

FUN 101: 101 Things to See & Do for \$10 & Under (Many are FREE!)

FALL 2017/WINTER 2018

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1. There are more than 130 miles of bike trails to enjoy fall in Kenosha County, including the Kenosha County Bike Trail and Pike Bike Trail. FREE
2. Enjoy hand-painted pumpkin displays at Jerry Smith Produce & Pumpkin Farm. FREE; prices vary for other activities
3. View Lake Michigan from the top of the 1866 Southport Lighthouse, through October! \$10 & under
4. See new art! The Kenosha Sculpture Walk runs along the harbor and features a dozen inspiring works of art. The 2017-19 exhibit was installed September 2017. FREE
5. Ace the course! Try your hand at these disc golf locations: Fox River Park, Lincoln Park, Silver Lake Park, and UW-Parkside. FREE
6. Walk 9 holes of golf at Brighton Dale Links or Petrifying Springs Golf Course on weekdays starting Oct 2. \$10
7. Play at Kenosha's first fully accessible playground, the Dream Playground at Petzke Park. FREE
8. Enjoy Haunted Tours of the historic Rhode Center for the Arts. The guided tour with storytelling takes place Oct 6-21, Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays. \$10
9. At Kemper Center, gaze at stars and planets from the Griffin Observatory, Friday evenings, Oct 6 – Nov 3. FREE
10. Travel back to yesteryear aboard one of Kenosha's seven authentic Electric Streetcars! \$1 & under
11. Wilmot Mountain hosts many family-friendly events, including the Epic Fall Festival on Oct 8 and its 80th Anniversary celebration on Feb 10. FREE admission
12. Enjoy free cheese samples and one-of-a-kind photo ops at the newly-expanded Mars Cheese Castle. FREE
13. Travel around the world from your chair: the Kenosha Public Museum Travel Adventure Series takes place Oct 12, Nov 9, Feb 8, March 8, and April 19. \$5 / ages 15 & under FREE
14. No need to wait for the ice cream truck to roll around next summer, Sugar Boxx is filled with over 100 varieties of frozen novelties and much more! Prices vary (Closed Nov-Feb)
15. Silver Lake Park is home to 10 miles of year-round mountain bike trails that accommodate all levels from beginner to professional riders. FREE
16. Enter if you dare! The Kemper Center Haunted House is Friday and Saturday evenings, Oct 13-28. \$7-\$10
17. Bring the family to the City of Kenosha Fall Festival on Oct 14 at Veterans Memorial Park. FREE
18. Trick or treat and enjoy many fun family activities at three museums (Kenosha Public Museum, Civil War Museum, Dinosaur Discovery Museum) during Boofest, Oct 21. FREE
19. Give your dog a COOKIE! Gourmet treats from D-O-G Bakery are at K9 Kibble's Biscuit Buffet. \$1.75 each
20. Enjoy a family outing to Alpaca Art Pottery Painting. \$7 studio fee plus the cost of your pottery (\$3+)

21. Each month, enjoy Second Saturday with sales, live entertainment, and family activities in Downtown Kenosha. Many FREE activities
22. Enjoy a taste of Italy at Tenuta's Delicatessen! Ask for a Fresh Cannoli, and you have your pick of size, shell, and filling. \$1.69-\$2.99
23. Bring your favorite vinyl to be played during Turntable Tuesday at PUBLIC Craft Brewing Co. Any day, play the Giant Jenga or Shuffle Board. FREE to play
24. Also enjoy locally made small batch craft beer at R'Noggin Brewing Co. and Rustic Road Brewing Company. Prices vary
25. On Oct 28, Jelly Belly Visitor Center debuts a new, interactive experience! The new exhibits join a refreshed tour that debuted last summer. FREE
26. As seen in Archaeology Magazine, come see woolly mammoth bones – that were excavated in Kenosha County – at the Kenosha Public Museum. FREE
27. Visit Jack Andrea's old fashioned café and warm up with a bowl of their classic chili. Always homemade and always delicious! \$4.50
28. Show your team spirit! Shop at Something Different – “a sports fan fantasyland”. Prices Vary
29. Seniors (ages 60 & over) can enjoy the Kenosha YMCA for free on the third Tuesday of every month! FREE
30. Bring your pooch to play at one of five off-leash dog parks! FREE to \$5 depending on park
31. The famous “backroom” offers amazing savings at the Jockey Factory Store in Downtown Kenosha. Prices vary
32. You'll find made-daily homemade cheese and caramel popcorn, plus more than 50 popcorn varieties, ice cream, and other treats at Sandy's Popper. Most \$1.25-\$6.95
33. Take in a sporting event at either Carthage College (NCAA Div. III) or UW-Parkside (NCAA Div. II). Prices vary
34. Make your own customized bracelet or necklace at Peacetree Originals. \$5+
35. Kenosha HarborMarket moves inside Rhode Center for the Arts starting Oct 21. FREE admission
36. Local attractions and businesses bring samples, brochures, giveaways, and smiles to the I-94 Visitor Information Center for First Fridays. FREE
37. At Johnny'Z Pour House, enjoy 50¢ Bone-in Wings on Sundays, 50¢ Boneless Wings on Mondays, and America's Pub Quiz on Thursdays. FREE to play
38. Sit back and enjoy the scenery as you take the Metra train from Chicago to Kenosha. \$8 Weekend Pass (unlimited rides on Saturday and Sunday)
39. Enjoy the Fine Arts at First Concert Series. Among the dates: Nov 5, Dec 17, Feb 11, and March 18. FREE
40. Check out the impressive 360° film “Seeing the Elephant” inside the Civil War Museum's main exhibit The Fiery Trial. Main exhibit \$9 & under
41. Visit the Veterans Memorial Fountain and Lone Soldier Memorial at Veterans Memorial Park. FREE
42. Plan a holiday shopping excursion during Deer Widows Weekend (Nov 17-19) or the Thanksgiving Weekend Sale (Nov 23-26) at Pleasant Prairie Premium Outlets. Prices vary
43. Nov 24 is Lightin' Up! Downtown. Enjoy the City Tree Lighting, Santa, special sales, family activities, live entertainment, and more! Many FREE activities
44. Stroll through Downtown Kenosha and enjoy the bright and colorful holiday window displays following Lightin' Up. FREE
45. Be entertained and educated at the Pleasant Prairie Mini Maker Faire on Nov 25 at RecPlex. FREE
46. In honor of the 50th anniversary of the AMX sports car, the Kenosha History Center exhibit “AMX: A New and Bold Direction” opens Nov 22. FREE
47. Starting Nov 25, enjoy Christmas at Kemper, a series of holiday events at Kemper Center. See two historic mansions decorated for the holidays. Many events FREE

48. Check VisitKenosha.com/Events for Santa appearances in the Kenosha Area. Many events FREE
49. Play family-friendly Donut Bingo at Mike's Chicken & Donut Bar on Monday evenings. Or Trivia on Wednesdays and Beer Bingo on Thursdays. FREE
50. Walk, bike, or drive through Kenosha's four historic districts. Explore and appreciate the architecture and history behind the buildings. FREE
51. Sazzy B has live music on Mondays, Thursdays, and some Fridays and Saturdays. Wednesdays feature \$10 Big Bowls of Specialty Pastas. FREE music /\$10 Pasta
52. Snowshoe through the pristine Bristol Woods Park. FREE admission; \$5/pair snowshoe rental
53. On Tuesday evenings enjoy Music by Matt Meyer at Mason's Eatery & Pub, with other live music on select weekends. FREE
54. Attend "A Carthage Christmas", Dec 1-3. Featuring the sounds of the majestic Fritsch Memorial Organ and the Service of Light, this is an annual tradition. FREE tickets
55. Dec 2 is Kenosha HarborHoliday – International Market & Festival. Enjoy events inside two museums, an outdoor Winter HarborMarket, and more. FREE admission
56. Devour a tasty six-pack of cupcakes at Robin's Nest Cakery – mix and match the flavors of the day. \$10
57. At Boat House Pub & Eatery, enjoy Trivia games on Thursday evenings, and live music on most Fridays and Saturdays. FREE
58. Lakeside Players Presents: Ramona Quimby, Dec 8-17, at Rhode Center for the Arts. This play is based on the best-selling books by Beverly Cleary. \$10
59. Sundays at 3 p.m., starting Dec. 10, enjoy Slopestyle S'mores at The Fire Pit at Wilmot Mountain (excludes Dec 24). FREE
60. 2018 marks the 115th anniversary of Harley-Davidson. View the history of Wisconsin's oldest H-D dealership in the museum at Uke's Harley-Davidson. FREE
61. Look for the neon "Lunch" sign above the Coffee Pot door. Inside, order the famous Alaskan Smoked Salmon Benny. \$9.75
62. Attend a fun program at one of four Kenosha Public Library locations. FREE
63. Enjoy homemade soup at the family owned and operated Scoops Ice Cream. Dine-in, or take frozen quarts of soup to go. Prices vary
64. Frolic and play while your nose gets a chillin'! Cross country ski, snowshoe, or sled at parks such as Petrifying Springs Park or Fox River Park. FREE
65. Get bead-azzled at Red Rose's Bead Haven. Advice at this bead shop is always free! Bead prices vary
66. Live Trivia on Tuesdays, Open Mic on Wednesdays, and live music most Saturdays can be enjoyed at tg's Restaurant & Pub. FREE
67. Preschoolers learn about science and the world around them at Museum Munchkins on Wednesday mornings at the Kenosha Public Museum. FREE
68. Take a brisk 2.3 mile walk around Lake Andrea. FREE
69. In January, order, pick up, or view online the new 2018 Kenosha Area Visitors Guide. FREE
70. Enjoy a Root Beer Whirl all year long at The Spot Drive-In. \$3.59
71. Visit Wine Knot on Mondays for a Cosmopolitan. \$4
72. Aspiring young paleontologists will dig this: Dino Digs are held most Saturday and Sunday afternoons at the Dinosaur Discovery Museum. FREE
73. Birders are invited to join Pringle Nature Center in the National Audubon Society's Kenosha County Christmas Bird Count on Dec 21. FREE
74. Enjoy Team Trivia on Monday evenings, Beer Bingo on Tuesdays, Music by Matt Meyer on Thursdays, and Open Mic on Sundays at Captain Mike's Beer & Burger Bar. FREE
75. Go to Uncle Mike's Highway Pub on Mondays for 75¢ Wings, \$1 off all Drafts, and Beer Bingo. Tuesdays feature 75¢ Boneless Wings and Trivia. FREE to play

76. Go Fish! For Free! No fishing licenses are needed Jan 20-21 in Wisconsin during Free Fishing Weekend! FREE
77. Bring your skates and enjoy the new outdoor ice rink at Veterans Memorial Park (through March, weather permitting). FREE
78. Visit two sweet shops at one location! Elsie Mae's Bakery & Cannery and Myrtle Mae's Sugar Emporium feature pies, specialty chocolates, and more. Prices vary
79. What do a Mimosa, Bloody Mary, Cinnamon Roll, and Irish Coffee have in common? Each is delicious and under \$6 at Franks Diner! \$6 & under
80. Create art in the Clay Studio at Lemon Street Gallery! Clay costs \$3 per pound
81. See incredible art at Re:Vision Gallery, Pollard Gallery, Anderson Arts Center, ArtWorks, Kenosha Art Association, Carthage College, and UW-Parkside! FREE
82. This winter, enjoy the Friday Night Live & Local Music Series at Wilmot Mountain: a 3 hour jam session with a local band. FREE
83. Here's one place at a museum where kids are encouraged to touch stuff! The Field Station at the Kenosha Public Museum is loaded with art projects, animals, and science. FREE
84. Enjoy the swanky Wisconsin supper club atmosphere at HobNob. Order a Brandy Old Fashioned, while enjoying live music on Friday and Saturday evenings. \$7
85. BeExposed! to the Arts, the third Friday of the month at Fusion, a performing arts venue in Downtown Kenosha. Be inspired by local artists. FREE
86. Fusion features Vinyl Night, the first Wednesday of the month; Comedy Open Mic, the first Thursday; Southport Sound Big Band, the second Wednesday; and more. FREE
87. View 100+ classic, exotic, and collectible automobiles at Gateway Classic Cars of Milwaukee - located in Kenosha. FREE to browse
88. Layer in style this winter! Pick out a Kenosha t-shirt at The Lettering Machine. \$7
89. Play Bingo on Wednesdays at The Garage. FREE
90. Every day it's Happy Hour from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. at La Fogata Mexican Grill with specials on drinks and food. Prices Vary
91. Find your favorite childhood video game and try it out at Inner Child Comics & Collectibles. Many under \$10 / FREE to try
92. Enjoy family activities and ice sculptures at the Snow Daze Festival in Downtown Kenosha on Feb 10. FREE
93. Enjoy Half Priced Pizza (dine-in only) all day on Mondays at Kaiser's Pizza & Pub. Prices vary
94. From mild to wild, pick up a pair of socks at Mike Bjorn's Clothing. Most under \$10
95. Relax and watch the sun rise over Lake Michigan. FREE
96. Watch a model train deliver your Boxcar Bomber at Choo Choo Charlie's. \$7.49
97. Visit Seebecks, an American Craft Gallery featuring handcrafted items by regional and national artists. FREE to browse
98. Enjoy nine days of culinary adventure! Downtown Kenosha Restaurant Week is Feb 17-25. Breakfast and lunch menus \$10 (dinner costs \$20-\$30)
99. Pick up your I Heart Kenosha frame and take photos of your favorite places, spaces, food, and fun! Use our hashtag #KenoshaFun! FREE
100. Through March, visit the "Wilmot Mountain's 80th Ski Season" exhibit at the Kenosha History Center. FREE
101. Take a selfie at Kenosha's iconic red 1906 North Pier Lighthouse. FREE