

## 101 (AND THEN SOME!) THINGS TO DO IN THE RED LAKE AREA

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1. Rent a kayak or canoe and launch from one of our many beautiful beaches or docks
2. Watch the float planes take off and land in Howey Bay
3. Share ideas and delicious food at the community kitchen (Check out the Red Lake Eats Local Facebook page)
4. Participate in the annual triathlon
5. Check out the waterbombers when they land at the Red Lake Municipal Airport in Cochenour
6. Get an ice cream at Video Plus, go across the road and play on the school ground equipment
7. Play a game of hockey at the outdoor skating rink
8. Go fishing, whether by boat, skis on the shoreline or on the docks
9. Take a swim at the pool or join the Gold Fins and swim with a team
10. Check out the sucker run in the spring
11. Throw on a pair of water skis
12. Pick a batch of wild strawberries, blueberries, raspberries or pincherries
13. Go four wheeling or snowmobiling down one of the many back roads or trails
14. Go camping and eat smores!
15. Play at one of the local parks
16. Go rollerblading at Centennial Park
17. Rent a paddleboard and view Howey Bay from the water
18. Join the book club at the library
19. Learn about Fairwind's Drum at the Heritage Centre
20. Buy a box of cookies from the local girl guides
21. Check out the meat draw at the Legion on Friday nights and sing for your porchetta, play a game of shuffleboard or darts and socialize with the locals
22. Take the ferry to McKenzie Island and walk the trails. Don't forget your camera!
23. Come out to one of the arts and crafts shows and support local homebased businesses
24. In the winter, ski the awesome trails on McKenzie Island
25. Practice your driving or putting at the Red Lake Golf and Country Club
26. Check out the pictographs which tell the Legend of Red Lake
27. Celebrate Canada Day with activities and fireworks
28. Play a game of tennis at Rahill Beach
29. Buy a magazine at the pharmacy and sit in Centennial Park to read it
30. Go to the curling rink to watch or play
31. Go to the arena in Cochenour to watch or participate in figure skating or hockey
32. Have a cup of locally roasted coffee at the Water Buffalo
33. Go for a ride on the ice road then tell all of your city friends what you just did!
34. Visit the West Red Lake Mining Museum
35. Go to the Heritage Centre and learn about Norval Morrisseau and his amazing Woodland Art
36. Take your bike or skateboard to the skate park
37. Join the bowling team or organize your own bowling party
38. Check out movie nights and guest speaker series at The Heritage Centre
39. Go to the annual Fresh Air Fair
40. Check out the Communities in Bloom Fall Fair
41. Observe wildlife such as loons, wolves, and bears (safely)
42. Harvest different mushrooms (but make sure you pick the right ones!)
43. Participate or volunteer at the Red Lake Fall Classic Fishing Tournament
44. Enjoy the beautiful 18 hole golf course and stay for a fantastic meal at the club house
45. Participate or volunteer for the winter carnival
46. Join the scrapbooking club
47. Make a bet with friends as to when the ice will be out in Howey Bay

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48. Go to The Howey on Saturday morning for coffee to find out what's happening in the world
49. Go to the Heritage Centre and learn about Harold Farrington, Gramma Gene and many other local legends
50. Take an art workshop with the Clever Corvid Art and Art Workshops for all ages and levels
51. Enjoy a night out with friends at the monthly Paint Night held at The Howey
52. Take your young ones to the Best Start Hub
53. Pick up some donuts at Tim Hortons
54. Get yourself a snack at Balmer Video and sit outside to enjoy it at the nice picnic table area
55. Check out the variety of activities at the Friendship Centre
56. Get a Red Lake souvenir at The Treasure House such as a pair of locally made moccasins or Woodland Art
57. Just sit outside with your favourite beverage, smell the fresh air and enjoy the view
58. Pick up fresh veggies at the summer market
59. Explore the Woodland Caribou Provincial Park in all its splendor
60. Learn about the history of Starrat Olsen
61. Find out why Red Lake is Norseman Capital of the world by reading the information provided at the park
62. Have some fries at The Spud n' Dog
63. Get out for a night of fantastic music and entertainment through the Wilderness Entertainment Series
64. Get your hunting license and capture dinner
65. Have a craft night by first buying supplies at Donna's Dollar Store
66. Go out for drinks and dancing at The Balmer
67. Enjoy the daily specials at Antonio's Restaurant
68. Go to the Municipal Office in Balmertown to see the fantastic rock collection
69. Join a fitness class at the Red Lake or Balmertown recreation centres
70. Sign up for lessons through In-Step Dance classes
71. Sign your child up for brownies, guides, sea cadets or scouts
72. Join the karate club
73. Learn how to play the piano via the Music for Young Children program
74. Join a baseball or hockey team
75. Check out the beautiful plants at the Chukuni River Greenhouse
76. Take your dog for a walk
77. Go Christmas tree hunting
78. Watch the northern lights and star gaze
79. Go horseback riding at Lee Green's
80. Take a trapping course
81. Volunteer to be a foster parent for Lucky Mutts and have a furry friend in your home!
82. Try a sewing class through Gail's Stitches
83. Buy a beautiful bouquet of flowers or gift at Forever Green in downtown Red Lake
84. Get a great steak at West End Groceries
85. Have a picnic at the beach
86. Go to one of the sandpits down Nungessor or Dixie Lake road to play or practice target shooting
87. Enjoy a "staycation" at one of many local camps
88. Check out the trader days program at the Heritage Centre
89. Check out the Norseman Festival which is full of activities, entertainment and artisan booths
90. Fly out to a fishing camp for dinner
91. Get yourself fully equipped for outdoor adventures at Lakeside Marina or Red Lake Marine
92. Check out a Patricia Players and the multi-talented performance artists who share their talents
93. Go to a Music in the Alcove house concert
94. Go tobogganing at Kesick Bay road or the Cochenour Sand Pit
95. Attend a church service

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96. Get a pedi or mani at Bellezza Hair and Esthetics
97. Grab the Northern Sun Newspaper and catch up on the weekly news
98. Take a course through Contact North or Confederation College
99. Learn about the mining industry by contacting a local prospector and having an educational chat
100. Contact a local photographer to have a family photo shoot
101. Entertain your family by going through the Golden Eagle automatic car wash!
102. Treat your pet to some TLC by taking them to Pawzwild for a spa day
103. Buy a bag of grub at Balmertown Food Fair or Red Lake IGA and have a backyard party with friends and family
104. Buy some fancy swag at McTaggarts and go out on a date with a loved one
105. Book yourself a much needed massage at Sunrise Chiropractic Clinic
106. Buy jewelry supplies at The Treasure House and have an afternoon of creating
107. Buy a delicious cake or other sweet treats from The Midnight Baker
108. Order yourself delicious take out Chinese food from The Jade Restaurant
109. Go to "the ridge" down Nungessor Road and see for as far as the eye can see
110. Check out what the Chukuni Rod and Gun Club is all about and learn about their archery trail too
111. Get a walk-in haircut at Tangled Hair Designs
112. Visit a graveyard and pay your respects
113. Visit Chelsie Aniceto at Meraki Ink for a professional tattoo
114. Sit at Norseman Park or Rahill Beach and do an outdoor painting or sketch
115. Sign out a book or movie at the library in Red Lake or Balmertown
116. Buy some fireworks at TJ's and go somewhere that is not going to affect neighbours and animals and have a blast!
117. Go to Chimo Air for a float plane ride.
118. Sign up for a plot in one of the community gardens
119. Catch a muskie on Flat Lake
120. Go tree climbing
121. Spend the day at Sandy Point and watch everyone go back and forth to McKenzie Island!
122. Check out the CCDC trade show held every spring and fall
123. Go garage saling or the the reclaim station at the landfill
124. Get high quality prints of your children's artwork at Worrall's Photography and Design to hang on your wall or send to family
125. Rent snowshoes from Red Lake Outfitters and get some good camping and outdoor gear while there
126. Volunteer with a variety of local organizations
127. Try out a wide variety of beer selections at The Beer Store
128. Stop in at Pets Plus to see the animals and buy your pet a special treat
129. Camp at Chukuni River Campground. You can even rent a yurt until October 1<sup>st</sup>!
130. Go sliding at the ski hill by Sandy Point
131. Make a float for the Santa Claus parade or attend the parade
132. Visit our neighbours in the south and enjoy the annual Trout Forest Music Festival: music in the woods.
133. Walk the trails around Flat Lake. Bring a bear bell!
134. Do backcountry camping in the Woodland Provincial Park and remember to pack out what you pack in!
135. Paddle "Half way Creek" on the way to Madsen
136. Bike to Madsen and enjoy going down the "big hill" as your reward!
137. Check out an English Miners hockey game
138. Go camping at Goldseekers
139. Get yourself some seafood at Baudrey's and have an east coast party in your own backyard!
140. Go and get an annual check up at the dentist and doctor's office.
141. Check out the awesome goods at the local thrift store which supports local charities.
142. Have a picnic by the butterfly garden at Norseman Park.

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143. Look at the banners hung on the main drag which were taken by local photographers.
144. Check out the mud nests made by sparrows by McTaggarts, but only look and don't get too close.
145. Go frog hunting at night with a flashlight
146. Check out the display of local art for sale at the Northern Sun News building
147. Go to a council meeting to be informed of what our local government is doing for our communities
148. Check out the murals painted by local artists (one beside the post office, across from the post office, on The Lakeview and on The Treasure House building)
149. Go swimming or fishing at the government docks
150. Participate at the annual pow wow
151. Help a neighbour by mowing their lawn, or bringing them some fresh baking
152. Go to St Paul's Bay and sit on the docks watching the sun set in the west
153. Build an ice fishing shack and remember to take it home before the ice melts!
154. Look at the mining equipment displays and read the historical plaque at Harry's Corner
155. Go to the bridge down Suffel Lake Road or Pineridge Road
156. Check out the historical grave sites, respectfully, at Post Narrows.
157. Have a fish fry at Upper Chukuni River.
158. Say hello to everyone you meet on the street because it's a small town and that's just one of the 101 things you do in a small town.
159. Learn how to make an authentic batch of bannock and serve it warm with butter and homemade raspberry jam.
160. Go geocaching.
161. Have a kitchen pickling or salsa making party after harvesting all of your yummy veggies.
162. Have a scavenger hunt in your community based on finding things in nature, street names, or any other criteria that connects you to your town!
163. Pick rosehips to make rosehip tea
164. Go to Roadside Convenience for an ice cream or Slurpy and watch the sun go down and the cars go by!
165. Bike to the beach. Challenge yourself to bike the big hills instead of walking your bike!
166. Clear snow off the lake to make an outdoor rink.
167. Make an inuksuk or check out the one made at the turnaround Leni Sadtler Memorial Garden.
168. Watch a high school Rams sports game
169. Join the local soccer league
170. Just get outside and find out what your community has to offer you! It's all there for you!