



Visit
Merrill...



a reason
for every
season!



Location

Nature

People

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Welcome to the doorway of the great Wisconsin Northwoods! Our four seasons come alive with picturesque beauty and natural year round activities. Nature's gifts are abundant here with cranberry bogs, maple syrup production and a world renowned evergreen industry. Our motto is Location, Nature, People.

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We are rich in history. Incorporated in 1883, Merrill was built on the great Wisconsin River and was a leader in the lumber industry.

Historic Sites: Merrill Historical Society & Museum; Lincoln County Courthouse; self-guided tours of the Center Avenue Historic District and Cemetery Tour, Carnegie Award winning T.B. Scott Library, Three-arch Stone Bridge, Merrill Post Office, Old City Hall.

Unique Eateries: Chips Hamburgers a Wisconsin original, The Checkered Churn and Hugo's Pizza.

Unique Lodging: Knight Lake Serenity Cabins.

Unique Things to Do: River Street Antique Company, Cosmo Theater, Copper River Cranberry Bogs, Helene's Apple Orchard, Grampa's Farm, Ye Olde Sweet Shoppe, and Harrison Hills.

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There are more than 727 lakes in Lincoln County and 101,000 acres of public recreational land. Merrill is the City of Parks because of its 13 city parks. Whether you want water, hiking, biking, ATV, snowmobile or horse trails, Merrill has it all!

Nature Highlights: Memorial Forest—a 920 acre wildlife habitat, Prairie Trails Park—a 99 acre low-impact silent recreation area, historic Ice Age Trail, Underdown Recreation Area, River Bend Trail, Grandfather Falls, and Council Grounds State Park.

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Our people are what makes Merrill a truly special place. A small, quaint community where people come first.

Highlights of annual events:

- **April 22-24** - Concertina Festival
- **June-Aug** - Merrill City Band plays at the Normal Park Gazebo every Wednesday night
- **June 10-12** - Lincoln County Pro Rodeo
- **July 20-24** - Lincoln County Fair
- **September 5** - Labor Day Car Show
- **September 17—4th** Annual Pork in the Park RibFest
- **September 24** - Colorama Bike Ride
- **Oct. 1** - 9th Annual Lincoln Lager Barleyfest
- **December 3** - O'Tannenbaum Tour, 26th Annual Lighted Christmas Parade and Luminaria Tour



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