spicer 4th of July Celebration:**  
July 3, 4, 5, & 6
- **Green Lake Triathlon:**  
August 10 - 11
- **Grape Stomp:**  
Saturday,  
September 14
- **Spicer Winterfest:**  
Weekends  
Jan. - Feb.  
[www.spicermn.com](http://www.spicermn.com)

Full event details on  
pages 68-72

## Clubs & Organizations

- American Legion Post 545 (Spicer),  
320-796-5542
- 4-H Clubs, 320-231-7890
- Little Crow Anglers, Ron Markfelder,  
320-231-3274
- Little Crow Photography,  
[www.littlecrowphotographyclub.com](http://www.littlecrowphotographyclub.com)
- Little Crow Ski Team,  
320-354-5684, [www.littlecrow.com](http://www.littlecrow.com)
- Spicer Commercial Club, 320-796-8066
- Spicer Lions, Jean Ruter, jruter@hotmail.com
- Little Crow Country Club, 320-354-2296,  
[www.littlecrowgolf.com](http://www.littlecrowgolf.com)

## Government

### City of Spicer

- City Hall: 217 Hillcrest Avenue  
Phone: 320-796-5562  
[Spicer.govoffice.com](http://Spicer.govoffice.com)
- Mayor: Denny Baker
- Administrator: Leslie Valiant, lvaliant@cityof-spicer.org
- City Hall Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays

## Education

### Prairie Woods

#### Environmental Learning Center

- 12718 Tenth Street NE, Spicer, 320-354-5894  
pwelc@co.kandiyohi.mn.us,  
[www.prairiewoodselc.org](http://www.prairiewoodselc.org)

## Public Facilities

### Spicer Public Library

- 198 Manitoba Street, Spicer  
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Wednesdays, 12-7 p.m.;  
Thursdays and Fridays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.;  
and Saturdays, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.  
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### Spicer Post Office

- 186 Progress Way, Spicer, MN 56288  
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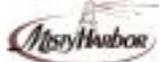
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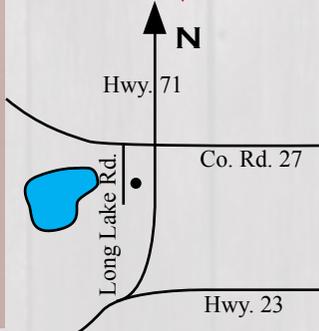
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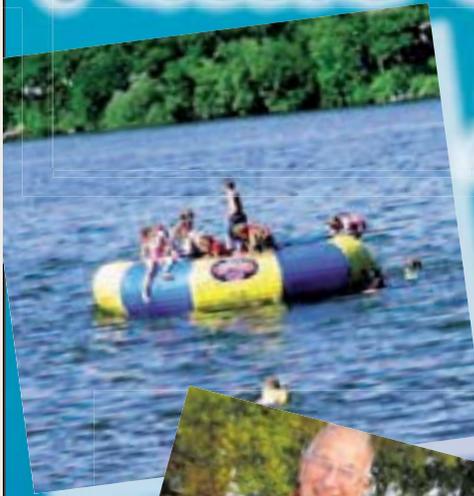


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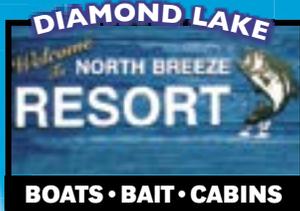
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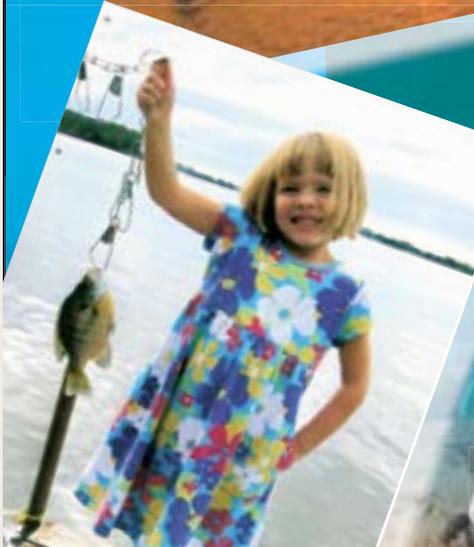
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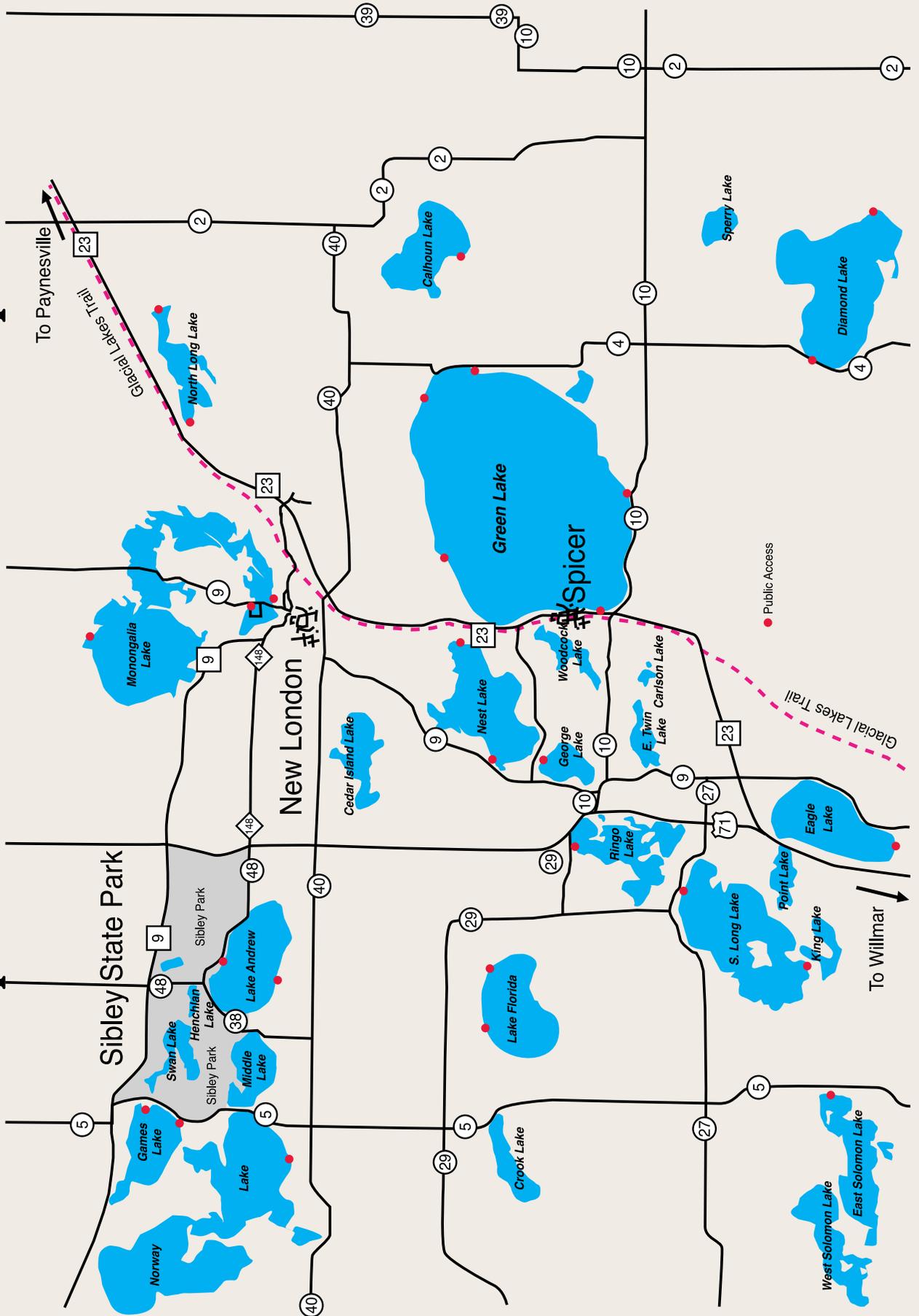
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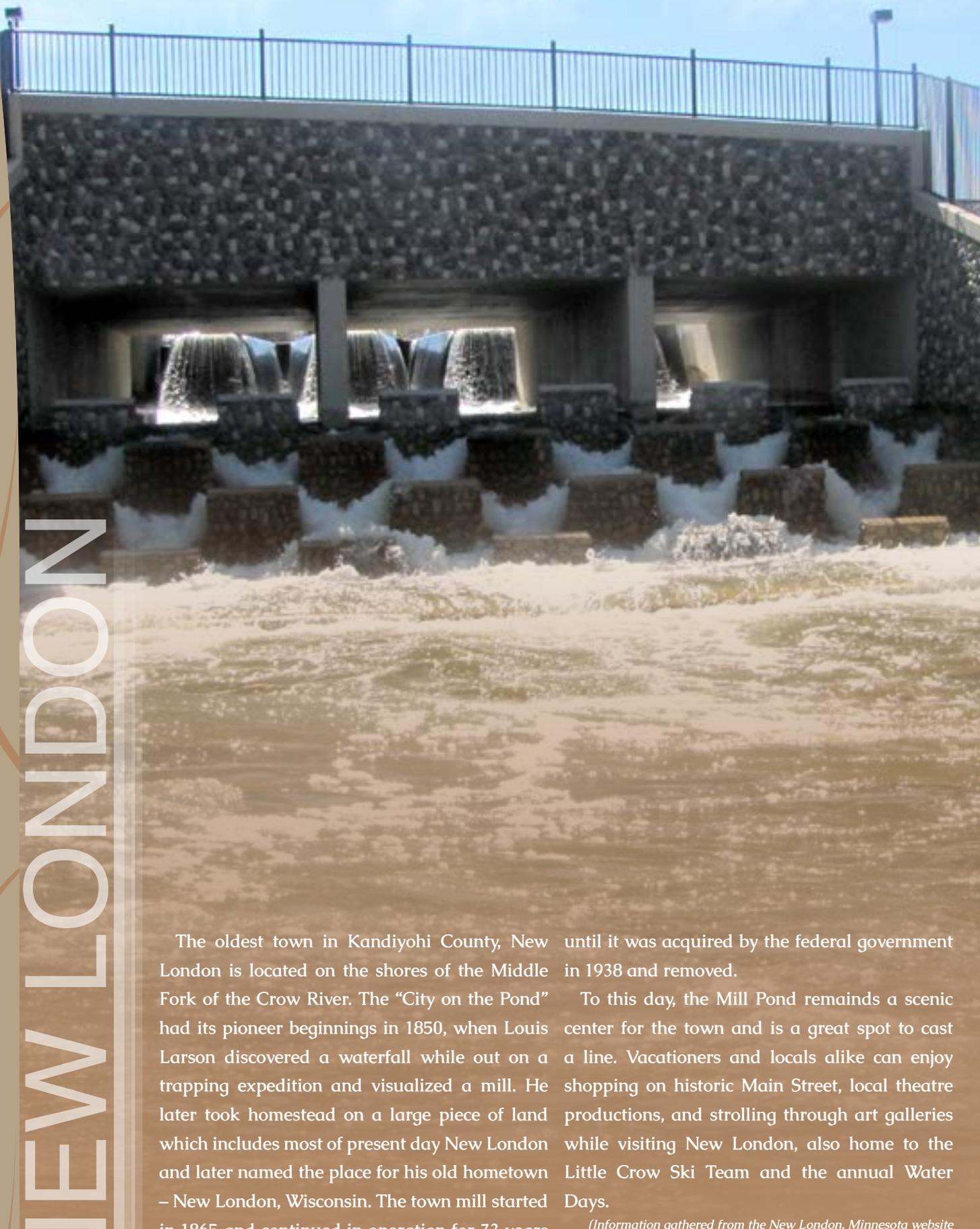
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until it was acquired by the federal government in 1938 and removed.

To this day, the Mill Pond remains a scenic center for the town and is a great spot to cast a line. Vacationers and locals alike can enjoy shopping on historic Main Street, local theatre productions, and strolling through art galleries while visiting New London, also home to the Little Crow Ski Team and the annual Water Days.

*(Information gathered from the New London, Minnesota website and the Kandiyohi County Historical Society.)*





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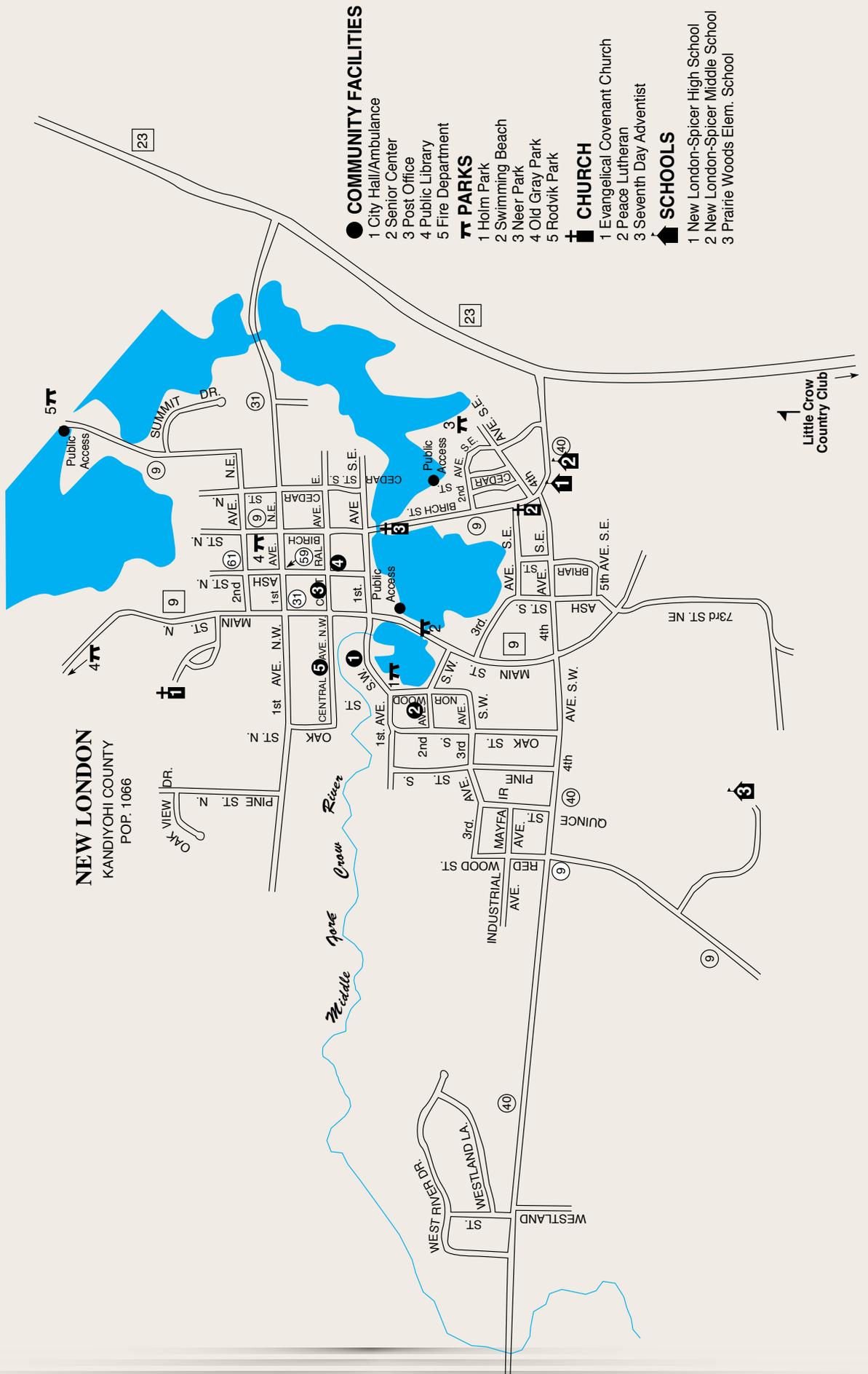
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### City of New London

- City Hall: 20 1st Avenue SW  
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- Mayor: Bill Gossman
- Clerk/Administrator: Trudie Guptill
- City Hall Hours: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays

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## Events

- Crow River Fishing Tourney:  
Saturday, June 8
- Studio Hop:  
June 15 - 16
- New London Water Days:  
July 18 - 21
- New London to New Brighton Antique Car Run:  
August 7 - 10
- New London Fine Arts Festival:  
August 16 - 17
- New London Music Festival:  
Saturday, August 17
- Prairie Pothole Day:  
Sunday,  
September 8
- New London Fall Festival:  
September 20 - 21
- Girls Night Out:  
October 16
- New London Home for the Holidays:  
November 15 - 16

*Full event details on pages 68-72*

# New London WaterDays

July 18-21



**THURSDAY, JULY 18**

- New London's Annual Medallion Hunt (Sponsored by/Clues located at: United Minnesota Bank and Lake Region Bank)
- Glacial Ridge Winery - feat. Jeff James, 6:30-8:30 pm

**FRIDAY, JULY 19**

- Customer Appreciation and New London Merchant Sidewalk Sales, 9am
- Tennis Tournament, 12pm (must pre-register w/ Chad S. 320-212-0002)
- Book Sale - Peace Church, 1-6pm
- New London Legion - Entertainment: Custom Made Band, 7:30-11:30pm

**SATURDAY, JULY 20**

- Dad's Belgian Waffle Feed - Peace Church, 7:30am
- Book Sale - Peace Church, 1-6pm
- Mill Pond Mile, 8am (registration 7:30am or pre-register by July 5th w/ Shelly Berg 320-894-7048)
- Tennis Tournament, 8am (pre-register)
- Craft and Food Vendors, 9am
- Grand Day Parade, 11am
- NL Fire Dept. - Hog Roast, after parade
- Ice Cream Eating Contest, after parade (must be pre-registered at The Deep Freeze)
- Kids Games & Inflatables, 12-4pm (city parking lot)
- Glacial Ridge Winery - Chocolate/Cheese/Wine Tasting, 12-5pm
- Lions BINGO - N.L. Legion, 1-4pm
- Kids Fishing Tourney 1:30pm (Queens dock)
- Street Dance: "Honey Bunchers", 8:30pm Formerly 'Steel Blue' (downtown, 21 & older)

**SUNDAY, JULY 21**

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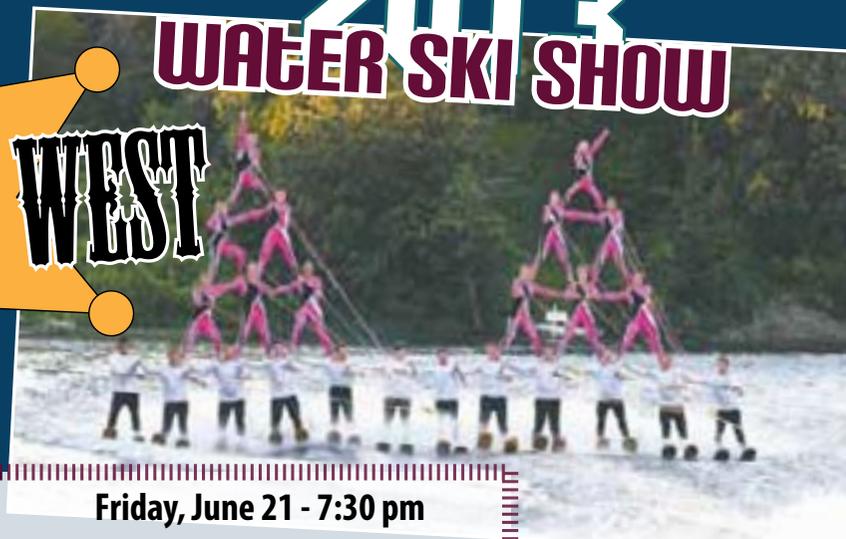
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**Thursday, July 25 - 7:00 pm**  
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# Lakes Area Parks & Trails

Quarry Park

## Rockville

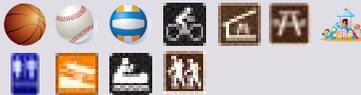
### Eagle Park/ Rockville County Park

Located on Co. Rd. 139 across the Sauk River from downtown Rockville and adjacent to Rockville County Park. This park is 70 acres where one can observe birds (including eagles), flowers and grasses. The county park is 284 acres on both sides of Sauk River with 1.2 miles of river frontage. It was established in late 2006 and early 2007.



### Lions Park on Pleasant Lake

Located on Pleasant Lake.



### Quarry Park and Preserve

This 643-acre Stearns County Park is located five miles east of Rockville on Co. Rd. 137. This park has woodlands, wetlands, prairie, & unquarried bedrock. It has 30 waterfilled granite quarries where you can even scuba dive. The park was opened in 1998.



### Rockville Community Park

Located on Chestnut Street South in Rockville, the park is open 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily.



## Cold Spring

### Cold Spring Lions Park

The park is located along the Sauk River in Cold Spring next to the Highway 23 bridge over the Sauk River.



### Cold Spring Skate Park

Located south of Springer Baseball Park on Seventh Ave. in Cold Spring. This park features jumps and ramps for skateboarders (No bikes allowed).

### Frogtown Park

Located near the eastern edge off 12th Street North in Cold Spring.



### North Pointe Park

Located near the eastern edge off 12th Street North in Cold Spring.



### Pioneer Park

Located south of Cold Spring on Tenth Ave.



### Sportsman Park

Located on the south side of the Sauk River just outside of Cold Spring.



### Veteran's Park

Located north of downtown Cold Spring on Red River Ave. This park - featuring granite memorials - is dedicated to area veterans.

## Richmond

### Richmond Centennial Park

The park is located on the east side of Richmond.



### Richmond Lion's Community Park

Located on Their Lake, south of Richmond on Co. Rd. 71, the park is open 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily in the summer.



### Richmond Outdoor Skating Rink

Located behind the River Lakes Civic Arena in Richmond. Hours are: weekdays 4-9 p.m. and weekends 9 a.m.-9 p.m.



### Rich-River Nature Park

This 8 acre site is located upstream from Richmond on the Sauk River.



## KEY

Basketball Hoop	Baseball/Softball	Horse Shoes	Tennis	Volleyball	Walking/Bike Trails	Grills	Shelter	Soccer Field	Picnic Table	Play Equip.	Restroom
										RV (R) Tent (T)	
Pool	Swimming	Fishing	Boat Access	Canoe Access	Hiking Trail	Snowmobile Trail	Warming House	Ice Skating & Hokey Rink	Cross-Country Skiing	RV Sites (R) Tent Sites (T)	Kitchen Facility

Lake Wobegon Trail

# Lakes Area Parks & Trails



## Eden Valley

### Baseball Park & Field House

The baseball field and field house are located at 475 Church Street South. The field house is available to rent by individuals and groups.



### Legion Park

Located at 150 State Street South



### Lions Park

Located at 350 Park Ave. East



### Softball Park

The softball field is at 961 Stearns Ave.



### Water Tower Park

Located behind Eden Valley City Hall. This park is handicapped accessible.



## Watkins

### McCarthy Park

This park is located near the north end of Central Avenue. McCarthy Park offers a bandstand/stage, two open shelters and picnic tables. The park is also the site of Watkins Kraut & Wurst Days during the first weekend in August.



### Softball Park

This park – 130 First Street – has a concession stand which is open for league games during the summer, and a handicapped accessible playground which is open all year.



### Baseball Park

This park is located next to the Eden Valley-Watkins Elementary School, 161 School Avenue South, and is the home field of the Watkins Clippers Amateur Baseball Team. Eden Valley-Watkins High School, Babe Ruth, and the American Legion teams also use the field. The field is equipped with lights. Concessions and bathrooms are available during games.



### Little League Park

This park is located next to Eden Valley-Watkins elementary school at 161 School Avenue. It is available for use when Little League games are not scheduled.



### Veterans Park

This park – located on Veteran's Drive west of Central Avenue – is dedicated to all veterans. Five granite markers commemorating United States war veterans, and a military tank, are located there. The Watkins Memorial Day service begins at the park.

## Other Nearby Parks

### Upper Spunk Lake

This seven-acre site on the shore of Upper Spunk Lake was donated to Stearns County in 1973. It is located some 10 miles north of Richmond on CSAH 9.



### Lake Henry Lions Park

Located on the eastern edge of Lake Henry, a block east of Highway 4



### St. Martin Canoe Access

Located a mile north of St. Martin off Co. Rd. 12. Access to the Sauk River



### St. Martin Public Park

Located north of Co. Rd. 12



### Spring Hill County Park

Located 2 miles east of Spring Hill on Co. Rd. 14



# Lakes Area Parks & Trails

Lake Koronis Regional Park



## Paynesville

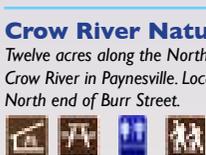
### Ampe Park

This 14-acre park is located off South Street on the east side of Paynesville. This park also has frisbee golf.



### Community Park

This park is located just south of Highway 55. It has a BMX off-road course, garden plots, a new remote-control car track, and two new whiffle ball fields.



### Crow River Nature Park

Twelve acres along the North Fork of the Crow River in Paynesville. Located on the North end of Burr Street.



### Gazebo Park

Located on Washburne Ave. by the elementary school.



## Paynesville Continued

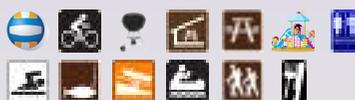
### Lake Koronis Regional Park

Located 5 miles southwest of Paynesville on the south shore of Lake Koronis on Co. Rd. 20.



### Veteran's Memorial Park

Located on the Northeast shore of Lake Koronis on Cedar Point Road.



### Maple Street Park

Located on Maple Street.



### South Street Park

Located on South Street.



## Trails

### Lake Wobegon Trail

This 46-mile, black-topped trail runs from Avon to Sauk Centre with a spur from Albany to Holdingford.



### Glacial Lakes State Trail

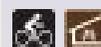
This trail runs from Richmond to Willmar. A 30-mile section from Willmar to Paynesville is paved.



### Lake Koronis

#### Recreational Trail

This trail completely circles Lake Koronis in Paynesville and has a link from the city to the lake.



### Bike Trail around Green Lake

This trail runs around Green Lake in Spicer and goes north on Lake Ave. from Salisbury Beach (Kandiyohi Park #4) to North Shore Drive, then continues to Indian Beach Road. After bikers turn right on Lake Ave. South they can finish the 12 mile round trip.



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Sibley State Park - Mount Tom

# Lakes Area Parks & Trails



## New London

### Holm Park

Located on the Mill Pond in New London.



### Densen Field

Located on 1st Avenue in New London.  
Call 354-2444 for reservations.



### Kandiyohi County Park #7

Located on the east shore of Games Lake, about nine miles west of New London, on Co. Rd. 5, this park has 52 paved campsites.



RV (R)  
Tent (T)

### Lil' Rascals Park

Located on Pine Street in New London.



### Old Grey Park

Located on First Avenue in New London.



### Neer Park

Located on Mill Ave. in New London.  
Home of the Little Crow Ski Team.



## New London Continued

### Rodzik Park

Located north of New London on Co. Rd. 9



### City Park and Swimming Beach

Located right on the Mill Pond by the bridge in New London



### Mill Pond Dam

Just west of Main Street in New London.



### New London Memorial Park

Located on Main Street, overlooking the Crow River Dam and Mill Pond. Five granite monuments feature area history



Tent  
(T)

### Sibley State Park

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[www.dnr.state.mn.us/state\\_parks/sibley/index.html](http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/state_parks/sibley/index.html)  
Located on U.S. Hwy. 71 a mile south of Hwy. 9

## Spicer

### Beach Street Park

Located on Beach Street in Spicer.



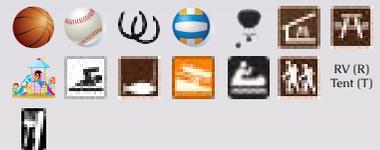
### Green Lake Ball Diamonds

Located on Highway 23 in Spicer.  
Includes BMX Track.



### Kandiyohi County Park #3

Located on the western shore of Diamond Lake, about six miles southeast of Spicer on Co. Rd. 4. Has 70 paved campsites.



RV (R)  
Tent (T)

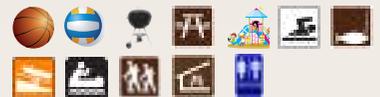
### Kandiyohi County Park #4

Located on Green Lake in Spicer.  
Lifeguards on duty 1-5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. daily



### Kandiyohi County Park #5

Located on the northeastern shore of Green Lake, about 5 miles north of Spicer. It has 54 paved camping sites and is open from April 1 to October 1.



### Westside Park

Located on Fifth Ave. in Spicer.



### Wildcat Cove

Located on the shores of Green Lake in downtown Spicer.



# Lakes Area Dining Guide

Experience everything from fast food to fine dining. Visit these eateries or look up their advertisement in this area guide for more information.

## RESTAURANTS

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Nestled in the heart of central Minnesota, the Paynesville area has used its charms for thousands of years to attract visitors. The first to come were hunting-and-gathering Indians centuries ago, and then white settlers started arriving 150 years ago. These days more and more people are lured to visit the area lakes, farm fields, and small towns and choose to make this community their home.

Lakes are the core of the local tourist trade during the summer and are a great attraction to summer and year-round residents. Rice Lake and Lake Koronis are linked by the North Fork of the Crow River. Lake Koronis, which covers 3,014 acres, is just a mile south of Paynesville. Rice Lake, with an acreage of 1,639, is located several miles northeast, and upstream, from Koronis. Long Lake, with an area of almost 300

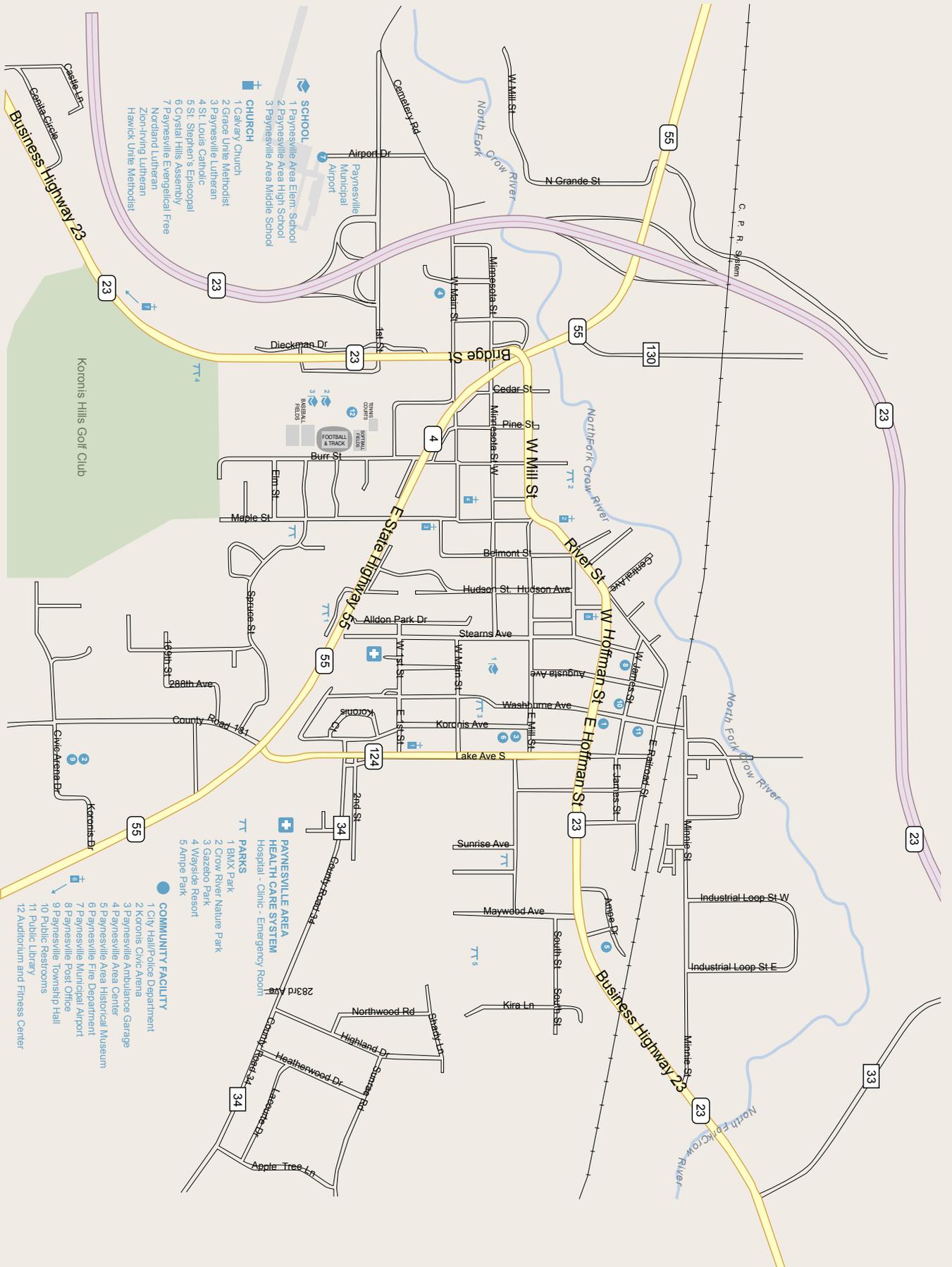
acres, is located seven miles west of Paynesville, just west and south of Hawick.

Local resorts, cabins, and hotels provide a base for visitors to explore the area. The oldest resort on Lake Koronis was started in 1907; the oldest on Rice Lake was started in 1911.

These lakes offer excellent opportunities for fishing, canoeing, waterskiing, tubing, cruising, swimming, and sailing. Each lake has at least one public access, and Koronis has five accesses as well as city and county parks.

The lakes, and the accessibility to the Twin Cities, have helped tourism to thrive in Paynesville. For many, true enjoyment of the lakes comes from their serene beauty, like when the last ray of the sunset reflects across the still

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waters of summer, or when the bright blue winter sky contrasts with the view of glistening snow and ice. The desire to enjoy these views on a regular basis helps attract new residents to the area, and in recent years many seasonal cabins on the area lakes have been replaced by permanent homes.

Paynesville is located 90 miles west of the Twin Cities and 30 miles from both St. Cloud and Willmar. The city has 2,432 residents, according to the 2010 census, and nearly 1,500 people live in Paynesville Township. The entire Paynesville area has roughly 6,000 permanent residents.

Highways 4, 23, and 55 link Paynesville to the rest of the state, and I-94 is only 25 miles away.

In addition to the lakes, a wealth of activities, both in and out of doors, provide opportunities for nature lovers and for those who prefer to be active indoors. Fishing, hiking, hunting, golfing, and sporting interests can be pursued outside, while shopping, movie going, and museum seeing are available inside.

The retail shops in Paynesville offer a wide selection with friendly service. From florists to car dealerships, from arts and crafts to antique dealers, an assortment of stores welcomes buyers and browsers.

Agriculture has been a primary economic endeavor in the area since it was settled. Common crops in these parts are corn, soybeans, and alfalfa. Dairy, beef, pork, and poultry are produced locally. Stearns County ranks first in the state and in the top 20 nationally for milk production, and Kandiyohi County is the leading turkey-producing county in a state that consistently leads the nation in birds raised.

Industry continues to grow in the Paynesville area to complement agriculture. Manufacturing started in Paynesville largely as a service to agriculture.

The first creamery was built in Paynesville in 1896. The surviving cheese plant, built in 1901, was the largest industry in town for much of the 20th Century. This plant processes about two million pounds of milk each day, producing 200,000

pounds of cheese.

Manufacturing has expanded tremendously in recent years to include other industries. A prime example of the switch from agriculture to manufacturing is a steel plant in the Industrial Park. Louis Industries started as a blacksmith shop and now – like many companies in the Paynesville area – relies on computer-controlled equipment for manufacturing, competing in the global economy.

Locally-manufactured items range from cheese and dairy products to hockey jerseys, from snowmobile parts to plastic and fiberglass products, from composite decking made out of recycled plastic to digital reproductions of historic documents.

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- **Kids Safety Fair:**  
Saturday, May 25
- **Women Anglers  
of Minnesota,  
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Tournament:**  
Saturday, June 1
- **Insight for  
Hunger Picnic:**  
Saturday, June 8
- **Town and  
Country Days:**  
June 9 - 13
- **Concert  
in the Park:**  
Thursdays in  
June & July
- **Relay for Life:**  
June 21-22
- **Fourth of July  
Events:**  
Saturday, July 6 -  
Boat Parade,  
Lake Koronis;  
Fireworks at Dusk
- **Car Cruise &  
Cycle Night:**  
Friday, July 12;  
Friday, Aug. 9;  
Friday, Sept. 13
- **Crazy Day:**  
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- **57th Annual  
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Saturday, July 28

## Clubs & Organizations

### Clubs

- Amateur Radio Association,  
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- Booklover's Club, Paula Lingl, 320-243-3507
- Boy Scouts, Jack Dahl, 320-243-4655
- Cancer Card-A-Rama,  
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- Cub Scouts, Jerald Starks, 612-290-6101
- Eager Beavers 4-H Club,  
Lynda Frenchick, 320-453-7515
- Girl Scouts, Phyllis Gardner, 320-243-7793
- Koronis Hills Snowmobile Club,  
Larry Mathison, 320-243-7782
- Koronis Konquerors 4-H Club, 800-450-6171
- Koronis Nite Owls,  
Dave & Andrene Flint, 320-354-3580
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Dorine Fuchs, 320-243-3342
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Arnie Veldkamp, 320-243-4444
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Loren Pearson, 320-276-8639
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Dave Ingalsbe, 320-276-8569
- PNLs Hockey Association,  
Tami Stanger, 320-243-3563
- Tel-Stars 4-H Club,  
Judy and Randy Loecken, 320-548-3232

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- Alcoholics Anonymous, 320-243-3680
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- American Legion Auxiliary, 320-243-4982
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Terry Skoglund, 320-243-7509
- Caregiver Support Group, 320-243-5144

- Chamber of Commerce, 320-243-3233
- Daughters of Isabella,  
Mary Kunstleben, 320-243-4848
- Ducks Unlimited, Brian Jones, 320-276-8584
- Firearms Training,  
Randy Albright, 320-243-4726
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- Friends of the Paynesville Airport,  
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Ric Koehn, 320-243-3601
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DuDonne Andrie, 320-243-7903
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Mike Christian, 320-243-4521
- Koronis Lake Association,  
Ken Hess, 763-438-1816
- Let's Go Fishing, Inez Jones, 320-243-4799
- Paynesville Area Historical Society,  
320-243-7547
- Paynesville Area Hospice,  
Cindy Lundberg, 320-243-7768
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### District 741:

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- District Office, 217 Mill Street W  
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Superintendent Bob Huot, 320-243-3410
- Paynesville Area Secondary School,  
795 Highway 23 West  
Principal Lorie Floura, 320-243-3761
- Paynesville Area Elementary School,  
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Principal Dave Oehrlein, 320-243-3725
- Community Education,  
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Director Matt Dickhausen, 320-243-7570
- Activities Hotline, 320-243-4058
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320-243-5437

## Government

### City of Paynesville

- City Hall: 221 Washburne Avenue  
320-243-3714  
www.paynesvillemn.com
- Mayor: Jeff Thompson
- Administrator: Renee Eckerly
- Public Works Director: Ron Mergen
- Building permits, driver's licenses, and motor vehicle licenses can be obtained at city hall during regular office hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on weekdays).
- Driver's license permit tests and road tests are offered on Thursdays by appointment.

### City of Roscoe

- Mayor: Don Heinen
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### City of Lake Henry

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- Clerk: Dave Heinen, 320-548-3567

## Township Clerks

- Irving Township  
Donnel Williamson, 320-974-3403
- Lake Henry Township  
Scott Lieser, 320-243-4324
- Paynesville Township  
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- St. Martin Township  
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## Health Care

### Paynesville Area Hospital

- 200 First Street W, Paynesville  
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## Events cont...

- **Fly-In Breakfast & Air Show:**  
Sunday, Aug. 11
- **Salem Fest:**  
Sunday, Aug. 11
- **Harvest Market Day:**  
Saturday, Aug. 17
- **Healthy Strides Walk/Run:**  
Sunday, Aug. 18
- **Paynesville Memorial Bike Ride:**  
Saturday, Aug. 24
- **Friday the 13th Evening:**  
Friday, Sept. 13
- **Moonlight Madness:**  
Saturday, Sept. 28
- **Tricks & Treating:**  
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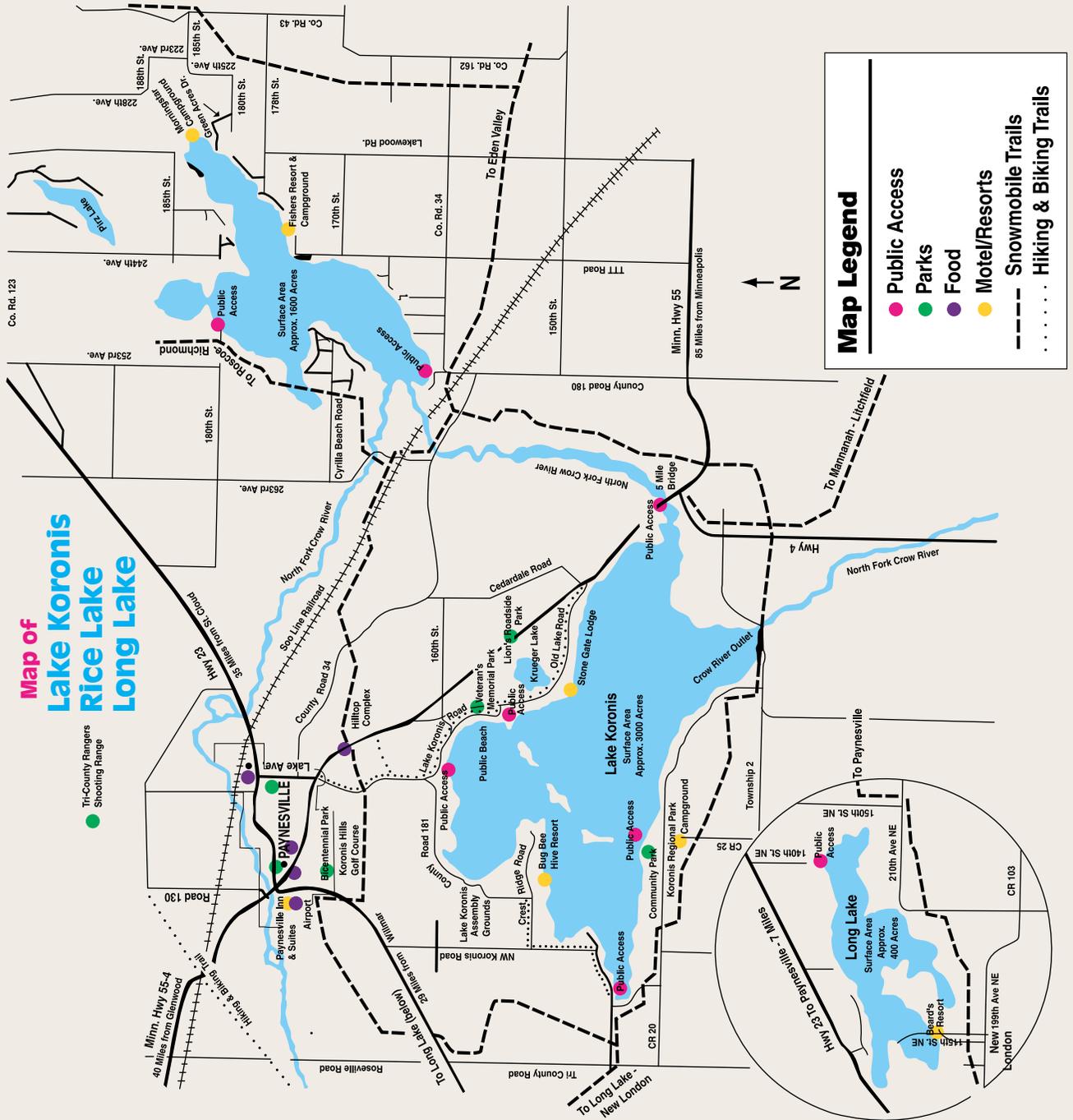


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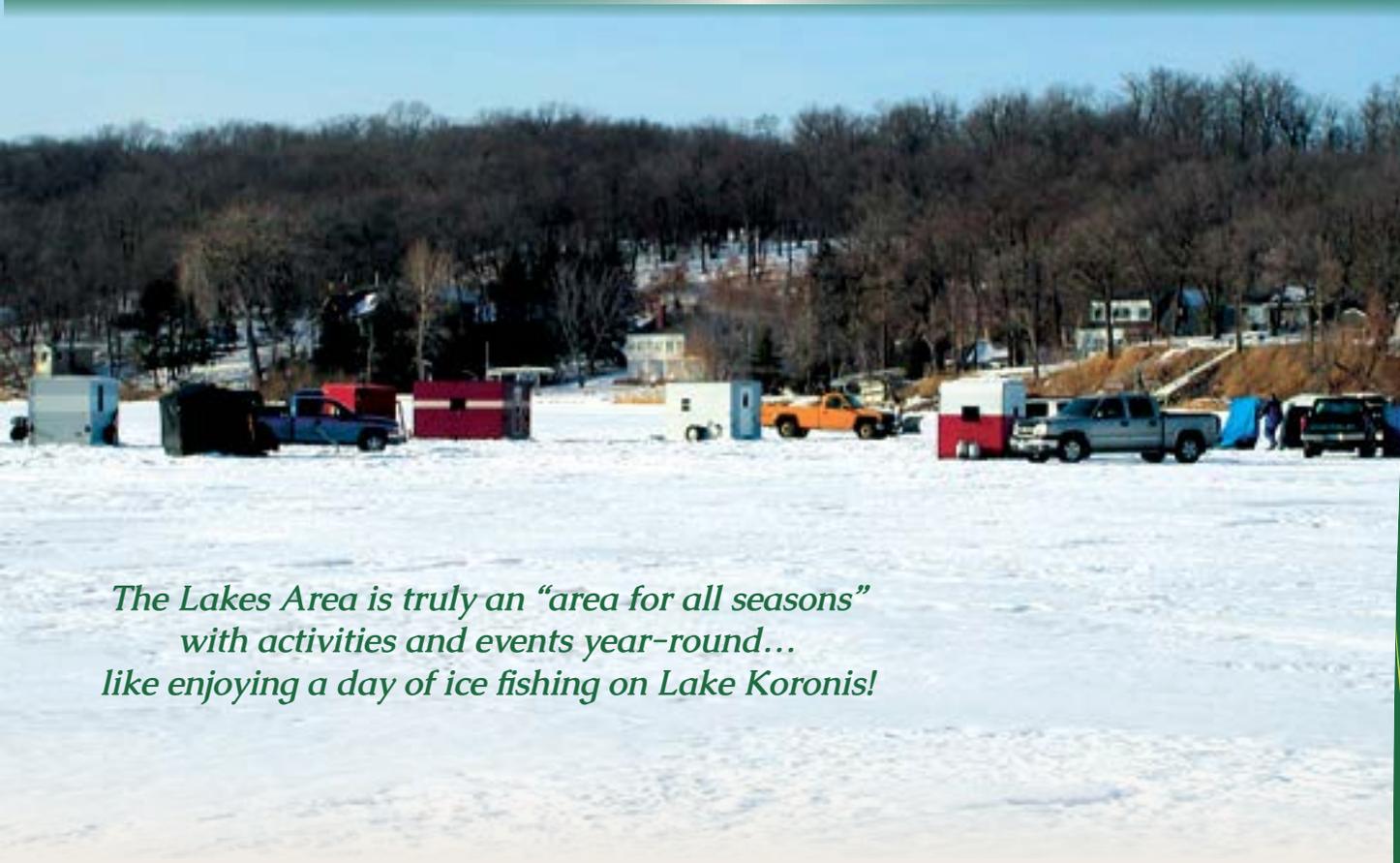
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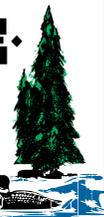
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Identifier: PEX  
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### Paynesville Police Department

- 221 Washburne Avenue  
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320-243-7346 for non-emergencies

### Paynesville Post Office (56362)

- 211 West James Street  
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### Paynesville Public Library

- 119 Washburne Avenue  
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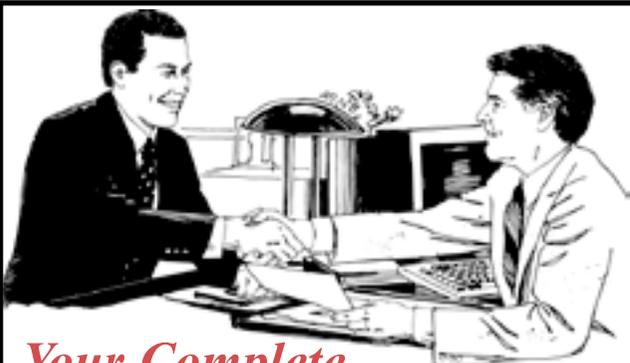
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*(Information gathered from the City of Eden Valley’s website.)*

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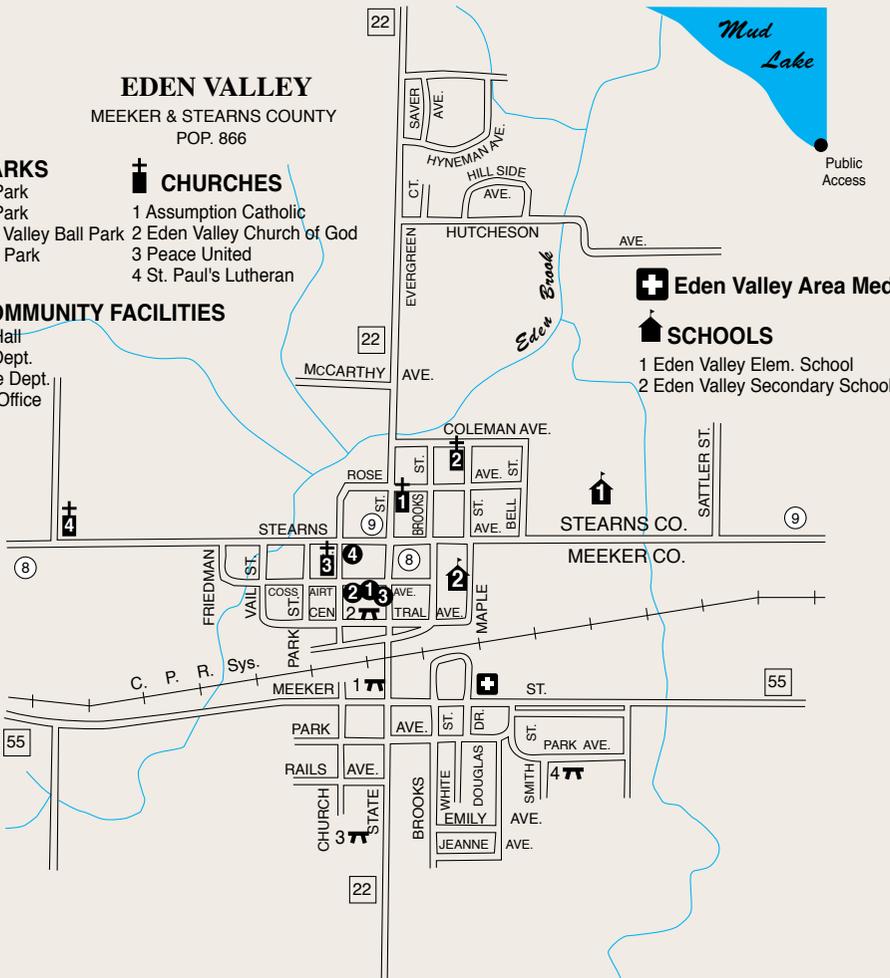
- 1 City Park
- 2 City Park
- 3 Eden Valley Ball Park
- 4 Lions Park

**CHURCHES**

- 1 Assumption Catholic
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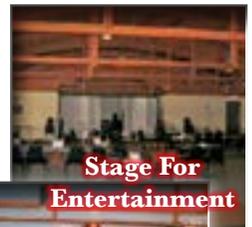
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- **Manannah Daze:**  
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- **Eden Valley Sportsmen's Club Chicken & Pork BBQ:**  
Sun., July 28
- **Mid-Summer Blast:**  
Sat., Aug. 10
- **Eden Valley Sportsmen's Club Ice Fishing Contest:**  
Sun., Jan. 19

Full event details on pages 68-72

## Clubs & Organizations

- Adult Education, Kris Latcham, 320-453-2925
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 320-453-2788
- American Legion (Eden Valley Post), Jim Haag, 320-453-2107
- American Legion Auxiliary, Helen Theis, 320-453-6681
- Chamber of Commerce, David Currens, 320-453-2000
- Eden Valley Food Shelf, Mary Lou Ruhland, 320-453-2853
- Eden Valley-Watkins Area Foundation, Mark Messman, 320-453-2900
- Eden Valley-Watkins Boy Scout Pack, Steve Brown, 320-453-5953
- Kris Gruenes, 320-453-7322
- Eden Valley-Watkins Girl Scout Troop, 320-252-2952
- Firearms Training, Gary Duncomb, 320-453-7465
- Hawks Baseball Team, Robert Geislinger, 320-764-2421
- Impact, 320-453-2908
- Lions Club, Kristi Stanwick, 320-453-2089
- Senior Citizen's Club, Mary Lou Ruhland, 320-453-5115
- Sportmen's Club, Mike Lies, 320-453-2248
- Valley Victors 4-H Club, Bridget Lux, 320-223-1433

## Government

### City of Eden Valley

- City Hall: 171 Cossairt Avenue  
320-453-5251
- Mayor: Pete Korman
- Administrator: Mona Haag
- City Hall Hours: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
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- Public Works: 320-453-5252

## Townships

- Eden Lake Township  
Clerk Stacy Thielen, 320-453-2751
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## Health Care

### Eden Valley Area Medical Clinic

- 405 Meeker Avenue, Eden Valley  
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## Public Facilities

### Senior Dining

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### Eden Valley Hawks Field House

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### Eden Valley Post Office

- 378 Church Street N, 320-453-3535  
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and 2:15 - 4:15 p.m.  
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### Eden Valley Food Shelf

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### Eden Valley Area Public Library

- 306 State Street N, Eden Valley,  
320-453-4434  
Library Hours:  
Saturday 9 a.m. - noon  
Tuesday 3 - 6 p.m.  
Wednesday noon - 3 p.m.  
Thursday 3 - 6 p.m.

### Eden Valley Area Event Center

- 306 State Street N, Eden Valley,  
320-453-5251, [www.evec22.org](http://www.evec22.org)

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## Education

### District 463:

#### Eden Valley-Watkins Public Schools

- District Office, 298 Brooks Street, Eden Valley  
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320-453-2900, Ext. 1143
- Eden Valley-Watkins High School (7-12)  
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Watkins has both a softball and baseball park, where leagues and tournaments are held during the summer. McCarthy Park offers a bandstand/stage, two open shelters, and picnic tables. This

park is also the site where Watkins Kraut & Wurst Days are held during the first weekend in August.

Guests can venture into the peaceful surroundings of a nearby campground or cast a fishing line in a nearby river or lake while visiting Watkins.

*(Information gathered from Explore Minnesota website and the City of Watkins's website.)*

## Clubs & Organizations

- Watkins Lions Club,  
Adam Dockendorf, 320-291-1974
- Watkins Lioness Club,  
Holly Geislinger, 320-764-2606
- Watkins Sportsman Club,  
Don Kadelbach, 320-764-2160
- Watkins Senior Citizens,  
Eileen Tolefson, 320-764-5600
- Watkins Clippers,  
Bruce Geislinger, 612-328-1860
- Central Lakes Snowmobile Club,  
Francis Vossen, 320-764-2666
- Watkins Chamber of Commerce,  
Ron Dockendorf, 320-764-7653
- Alcoholics Anonymous

## Government

### City of Watkins

- City hall: 111 Central Avenue  
320-764-6400
- Mayor: Dennis Loch
- Clerk: Debra Kramer
- City Hall Hours: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Monday-Friday
- Public Works Director:  
Steve Geislinger, 320-764-6400

### Townships

- Luxemburg Township  
Clerk Lee Bautch, 320-597-3255
- Maine Prairie Township  
Clerk Alice Robinson, 320-398-2905
- Forest Prairie Township  
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- Forest City Township  
Clerk Janet Bulau, 320-693-6579

## Health Care

### Hilltop Care Center

- 410 Luella Street, Watkins  
320-764-2260

### St. Anthony Manor

- 131 Church Street, Watkins  
320-764-5600

## Public Facilities

### Watkins Post Office

- 161 Cedar Avenue North, 320-764-6565  
Hours: Weekdays, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.  
and 1:30 - 4:30 p.m., Saturdays, 9 - 10 a.m.

### Watkins Village Hall

- 110 Central Avenue, 320-764-2880  
Hours: By appointment

### Watkins Swimming Pool

- 171 School Avenue S, 320-764-7946  
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### Lions Skating Park

- Church Street, 320-291-1974

## Education

### District 463:

#### Eden Valley-Watkins Public Schools

- Watkins Elementary School (ECFE-K)  
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- Early Childhood Family Education  
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## Events

- **Kraut & Wurst Days:**  
August 3 - 4
- **Picnic in the Park:**  
Mon., August 26
- **Watkins Sportsmen's Fishing Contest:**  
Sun., January 26
- **Watkins Easter Egg Hunt:**  
Sun., March 30
- **St Anthony Fish Fry:**  
Fri., April 11
- **Lions Bean Bag Tournament:**  
Sun., April 27

Full event details on pages 68-72



## RICHMOND



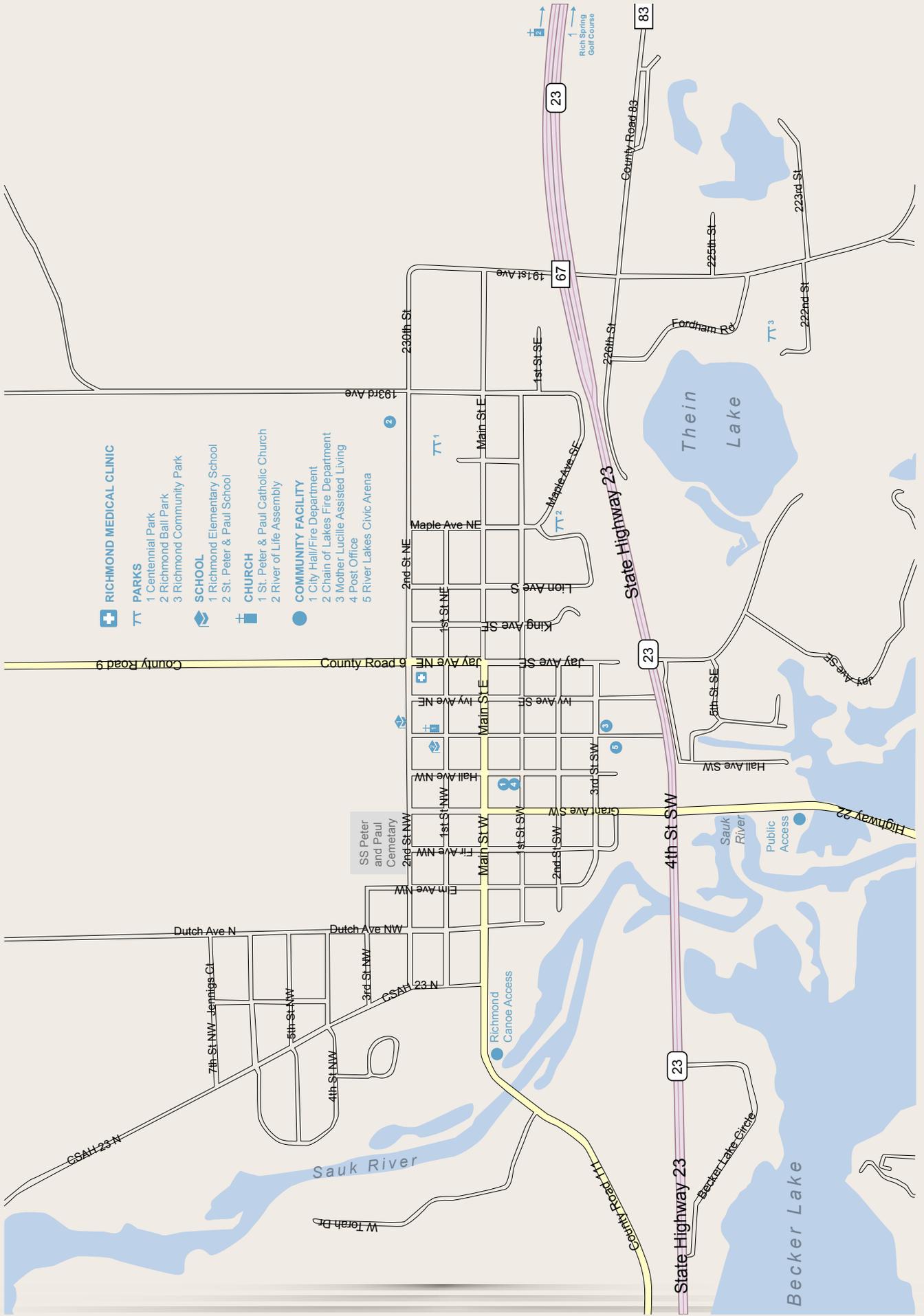
Situated at the head of the Horseshoe Chain of Lakes, Richmond is known as a community “rich in heritage and strong in small town values.” The area boasts close access to several beautiful lakes that provide opportunities for swimming, fishing, water skiing, boating, and canoeing.

Richmond also features access to the Glacial Lakes State Trail, as well as an indoor ice arena and opportunities for horseback riding, golf, tennis, camping, and snowmobiling.

The town is surrounded by beautiful country known for its fine retreat and vacationing facilities, including lakeside resorts. There are several parks in close vicinity, too.

Richmond is home to the annual Heart of Minnesota Fishing Tournament, Richmond Royals Baseball, River Lake Stars, and River Lake Days.

*(Information gathered from the Richmond Civic and Commerce Association website.)*



## Events

- **Music In The Park, Centennial Park:**  
Tue., June 11,  
June 25, July 9,  
July 23, Aug. 6,  
Aug. 20
- **Fishing Contest:**  
Sat., June 8
- **Relay for Life 5K Run:**  
Fri., June 14
- **Wild West Show:**  
Sat., June 15
- **Youth Fishing Contest:**  
Sun., June 23
- **River Lakes Days:**  
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- **10k/5k Run:**  
Sat., July 20
- **Bluegrass Festival:**  
August 8-11
- **Oktoberfest:**  
Sat., September 14
- **Kris Kringle Day:** TBA

Full event details on  
pages 68-72

## Clubs & Organizations

- American Legion (Richmond),  
Alvin Gertken, 320-597-7017
- American Legion Auxiliary,  
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- Christian Women,  
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### City of Richmond

- City Hall: 45 Hall Avenue SW  
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*(Information gathered from the City of Cold Spring's website.)*



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- 1 Cold Spring Medical Clinic
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- 1 Cold Spring Ballpark
- 2 Frogtown
- 3 Lions Park
- 4 Veterans Park
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- 2 City Hall
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- 5 Post Office
- 6 Public Library
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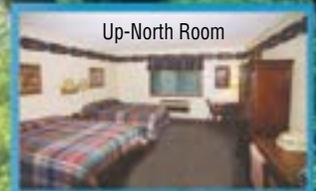
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### City of Cold Spring

- City Hall: 27 Red River Avenue S  
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ROCKVILLE

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soul,” visitors can enjoy the farmer’s market, local shops and restaurants, and the town’s annual Rock-Fest. Highlights of this event include live entertainment, tours, games, food, a parade, fireworks, and a cow-milking contest.

*(Information gathered from the City of Rockville’s website.)*

## Clubs & Organizations

- Cub Scouts, Bob Andruick, 320-685-7211
- Girl Scouts, Laurel Theis, 320-685-4524
- John Clark Parent-Teacher Club, Rachelle Parsons, 320-253-8423
- Rockville Area Sportsmen's Club, Jan Mick, 320-253-2917
- Rockville Business Association, Kathleen Stanger, 320-685-4031
- Rockville Lions Club, Daryl Steil, 320-252-6473

## Education

### District 750: ROCORI Public Schools

- John Clark Elementary | 415 W. Broadway, Rockville  
Shelly Muth, principal  
320-251-8651, Opt. 6

## Government

### City of Rockville

- City Hall: 229 Broadway Street E  
320-251-5836  
Website: rockvillecity.org
- Mayor: Jeff Hagen
- Administrator: Rena Weber
- Hours: Mondays-Fridays 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

## Public Facilities

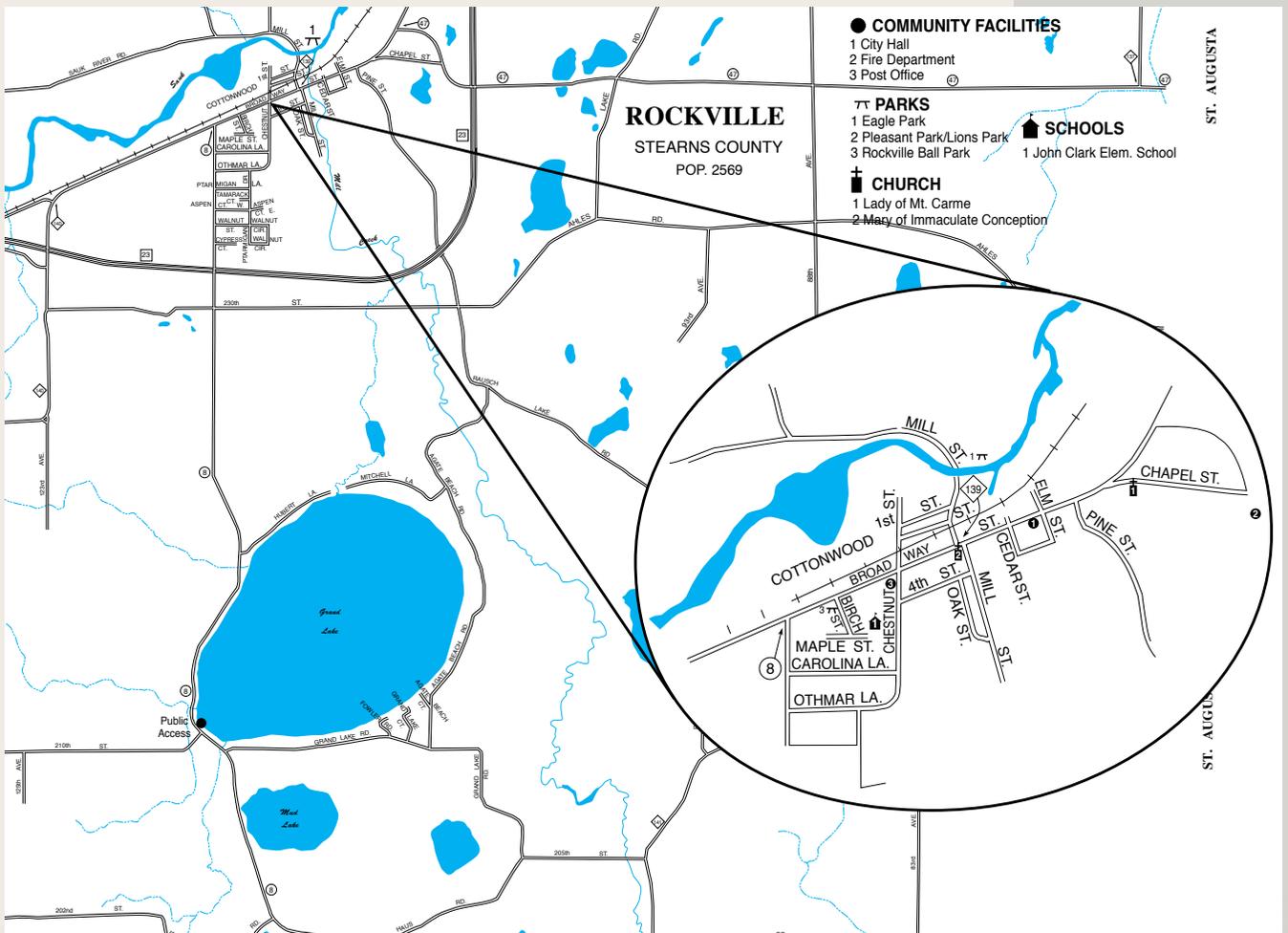
### Rockville Post Office (56369)

- 315 W. Broadway Street  
320-251-0176  
Hours: Weekdays, 8:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.;  
1:30 - 4:30 p.m. Saturdays, 8:30 - 9:45 a.m.

## Events

- Rockfest:  
Saturday, July 13

Full event details on pages 68-72



## MAY EVENTS

## COLD SPRING

- **Old Glory 5K Run/Walk: Saturday, May 18**
  - Cold Spring Baseball Park
  - Opening Ceremony, 9:45 a.m.
  - 5K Race, 10 a.m.
  - 1K Race, 11 a.m.
  - Awards, 11:30 a.m.
  - Closing Ceremony, 11:45 a.m.
- **Farmers Market: Beginning May 22**
  - Wednesday evenings (Baseball Field Parking Lot, Cold Spring), 3-6:30 p.m.

## PAYNESVILLE

- **Farmers Market: Beginning May 18**
  - Every Saturday until mid-October (Augusta Ave., North of James Street, downtown), 8 a.m. - 12 noon
- **Kid's Safety Fair: Saturday, May 25**
  - Paynesville Elementary School, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

## SPICER

- **Summer Concert Series: Mid May - Mid September**
  - Glacial Ridge Winery-15455 Old Mill Road, Spicer
  - 6:30-8:30 p.m., Free Admission
  - [www.glacialridgewinery.com](http://www.glacialridgewinery.com) or 320-796-9463

## JUNE EVENTS

## EDEN VALLEY

- **Manannah Daze: Saturday, June 1**
  - **Saturday, June 1**
    - Flea Market (Berry Blossom Farm), 8 a.m.
    - Volleyball Tourney, 9 a.m.
    - Parade, 10:30 a.m.
    - Kids Pedal Tractor and Miss Manannah Contest, after the parade
    - Bingo 12 - 3 p.m.
    - Horseshoe Tourney, 1 p.m.
    - Church Service at Church of Our Lady, 4 & 8 p.m.
    - Live Music (Wagon Wheelers), 6 - 10 p.m.
  - **Valley Daze: June 20 - 23**
    - **Thursday, June 20**
      - Family Night Kickoff, Watertower Park, 5 p.m.
    - **Friday, June 21**
      - Men's and Mixed Softball Tournament
      - Food Court 11 a.m.
      - Annandale Paintball 3 p.m. - Dusk
      - Bingo
      - Kiddie Parade 6:30 p.m.
      - Kids Tractor Pull 7 p.m.
      - "Bad Romance" at the Valley Inn 9 p.m. - 1 a.m.
      - DJ in Food Court 9 p.m. - 1 a.m.
      - Fireworks at Eden Valley Elementary 10 p.m.
      - Sponsored by Eden Valley Lions*
    - **Saturday, June 22**
      - 5K Run/Walk at Eden Valley Elementary 8 a.m.
      - Craft Fair 8 a.m.
      - Cloggers, inflatables, a 80 ft. zip-line, kids fest, mechanical bull, face painters, balloon twisters, juggler
      - Annandale Paintball 9 a.m. - Dusk
      - Car and Tractor Show 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.
      - Food and Beer Garden 11 a.m.
      - "Greg Michaels Band" in Food Court 9 p.m. - 1 a.m.
      - "Whiskey Tango" at the Valley Inn 9 p.m. - 1 a.m.
    - **Sunday, June 23**
      - Men's and Mixed Softball Tournament
      - Annual Fishing Contest (EV Sportsman's Club on Browns Lake) 11 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

- **Youth Fishing Contest: Sunday, June 23**

- EV Sportsman's Club on Browns Lake Open to ages 1-16  
11:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

## COLD SPRING

- **Peace Trail 5K Run/Walk: Saturday, June 22**
  - Peace Lutheran Church
  - Toddler Trot at 8:30 a.m., Kids 1K at 8:45 a.m., 5K at 9 a.m.

## LAKE HENRY

- **Lake Henry Hay Raze: June 14 - 15**
  - **Friday, June 14**
    - Bingo
    - Food and Drink Stands
  - **Saturday, June 15**
    - Tractor Parade

## NEW LONDON

- **Crow River Fishing Tourney: Saturday, June 8**
  - Rodvik Park; Greg Skindelien, 320-354-2423
- **Studio Hop: Saturday, June 15, and Sunday, June 16**
  - Various Locations, [www.studiohop.org](http://www.studiohop.org)
  - Visit local studios and meet the artists during this free event. An eclectic mix of artwork and the interesting collection of characters who create it.

## PAYNESVILLE

- **Women Anglers of Minnesota: Saturday, June 1**
  - 36th Annual Tournament, Bugbee Hive Resort, Lake Koronis, 5 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- **Insight for Hunger Picnic by Insight Eyewear: Saturday, June 8**
  - 5K Fun Run - Gazebo Park, 8 a.m. register, 9 a.m. start
  - Car Show (PAES playground), 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
  - Firemen's Waterball Fight (fire hall), 10 a.m. register, 11 a.m. start
  - Kids Games (Gazebo Park), 10:30 a.m. - 12 Noon
  - Insight for Hunger Picnic (Food Donation Appreciated), 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
  - Car Show Awards, 12:30 p.m.
  - Little Miss DQ/Little Mr. DQ, After awards, about 1 p.m.
- **Town and Country Days "What a Catch": June 9 - 13**
  - **Monday, June 10**
    - Golf Tournament - Koronis Hills Golf Club
    - [www.paynesvillechamber.org](http://www.paynesvillechamber.org)

- **Tuesday, June 11**
  - Pet Show (Koronis Manor), 10 a.m.
  - Carnival & Food Stands (downtown), 12 noon
  - Kiddie Parade, 12:30 p.m. register, 1 p.m. start, Manor to Gazebo Park
  - Pedal Tractor Pull, 6:30 registration, 7 p.m. start
  - Bed Races, TBA
- **Wednesday, June 12**
  - Carnival & Food Stands (downtown), 12 noon
  - Grand Parade, 7 p.m.  
(Lineup starts south side of railroad tracks)
- **Thursday, June 13**
  - Miss Paynesville Pageant (Auditorium), 7 p.m.
- **Concert in the Park: Thursdays in June**
  - At Veteran's Memorial Park, Lake Koronis
- **Thursday, June 20** ("5 Star Band"), 6 p.m.
- **Thursday, June 27** ("Sizzlin' Swing"), 6 p.m.
- **Relay for Life: June 21 - 22**
  - **Friday, June 21**
    - Opening Ceremony (PAHS Parking Lot), 6 p.m.
    - Luminary Ceremony (PAHS Parking Lot), 10 p.m.
  - **Saturday, June 22**
    - Closing Ceremony (PAHS Parking Lot), 6 a.m.

**RICHMOND**

- **Music In The Park, Centennial Park:**
  - **Tue., June 11**, TBA, 7 - 8:30 p.m.
  - **Tue., June 25**, TBA, 7 - 8:30 p.m.
- **Fishing Contest: Saturday, June 8**
  - Heart of Minnesota Fishing Tourney, 6 a.m.  
[www.heartofmnfish.com](http://www.heartofmnfish.com)

- Weigh-in at Cozy Corners (Long Lake), 4:30 p.m.
- **Relay For Life 5K: June 14**
- **Wild West Show: June 15-16**
  - El Rancho Manana, Co. Rd. 9, Richmond
- **Saturday, June 15, 12 noon**
  - This event includes Cancan girls and mini cancan girls, skits and shootouts, wild west reenactments by Wild Creek Entertainment with main shootout at dusk.
  - Vendors & food booths, kid games, horse and wagon rides
  - DJ and local talent
- **Saturday, June 16**
  - Cowboy Service, 9 a.m.
  - Breakfast to follow
- **Richmond Rod & Gun Club Youth Fishing Contest: Sunday, June 23**
  - Fishing (Any Lake), Starts at Sunrise - 3 p.m.
  - Registration (EV Sportsman's Club on Brown's Lake), 11 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

**ST. MARTIN**

- **St. Martin Parish Festival: Saturday, June 22**
  - 5k Walk/Run, 10 a.m.
  - PeeWee Tourney, 10 a.m.
  - Food Stands and Beer Garden, 11:30 a.m.
  - Bean Bag Tournament, 12:30 p.m.
  - Polka Mass, 4 p.m.
  - Live Music (St. Martin Band), 5 - 6:30 p.m.
  - Quilt Auction, 6:30 p.m.
  - Raffle Drawing, 8 p.m.
  - Live Music ("Smokin' Guns"), 8:30 p.m. - 1 a.m.

**JULY EVENTS**

**EDEN VALLEY**

- **Eden Valley Sportsmen's Club: Sun., July 28**
  - 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**COLD SPRING**

- **Hometown Pride Festival: July 26-27**
  - **Friday, July 26**
    - Kid's Carnival, 9 a.m. - 12 noon
    - Kids Games/inflatables 12 noon - 4 p.m.
    - Community Wide Garage Sales  
Check the Cold Spring Record for locations
    - Art Show, 9 am- 3 pm (DEF Building)
    - Friends of the Library Book Sale, 10 am- 5 pm (Cold Spring City Hall)
    - Loveable Pet Contest, 12:00 noon (Cold Spring Veterinary Clinic parking lot)
    - Free 40 x 8 Train Rides, Time TBD
    - Medallion Hunt 1:00 p.m. (Clues at American Family)
    - Art & Craft Sale, 4-9 p.m. (Main Street)
    - Human Truck Pull, 6:00 pm (East Main Street)
    - Belt Sander Races, 7:00pm (Downtown Cold Spring)
    - FREE Concert by "Smok'n Guns" 8:30p.m. (Cold Spring Legion Parking Lot)
  - **Saturday, July 27**
    - Community Wide Garage Sales  
Check the Cold Spring Record for locations

- Red River Run, 8:00 am (Rocori High School)
- Art Show, 9 am- 3 pm (DEF Building)
- 34th Annual Cars by the Creek  
Car Show, Classic Snowmobiles, and Tractors  
7:30 am-3:00 pm (Grounds of the ROCORI DEF Building)
- Free 40 x 8 Train Rides, Time TBD
- Arts & Craft Sale, 9 am-4 pm (Main Street)
- Kids Games/inflatables, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
- Turtle Race, 10 a.m. (Cold Spring Legion Parking Lot)
- Friends of the Library Book Sale, 10 am- 1 p.m. (Cold Spring City Hall)
- Brewery Tours, 11:00 am- 2:00 pm (Third Street Brewhouse)
- Music by Max & the Boys, Noon to 4 p.m. (Cold Spring Legion Parking Lot)
- Cupcake Eating Contest, 1:00 p.m. (MainStreet)
- FireFest, Gates Open 4:00pm (Cold Spring Brewing Distribution Center)

**NEW LONDON**

- **New London Water Days: Thursday, July 18-Sunday, July 21**
  - Downtown New London
  - Featuring a grand parade, games, races, crafts and food vendors, sidewalk sales, fireworks, street dance, & more.
  - April, 320-354-4983 or Sharon, 320-354-4418.

## PAYNESVILLE

- **Concert in the Park: Thursdays in July**
  - At Veteran's Memorial Park, Lake Koronis
  - **Thursday, July 4** - (Nicole Mykkanen), 6 p.m.
  - **Thursday, July 11** - ("Gig Noonan"), 6 p.m.
  - **Thursday, July 18** - ("Froemming Family Band), 6 p.m.
- **Fourth of July Events: July 6**
  - **Saturday, July 6** - Boat Parade, Lake Koronis, 1 p.m. (Start at Koronis Ministries)
  - Fireworks (First Island on Lake Koronis), 10 p.m.
- **Car Cruise & Cycle Night: Friday, July 12**
  - Paynesville Dairy Queen
- **Family Fun Night: Wednesday, July 24**
  - Paynesville Dairy Queen, 5 - 8 p.m.
  - Silent Auction, Kid's Games, Karaoke, Food
  - Benefit for Children's Miracle Network
- **Crazy Day: Friday, July 26**
  - Paynesville Area Stores, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- **58th Annual Flower Show: Saturday, July 27**
  - Paynesville Area Center, 1 - 4 p.m.

## RICHMOND

- **Music In The Park, Centennial Park:**
  - **Tue., July 9** - TBA, 7 - 8:30 p.m.
  - **Tue., July 23** - TBA, 7 - 8:30 p.m.
- **River Lakes Days: July 18 - 21**
  - Buttons required for all events & for nightly drawings.
  - **Thursday, July 18**
    - City-wide Garage Sales, all 3 days
    - Flea Market, 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
  - **Friday, July 19**
    - Garage & Street Sales, Flea Market, 7:30 a.m.
    - Golf Tourney 2 p.m.
    - Music (Old-time jam session), 4:30 - 7 p.m.
    - Food Stands, Beer Garden, 5 p.m.
    - Jr. Royalty Pageant, 6 p.m.
    - Timberworks Lumberjack Show, 7 p.m.
    - Bingo (Parish Center), 8:30 p.m.
    - Entertainment at Church Grounds (Smok'n Guns), 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m.
    - Button Drawings, 9 p.m.
  - **Saturday, July 20**
    - Country Store, Sidewalk Sales, 8 a.m.
    - Car & Tractor Show, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
    - Little League Tournament, 9 a.m.
    - Sand Volleyball Tourney, 9 a.m.
    - Arts and Crafts & Book Sale (Parish Center), 9 a.m.
    - 10K/5K Run (Civic Center), 9 a.m.
    - Kids Pedal Tractor Pull, 10:30 a.m.
    - Taekwon Do, Performance, 12 noon
    - Animal Expo, 11 a.m.
    - Train Rides, 12:30 - 3 p.m.
    - Bluegrass & Old-Time Music, 1 - 4 p.m.
    - Kids Money Hunt, 1 p.m.
    - Horse/Trailer Rides, 1 - 3 p.m.
    - Kiddie Parade, lead by llamas, 1 p.m.
    - Beer Garden/Food Booths, All Day
    - Outdoor Mass, 4:30 p.m.

- Grand Parade, 6:30 p.m.
- Button Prize Drawings, 8:30 p.m.
- Music by White Ties, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.
- Fireworks, At Dusk
- **Sunday, July 21**
  - Breakfast (Parish Center), 8:30 a.m. - 12 noon

## ROCKVILLE

- **Rockfest (Rockville) "Breast Cancer Awareness": Saturday, July 13**
  - Events at John Clark Elementary School.
  - Fishing Contest (Grand & Pleasant Lakes), 7 - 11 a.m.
  - 5K/1K Walk Run - 10 a.m.
  - Food Stands, Noon - 5 p.m.
  - Introduction of Pageant Royalty and Grand Marshals, 1 p.m.
  - Free Town Trolley Rides, 1 - 5 p.m.
  - Games & Train Rides, 1 - 5 p.m.
  - Pony Rides, 1 - 5 p.m.
  - Fishing Pond, 1 - 5 p.m.
  - Medallion Hunt, Starts at 1 p.m.
  - Tours, 1 - 4 p.m. (Business, Community, Ag)
  - Milking Contest, 1 p.m.
  - Kids Tractor Pull, 3 p.m.
  - Parade, 6 p.m.
  - Live Entertainment, 1 - 5 p.m.
  - Street Dance & Beer Garden (Downtown) Featuring the band "Pandemic", 8 p.m. - midnight
  - Fireworks, Dusk
  - Co-Rec Softball Tourney, Fri. - Sun.

## SPICER

- **Spicer 4th of July Celebration: July 3-6**
  - **Wednesday, July 3**
    - Street Dance, 9 p.m.-12:30 a.m.
    - Downtown Spicer
  - **Thursday, July 4**
    - Flea Market, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
    - Petting Zoo and Pony Rides, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
    - Fish Fry at Westwood Cafe, 4 - 8 p.m.
    - DJ and Dancing at Zorbaz on Green Lake 10 p.m. - 12 a.m.
  - **Saturday, July 6**
    - Hoops by the Lake 3-on-3 Basketball, 9 a.m.-6 p.m., in the Saulsbury Beach parking lot
    - Flea Market, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
    - Petting Zoo and Pony Rides, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
    - DJ and Dancing at Zorbaz on Green Lake, 10 p.m.-12 a.m..
- **Green Lake Road Race: Sunday, July 7**
  - 8 a.m.-11 a.m. (Zorbaz on Saulsbury Beach)
  - 12 miles on asphalt roadside around Green Lake
  - (320) 894-5882-Dan Hubbard
  - [www.greenlakeroadrace.com](http://www.greenlakeroadrace.com)

## AUGUST EVENTS

### EDEN VALLEY

- **Mid Summer Blast: Sat., August 10**
  - Advanced ticket \$15 • Tickets at the door \$25
  - All profits raised will go to the Eden Valley Community Group
  - See ad on page 47 for event details.

### COLD SPRING

- **Great Northern Theatre:**
  - Aug. 1-3 & Aug. 7-9, 7:30 p.m., Aug. 4, 2 p.m.
  - "Guys and Dolls"
  - (Smith Auditorium, ROCORI High School)
- **St. Boniface Parish Festival**
  - "Let Hime Be Seen in 2013: August 17-18"
  - **Saturday, Aug. 17**
    - Bluegrass Mass, 5 p.m.
    - Drink/Food Stands, Start at 6 p.m.
    - Live Music "Hog Wild", Starts at 7 p.m.
    - Fireworks, At Dusk
  - **Sunday, Aug. 18**
    - Parade, 10 a.m.
    - Dinner, 11 a.m.
    - Music, 1-6 p.m.
    - Raffle Drawing, 6 pm.

### NEW LONDON

- **New London to New Brighton**
  - Antique Car Run: Aug. 7 - Aug. 10**
  - [www.anticquecarrun.org](http://www.anticquecarrun.org)
  - 120 mile tour of beautiful Minnesota countryside
  - three days of shorter tours before Saturday's Grand Tour
  - Food and Fellowship at five stops along the route
- **New London Fine Arts Festival: Aug. 16 & Aug. 17**
  - 1st Avenue S.W. to Norwood Street, New London
  - 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
  - Features a variety of artists displaying and selling their wares.
  - Arthur Norby, 320-354-4131, [www.newlondonfineart.com](http://www.newlondonfineart.com)
- **New London Music Festival: Saturday, Aug. 17**
  - A family-friendly day of eclectic music in Neer Park, New London, 12 noon to 6 p.m.
  - Tickets are \$10; Children 15 and under are free
  - [www.newlondonmusicfestival.com](http://www.newlondonmusicfestival.com)
  - 320-212-4405; [newlondonmusicfestival@gmail.com](mailto:newlondonmusicfestival@gmail.com)

### PAYNESVILLE

- **Car Cruise & Cycle Night: Friday, August 9**
  - Paynesville Dairy Queen
- **Fly-In Breakfast & Air Show: Sunday, Aug. 11**
  - Breakfast, Starts at 7:30 a.m.
- **Salem Fest: Sunday, Aug. 11**
  - Historic Salem Church - Program, 2 p.m.

- **Harvest Market Day: Saturday, Aug. 17**
  - Deals and Crafts (downtown), 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.
  - Pie and Cake Contest
- **Healthy Strides Walk/Run: Sunday, Aug. 18**
  - PAHCS and American Diabetes Association
  - Register at [www.pahcs.com](http://www.pahcs.com)
- **Paynesville Memorial Bike Ride: Saturday, Aug. 24**

### RICHMOND

- **Music In The Park, Centennial Park:**
  - **Tue., Aug. 6** - TBA, 7-8:30 p.m.
  - **Tue., Aug. 20** - TBA, 7-8:30 p.m.
- **Bluegrass Festival: August 8-11**
  - at El Rancho Manana, Co. Rd. 9, Richmond

### ROSCOE

- **Roscoe Fun Day : Saturday, Aug. 10**
  - Concessions / Beer Gardens, 2:30 p.m. - midnight
  - Parade (Free entry), 3:30 p.m.
  - Kids Games, after parade
  - Bingo, after parade
  - Bean Bag Tournament (Register 4:30) start at 5 p.m.
  - Volleyball Tournament (start time pending)
  - Pork Chop Supper, 4-8 p.m.
  - Street Dance, 8 p.m. - midnight
  - Flea Market (Vendors Wanted) \$25 per station
  - Call for Information: Mary 320-250-6603

### SPICER

- **Green Lake Triathlon: Aug. 10-11**
  - **Saturday, Aug. 10**
    - Kids Triathlon, 8 a.m. (register) 9 a.m. start
    - Swim, Bike, Run, [www.greenlakekidstri.com](http://www.greenlakekidstri.com)
  - **Sunday, Aug. 11**
    - Olympic/Sprint Courses (Saulsbury Beach), 8 a.m.-11 a.m.
    - [www.greenlaketri.com](http://www.greenlaketri.com)

### WATKINS

- **Kraut & Wurst Days: August 3-4**
  - McCarthy Park
- **Picnic in the Park: August 26**
  - McCarthy Park

## SEPTEMBER EVENTS

### NEW LONDON

- **Prairie Pothole Day: Saturday, Sept. 8**
  - Stoney Ridge Farm - 20901 N.E. Highway 71, New London
  - Play games, learn about the environment, and maybe win a raffle or two
  - [www.prairiepotholeday.com](http://www.prairiepotholeday.com); Roger, 320-354-2418
- **New London Fall Festival: Sept. 20 & 21**
  - Main Street, New London
  - Enjoy fashion, food, and fun at this bi-annual New London retailers event.

### PAYNESVILLE

- **Friday the 13th Evening: Friday, Sept. 13**
  - Downtown Paynesville
- **Moonlight Madness: Saturday, Sept. 28**
  - Downtown Paynesville, 6:30 - 9 p.m.
- **Car Cruise & Cycle Night: Friday, Sept. 13**
  - Paynesville Dairy Queen

### RICHMOND

- **Oktoberfest: Saturday, September 14**
  - Richmond Civic Arena, 10 a.m.-10 p.m.
  - Music, Arts & Crafts Booths, Beer Garden, Food, Children's Activities

### SPICER

- **Prairie Woods Environmental Learning Center: TBA**
  - Open House, [www.prairiewoodselc.org](http://www.prairiewoodselc.org)
  - 320-354-5894
- **Grape Stomp: Saturday, September 14**
  - Glacial Ridge Winery-15455 Old Mill Road, Spicer
  - Free Admission, 320-796-9463
  - [www.glacialridgewinery.com](http://www.glacialridgewinery.com)

## OCTOBER and NOVEMBER EVENTS

### PAYNESVILLE

- **Tricks & Treating: Saturday, Oct. 26**
  - Downtown Paynesville, 8 a.m.-12 Noon
- **"Savor the Holiday": Sunday, Nov. 24**
  - Discount Sunday, Holiday Breakfast, Santa

### NEW LONDON

- **New London Home for the Holidays: Nov. 15 & 16**
  - Main Street, New London
  - Shop New London for that hometown holiday feeling as you join the businesses for their annual holiday kickoff.
  - Featuring music, holiday gifts, decorations, and more
  - For more information, call the Mill Pond Mercantile at 320-354-5557 or visit [shoppingnewlondon.com](http://shoppingnewlondon.com)

## DECEMBER, JANUARY and FEBRUARY EVENTS

### PAYNESVILLE

- **Historic Salem Christmas: Saturday, Dec. 21**

### RICHMOND

- **Kris Kringle Day: TBA**
  - Richmond Civic Arena
  - Santa and Open Skating, 1-3 p.m.

### SPICER

- **Spicer Winterfest: Weekends Jan.-Feb. 2014**
  - [www.spicermn.com](http://www.spicermn.com)
  - Snowmobile runs, ice fishing tournaments, polar plunge, and more

### WATKINS

- **Watkin's Sportmen's Fishing Contest - Clear Lake: January 26**

# Lakes Area CHURCH DIRECTORY



## Cold Spring, Richmond, Rockville

### Assemblies of God

#### RIVER OF LIFE

22881 178th Avenue, Cold Spring  
(Just off Highway 23 between Cold Spring and Richmond)

Senior pastor Dennis Curran; Pastor Kirby St. John

[www.riveroflifeag.org](http://www.riveroflifeag.org)

Worship Services: Saturdays, 5 p.m.; Sundays, 9 and 10:30 a.m.

### Catholic

#### ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

22881 178th Avenue, Cold Spring  
501 Main Street, Cold Spring

Father Cletus Connors, O.S.B.

[www.stboniface.com](http://www.stboniface.com)

Masses: Saturdays, 5 p.m.; Sundays, 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.;

Spanish: Sundays, 1 p.m.

#### STS. PETER AND PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

110 Central Avenue N, Richmond

Father Stephen Beauclair, O.S.B.

[www.ssprr.com](http://www.ssprr.com)

Masses: Saturdays, 4:30 p.m.; Sundays, 8:30 a.m.

### Lutheran

#### GLORIA DEI LUTHERAN CHURCH

601 Red River Avenue S, Cold Spring (ELS)

Pastor Cory Hahnke

[www.gloriadeicoldspring.org](http://www.gloriadeicoldspring.org)

Worship Services: Sundays, 9 a.m. (June–Aug.);

Sundays, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m. (Sept.–May)

#### PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

1000 Red River Ave., Cold Spring (ELCA)

Pastor Mark Astrup

[www.peacelutherancoldspring.com](http://www.peacelutherancoldspring.com)

Worship Services: Sundays, 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. (Sept. – May)

Sundays, 9 a.m. (June–Aug.)

## New London/Spicer

### Catholic

#### OUR LADY OF THE LAKES

6680 153rd Avenue NE, Spicer

Father Steve Verhelst

[olol.ourlivingwater.org](http://olol.ourlivingwater.org)

Worship Services: Saturdays, 5 p.m.; Sundays, 10 a.m.

Weekday Mass: Tuesday–Friday, 8:30 a.m.

### Covenant

#### EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH

208 Main Street N, New London

Pastor Kevin Melin

Worship Services: Sundays, 10:30 a.m.

### Lutheran

#### FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

310 Medayto Drive, Spicer (ELCA)

Pastor Mark Kopka

[www.faithspicer.org](http://www.faithspicer.org)

Worship Services: Saturdays, 5:30 p.m.;

Sundays, 8:30 a.m. and 10:35 a.m.

(Summer): Saturdays, 5:30 p.m. at Green Lake Bible Camp; Sundays, 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. at Green Lake Bible Camp; and Sundays, 10:35 a.m. at Faith Lutheran.

#### EAST NORWAY LAKE LUTHERAN CHURCH & FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH OF NORWAY LAKE

New London (ELCA)

Pastor Wayne D. Kopitzke

[www.norwaylakeparish.org](http://www.norwaylakeparish.org)

Summer Worship Services (May – August) 8:45 a.m. (at churches)

and 11 a.m. at Games Lake Park #7

Worship Services (Sept – May) 8:45 and 11 a.m.

(churches rotate each week)

#### LIVING WORD LUTHERAN

16245 Co. Rd. 9 NE, New London

New London (LCMS)

Pastor David Dauk

[www.livingwordlutheran.net](http://www.livingwordlutheran.net)

Worship Services: Sundays, 10 a.m.

#### PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

100 4th Ave. SW, New London (ELCA)

Pastor Keith Pearson

[www.peacenewlondon.org](http://www.peacenewlondon.org)

Worship Services: Sundays, 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

(Summer): 8 a.m. at Peace, 9:30 a.m. at Sibley State Park

### Methodist

#### CROSSROADS COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST

3400 113th Avenue NE, Spicer

Pastor Randy Koppen

Worship Services: Sundays, 9:30 a.m.

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### Presbyterian

#### HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

7730 North Shore Drive, Spicer

Pastor Rev. Dr. Candace Adams

[www.hopechurchspicer.org](http://www.hopechurchspicer.org)

Worship Services: Sundays, 10 a.m. (Memorial

Day to Labor Day): 8:30 a.m. in Hopewood Chapel;

10:30 a.m. in sanctuary

#### SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST

104 Birch Street on the Pond, New London

Pastor John Morrison

Worship services, Saturdays, 11 a.m.



## Paynesville

### Assembly of God

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Roger Schaumann, Worship Leader

Josh and Tami Zwiefel, Youth Leaders

Veronica Soine, Children and Family Ministries

[www.crystalhillag.org](http://www.crystalhillag.org)

Sunday: Sunday School (Except August): 9:30 a.m.,

Worship Service & Children's Church: 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday: (Sept.-May) "Take a Night Off" dinner: 6 -6:30 p.m.  
activities for all ages: 7 p.m.

### Baptist

#### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

620 Lake Ave. S, Paynesville

Sunday: Worship Service: 8:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

### Bible

#### PAYNESVILLE BIBLE CHURCH

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Worship Service: 11 a.m.

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Thursdays: Mass: 8 a.m.

### ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC CHURCH

505 Burr St., Paynesville

Father Glenn Krystosek

[www.saintalm.org](http://www.saintalm.org)

Saturday: Mass: 4 p.m.

Sunday: Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Weekdays: Mass: 8 a.m. (Mon. & Wed.)

### ST. MARGARET'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Tuesdays: Mass: 8 a.m.

### ST. MARTIN CATHOLIC CHURCH

119 Maine St., St. Martin

Father Stephen Beauclair

Sunday: Mass: 10:15 a.m.

Thursdays: Mass: 8 a.m.

## Evangelical

### PAYNESVILLE EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

24075 Roseville Rd., Paynesville

(2.5 miles SW on Highway 23)

[www.paynesvillefree.com](http://www.paynesvillefree.com)

Sunday: Worship: 10 a.m.

Wednesdays: Family Night Activities: 7 p.m. (Sept.-May)

## Lutheran

### NORDLAND LUTHERAN CHURCH

18510 180th Ave. NE, Paynesville – 8 miles SW of Paynesville

(ELCA) [www.nordlandlutheran.org](http://www.nordlandlutheran.org)

Pastor Rob Kempainen

Sunday (June–Aug.): Worship: 9 a.m. Fellowship hour follows

Sunday (Sept.–May): Sunday School and Fellowship Hour: 9:15 a.m.

Worship: 10:30 a.m.

### PAYNESVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH (ELCA)

657 Maple St. – Hwy. 55 & Maple St., Paynesville

(ELCA) [www.paynesvillelutheran.org](http://www.paynesvillelutheran.org)

Pastor Dan Dornfeld

Pastor Paul Shumaker

Sunday (June–Aug.): Worship: 9 a.m. Fellowship: 10 a.m.

Sunday (Sept. – May): Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 10:15 a.m.

Fellowship: 9:30 a.m., iQuest: 9:45 a.m.

WEDNESDAY (Sept.–May):

iQuest: 3:10 p.m., Dinner: 5 p.m. Worship: 6 p.m.

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17330 195th Ave. NE, Hawick

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Pastor Kathy Teststra

Sunday (April–July) Worship: 9 a.m.

Sunday (Aug.–Nov.) Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.



## Methodist

### GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

500 River St., Hwy. 23 Paynesville

Pastor Ric Koehn

Director of Youth and Family Ministries, Mary Jane Kane

[www.paynesvillegraceumc.org](http://www.paynesvillegraceumc.org)

Saturday: Summer (June–August) 5 p.m. at Koronis Ministries

Sunday (June–August): Worship: 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.

Sunday (September–May): Worship: 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Coffee Fellowship, 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday G.E. (Sept.–May),

Meal: 5:45 p.m., Gathering 6:30 p.m.

Classes (Grades 6–12): 6:45 p.m.

### HAWICK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

15988 232nd Ave. NE, Hawick

Rev. Joe Carpenter

Sunday: Worship: 11 a.m.

## Eden Valley & Watkins

### Catholic

#### ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

464 State Street, Eden Valley

Father Jerome Naduvathaniyil

[www.churchoftheassumptionedenvalley.org](http://www.churchoftheassumptionedenvalley.org)

Worship Services: Saturdays, 5 p.m.

Sundays, 8 and 10 a.m.

#### CHURCH OF OUR LADY

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Monsignor Francis Garvey

Worship Services: Saturdays, 4 & 8 p.m.,

Sundays, 9:15 a.m.

### Church of God

#### EDEN VALLEY CHURCH OF GOD

553 Maple Street, Eden Valley

Worship Services: 10 a.m.

### Lutheran

#### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

852 Stearns Avenue West, Eden Valley (LCMS)

Pastore Bryan Hopfensperger

Worship Services: Sundays, 9:30 a.m.

### United Church of Christ

#### PEACE CHURCH

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### SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

**Saturday worship 5 p.m. at Assembly Grounds**

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Contact church office for more details on any of these events

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3 miles west of Paynesville on Hwy. 23,  
18510 180th Ave. NE, Rural Paynesville, MN 56362

**320-276-8283**

*email: [nordland@tds.net](mailto:nordland@tds.net)*



- **Summer Worship: May 26-Sept. 1 at 9 a.m.**  
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- **Regular Worship: Sept. 8 through May 25, 2014**
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  - **Worship 10:30 a.m.**
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