

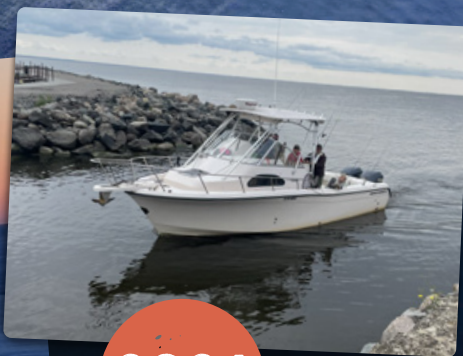


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ROCKY POINT  
**RIPPLE**

MINNESOTA'S  
PREMIER  
FISHING  
DESTINATION

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*Hooked on  
Adventure*



2024



OPEN WATER FISHING | ICE FISHING | LODGING | DINING





# Welcome TO ROCKY POINT

From the shores of beautiful Lake of the Woods, we welcome you to Arnesen's Rocky Point!

We couldn't be more proud to share this wonderful place with our guests and residents. The Rocky Point experience is one that binds generations together and creates memories to last a lifetime.

Lake of the Woods offers some of the best fishing in the country - both summer and winter. Even if you're not a fisherman, Rocky Point still has plenty to keep guests busy. You'll enjoy beach-combing, birdwatching, campfires, shuffleboard, breathtaking sunsets and more.

The surrounding area provides endless opportunities for adventure and exploration as well.

Boating, cross country skiing, hiking, sightseeing, berry picking, snowmobile and ATV trails are just a few of the many activities that the Lake of the Woods area offers.

From exceptional dining and relaxation to world class walleye fishing, you'll find that Rocky Point is the perfect northern Minnesota escape. We look forward to making memories with you and your loved ones in this magical place we call home.

- Ivy & Family



ESTABLISHED IN 1897

## From THE HISTORIC FILES



The Rocky Point store and post office (the building on the left) served as a gathering place for the Arnesen family and neighbors. The original Arnesen house (the building on the right), later burned in a tragic house fire that took the lives of two Arnesen children, Grace and Clara. This photo was taken circa 1904 and is believed to be a Fourth of July celebration.

## Honey WALLEYE

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### INGREDIENTS

1 large egg  
2 tsp honey  
2 c crushed Ritz crackers  
(about 45 to 50)  
1/2 tsp salt  
1-1/2 lbs walleye fillets  
1/3 to 1/2 c canola oil  
*Optional: Minced fresh  
parsley & lemon wedges*

### DIRECTIONS

1. In a shallow bowl, beat egg; add honey. In a shallow dish, combine crackers and salt. Dip fish in egg mixture, then in cracker mixture; turn until coated.
2. In a cast-iron or other heavy skillet, cook fillets in oil over medium heat until golden and fish flakes easily with a fork, 3-5 minutes on each side. If desired, top with parsley and serve with lemon wedges.

*Recipe courtesy of Kitty McCue, St. Louis Park, MN  
Photo courtesy of Taste of Home*







# *Save the Date* **RESORT EVENTS**

COME &  
JOIN US

2024

FUN FOR  
EVERYONE

**JUNE 7**

BEER, BRAT/BURGER & BEAN FEED

**JUNE 14-16**

FATHER'S DAY CLOTHING SALE

**JUNE 29**

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

**JULY 13**

LAKESIDE BONFIRE & S'MORES

**JULY 19-21**

WARRIORS & WALLEYES  
VETERANS EVENT

**JULY 23-25**

LADIES OF THE LAKE QUILTING GUILD

**AUGUST 31**

KIDS FISHING CLINIC BY  
TINTES OUTDOORS

**AUG. 30 - SEPT. 2**

LUCK OF THE DRAW  
CLOTHING SALE

## **DJ WINTER NIGHTS**

Rock Harbor Lodge will have a DJ every Friday night during the ice fishing season from 9pm-1am. Additional nights will be included on holiday weekends.

## **WINE DOWN WEDNESDAY**

Enjoy 1/2 price bottles of wine on Wednesday nights.

## **MIMOSA MORNINGS**

From Memorial Day to Labor Day, join us for two-for-one mimosas on Saturday mornings from 8-11am.

## **SUMMER HAPPY HOUR**

Our daily summer happy hour is back by popular demand! Ask about our new happy hour menu. From 4-6pm daily.

## **GIVE THE GIFT**

A Rock Harbor Lodge gift card is sure to be a gift your loved ones will enjoy. Gift cards are redeemable for the bar and restaurant, as well as any clothing or Rocky Point merchandise.



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# WINTER ALBUM

The Sladek family, Alexandria, MN, had a great day on the lake.



Luke Schmidt, Shakopee, MN, landed a 21" walleye in December.



Brody Olson with the Mlynar group caught a beautiful 29.5" walleye.



Weston Barker from Sun Prairie, WI, with his catch of the day!



Paula Waller caught and released a beauty during her 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary trip to Rocky Point.



Iris Maday from Superior, CO, landed a 13" perch at the end of March.



The Ossa family came all the way from Casper, WY, to visit Lake of the Woods.



Peter Wiklund caught and released a beauty measuring in at 28".



Karen Rekowski caught and released a 21" walleye.



Chad McNiesh caught a 26" northern on a 12" ice rod during a sleeper fish house stay.



Bruce Gebien, Chicago, IL, caught a beautiful jumbo perch.



Katie Larson caught her personal best pike measuring in at 41 1/2".







One hour before packing up for home, Clint Simon landed a 41.5" pike & Jake Lowe landed a 41" within 10 minutes of each other.



Brian Johnson caught a 30" monster walleye during his January trip.



Jack Chapin from Alexandria, MN, caught and released a 29.5" walleye in January.



Joan Johnson Becida caught a 29" walleye during her visit.



Brad Dunlap, Hillsdale, MI, landed a nice walleye measuring in at 22".



Tim Boyd was just shy of a 30 incher!



It was a surprise catch for Kevin King the last week in March! Kevin caught and released a 26" white fish which is rare for the south end of Lake of the Woods.



Teresa Molden, Benson, MN, caught and released a 28" walleye.



David Karn, Lake Hallie, WI, shows off a nice, fat perch!



Brett NelsonMcGregor, MN, with a big trophy walleye.



The Neubarth family had a great sleeper fish house stay!



# Guide SPOTLIGHT



**CAPTAIN**  
**Charlie McCarthy**  
*Hometown: Buffalo, MN*

## When did you start fishing on Lake of the Woods?

A few years ago, I came up with a buddy and we started ice fishing on Lake of the Woods. We really liked fishing in the winter because we caught a variety of species and you never knew what you were going to catch. I was hooked after that!

## Where are your favorite spots to fish on Lake of the Woods?

My favorite spots would have to be up in the islands by Little Oak or Hay Island.

## Do you have a favorite season to fish? Why?

It used to be winter, but then I got my captain's license and I fell in love with the charter boat and being able to move around the lake. The fishing is pretty good, too!

## What's the biggest fish you've caught?

I landed a 68.5" lake sturgeon from the Rainy River.

## Are there any hot lures/tackle that you can recommend?

My favorite lure for ice fishing is a Firetiger buckshot with a rattle.

## What's your best piece of advice to the novice fisherman?

I highly recommend going with a guide for your first trip on the water. They will provide you with tons of great information and can help set you up for going out on your own.

## When did you start fishing on Lake of the Woods?

I started fishing Lake of the Woods on my 6<sup>th</sup> birthday, 40 years ago, with my family. I was spoiled every summer to be able to do this. We always went to the Northwest Angle out of Young's Bay Resort.

## Where are your favorite spots to fish on Lake of the Woods?

My favorite spots to fish are Brush Island out of the Northwest Angle, the Letters area on L.O.W., and north of 12 Mile Reef.

## Do you have a favorite season to fish? Why?

My absolute favorite season to fish is September with the cooler weather and fall colors, plus the walleye are always awesome that time of year.

## What's the biggest fish you've caught?

My personal best walleye is 29".

## Are there any hot lures/tackle that you can recommend?

I recommend sparkly jigs made by Jigs By Jake Tackle company out of Tenstrike, MN. I was gifted a big box by one of our Captains, Tim Hill, this spring and found them to be very reliable. I also like Headspin #5 (Rapala) for down rigging and green polka-dot spinners for drifting.

## What's your best piece of advice to the novice fisherman?

Fish spots you have never fished before; surprises are good in life!



**CAPTAIN**  
**Joseph Huerd**  
*Hometown: Warroad, MN*



## A photograph of three children sitting on a concrete pier or dock, looking out at the ocean during sunset. The child on the left is wearing a dark blue baseball cap and a dark t-shirt. The child in the middle is wearing a light-colored t-shirt and blue shorts, holding a fishing rod. The child on the right is wearing a pink baseball cap and a purple t-shirt, with a backpack on their back. The sky is filled with soft, colorful clouds in shades of orange, pink, and blue. The water is calm, reflecting the colors of the sky.





# Summer Album

Brooklyn Meyer landed a nice perch during her visit.



Andi, Elsi and Iris Maday had fun fishing with Captain Cole.



Levi with the Hinman group caught a 26.5" walleye.



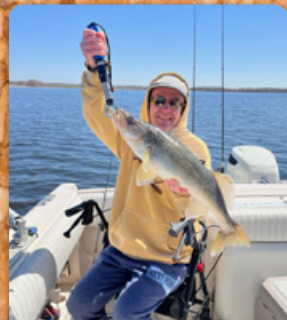
The Ladies of the Lake Quilting Guild created some beautiful works of art!



Kanyon Lindquist had good luck fishing from the harbor.



Rick Fey landed a huge pike during his August visit!



Craig Dominise shows off an impressive catch from the walleye opening weekend with Captain Tim "Wingnut" Hill as his guide.



Maizy Halvorson is all smiles as she plays outside of the lodge.



Eric From caught his personal best, a 29" walleye, guided by his father-in-law, Captain Byron Eilertson.

Adam Homelvig, Alexandria, MN, & Eric Lembke, Eden Prairie, MN, caught a double.



This rainbow brought Brooke Arvidson luck when she landed a 23" walleye.



Ace Kochevar caught and released a 23 3/4" walleye.



Isabella Solbro landed a 25" walleye on her first trip to Rocky Point!



Captain Byron Eilertson caught & released a 31.5" walleye!



Oliver Faehn, Moorhead, MN, caught & released a 26" walleye with Captain Steve.



Danni Pitzen caught and released a 29.75" walleye with Captain Cole.



Teagan Brooks, Superior, CO, landed a 17" sauger fishing from the jetty.



The Hoover family came all the way from Colorado to enjoy Lake of the Woods!



Scott McCord, Cedar Rapids, IA, landed a big perch during his visit.



Kaitlin Hennen shows off a beautiful 30" walleye.



It was a double for Bob Hoiu & Garrett Hoiu on Arnesen's Reef! They caught and released 28" and 27.5" walleyes.



Mady Arnesen caught a 37" pike on a beautiful summer day.



Nickolas Rislov, Warroad, MN, is ready for a day on the water.



Christopher Gramentz and his dad Carl Gramentz with a double!



Kayla Fortin, Rocky Point team member, caught a beauty measuring in at 22".



Cherri Ellis landed a big walleye in July measuring in at 31"!



# Captain's CORNER

with Tim "Wingnut" Hill

One of the best kept secrets at Arnesen's Rocky Point is the spring and fall bite. During those times, the bite is close to the resort with abundant reefs and structure points nearby. Jigging with frozen shiners and pulling spinners with live bait are key for the bite. Having this opportunity twice a year can be a bonus by increasing the odds to catch a personal best.

Open water fishing requires a spinning rod 6-6 ½ foot medium fast with a mid-grade spinning reel and a good drag system. Monster fish will take line and require some give without pulling hooks out. When jigging, we use 3/8 oz. and 1/4 oz. depending on wind and current. You want to be in contact with the bottom few inches, so adjust to be in the strike zone. When pulling spinners, use ¾ - 2 oz. bottom bouncers. Personally, I like to use the Wing-It Quick Swap weights for easily changing weight sizes.

Both methods work well, but my favorite type of fishing is jigging; there's nothing better than working the bite and feeling that strike!

I've been fishing out of Rocky Point for over 50 years and have enjoyed fishing several other lakes. I can say that guests are more than likely to have a memorable fishing trip out of Arnesen's. Looking at a lake map, you'll see that we have an abundance of good shoreline, multiple rock reefs and structure points that make for some great fishing without a lot of travel.

As a Captain and guide, I couldn't ask for a better place to give people an unforgettable experience fishing Lake of the Woods. Thanks to all who have fished with us, I can't wait to continue the great experiences!

~WINGNUT



## - Specials -

### MIDWEEK ICE FISHING

Sunday - Wednesday

Packages include cabin, day fishing & meals

Dec. 2023 - Mar. 2024

*\*Must mention Midweek Special at time of booking.  
Not valid with any other offers or sleeper fish houses.*

### SPRING SPECIAL

15% OFF\*

Lodging & Charter Boats

May 11 - 30, 2024

*\*Must mention Spring Special at time of booking.  
Not valid with any other offers.*

### FALL GETAWAY

15% OFF\*

Lodging & Charter Boats

Sept. 3 - Oct. 31, 2024

*\*Must mention Fall Getaway at time of booking.  
Not valid with any other offers.*

### HUNTING SPECIAL

30% OFF\*

Lodging

Nov. 1 - Nov. 30, 2024

*\*Must mention Hunting Special at time of booking.  
Not valid with any other offers.*



# ARNESEN'S Rocky Point

# 2024 Rates\*

## WINTER FISHING

### Cabin/Fishing Packages

All package prices are per person. Packages include: cabin, truck van transportation, gas heated fish house and bait.

2 Nights - 1 Day.....	\$256
2 Nights - 2 Days.....	\$350
2 Nights - 3 Days.....	\$444
3 Nights - 2 Days.....	\$422
3 Nights - 3 Days.....	\$504
3 Nights - 4 Days.....	\$595
4 Nights - 3 Days.....	\$570
4 Nights - 4 Days.....	\$664
5 Nights - 4 Days.....	\$736
5 Nights - 5 Days.....	\$820

### Midweek Specials

Sunday - Wednesday

3 Nights   2 Days Fishing   2 Days Meal Plan -	\$491
3 Nights   3 Days Fishing   3 Days Meal Plan -	\$615
4 Nights   3 Days Fishing   3 Days Meal Plan -	\$676

### Overnight Fish House Packages

Packages include: overnight fish house accommodations, truck van transportation, gas heated fish house, water and bait.

2 Nights - 2 Days.....	\$244
2 Nights - 3 Days.....	\$292
3 Nights - 2 Days.....	\$280
3 Nights - 3 Days.....	\$310
4 Nights - 3 Days.....	\$345
4 Nights - 4 Days.....	\$407
5 Nights - 5 Days.....	\$500

### Day Fishing

\$94 per person

Price includes transportation, fish house and bait.

### Children's Winter Policy

Kids 7 to 17 receive 40% off the published rates. Kids 6 years and under are free.

### Vexilar Rental

Our guides offer Vexilar rental for \$30 per day. You must request a Vexilar prior to your visit. Cash payment is made directly to guide.

### Generator Rental

We have a limited number of gas powered generators available for \$50 per day for our sleeper fish house guests. Please reserve in advance at the time of reservation.

## SUMMER FISHING

### Cabin Rental

\$66 per adult / per night

Minimum nightly rates as follows:

1 Bedroom Cabin.....	\$125
2 Bedroom Cabin.....	\$170
3 Bedroom Cabin.....	\$240
4 Bedroom Cabin.....	\$300
5 Bedroom Cabin.....	\$300

### Children's Summer Policy

Kids 17 years and under receive free lodging with a paying adult.

### Charter Fishing Packages

All package prices are per person. Fish on a charter boat with an experienced, licensed guide. All charter boat packages include tackle, poles, bait and fish cleaning.

#### 1 Night Lodging | 1 Day Fishing:

3 people per boat.....	\$344
4 people per boat.....	\$288
5 people per boat.....	\$244
6 people per boat.....	\$214

#### 2 Nights Lodging | 1 Day Fishing:

3 people per boat.....	\$407
4 people per boat.....	\$354
5 people per boat.....	\$310
6 people per boat.....	\$280

#### 2 Nights Lodging | 2 Days Fishing:

3 people per boat.....	\$688
4 people per boat.....	\$576
5 people per boat.....	\$487
6 people per boat.....	\$428

#### 3 Nights Lodging | 2 Days Fishing:

3 people per boat.....	\$751
4 people per boat.....	\$642
5 people per boat.....	\$553
6 people per boat.....	\$494

#### 4 Nights Lodging | 3 Days Fishing:

3 people per boat.....	\$1,094
4 people per boat.....	\$930
5 people per boat.....	\$797
6 people per boat.....	\$708

### Charter Boat Daily Rates

Full Day | \$888/day | Max. of 6 People  
Half Day | \$576/day | Max. of 6 People

With uncertainty of fuel prices, Arnesen's Rocky Point reserves the right to add a fuel surcharge to charter fishing trips.

### Boat & Motor Rental

18 ft. Lund.....	\$150 per day
17 ft. Boston Whaler.....	\$220 per day
18 ft. Wellcraft.....	\$220 per day

### Docking Rates

Daily Boat Launch.....\$20 per day

Daily boat launch is free for cabin guests.

Overnight Docking.....\$22 per night  
Must reserve overnight slip in advance.

### Camping Rates

\$60 per night based on two adults,  
additional adults \$10 per night

- Children stay free
- Daily boat launch included
- No shower or toilet facilities available

## MEAL PLANS

All prices are per person, per day. Gratuity not included. Advanced reservations are required.

### Full Meal Plan - \$52

Includes breakfast in the lodge or a hot breakfast sandwich to go, a bag lunch for the lake and an evening meal from Rock Harbor's extensive menu.

### Breakfast & Dinner - \$39

Includes breakfast in the lodge or a hot breakfast sandwich to go and an evening meal from Rock Harbor's extensive menu.

### Breakfast & Lunch - \$26

Includes breakfast in the lodge or a hot breakfast sandwich to go and a bag lunch for the lake.

## DEPOSITS

A \$100 deposit per person is required to confirm a reservation. Groups that show up with lower numbers will not receive credit for deposits for no-shows. Deposits are nonrefundable unless a 45 day advance is given. No refunds for early departure. All packages subject to state and local taxes.

## PET POLICY

Rocky Point is a dog-friendly resort. A pet fee of \$30 per day for each dog is required. There is a maximum of two dogs per cabin. Visit our website to view our full pet policy.

\*Rates subject to change

## FISHING LICENSES

Don't forget your Minnesota fishing license! Purchase licenses over the phone at 888-MN-LICENSE (888-665-4236) or online at [www.dnr.state.mn.us](http://www.dnr.state.mn.us). Fishing licenses are not available for purchase at Rocky Point.





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