

## What to do in Minneapolis?

Do you need activities to fill up your free time? Or, does your family need to keep busy while you fill up on continuing education? Check out this list of popular attractions in the Twin Cities in early June, prepared by Dr. Laura Gaylord.

### [Walking Tours](#)

If you are interested in a walking tour with a tour guide, or something self-guided, there are many options to choose from, including a brewery tour, skyway tour, gangster tour, the [St. Paul Scavenger tour](#), or the very popular “Twin Cities Ghost Tour”. Be sure to reserve ahead as these are likely to sell out in advance! Pricing is available for individuals or groups.

### [Murals in Minneapolis Art Walk: Monstrous Murals & Rock n' Roll Relics](#)

The Minneapolis Art Walk is chock-full of impressive pieces, from sculptural masterpieces within the Walker Sculpture Garden to full-wall murals on downtown buildings. Uplifting colorful and cultural works are sprinkled between iconic exhibits. Minnesota also claims to be ‘home’ to Bob Dylan and Prince, so be prepared for a healthy dose of musical memorabilia! The murals in Minneapolis await, so slip into some comfortable shoes, gather a crew, and get your tickets.

### [Minnehaha Falls](#)

This urban park is a popular sight for locals and visitors thanks to the beautiful waterfall that flows from Minneapolis' chain of lakes into the Mississippi River.

### [The Stars on First Avenue](#)

Minneapolis's Walk of Fame with more than 425 silver stars and one gold one on First Avenue's legendary façade. Getting one might be the most prestigious public honor an artist can receive in Minneapolis.

### [Walker Art Center](#)

For art fans, check out the exhibitions, take in a motion picture or try out “Skyline Mini Golf” on the rooftop during pleasant weather or

### [Minneapolis Institute of Art](#)

During June, enjoy the The Shape of Time: Korean Art after 1989, on display March 23, 2024 – June 23, 2024. The first generation of artists of Korean descent to experience the new freedoms and rapid changes ushered in by democracy reflect on social and political tensions, economic and cultural shifts, and illuminate the ironies of globalization.

### [Science Institute of Minnesota](#)

Make big discoveries, explore Earth's natural history, and immerse yourself in science in downtown Saint Paul. Visit the website to explore the current family-friendly exhibits.

### [Minnesota Marine Art Museum](#)

Located along the river, a short drive away from downtown, the Minnesota Marine Art Museum is a specialized art gallery dedicated to the most important element on the planet, water, and its relationship with man. Explore the unique selection of different styles of art with a singular theme.

Set on the edge of the Mississippi River, the museum has an exquisite permanent collection along with rotating exhibits by guest artists.

#### [Mill City Museum](#)

This museum was creatively built out of the ruins of the Washburn "A" Mill. Inside you can learn all about flour and how the flour mills used water power in innovative ways the world had never seen.

#### [Mall of America](#)

Mall of America® is more than a shopping mall near the Twin Cities. It's over 520 shops full of tax-free shopping and 50 restaurants full of delicious food. Located in Bloomington, MN it is 20 minutes from downtown Minneapolis or 10 minutes from the Minneapolis-St. Paul International airport.

Be sure to check out the [Sea Life Aquarium](#) while you are there!