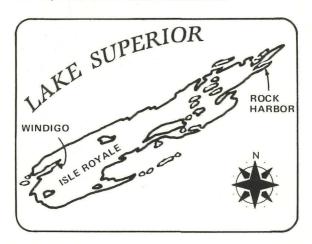


Isle Royale National Park, a wilderness archipelago, contains one large island and over 200 smaller islands. There are 36 lakeside or trailside campgrounds, a lodge, housekeeping cottages, and over 170 miles of hiking trails. Wheeled vehicles and pets are prohibited on the island.



Isle Royale National Park, in Lake Superior, is approximately 73 miles north of the city of Houghton, in Michigan's Upper Peninsula. It is accessible only by boat or float plane. Scheduled boat service is available mid-June through Labor Day from Houghton and Copper Harbor, Michigan, and mid-May through mid-October from Grand Portage, Minnesota. Daily scheduled float plane transportation is also available during this period from Houghton.

Isle Royale is the largest island in the largest fresh water lake in the world. It is a roadless area of wild animals, unspoiled forests, lakes and scenic shores. The combination of its protected isolation, its wilderness values, its unique plant and animal communities, its natural beauty, and the wealth of prehistoric and historic interests, make Isle Royale unique. It is the home of moose and wolves, as well as loons, ducks and other waterfowl.



Although remotely located, Isle Royale is within 500 miles of Chicago and 1,000 miles of New York, and is accessible to all the large eastern and mid-western population centers of the United States and Canada. Fishing, boating, camping, hiking, guided walks, photography or just relaxing are popular.

The national park is open April 16 to October 31, with full services offered mid-June through Labor Day.

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