

Quincy Mine

📍 49750 US-41, Hancock, MI

*Adventure awaits*



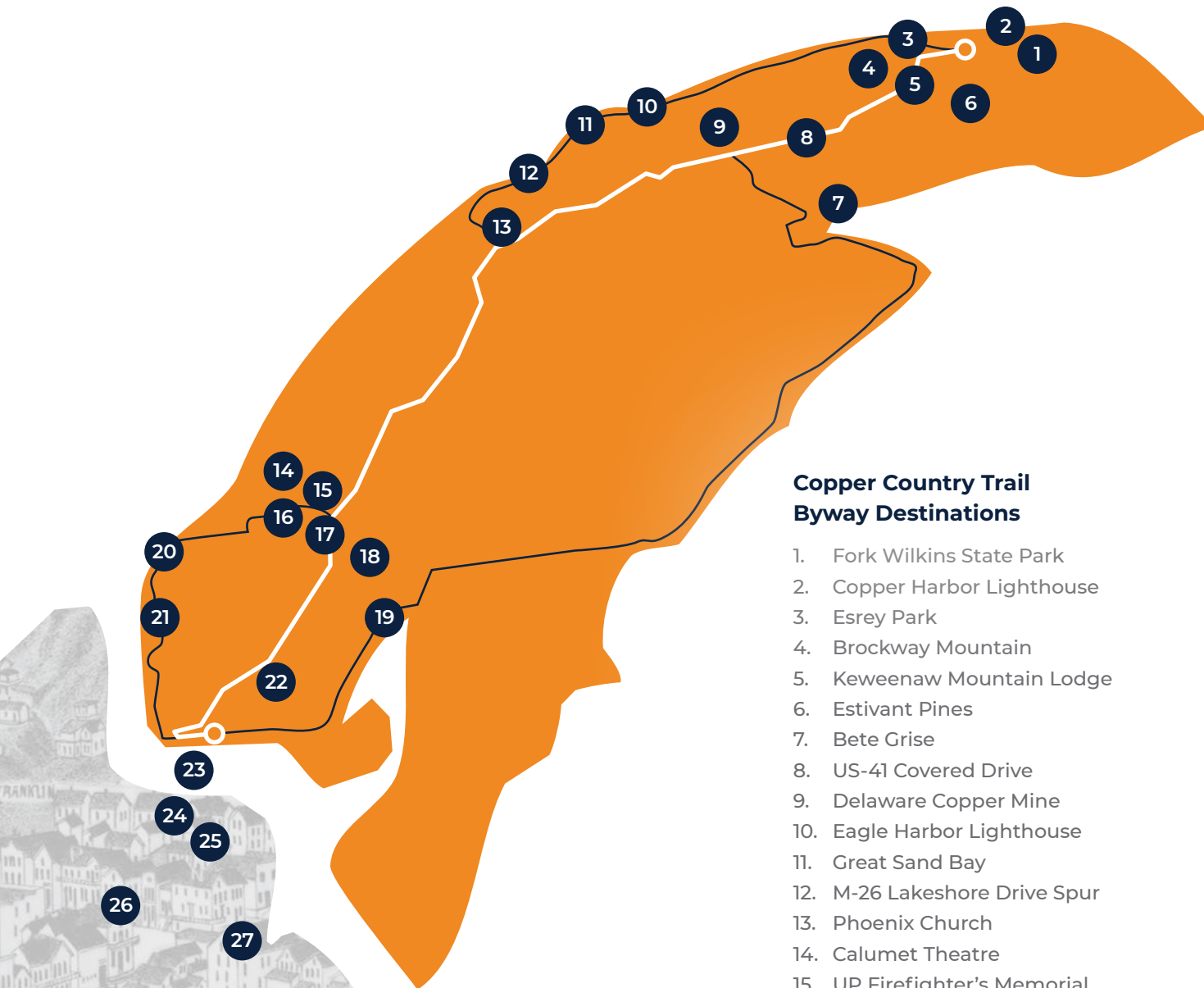
# Real rugged. Real history.

Attractions abound along the Copper Country Trail National Byway. From Hancock and Houghton to Calumet through Copper Harbor, you will be immersed in Upper Michigan's rich mining history, picturesque landscape, and natural features.

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*Pick your path*





### Copper Country Trail Byway Destinations

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### Portage Lift Bridge

📍 Connects Houghton & Hancock, MI

This double-deck, vertical lift bridge spans the Portage Canal, connecting the communities of Houghton and Hancock. Enjoy a walk along the waterfront, explore the shops, or stop for a bite to eat.



### Quincy Mine (pictured)

📍 49750 US Highway 41 Hancock, MI

Take a guided tour of this historic copper mine, explore the shaft house with the largest steam-powered hoist engine, go underground into the mine, and ride on the Midwest's only cog wheel tram.



### Great Sand Bay

📍 M-26 between Eagle River & Eagle Harbor

Great Sand Bay is located along M-26 in between Eagle River and Eagle Harbor. Look for agates or swim to the offshore sandbars while looking for the Lake Shore Traps and underwater copper veins.



# Explore



### Delaware Copper Mine

📍 7804 Delaware Rd, Mohawk, MI

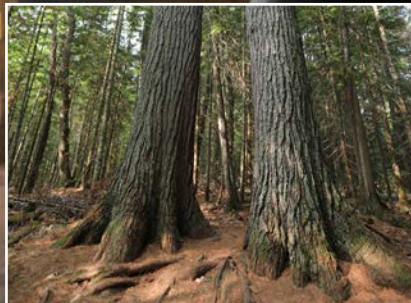
Walk down 100 feet of stairs through the shaft and an additional 1700 feet through the original operation. Above ground, explore ruins of mine buildings, equipment displays, and transportation from the time.



### Esrey Park

📍 11899 M-26, Copper Harbor, MI

Take in the stunning views of Eagle Harbor and Copper Harbor from a rustic gazebo along a stone walkway, stop for a picnic, or collect agates and other minerals on the cobblestone beach.



### Estivant Pines

📍 Burma Rd, Copper Harbor, MI

This 570.5 acre sanctuary is home to one of the last old-growth white pine in Michigan standing at 125+ feet tall and 300 years old. The trail system can be done on a loop and completed as a 2.5 mile hike.



**Brrr!** Maintaining a crisp 43° underground, grab a jacket before you go into the depths of Quincy Mine.

## More to explore

**Fort Wilkins State Park** 15223 US-41, Copper Harbor  
**Keweenaw Mountain Lodge** 14252 US-41, Copper Harbor  
**Brockway Mountain** Off M-26 between Eagle & Copper Harbor

**McLain State Park** 18350 M-203, Hancock  
**Bete Grise** Gay-Lac La Belle Road, Bete Grise  
**Eagle Harbor Lighthouse** 670 Lighthouse Rd, Eagle Harbor



### Calumet Theatre

📍 340 Sixth Street, Calumet, MI

Built in 1898 to serve the community during the copper mining boom, the historic Theatre continues to host events each year and offers tours.



### UP Firefighters Museum

📍 327 Sixth Street, Calumet, MI

Built in 1898, the locally-sourced sandstone fire hall is filled with original fire and pumper trucks, fire wagons and sleds, hose carts, vintage fire fighting equipment, historic photos, and much more!



### Keweenaw Heritage Center

📍 25880 Red Jacket Rd, Calumet, MI

This 1901 gothic-style former Catholic Church that once held 800 people in its former life now operates as a museum, educational facility, and large gathering space for receptions and other events.



# Learn



**Coppertown Mining Museum** (pictured)

📍 25815 Red Jacket Rd., Calumet, MI

Explore exhibits featuring Annie Clemenc, artifacts from the Italian Hall fire, and materials used in the mining process. The museum is open seasonally from June through October.



**Laurium Manor Inn**

📍 320 Tamarack St, Laurium, MI

This historic, 45 room mansion is ~ 13,000 sq. ft. of grand decor, including a triple staircase, stained glass window, and several murals. The home is open for tours and also operates as a seasonal bed and breakfast.



**Houghton County Historical Society Museum & Train**

📍 53102 M-26, Lake Linden, MI

Museum, railroad, one room school house, WPA-era log cabin, and an archives and genealogical research facility—all in one!

**i** Step back into mining history. See how the two man drill was operated and how ore cars were loaded and transported.

*More to learn*

**Quincy Mine** 49750 U-41 Hancock  
**Delaware Copper Mine** 7804 Delaware Rd, Mohawk

**Fort Wilkins State Park** 15223 US-41, Copper Harbor  
**Copper Harbor Lighthouse** Inside Fort Wilkins State Park



### A.E. Seaman Mineral Museum (pictured)

📍 1404 E. Sharon Avenue, Houghton, MI

The museum features outstanding fluorescent mineral exhibits, historic specimens, and the largest copper recovered from the bottom of Lake Superior (Guinness World Record).



### Carnegie Museum

📍 105 Huron St., Houghton, MI

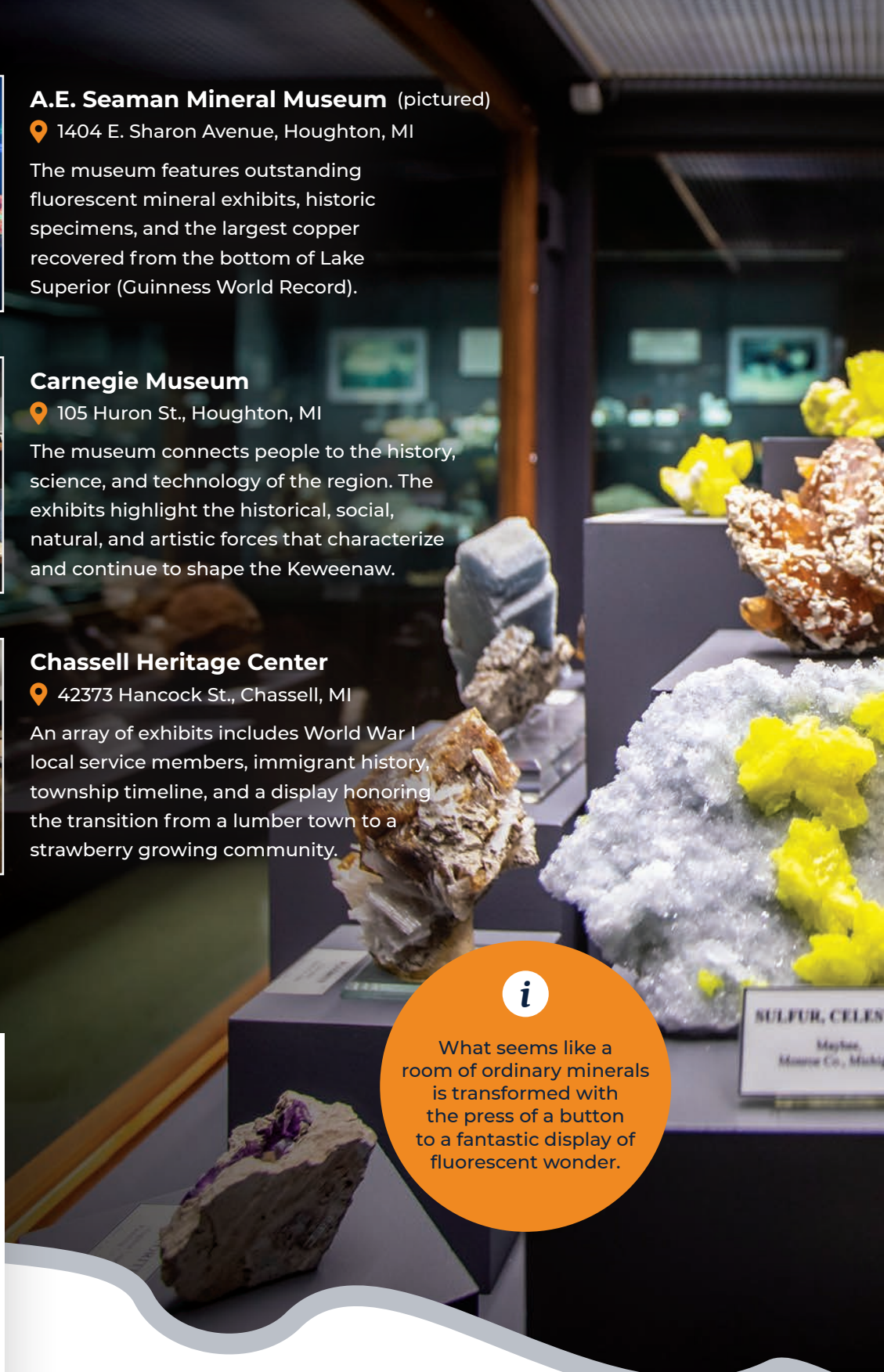
The museum connects people to the history, science, and technology of the region. The exhibits highlight the historical, social, natural, and artistic forces that characterize and continue to shape the Keweenaw.



### Chassell Heritage Center

📍 42373 Hancock St., Chassell, MI

An array of exhibits includes World War I local service members, immigrant history, township timeline, and a display honoring the transition from a lumber town to a strawberry growing community.



**i**  
What seems like a room of ordinary minerals is transformed with the press of a button to a fantastic display of fluorescent wonder.

# Learn





### Eagle Harbor Lighthouse

📍 670 Lighthouse Rd, Eagle Harbor, MI

Illuminated with a Fresnel lens and oil lamp until 1871, this lighthouse was transitioned to automatic in 1980. Now operating as a museum, the tower is an active navigational aid operated by the US Coast Guard.



### Phoenix Church & Museum

📍 US-41, Phoenix, MI

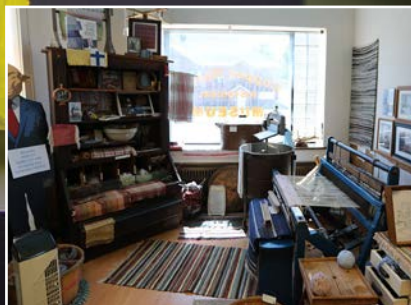
Constructed in 1858 as St. Mary's Church, it was reassembled and reopened in Phoenix as The Church of the Assumption. Open from mid-June to early October, it is still used for weddings and memorial services.



### Hanka Homestead Finnish Museum

📍 13249 Hanka Road, Askel, MI

Learn about the skills and knowledge used by Finnish immigrants to survive in the Upper Peninsula as you explore eight buildings on 40 acres.



### Copper Range Historical Museum

📍 44 Trimountain Ave., South Range, MI

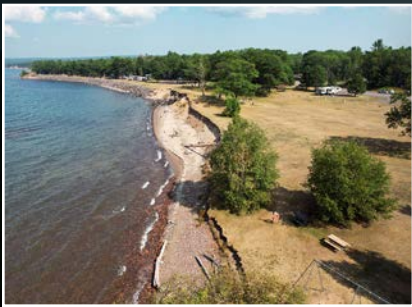
This kid-friendly museum brings the rich history of the Copper Country to life through a detective game and scavenger hunt—don't miss your chance to try out artifacts and touch the past!

Learn online



Did you know that our website features an interactive map with photos, videos, and directions to the Copper Country Trail Byway destinations? Check it out:

[coppercountrytrail.org/map](http://coppercountrytrail.org/map)



### McLain State Park

📍 18350 Highway M-203, Hancock, MI

With two miles of sand beaches and 443 acres to explore, visitors can go fishing, windsurfing, berry picking, beachcombing, rock hunting, and site seeing. Extend your stay by camping or renting a cabin.



### Fort Wilkins State Park

📍 15223 US-41, Copper Harbor, MI

Built to protect the copper trade in the 1800s, Fort Wilkins offers reenactments and demonstrations throughout the summer. The park itself features open space, gentle hiking and biking trails, a playground, picnic spots, and a campground perfect for families.



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# Play



### **Bete Grise** (pictured)

📍 Gay-Lac La Belle Road, Bete Grise, MI

With two miles of pristine shoreline and 1500 acres of wetlands, Bete Grise is open year-round for non-motorized transportation including hiking, fishing, cross country skiing, and snowshoeing.



### **Keweenaw Mountain Lodge**

📍 14252 US-41, Copper Harbor, MI

The Keweenaw Mountain Lodge is present on the state and national historic registers and features log cabin lodging, a dining experience, and outdoor recreational activities, including golfing and biking.



### **Chutes & Ladders**

📍 10145 Bush Lake Rd., Houghton, MI

Just down the waterfront from the Portage Bridge is a 5+ acre park featuring a massive wooden play structure, beach volleyball court, beach, picnic, and camping area—complete with a pavilion and bathrooms.

**i** Build a sandcastle on the pristine beach. Cool off in Lake Superior. Explore on foot. Hunt for rocks, copper, and minerals.

## *More places to play*

**Esrey Park** Picnic, hunt for rocks, swim, or relax: 11899 M-26, Copper Harbor, MI

**Hancock Beach** Camp, boat, swim, play on the playground or volleyball/horseshoe courts: 2000 Jasberg St, Hancock, MI  
Explore the many waterfalls along **US-41** or frolic in Lake Superior along **M-203** and **M-26**

# Go for a drive



## M-203 Lakeshore Drive Spur

📍 Hancock to Calumet, MI

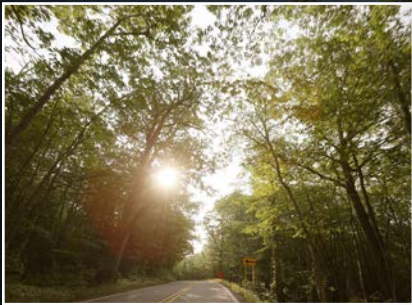
M-203 connects McLain State Park to US-41 with a drive along the Keweenaw Waterway and Superior Lakeshore. This beautiful drive is particularly stunning in the Fall.



## Brockway Mountain

📍 Off M-26 between Eagle & Copper Harbor

The highest above sea-level roadway between the Rockies and the Alleghenies, visitors enjoy picturesque views of Lake Superior and—if you stop halfway up—the Copper Harbor Lighthouse (pictured).



## US-41 Covered Drive

📍 Delaware to Copper Harbor, MI

Drive under a canopy of trees on the covered drive of US-41 extending 18 miles nearing Copper Harbor. The road has been designated as a Scenic Heritage Route in Michigan.



## M-26 Lakeshore Drive Spur

📍 Eagle River to Copper Harbor, MI

M-26 runs between Eagle River, Eagle Harbor, and Copper Harbor hugging the shores of Lake Superior in the Keweenaw. The roadway features countless historical landmarks, waterfalls, and beaches.



## Copper Harbor Lighthouse

📍 15223 US-41, Copper Harbor, MI



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