

Welcome to the Wausau Prospectors Outing to the Upper Michigan Keweenaw Peninsula June 1st, 2nd & 3rd, 2018

This Outing will take place in the Upper Peninsula near Ontonagon Michigan. The Ontonagon Township Park has a very nice campground at which to stay at. There is a fee for this campground. They do not take reservations. All club activities will take place on Saturday, June 2nd. **Be sure to bring your metal detector** for a great time.

Saturday, June 2nd Activities:

9 a.m. (Wisconsin Time) Today we will go metal detecting for copper at the Minnesota Mine tailing piles. There may be folks going to other mines as well, check with Chris. Bring your own lunch, beverages, metal detector, pails, digging tools, eye protection, gloves, and vehicle for the day.

Other Things to do in the area:

Red Metal Minerals - A Rock and Gift shop at Gitche Gumee Landing, 202 Ontonagon St., Ontonagon, Michigan (at the north end of River Street) to see a great selection of copper specimens, all sorts of interesting copper items, and many other minerals from Michigan and the world.

Porcupine Mountains Wilderness State Park – A very scenic state park.

Agate Hunting – Along the shores of Lake Superior.

Gold Prospecting: Try your luck panning the black beach sand or in the area streams.

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