

# Tettegouche - Fun Facts

## Natural Treasures

- 9346 acres, about 24 miles of trails, 6 interior lakes and 4 waterfalls
- Geology, topography and Lake Superior influenced weather fosters a wide diversity of plants, animals and insects

## Nature Experiences Aboard

- Hiking, photography, climbing, camping, fishing, bird watching, river swimming, geocaching, plein-air painting and nature backpacks are just some of the activities available at Tettegouche
- Education, scientific and volunteer opportunities

## Animal Life

- 40 species of mammals including moose, wolves, black bears, white-tailed deer, snowshoe hare, red squirrel fox and beaver inhabit Tettegouche
- 140 species of birds, including kinglets, spruce grouse, many northern warblers as well as northern owls, finches, woodpeckers, and water birds, are common
- The park is home to peregrine falcons

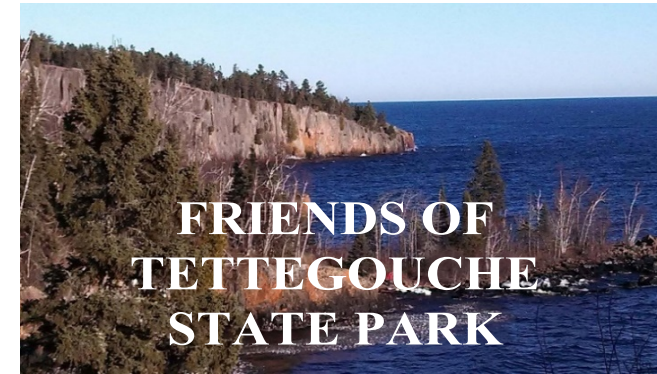
## Plant Life

- Principal tree species: Red & White Pine
- Rich diversity of plant life occupying a large variety of micro-climates

## History

- Tettegouche State Park was established June 29, 1979

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*“The mission of the Friends of Tettegouche State Park is to support and encourage use of the State Park’s recreation, interpretive, education and environmental activities through leadership, volunteerism, program development and fundraising”*

### By Working Together, Wishes & Dreams Can Come True!

- Expanded Youth, Family and Volunteer Naturalist Programs
- Amenities such as a nature play area with accessibility elements (in development) and multisensory interpretive trail
- Tree planting, trail maintenance and other projects
- Support for arts, music, cultural and community events at the Park

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**Tettegouche** is a hiker's paradise with miles of trails that overlook the Sawtooth Mountains and wind down to inland lakes, accessible only by foot. The Palisade Valley Recreation Unit features broad scenic vistas coupled with an expanse of multi-use, four-season trails. Two more trout lakes (Bean and Bear) complement fishing opportunities within the park

**Tettegouche** will give you a great sense of the North Shore: the spectacular overlooks at Shovel Point; rocky, steep cliffs and inland bluffs; the cascading 63 ft. High Falls of the Baptism River; and the historic Tettegouche Camp where visitors can enjoy a rustic cabin, a fire under the stars, canoe and fish.

**Tettegouche** is also well known for rock climbing opportunities at Shovel Point and Palisade Head and for birdwatching in the spring, summer, and, especially, the fall. Tettegouche also features snowshoeing, cross-country skiing, pack-in, drive-in and cabin camping, including a handicap accessible cabin at beautiful Illgin Falls.

# JOIN US NOW!

**Help explore new paths for Tettegouche State Park's future.**

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