

Rally speakers: Jean Buffalo, past chair, Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa; Al Hunter, a poet, former chief of Rainy River First Nation, Ontario, and Project Coordinator of Native Teachers for the 7th Generation, College of St. Scholastica; Duluth poet Ellie Schoenfeld and local singer-songwriters Rachael Kilgour and Robi Meyerson. Free.

Blessing of the Fleet

1 p.m.

Duluth Entertainment Convention Center

Blessing of the Fleet by the Twin Ports Ministry to Seafarers. All boats and spectators welcomed. Kicks off the Lake Superior Day Celebration. The parade of boats will start from Minnesota Point and exit by Wisconsin Point.

Lake Superior Day Celebration

1-4 p.m.

Barker's Island Festival Park, Superior

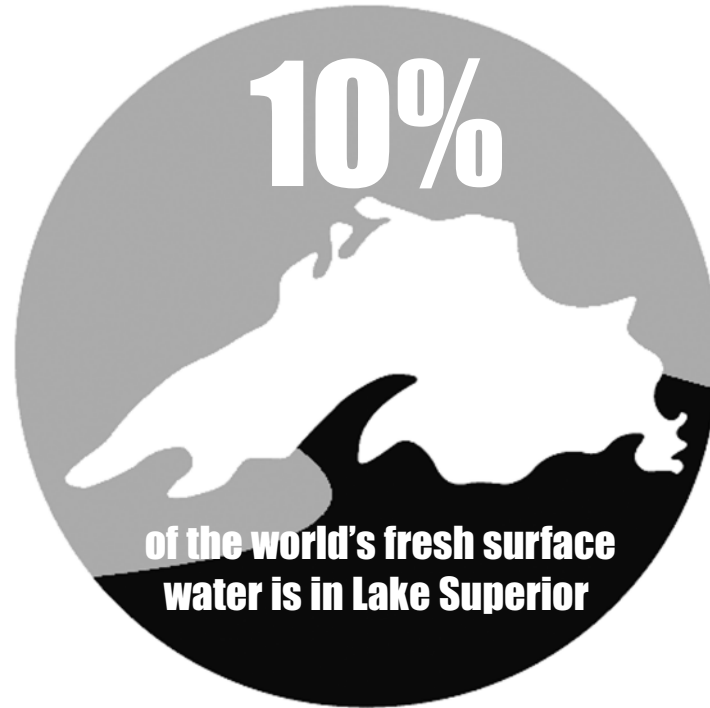
Free afternoon celebration includes a Native American drum circle, Barker's Island clean-up, children's inflated games (i.e. Moonwalk), free hot dog lunch, live music from Arcadia, free kites (to the first 100 youth) and kite flying for youth, free raffle for a compost bin and rain barrel, environmental displays, face painting, badminton and other family games, and more.

State Park Special Events & Exhibits

10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Gooseberry Falls State Park Visitors Center, Highway 61, mile 39

Save Lake Superior Association Board members will give out facts about Lake



Superior and will display of winning photos from the Lake Superior Photo Contest sponsored by *Lake Superior Magazine*.

11:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.

Gooseberry Falls State Park Superintendent Paul Sundberg, a skilled photographer, will give tips on taking good photos around the Lake. Free.

10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Tettegouche State Park (Highway 61 mile 58.5), Temperance River State Park (Highway 61 mile 80.1) and George H. Crosby Manitou State Park (N. on Minn. Hwy. 1 at Illgen City to County Rd. 7 then NE 7 miles)

Intern naturalists will provide facts about Lake Superior and information about the Lake Superior Photo Contest.

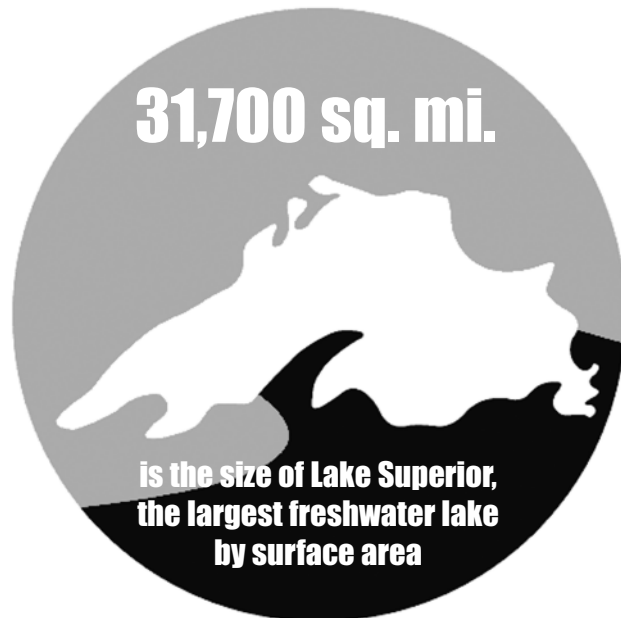
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July 16-19 (Thursday-Sunday)

Displays & Experts

10 a.m.-4 p.m.
Lake Superior Maritime
Visitor Center, Canal
Park, Duluth

Lake experts from
Minnesota Sea
Grant, Clean
Water Action,
Minnesota DNR,
Minnesota
Waters, St. Louis
River Alliance,
Minnesota
Environmental
Partnership, Split
Rock Lighthouse
Historic Site and more.
Info about regional
natural history and
invasive species. Drawings daily for
prizes. Kids activities.

Special Library Displays about Lake Superior

During regular hours at ...
Cloquet Public Library, 320 14th St.
Duluth Public Library, 520 W. Superior St.
Grand Marais Public Library, 104 2nd Ave. W.
Silver Bay Public Library, 9 Davis Dr.
Two Harbors Public Library, 320 Waterfront Dr.

Lake Superior-related Activities, Events

Regular hours
Great Lakes Aquarium,
353 Harbor Dr., Duluth

Special hands-on activities, exhibits and interpretive programs about Lake Superior.
No admission for GLA members. Others bringing a non-perishable food donation
will get a discounted admission of \$9 for adults (normally \$14.50) and \$5 for
children ages 3-17 (normally \$8.50). Children under 3 always free.

“Water Works: An Exhibit of Artists’ Expressions Concerning Water”

Opening Reception 5 p.m. Friday, July 17, exhibit through Aug. 4
Lake Superior Maritime Visitor Center, Canal Park, Duluth
Exhibit works by 17 artists.



July 16 (Thursday)

30th Anniversary Open House of Lake Superior Magazine

3-7 p.m.
Lake Superior Magazine offices, 310 E. Superior St., Duluth
Open House to kick off celebration of magazine’s 30th anniversary. Give-aways and
door-prize drawings plus enter Subscription-a-Day giveaways for the next 30 days.

“Flow” – a showing of the movie

7-8:30 p.m.
Inn on Lake Superior, 350 Canal Park Dr., Duluth
Special showing of this internationally award-winning documentary about the world
water crisis. Sponsored by Clean Water Action & Duluth League of Women Voters.

July 17 (Friday)

Lake Superior Gallery Hop

2-7 p.m.
Various Duluth galleries & Duluth Art Institute
Special displays and refreshments to honor Lake Superior. The galleries are: Duluth
Art Institute, the Depot, 506 W. Michigan St.; Art Dock Inc, DeWitt Seitz
Marketplace, 394 S. Lake Ave.; Blue Lake Gallery, 395 S. Lake Ave.; Just for the
Season Gallery, 207 W. Superior St.; Lizzard’s Art Gallery and Framing, 11 W.
Superior St.; Perry Framing, 216 E. Superior St.; Sivertson Gallery, 361 Canal Park
Dr.; Waters of Superior, 395 S. Lake Ave.

Book Signing

4-5 p.m.
Northern Lights Bookstore, 307
Canal Park Dr., Duluth
Author Mark Munger to sign *Mr.
Environment: The Willard Munger
Story*. Willard Munger served 43
years in the Minnesota Legislature.

“Water Works” Reception

5-7 p.m.
Lake Superior Maritime Visitor
Center, Canal Park, Duluth
Kick off of “Water Works: An Exhibit of Artists’
Expressions Concerning Water.” Artists will be on hand and refreshments served.
Duluth Mayor Don Ness will speak at 5 p.m. Exhibit continues through August 4th.

“Where the Spirit Resides in Our Sacred Waters’ Talk

7:30 p.m.
Great Lakes Aquarium, 353 Harbor Dr., Duluth
Penny Charette, a member of the Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Ojibwe and a



Native American Studies student attending Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwe College,
will discuss the Ojibwe people’s spiritual connections to the water. She has conducted
numerous cultural presentations on Ojibwe lifestyles and culture to communities and
schools throughout the region. This presentation is sponsored by Sweetwater Alliance.

July 18 (Saturday)

Rock Pickers “Road Show”

2-3 p.m.
Great Lakes Aquarium, 353 Harbor Dr., Duluth
Aquarium staff knowledgeable about regional rocks and minerals will identify
your favorite Lake Superior “find.”

July 19 – LAKE SUPERIOR DAY (Sunday)

Several area churches will
celebrate with special activities and
recognition of Lake Superior
Day. Check with your
church.

“One Great Lake” Program

All day (10 a.m.-
4 p.m.)
Sugarloaf Cove
Nature Center,
lakeside, Highway
61 at mile 73.3
Special free Lake
Superior Day fun
family activities all day.
10 a.m. & 2 p.m. – “One
Great Lake” presentation by
the Sugarloaf Cove naturalist
highlighting some of the overwhelming
facts about the “Gitchi Gumi” and examining current threats: invasive species,
VHS virus and fish population health. Program features a discussion and hike to
the perfect backdrop ... the Lake itself. Free.

“Water Is Life” Public Walk & Rally

11 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
Outside Lake Superior Maritime Visitor Center, Duluth
“Water Is Life” is a 2.2-mile walk sponsored by a coalition of environmental
justice groups to focus on the corporate and military waste (i.e. 1,457 barrels)
dumped into Lake Superior in the 1950s & ’60s. Starts 11:15 a.m. and finishes
with a 12:30 p.m. rally at Endion Beach off the Lakewalk near Canal Park.

