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Shake off the sand south of the Indiana Dunes and dig up real savings with the Indiana Dunes Deals Pass. **With discounts ranging from a free scoop of ice cream to savings on activities, you're sure to find something to enjoy.** How many partner locations can you redeem your discounts at?



HOW IT WORKS



Receive a text/e-mail with a passport link



Redeem your discounts at partner locations



Show your phone at partner locations to redeem savings

Scan the QR code to sign up OR visit IndianaDunes.com/Experiences to get your pass



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Indiana Dunes Tourism is the official destination marketing organization for the Indiana Dunes area/Porter County, IN.



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Indiana Dunes VISITOR CENTER

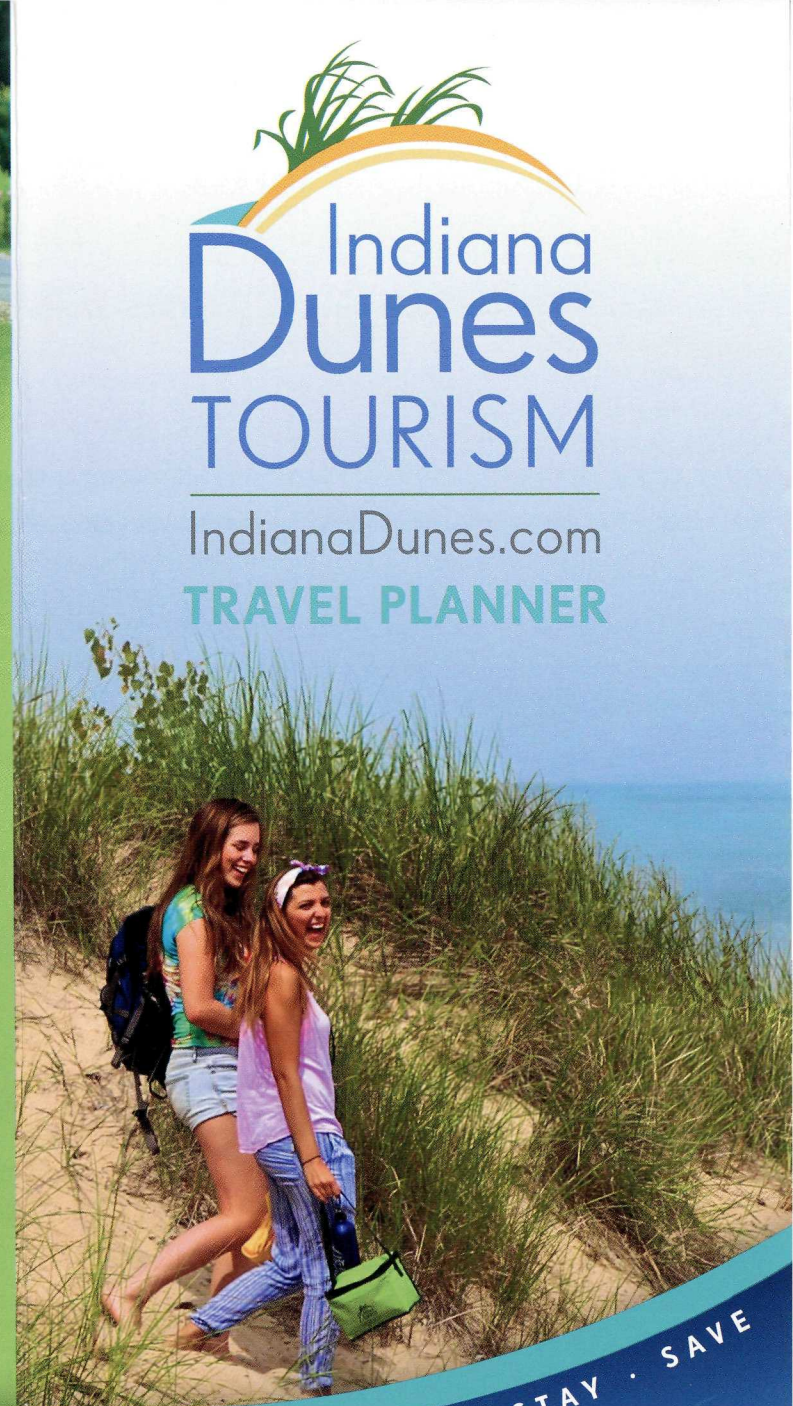
Start your trip at the Visitor Center with:

- The purchase of a National Park pass
- Helpful advice from our destination ambassadors
- Guides and brochures for all ages and interests
- Short films in our theater and an exhibit hall
- Restrooms and a water bottle refill station
- Access to the Dunes-Kankakee Trail
- A gift shop and art walk with photo opportunities
- Self-guided Tree Trail and Indigenous Cultural Trail



1215 N. State Rd. 49, Porter, IN
219-926-2255

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8am-6pm Memorial Day to Labor Day
8:30am-4:30pm Labor Day to Memorial Day



Indiana Dunes TOURISM

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INDIANA DUNES & LAKE MICHIGAN

With 15-miles of Lake Michigan coastline, explore all the Indiana Dunes area has to offer, from sandy beaches to towering sand dunes. Then go beyond the beach to great lodging, dining, shopping, and attractions.

Indiana Dunes State Park

A state park surrounded by a national park, the Indiana Dunes State Park is 2,182 acres of dunes, marshes, swamps, hardwood forests, white pine groves, and a lifeguarded beach. The park has 16.5 miles of trails, including Trail 9—named the best place to hike in Indiana by *USA Today*—and offers camping, picnicking, and showers, as well as a snack bar, camp store, and park naturalists at the Nature Center. There is an entry fee, but annual passes are available.

1600 N. 25 East, Chesterton
(State Rd. 49, north of U.S. 12)
Lifeguards on duty Memorial Day
to Labor Day; weekends only
after mid-August.

Handicap accessible



The 3 DUNE Challenge

Do you have what it takes to climb the three highest sand dunes at the Indiana Dunes State Park? Hike Mt. Jackson, Mt. Holden, and Mt. Tom for a total of 552 vertical feet.

Indiana Dunes State Park
1600 N. 25 East, Chesterton
indianadunes.com/3dc



After you conquer the 1.5-mile challenge, head to the Indiana Dunes Visitor Center, outside of the State Park, for your free sticker and to purchase a T-shirt or hoodie.

Indiana Dunes Visitor Center
1215 N. State Rd. 49
Handicap accessible
indianadunes.com/visitorcenter

Indiana Dunes National Park

There are multiple Indiana Dunes National Park sites for beach fun and outdoor adventures, and they all share the same entry fee. Here are a few of our favorite places to visit within the National Park:

Bailly Homestead & Chellberg Farm

Chellberg Farm tells the story of early Swedish farmers who lived there in the late 1800s and early 1900s. After viewing the farm, hike to the nearby Bailly Homestead, named for Joseph Bailly, the first known non-indigenous region resident, who set up a fur-trading post here around 1820. The restored Mnoké Prairie, Little Calumet River, and Bailly Cemetery are also nearby.

618 N. Mineral Springs Rd., Porter



Kemil Beach

Experience one of our most scenic drives on your way to the Kemil Road Beach parking lots. Then, enjoy the stretch of beach or walk down to the Lake View Picnic Area.

27 N. East State Park Rd., Chesterton
Handicap accessibility at Lake View area only



Mount Baldy & Beach

The largest “living” dune in the National Park, Mount Baldy moves about four feet every year, burying everything in its path, including trees. While the beach is open year-round, all hikes to the summit must be led by authorized rangers.

101 Rice St. (U.S. Hwy. 12), Michigan City



Portage Lakefront & Riverwalk

Formerly an industrial site, this 57-acre area features an enclosed pavilion with seasonal food services and restrooms, as well as a handicap-accessible trail, fishing pier, and kayak launch. A breakwater also provides easy access for fishing, bird watching, and sightseeing.

6150 U.S. Hwy. 12 (100 Riverwalk Rd.), Portage

Handicap accessible

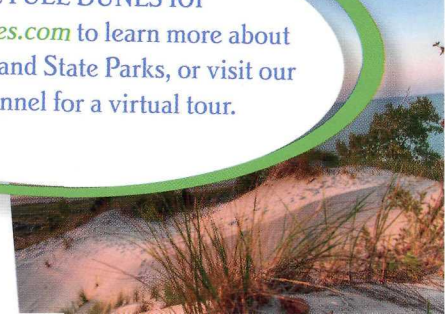


West Beach & Diana of the Dunes Dare

A bathhouse, a huge swath of sand, and a stationed summer lifeguard make this beach one of the most popular Lake Michigan spots. For inland fun, climb the 250+ stairs of the Diana of the Dunes Dare and Dunes Succession Trail with interdunal ponds and a mile-long boardwalk.

376 N. County Line Rd., Gary
Lifeguards on duty Memorial Day
to Labor Day

Handicap accessible
indianadunes.com/dd

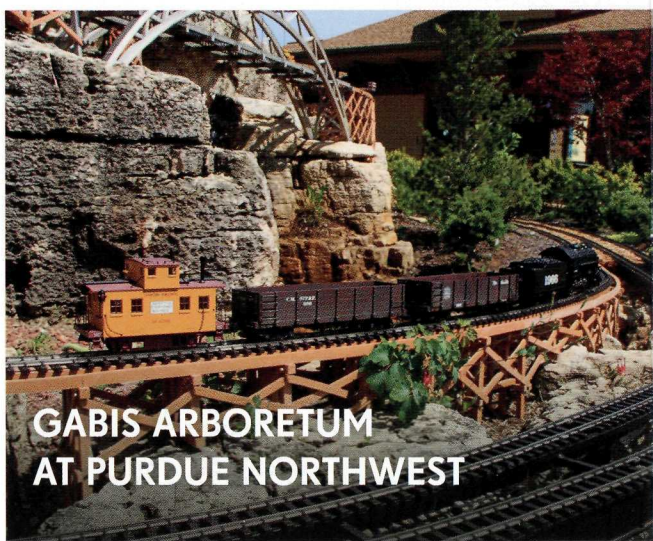


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Visit IndianaDunes.com to learn more about both the National and State Parks, or visit our YouTube channel for a virtual tour.

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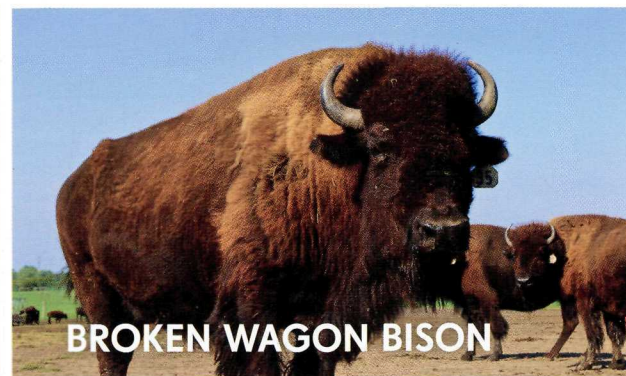
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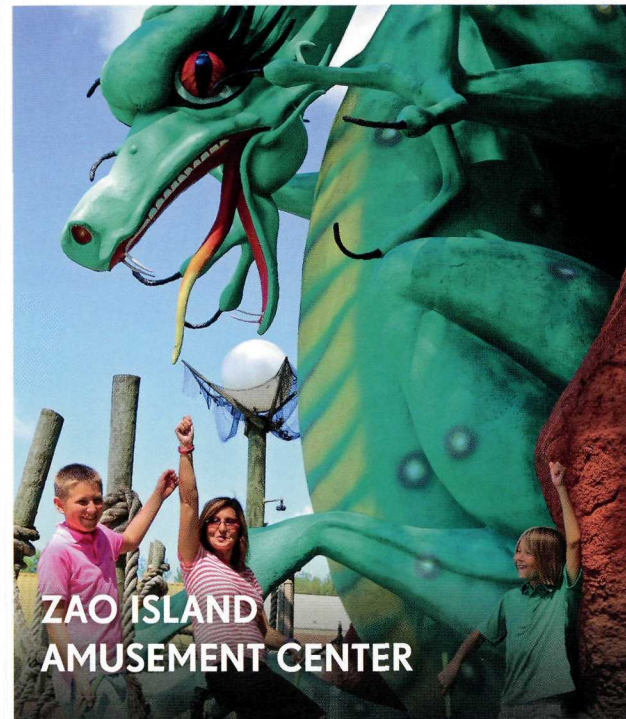
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MEMORIAL OPERA HOUSE



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INDIANA DUNES IS A PET-FRIENDLY DESTINATION

49er Drive-In Theatre

Experience a blast from the past at one of the top drive-ins in the nation. Open weekends in April, May, and September. Open every night Memorial Day weekend to the third week in August. Show starts at dusk.

675 N. Calumet Ave., Valparaiso
219-462-6122
49erdrivein.com



Bass Pro Shops

This 130,000-square-foot store has everything for outdoor enthusiasts, including boats, fishing gear, and hunting equipment. There is also a giant fish tank, arcade shooting range, and dozens of natural wildlife displays.

6425 Daniel Burnham Dr., Portage
219-787-6800
basspro.com



Broken Wagon Bison

Get up close and personal with our country's largest native land mammal at this family-owned bison farm. Take a wagon tour to see a herd of more than 100 bison. Afterward, purchase a variety of bison meat products and gifts. Two one-hour tours are offered every Saturday in the summer. A tour fee applies.

563 W. 450 North, Hobart
219-759-3523
brokenwagonbison.com



Chesterton's European Market (Seasonal)

A French-inspired artisans and farmers market located in historic downtown Chesterton. Vendors create an eclectic marketplace featuring handmade art, pastries, freshly prepared food, farm-grown produce, jewelry, and more.

220 Broadway, Chesterton
219-926-5513
dunelandchamber.org/european-market



Imagine Portage

This Midwest-based theater strives to create a movie-going experience like no other, complete with advanced ticket sales, plush power recliners and/or premium rockers, expanded concessions, digital projection & sound systems, and great loyalty program options.

6550 American Way, Portage
219-706-3400
emagine-entertainment.com

Gabis Arboretum at Purdue Northwest

Gabis is a popular location for birding enthusiasts and offers more than 300 acres of dog-friendly walking trails, gardens, woodlands, and wetlands. Their award-winning attraction is a half-mile model railway garden complete with waterfalls, elaborate bridges, and an impressive 14-foot change in elevation. There is an entrance fee.

450 W. 100 North, Valparaiso
219-462-0025
pnw.edu/gabis-arboretum



Journeyman Distillery at the American Factory

Organic craft spirits are distilled, bottled, sold, and served in the historic American Factory. Journeyman's second location includes a distillery, Union Hall restaurant, Sea of Monsters brewery, retail area, and event spaces.

258 S. Campbell St., Valparaiso
219-510-1300
journeyman.com

Memorial Opera House

Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, this local theatre offers visitors modern amenities along with a mainstage season of Broadway musicals featuring the local theatre community, nationally recognized concert acts, a Lunchtime Cabaret series, LimeLights Youth Theatre program, special events, and venue rentals.

104 Indiana Ave., Valparaiso
219-548-9137
memorialoperahouse.com

Pavilion Restaurant & Grill

This historical landmark in the Indiana Dunes State Park has undergone extensive restoration and renovation. Unique in design and one of a kind, the features meld with historical charm along with modern amenities to embody a timeless style. This premier beachfront Pavilion has a general store, restaurant, and a rooftop bar.

1600 N. 25 East, Chesterton
219-250-2568
dunespavilion.com

Porter County Museum (PoCo Muse)

Once the sheriff's residence and local jail, the museum is now home to Northern Indiana's most extensive collection of area history and treasure. Exhibits are displayed throughout the building and change regularly.

20 Indiana Ave., Valparaiso
219-510-1836
pocomuse.org

The Port Drive-In

A visit to the Indiana Dunes area isn't complete without a visit to The Port Drive-In—a Chesterton icon since 1957. Dine inside or let carhops come directly to your vehicle to enjoy American fare like chili dogs or homemade root beer in frosted mugs from this blast from the past.

419 N. Calumet Rd., Chesterton
219-926-3500
theportdrivein.net



Trailyard Kitchen + Bar

Trailyard Kitchen + Bar aims to bring people together. Take a hike, have a drink, or sit and laugh with friends. It's surrounded by nature and friends and is right where you want to be. Trailyard is located at the Creekside Trails trailhead, just two miles from downtown Valpo. Their adjacent Outpost also provides bike rentals.

2551 Clifford Rd., Valparaiso
219-462-6000
trailyardvalpo.com



Valparaiso University

Home to the renowned Chapel of the Resurrection, which was named one of the 30 most beautiful college cathedrals in the world, Valparaiso University is at the center of the area's cultural and artistic landscape.

1700 Chapel Dr., Valparaiso
219-464-5000
valpo.edu

Valpo Velvet Ice Cream Shoppe

People from all over have been traveling to Valpo Velvet Ice Cream for the same homemade, rich, creamy, old-fashioned ice cream treats made by The Brown Family since 1947. They also serve homemade soups, sandwiches, salads, and daily food specials, offering many vegetarian and vegan options. Valpo Velvet is a great option for all ages!

57 Monroe St., Valparaiso
219-464-4141
valpovelvet.com



Zao Island Amusement Center

An adventureland for grown-ups and kids alike with two miniature golf courses, go-karts, bumper cars, a game room, batting cages, a giant slide, laser tag, and an on-site pizzeria with beer and wine.

1050 Horse Prairie Ave., Valparaiso
219-462-1194
zaoisland.net

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