

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## First Day Hike

January 1  
Fort Stevenson

## Flakes of Fury Fat Tire Race

January 23  
Fort Stevenson

## Winterfest

February 13  
Cross Ranch

## Sweetheart Dinner

February 14  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Wild Outdoor Women

February 19-21  
Lake Metigoshe

## Moon Candlelight Hike

February 27  
Fort Stevenson

## Leprechaun Mystery Hunt

March 14  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Leprechaun's Gold Geocache

March 17  
Fort Stevenson

## Maple Sugaring Day

April 10  
Fort Stevenson

## Cardio & Coffee

April 24  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Williston Booster Club Fishing Tournament

May 1  
Lewis & Clark

## Friends Clean Up Day

May 8  
Lewis & Clark

## WRFA Spring Walleye Classic

May 15  
Lewis & Clark

## Fish 'N' Fun

May 15  
Turtle River

## EMS Kid Strong

May 22  
Fort Stevenson

## Sky Fest

May 29-31  
Fort Stevenson

## Cardio & Coffee

May 29  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Capital in Farm Country Tour

May 29  
Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center

## Military Appreciation Day

May 31  
Fort Stevenson

## National Trails Day

June 6  
Fort Abraham Lincoln, Fort Ransom, Fort Stevenson, Grahams Island, Icelandic, Lake Metigoshe, Lake Sakakawea, Lewis & Clark, Turtle River

## Safe Day - Safe Play

June 11-13  
Lewis & Clark

## National Marina Day

June 12  
Fort Stevenson

## Saturday Night at the Hall

June 12  
Icelandic

## 3D Archery Duel

June 12  
Fort Ransom

## Halloween in June

June 12-13  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Bluegrass Festival

June 18-19  
Cross Ranch

## Halloween in June

June 18-20  
Lewis & Clark

## Cardio & Coffee

June 19  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Jonnie Candle Fishing Seminar

June 19  
Grahams Island

## 3D Archery Duel

June 19  
Beaver Lake

## Halloween in June

June 19-20  
Fort Ransom

## OLC Youth Day Camps

June 24-25  
Lake Metigoshe

## Devils Lake Chamber Walleye Fishing Tournament

June 24-27  
Grahams Island

## Great American Camping Campaign

June 25-26  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Frontier Military Days

June 26-27  
Fort Stevenson

## Visitor Appreciation Day

June 27  
Beaver Lake

## Halloween in July

July 10  
Turtle River

## Sodbuster Days

July 10-11  
Fort Ransom

## OLC Youth Day Camp

July 16  
Lake Metigoshe

## ND Governor's Cup

Fishing Derby  
July 16-17  
Fort Stevenson

## ND Jr Governor's Cup

Fishing Derby  
July 17  
Fort Stevenson

## Christmas in July

July 17-18  
Lewis & Clark

## Living History Garrison Event

July 16-18  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Cardio & Coffee

July 17  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Campground Fun Day

July 17  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Christmas in July

July 17-18  
Fort Ransom

## Halloween in July

July 23-24  
Lake Metigoshe

## Hallson Church Service & Pancake Breakfast

July 25  
Icelandic

## OLC Youth Day Camps

July 29-30  
Lake Metigoshe

## Cardio & Coffee

July 31  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Bluegrass Goes Pink

July 31  
Cross Ranch

## OLC Youth Day Camp

August 6  
Lake Metigoshe

## Family Fun Weekend

August 6-8  
Lewis & Clark

## Fossil Dig

August 6-15  
Pembina Gorge

## Wacky for Water Games

August 7  
Turtle River

## Kids Weekend

August 7-8  
Fort Ransom

## OLC Youth Day Camps

August 12-13  
Lake Metigoshe

## Kids Weekend

August 13-15  
Icelandic

## Cardio & Coffee

August 14  
Fort Abraham Lincoln



# SPECIAL EVENTS CONTINUED

## Bison Bash

August 14  
Cross Ranch

## BNI Walleye Classic

August 15  
Lake Sakakawea

## Great Planers Salmon Derby

August 20-21  
Lake Sakakawea

## Capital in Farm Country Tour

August 21  
Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center

## Corn & Frank Fest

August 21  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Cardio & Coffee

August 28  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Backyard Games

September 3-6  
Cross Ranch

## Glow Hike

September 4  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Wild Outdoor Women

September 10-12  
Lake Metigoshe

## Sodbuster Days

September 11-12  
Fort Ransom

## Cardio & Coffee

September 18  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Twilight Hike & Candlelight Tour

September 18  
Fort Mandan

## Lewis & Clark Big 10 Showdown

October 1-2  
Lewis & Clark

## Haunted Fort

Weekends in October  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Fall Luminary Walk

October 16  
Turtle River

## Lil' Monsters Hike

October 24  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## Christmas Open House

November 21  
Icelandic

## Wheelchair Deer Hunt

November 20-21  
Lake Sakakawea

## Dickens Festival Geocache Ornament Exchange

November 26-27  
December 3-4  
December 10-11  
Fort Stevenson

## Light the Blockhouse Hike

December 11  
Fort Abraham Lincoln

## OLC Winter Survival Camp

December 31  
Lake Metigoshe

## 12 MONTHS-12 HIKES SCHEDULE

January 1-15: First Day Hike

February 14-28: Sweetheart Hike

March 14-28:  
Wear Green for Parks Hike

April 4-18:  
April's Cabin Fever Hike

May 9-23: Mother's Walk

June 13-27: Father's Hike

July 4-18:  
Independence Day Hike

August 8-22:  
Fido's State Park Adventure

September 12-26: Fall Colors Hike

October 10-24: Haunted Walk

November 7-21:  
Blaze Orange Hike

December 12-26: Holiday Walk

# 2021 CHALLENGES

We're bringing you more outdoor fun in 2021 with the much anticipated return of the Adventure Challenge and a new statewide 12 Months-12 Hikes Challenge. If you're new to our state parks, this is the perfect way to start exploring the hidden gems in North Dakota. For our seasoned visitors, up your game by taking on one or both challenges and get more out of your experiences! Plus, you'll have the chance to win prize packages including annual permits, free nights of camping and state park swag!

Visit [parkrec.nd.gov/challenges](https://parkrec.nd.gov/challenges) for full details and official rules.



## 12 MONTHS-12 HIKES CHALLENGE

Hike one North Dakota state park trail each month of 2021 as part of the new statewide 12 Months-12 Hikes Challenge. There are 20 qualifying hiking trails at 12 state parks that count toward completing the challenge. Participants who complete 12 hikes by the end of the year earn a collectible 12 Months-12 Hikes medal. The more parks you visit, the better your chance of winning one of our great prize packages. Register online at [parkrec.nd.gov/challenges](https://parkrec.nd.gov/challenges) and start exploring!



## ADVENTURE CHALLENGE

The Adventure Challenge is making a comeback in 2021. Everyone is invited to take tours, visit historic places, explore trails and experience outdoor adventures within the North Dakota Parks and Recreation locations. Capture photos (and memories) as you go and submit on Facebook for a chance to win. We've created a **ND Parks & Rec 2021 Adventure Challenge Facebook page** just for you. Check it out now and follow along to participate all year long.

