

**Children and Youth Activities/Events in the Greater Dubuque Area
Summer 2008**

Dubuque has lots of places to see and events and activities to participate in for children and youth. Use this as a checklist for the summer to explore Dubuque and the tri-state area!

Ride up to 44 miles on your bike on the Heritage Trail.	http://www.dubuquecounty.com/HeritageTrail.cfm	
See the Lead Shot Tower, the oldest structure in Dubuque.		
Take a tour of the Telegraph Herald.	www.thonline.com	
Hit the Observation Deck at the Iowa Welcome Center and watch the activity on the mighty Mississippi River.	http://www.dubuquechamber.com/visit/welcomecenter.html	
Go to a movie.		
Go to the Mississippi River Museum.	www.rivermuseum.com	
See the National Farm Toy Museum in Dyersville, Iowa.	www.nationalfarmtoymuseum.com	
The Humane Society is a good place to visit to see the animals.	www.dbqhumane.org	
Go to Kennedy Mall on a window shopping spree!		
Take a relaxing walk through the Dubuque Arboretum.	www.dubuquearboretum.com	
Ride one of the Dubuque area trolleys.	http://www.muscatine-tours.com/dubuque.html Trolleys of Dubuque	
Visit the Mines of Spain Recreational Area.	http://www.minesofspain.org/	
Go on a Dubuque River Ride!	http://www.dubuqueriverrides.com	
Learn some history at the Mathias Ham House.	563-557-9545	
Go horseback riding at Shenandoah Riding Center in Galena, Illinois.		
Visit the Dubuque Museum of Art and sign up for a youth art class.	www.dbqart.com	
Pick Apples at Czipar's Orchard.	563-582-7476	
Watch huge barges at the general Zebulon Pike lock and dam #11.		
Go to a show at the Grand Opera House.	http://www.thegrandoperahouse.com/	
Hit golf balls at Derby Grange	http://www.derbygrangegolf.com/	
Take a stroll along the Mississippi River Walk.		
Take an excursion on the Spirit of Dubuque sightseeing and dinner cruises riverboat.	www.spiritofdubuque.com	
After a short drive to Spring Green, WI visit the House on the Rock.	http://www.thehouseontherock.com/	

Things to do in Dubuque and the Greater Dubuque Area Continued

Take a ride on the Fenelon Place Elevator.	www.dbq.com/fenplco/index.html	
Walk through the Crystal Lake Cave tour.	www.crystallakecave.com/	
Roller Skate at Skate Country.	563.556.4224	
Visit the Bell Tower Theater and Events Center.	http://www.belltowertheater.net/	
Visit the unique shops at Galena, Illinois.		
Go bowling.	563.583.5768 (Bowling and Beyond)	
Learn some history at the Ryan House.	563-557-9545	
Visit the Vesperman Farms in Lancaster, WI.	http://www.vespermanfarms.com/	
Make some fun at Mississippi Mud.		
Visit Chestnut Mountain Resort in Galena to go down the Alpine slide!	https://www.chestnutmtn.com	
See the home of General Grant in Galena.	http://www.granhome.com/grant_home.htm	
Go miniature golfing.		
Visit the Field of Dreams Movie Site in Dyersville.	fieldofdreamsmoviesite.com	
Check out the Saturday morning Farmer's Market downtown.		
Check-out a good book or join a reading program at the Carnegie-Stout Public Library.	www.dubuque.lib.ia.us	
Drive through Dubuque and Galena's historic neighborhoods and look at architecture from 150 years ago.		
Eat ice cream!		
Enjoy the views at Eagle Point Park.	563-589-4263	
Visit the Julien Dubuque Monument, a national historic location!	http://jove.geol.niu.edu/faculty/fischer/429_info/429trips/Dubuque/Julien_Dubuque_Monument.htm	
Eat dinner at Happy Joe's Pizza and watch them make your pizza while you wait.		
Go to the Dubuque County Fair	www.dbqfair.com	
Attend dozens of free weekend activities and events occurring all summer in the Dubuque area!	Visit www.dubuque365.com for a complete list of summer weekend activities and events.	

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