



# KidS' Activities



## OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

### PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS

**Harbert Community Park**, 13535 Red Arrow Hwy, Harbert, - swings, slide, climbing structure. [chikamingtownship.org/parkboard.htm](http://chikamingtownship.org/parkboard.htm)

**New Buffalo Township Memorial Park** - Located on Red Arrow Highway just north of U.S. 12 - the Township Park has a pavilion with picnic benches, Splash Pad, grills, playground and washrooms. 269-469-1011 or [newbuffalotownship.org](http://newbuffalotownship.org)

**New Buffalo Lakefront Park and Beach.** The City Beach parking lot fee is a flat fee of \$10.00. Seasonal passes are only available to residents. [harborcountry.org/beaches/](http://harborcountry.org/beaches/)

**Oselka Park** – Bronson and Indiana streets in New Buffalo behind the New Buffalo High School - There is baseball, soccer, horseshoes, and children's playground as well as a running track at high school football field. [cityofnewbuffalo.org/oselkapark.asp](http://cityofnewbuffalo.org/oselkapark.asp)

**Timber Town Playground/Watkins Memorial Park** – Nel's Dr. and Locust St. in Three Oaks. Unique playground where kids can hide, glide, slide, and climb, balance and tumble, trail, basketball courts & more. There is a special Tiny Town area for 2-5 year olds.

**Warren Dunes State Park** – 1 mile north of Sawyer on the west side of Red Arrow Hwy – Daily parking fee is charged (2012 -\$8 daily). Sand boarding on Tower Hill dune. Hang gliding is also available at the park via Sunrise Kiteboarding @ 269-779-0606 or [website](#)

### BICYCLE/SCOOTER RENTALS

**Dewey Cannon Trading Company**, 5 Dewey Cannon Ave, Three Oaks, 888-877-2068 or [deweycannon](http://deweycannon)

**Harbor Country Adventures**, 35 N. Whittaker, New Buffalo, 269-231-5867 or [harborcountryadventures.com](http://harborcountryadventures.com)

**Outpost Sports**, 105 N. Buffalo St., New Buffalo, 269-469-4210 or [outpostsports.com](http://outpostsports.com)

### MINI & DISC GOLF

**Captain Mike's Fun Park**, Red Arrow Hwy, Bridgman, Go-karts, mini golf, batting cages, bumper boats, game room, and snack bar 269-465-574 or [captainmikesamusementpark.com](http://captainmikesamusementpark.com)

**Lake Township Park** – 10801 Gast Rd., Bridgman, Disc golf and batting cages. 269-465-6601 or [website](#)

**Madeline Bertrand** - 3038 Adams Road, Niles, Madeline Bertrand disc golf course features 18 holes from spring through fall and 9 holes during the winter. 269-683-8280 or [berriencounty.org/Parks/DiscGolf](http://berriencounty.org/Parks/DiscGolf)

### FISHING

**New Buffalo Galien River Access**, Red Arrow Hwy, between New Buffalo and Union Pier [berriencounty.org/Parks/GalienRiver](http://berriencounty.org/Parks/GalienRiver)

**Chikaming Township Park & Nature Preserve**, Warren Woods Rd, Union Pier

*Note: Fishing licenses are not required for ages under 17, but all fishing regulations apply. Fishing licenses are available at: Captain Cook's Sports, 400 S. Whittaker in New Buffalo, 269-469-4510; Warren Dunes State Park, 269-469-4013 in Sawyer; Deer Creek Hunt Club, 18000 Basswood Rd in Three Oaks, 269-756-6600 [chikamingtownship.org/parkboard.htm](http://chikamingtownship.org/parkboard.htm)*

### HORSEBACK RIDING

**Red Arrow Stables, Inc.**, 3848 Academy Road, Michigan City, IN 219-872-2114

**Transitions Equestrian Center**, 2525 E. 850 N, La Porte, IN 219-778-9592 or [transitionsequestriancenter.com/](http://transitionsequestriancenter.com/)

### GEOCACHING

Treasure hunting in Harbor Country. See [harborcountry.org/geocaching/](http://harborcountry.org/geocaching/) for more information.

### NATURE OUTINGS

**Fernwood Botanical Garden and Nature Preserve** – Ongoing programs throughout the year. Visit their new Nature Adventure Garden. Tucked behind the Railway Garden is the new Nature Adventure Garden, designed with little ones in mind! Explore the twists and turns of the arborvitae labyrinth, run over grassy moguls, balance on tree cookies, and dig in the sand pit. Kids can hide in the hobbit houses, sit in a huge human-size nest, and weave through the willow tunnel. 269-695-6491 or [fernwoodbotanical.org/education/youth-programs.html](http://fernwoodbotanical.org/education/youth-programs.html)

### SUMMER CAMPS/PROGRAMS

**Weekly Kids Beach Camp, New Buffalo Beach.** Weekly beach camps for kids. 110-C N. Whittaker St., New Buffalo, 888-932-4575 [thirdcoastsurfshop.com](http://thirdcoastsurfshop.com)

**Fernwood Botanical Garden and Nature Preserve** – 13988 Range Line Road, Niles, 269-695-6491 or [fernwoodbotanical.org](http://fernwoodbotanical.org).

**Sarett Nature Center** – 2300 Benton Center Road, Benton Harbor, 269-927-4832 or [sarett.com](http://sarett.com)

### SKATEBOARDING/TENNIS COURTS

**New Buffalo High School**, 1112 Clay St., New Buffalo, Tennis and skate park

**River Valley High School**, 15480 Three Oaks Road, Three Oaks (tennis only)

## WATER SPORT RENTALS

**Outpost Sports**, 105 W Buffalo St. New Buffalo, Kayak lessons/rentals, boogie/skim boards, SUP boards, 269-469-4210 or [outpostsports.com](http://outpostsports.com)

**Third Coast Surf Shop**, 22 S. Smith St., New Buffalo, Kayak lessons/rentals, sand/surf/boogie/skim/SUP boards, 269-932-4575 or [thirdcoastsurfshop.com](http://thirdcoastsurfshop.com)

**Doe-Wah-Jack's Canoe Rental**, M-51 N., Dowagiac, 888-782-7410 or [paddledcri.com/](http://paddledcri.com/)

## ZOO

**Washington Park Zoo**, 115 Lake Shore Drive Michigan City, IN, 219-873-1510 or [michigancityparks.com/index.php/zoo-home](http://michigancityparks.com/index.php/zoo-home)

Closed November-March.

# INDOOR ACTIVITIES

## SUMMER/WINTER CAMPS & PROGRAMS

**Buchanan Art Center** – 117 W Front St., Buchanan, 269-697-4005 or [buchananartcenter.org](http://buchananartcenter.org)

**Local Color Gallery** - 16187 Red Arrow Hwy., Union Pier, 269-469-5332 or [localcolorartgallery.com](http://localcolorartgallery.com)

**Krasl Art Center** – 707 Lake Blvd, St. Joseph, summer camps, 269-983-0271 - or [krasl.org](http://krasl.org)

**Dancing Feet Yoga Summer Camps** -19135 W Hwy 12, New Buffalo, 269-469-1966 or [dancingfeetyoga.com](http://dancingfeetyoga.com)

**School of American Music** – 3 N. Elm St., Three Oaks, classes in guitar, voice, piano and songwriting. 269-409-1191

[schoolofamericanmusic.com/](http://schoolofamericanmusic.com/)

**Three Oaks Arts & Education Center** - see website for classes - [schoolofamericanmusic.com/three-oaks-arts-education-center/](http://schoolofamericanmusic.com/three-oaks-arts-education-center/)

## BOWLING/ROLLER SKATING

**Lakeshore Lanes** - 6201 Red Arrow Hwy, Stevensville, 269-465-6814 or [lakeshorelanes.net/](http://lakeshorelanes.net/)

**Lakeshore Roller World**, 5567 Red Arrow Highway, Stevensville, 269-429-7700 or [lakeshorollerworld.com](http://lakeshorollerworld.com)

## LIBRARIES

**New Buffalo Township Public Library**, 33 N Thompson, New Buffalo, 269-469-2933 or

[newbuffalotownshiplibrary.org](http://newbuffalotownshiplibrary.org)

**Three Oaks Township Library**, 3 N Elm St., Three Oaks, 269-982-4030 or [threeoaks.michlibrary.org](http://threeoaks.michlibrary.org)

## MOVIE THEATERS

**Showplace 14 Movie Theater**, 100 Meijer Drive, Michigan City, IN, 800-326-3264 or [AMC MC](http://AMC MC)

## MUSEUMS

**Curious Kids' Museum/Discovery Zone**, 415 Lake Boulevard, St. Joseph, 269-983-2543 or [curiouskidsmuseum.org](http://curiouskidsmuseum.org)

**Old Lighthouse Museum**, Washington Park, Michigan City, IN, 219-872-6133 or [oldlighthousemuseum.org](http://oldlighthousemuseum.org)

**1839 Courthouse Museum**, Cass & Union Streets, Berrien Springs, 269-471-1202 or [berriehistory.org](http://berriehistory.org)

**Hesston Steam Museum** - 1201 East 1000 North, La Porte, IN (weekends only) 219-872-5055 or [hesston.org](http://hesston.org)

**New Buffalo Railroad Museum** – 530 S. Whittaker, New Buffalo, Free admission. 269-469-5409 or [new-buffalo-railroad-museum.org/](http://new-buffalo-railroad-museum.org/)

**The Region of Three Oaks Museum**, 5 Featherbone St., Three Oaks, 269-336-9557 or [tomuseum.org](http://tomuseum.org)

**Wilkinson Heritage Museum**, 15300 Red Arrow Highway, Lakeside, 269-469-2090 or [harborcountry.org/museums-197/](http://harborcountry.org/museums-197/)

## SHOPPING

**Lighthouse Outlet Mall** - Michigan City, IN, [premiumoutlets.com/lighthouseplace](http://premiumoutlets.com/lighthouseplace)

## VIDEO RENTALS

**Lakeview Video**, 400 S Whittaker St., New Buffalo, 269-469-0892

**New Buffalo Pharmacy**, 1 N Whittaker St., New Buffalo, 269-469-3636

# OUT OF AREA ATTRACTIONS

**Hidden Point Fun Park**, Benton Harbor, 269-926-1358 or [HPFP](http://HPFP) (35 min)

**Surfari Joe's Indoor Wilderness Water Park**, Friday-Sunday only - Watervliet, 269-463-7946 or [Surfari Joe's](http://Surfari Joe's) (40 min)

**Seven Peaks Waterpark**, Porter, IN, 801-377-4386 or [Seven Peaks site](http://Seven Peaks site) (25 min)

**Kalamazoo Air Zoo**, Portage, 269-382-6555 or [AirZoo](http://AirZoo) (60 min)

**Whirlpool Compass Fountain & Silver Beach Carousel**, St Joseph, 269-982-8500 or [Carousel](http://Carousel) (30 min)