

2019 Summer Field Trip

Keweenaw Peninsula, MI

Trip Itinerary Details

DAY ONE – MONDAY, AUGUST 26

6 a.m.

Leave from Duluth DECC and heading to Ashland, Wisconsin

7:30 a.m.-ish

Arriving in Ashland to grab a snack at a fast-food joint (Burger King likely) then continue on to the Porcupine Mountains Wilderness State Park in Michigan

10 a.m. (CST) but really 11 a.m. (EST)

Porcupine Mountains Wilderness State Park Visitor Center, Outpost Store and walk to Lake of the Clouds Overlook

1 p.m.

Depart from Porkies for a half-hour drive to lunch at Syl's Café in nearby Ontonagon (paying for your own lunch – figure \$10). After lunch walk to the nearby Ontonagon Museum then ride to the Lighthouse for a tour (there at 3:30 p.m.)

5 p.m.

Depart lighthouse and drive about an hour to Hancock to stay at the Ramada by Wyndham Hancock Waterfront. Dinner at the Waterfront Restaurant about 6:30 p.m. (paying for your own lunch – figure \$15-20).

Evening activities on your own

DAY TWO – TUESDAY, AUGUST 27

7 a.m.

Complimentary breakfast at the hotel

8 a.m.

Leave for Eagle Harbor Lighthouse station along the western shore of the Keweenaw

9 a.m.

Tour Eagle Harbor Lighthouse & station

11 a.m.

Depart Eagle Harbor to proceed along Brockway Mountain Drive & Lookout. Then driving on to Copper Harbor for lunch, arriving just after noon at Harbor Haus Restaurant (paying on your own – figure \$10-20). Afternoon free to stroll around Copper Harbor. The Fort Wilkins Historic State Park is nearby and there are many shops.

4 p.m.

Meet outside Harbor Haus to depart for drive back to Hancock Waterfront Hotel. Leaving hotel at 6 p.m. for Ambassador Restaurant, or about a 15 minute walk (paying on your own for dinner – figure \$15-20).

7:45 p.m.

Return to hotel.

Evening free to explore or chat in the lounge.

DAY THREE – WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28

7 a.m.-ish

Complimentary breakfast at the hotel

9 a.m.

Depart hotel for Quincy Mine Tour, just up the road from the hotel.

11:20 a.m.

Depart the mine for Pizza Hut (pay on your own – figure \$10).

12:45 p.m.

Depart Pizza Hut for A. E. Seaman Museum on the Michigan Tech campus in Houghton (across the Portage Bridge). The museum is renowned for its collection of local minerals and has a good gift shop.

2:45 pm.

Depart from A. E. Seaman Museum to head home – arriving about 4:30 p.m. (after 1 hour time adjustment) in Duluth

