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CANDO

Cando, "Duck Capital of North Dakota" is centrally located in the Prairie Pothole Regions of the state. **Cando's** location makes it an excellent center for outdoor activities, such as first class fishing, big game and waterfowl hunting, as well as bird watching and nature photography.

Whether your idea of fun is playing nine-holes on our beautiful golf course or attending a musical production at the Audi Theater, **Cando** definitely has something to satisfy everyone's taste. While you're in town, attend one of **Cando's** five churches - Cando Lutheran Church, United Methodist Church, Christian Fellowship Church, Assembly of God Church, and Sacred Heart Church.

Cando's history is on display at museums, including the famous **Dale & Martha Hawk Museum** located just 30 miles west of **Cando**.

Agriculture is the primary industry in Towner County. **Cando** also has several manufacturing facilities, which have added to the economic growth of the area. The Towner County Medical Center is one of the area's largest employers.

For more information, contact the **Cando Area Chamber of Commerce** at candochamber@candochamber.com or visit www.candond.com

CARRINGTON

Carrington, known as the Central City for its central location to major cities in North Dakota, is known for its strong agriculture background. **Carrington** is home to Dakota Growers Pasta Company and NDSU Carrington Research Extension Center as well as numerous agri-businesses.

When visiting **Carrington**, there are many places to visit and

tour. Enjoy the beautiful floral gardens at **Dakota Sun Gardens**. Ideal for group tours, reunions, birdwatchers, meetings and weddings to name a few.

Interesting historical sites include museums, historical buildings and cultural centers.

The **CrossRoads Golf Course** (18 hole) and recreation parkway is a great place to get out and enjoy the outdoors. Enjoy a round of golf or take a stroll on the scenic walk / bike path. **Carrington** also has camping, hunting / fishing areas, horseback riding or during the winter months snowmobiling and cross-country skiing. **Carrington's** recreational facilities also include tennis and volleyball courts, softball facility, outdoor swimming pool and disc golf course.

Carrington's central location to North Dakota's major cities allows for easy access to the city life. For more information call the **Carrington Area Chamber of Commerce** at (701) 652-2524 or (800) 641-9668. Visit these websites: www.cgtn-nd.com and www.carringtonnd.com

DEVILS LAKE / MINNEWAUKAN / WARWICK

Devil's Lake is the largest natural body of water in North Dakota and one of a few closed basin lakes in the U.S. There is fishing, including ice fishing, of Jumbo and Yellow Perch, Whopper, Walleye, Northern Pike and White Bass all year. The lake allows for boating, tubing, water-skiing and any other water sport you can think of. The shores are decorated with trees and rolling hills which are beautiful camping areas with good hiking, biking, or during the winter months, cross-country skiing or snowmobiling.

Into the town of **Devil's Lake** you'll find even more to enjoy. There is an 18-hole golf course sitting beautifully on the edge of the lake. The Holiday Mall, Highway 2 and historic downtown offers 240 retailers so shopping is in abundance. A casino has excitement to offer 24 hours a day. Museums offer heritage and maritime history.

Around the Lake to the east



Devils Lake (photo courtesy Michael Rosenstein)

you'll find the great city of **Minnewaukan**. Because **Minnewaukan** is away from the larger city you can sit back and enjoy nature at its finest. On the southwest side, **Warwick** offers great camping.


For more information contact the **Devil's Lake Visitor's Bureau** at (800) 233-8048 or visit our website at www.devilslakend.com

INTERNATIONAL PEACE GARDEN

Since 1932, nestled in the Turtle Mountains of north central North Dakota and south central Manitoba, the **International Peace Garden** is one of the continent's most symbolic and scenic attractions. Thousands of tourists flock

to this unique tribute to peace and friendship between the people of the United States of America and the people of Canada.

The **Garden**, encompasses 2,300 acres of nature's beauty; two pristine fresh water lakes, scenic hiking and driving trails, wildflowers, waterfalls, and a large variety of North American birds and animals. Modern and rustic camping facilities are available, as well as, facilities for hosting weddings, conventions, and reunions. Last, but not least, is the phenomenal Formal Garden. Words can not express the beauty, pride and peace many experience as they gaze over this impressive garden of



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Formal Area Fountain (photo courtesy International Peace Garden)

over 155,000 flowers in displays tucked in the terraces and walkways of the garden.

The therapeutic sounds of flowing waters can be heard throughout the garden in various capacities. At the far end of the **Garden**, 120 foot Peace Towers immerse symbolizing people from the four corners of the earth coming together to form two similar, but distinct nations, with a common base of democracy and beliefs. The American and Canadian floral flag displays are the only two floral displays throughout the garden, which remain the same every year. The working 13 foot floral clock displays 2,500 to 2,000 flowers each year depending on the design.

Peace rings in the **International Peace Garden** every inch of its being. Every fifteen minutes and on the hour, the lovely tones of the chimes can be heard from the Carillon Bell Tower. Peace Poles, presented by the Japanese Government, in which, "May Peace Prevail" is written in twenty-eight different languages. The Peace Chapel is the only building straddling the U.S. and Canadian Border. The chapel features dozens of quotes from "People of Peace" etched into beautiful fossil embellished limestone walls. In the truly inspirational Garden's Chapel lies open a book of remembrance, display-

ing the names of the victims of 9/11. The 9/11 Memorial Site, of twisted girders rescued from the World Trade Center devastation, are at rest, a symbol of peace and democracy. **The International Peace Garden**, "Like No Other Place on Earth", is a perfect and memorable retreat, where people and nature meet.

For more information, please go online at: www.peacegarden.com or call: (888) 432-6733.

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DRAYTON

The community of **Drayton** would like to welcome you to the Red River of the North. This quaint community offers an environment of generosity and kindness, while providing visitors a long list of exciting activities to explore.

In addition to the scenic landscape of the Red River, you can indulge in many family activities including hunting, fishing, birding, swimming, golf, curling, skating, cross-country skiing, shopping, camping, snowmobiling, dining and much more.

Take an excursion through time at the Blessing Museum and sod and log houses, or relax in beautiful Schumacher Park. No matter where you are in this community, you will find people are its greatest asset. So come have some fun in **Drayton** and explore Red River country!

DUNSEITH

Dunseith is the "Gateway to the Peace Garden." It is located on the junction of Hwy. 281 and Hwy. 5, 41 miles north of Rugby. The area is full of year-round activities with the summer being the busiest time.

The **Dunseith Rodeo Club** hosts a 2-day event annually. The Roughrider Rodeo will be kicking up its heels in July. The Little Shell Pow Wow Grounds will have a powwow the same weekend. This is an exciting display of Native American culture and traditions. Tribes from all over the United States and Canada participate in many different classes of competition, so don't miss this event!

The **Dunseith Log House Tourist Information & Visitor Center** is your headquarters for activities and events. It is open throughout the season and has gifts from the local area.

Dunseith is close to camping and beautiful lakes. There is a golf course north of the city and outdoor recreation abounds. To learn more, contact the **Log House Tourist Information & Visitor Center** at (701) 244-5860 in the summer months.

GRAFTON

Located in the heart of the Red River Valley in northeastern North Dakota, **Grafton** is a community rich not only in soils but also in heritage. The history and diverse culture of the area can be felt and appreciated in many sights and attractions, both in and around **Grafton**. In addition to many historic churches, private homes and public buildings, **Grafton** is home to Heritage Village and Elmwood Mansion, both offering visitors a glimpse of life in the past.

Grafton's rural setting does not eliminate some of the urban advantages found in larger communities for its residents and guests. **Grafton** merchants offer many brand name products found in larger cities with the benefit of personal service and a convenient shopping environment. Home to more than 100 retail businesses including many locally owned, **Grafton** also boasts nationally known retailers,

restaurants, and hotels.

Recreational facilities abound in **Grafton**. The **Grafton Centennial Center** proves to be one of the finest athletic facilities around providing artificial ice, a regulation-sized hockey rink, heated concession area and seating for approximately 2,000 fans. Other recreational facilities include a beautiful 9-hole golf course, softball and baseball complexes, outdoor pool, 4 sheet ice curling club, bowling alley, movie theater, archery club, gun club, 9-hole frisbee golf, bike paths, tree filled parks, full service campground and three fitness centers.

The **Grafton** area also entices the outdoor sportsman. Deer hunting is quite popular in the area as well as duck, goose, wild turkey, and fox hunting. Canoeing, fishing, bird watching, and magnificent photo opportunities abound on the scenic Park and Red Rivers. During the winter months, groomed snowmobile trails provide fresh air and excitement for sledding enthusiasts.

Proud of its annual community events the residents of **Grafton** invite visitors to the community with open arms. Friendly people and real community spirit are the reason **Grafton** is able to offer successful and fun events to the surrounding region. If you would like more information about **Grafton** and any of their special events contact the **Grafton Area Chamber of Commerce** at (701) 352-0781 or visit us at www.graftonevents.com and ask for your free visitor guide. There's something for everyone in **Grafton**, so come and "Make an Event of It!"

GRAND FORKS

Grand Forks has four distinct seasons so recreation activities are abundant no matter when you visit. For winter enthusiasts there are three trailheads for cross-country skiing, snowmobile trails or go to one of the numerous skating rinks, four of which are indoor facilities. The First Season Community Center even has an indoor playground, football and a TV lounge.

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