



2026
GYC TOUR

Visit the Jewels of *Lake Superior*

July 14 - 17
Apostle Islands

Summer wouldn't be complete without a trip to Northern Wisconsin to visit the Apostle Islands National Lakeshore located on Lake Superior.

Highlights

- 3 night hotel accommodations
- 9 meals included: 3 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 3 dinners
- Apostle Islands grand tour
- Madeline Island tour
- Twig's Museum & Gift Shop
- Factory tour at Hillestad Pharmaceuticals

Always included in all GYC Tours: Deluxe round-trip motor coach, escort and gratuities for group activities.



Day-to-Day Itinerary

Day 1 – Tuesday, July 14 | L/D

Start your trip with a visit to Twig’s Museum & Gift Shop, the beverage company known for Sun Drop, in Shawano. Next stop is Tomahawk for lunch before we head up to Ashland. We will stop at the Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center and then finish the journey up to Bayfield. Dinner will be at a local restaurant.

Day 2 – Wednesday, July 15 | B/L/D

Start your day with breakfast at the hotel. Then, prepare for a scenic ferry ride to Madeline Island, the largest of the Apostle Islands. There will be a guided tour of the Island, as well as lunch at a local restaurant. We will return on the ferry and have free time to explore Downtown Bayfield. Later, the group will depart for Ashland and conclude the day with dinner.

Day 3 – Thursday, July 16 | B/L/D

Breakfast will be at the resort. Today, we will enjoy an Apostle Islands Grand Tour. This tour takes you on a narrated, informative 55-mile scenic cruise. Throughout this memorable journey, you’ll pass extraordinary natural scenery, beautiful historic lighthouses on Raspberry and Devils Islands, standing rocks, extensive sea caves and marine wildlife. Learn the rich history of centuries of human interaction with Wisconsin’s “Crown Jewels” on majestic Lake Superior.

Lunch will be at Old Rittenhouse Inn’s Landmark Restaurant. Afterwards, we'll visit Bayfield Winery & Blue Ox Cider. Next, the group will tour and watch a demonstration at Eckels Pottery & Fine Craft Gallery. We'll then depart for Washburn, and end the day with dinner.

Day 4 – Friday, July 17 | B

Before leaving the hotel, you'll have breakfast at the resort. Then, the group will depart for Woodruff where we'll enjoy a factory tour at Hillestad Pharmaceuticals and a photo op at the World’s Largest Penny.

Lunch will be on your own before a guided tour of the Northwoods Wildlife Center. After that, we'll visit Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art Museum - north central Wisconsin’s premier and only full-service art museum features changing temporary and collection exhibitions, a sculpture garden, dynamic education programs and Art Park. The Museum is housed in an English Cotswold-style residence, and since opening in 1976, multiple expansions have occurred.

Trip Details

	Cost Per Person	Travel Protection
Member (Double Occupancy)	\$1,550	\$165
Non-Member (Double Occupancy)	\$1,610	\$165
Member (Single Occupancy)	\$1,900	\$165

Down Payment **\$250 + Travel Protection**
Due within 10 days of placing reservation.

Final Payment **Due May 15, 2026**
A \$10 fee will apply if the full payment is not received by the final due date.

Cancellation Policy All cancellations received after your downpayment is paid will be subject to a \$50 per person cancellation fee. The remainder of the deposit and any other payments made are fully refundable for cancellations received by **May 15, 2026**. It is highly suggested that all travelers help protect their vacation investment by purchasing an optional travel protection plan. If the reason for cancellation is due to medical or other reason that is covered by Travel Protection, you may be eligible for reimbursement for such fees from your Travel Protection Plan provider. There are no refunds available after **May 15, 2026**, if no travel protection is purchased.