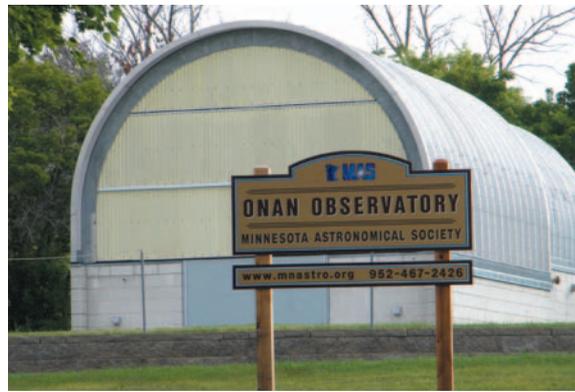




Park Activities at a Glance

	Summer	Winter
Camping	■	
Hiking	■	■
Picnicking	■	
Picnic Shelters and Community Room(<i>reservable</i>)	■	■
Volleyball, Horseshoe, and Tennis Courts	■	
Ball Field	■	
Playground	■	
Onan Observatory	■	■
Swimming	■	
Boating (<i>motorized and non-motorized, paddleboat rentals available</i>)	■	
Fishing (Fishing Pier)	■	
Ice Fishing		■
Cross-Country Skiing (Rentals)		■
Snowshoeing		■
Group Camp	■	■
Disc Golf	■	



Onan Observatory

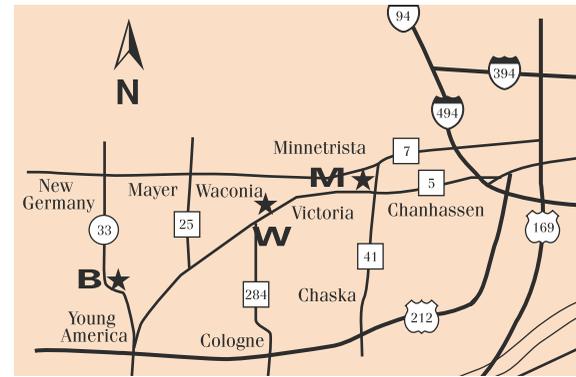
The Minnesota Astronomical Society (MAS) operates the Onan Observatory within the park. Their primary mission is education and public outreach. The observatory features a retractable roof, a Meade 16" Schmidt-Cassegrain telescope and a newly added 20" Obsession Dobsonian-style reflecting telescope. For information about events, activities, and public outreach, contact MAS at www.mnastro.org/onan or call (952) 467-2426.



Benefits of an Annual Park Permit

- Valid for 12 months from month of purchase
- Honored at Baylor, Lake Minnewashta and Lake Waconia Regional Parks
- Honored at Washington and Anoka County Regional Parks

For more information, call Carver County Parks at (952) 466-5250



Visit all Three Carver County Parks

- B ★ Baylor Regional Park:** 10775 County Rd. 33, Norwood Young America, MN 55397 - Located on County Road 33, 2 and 1/2 miles north of Hwys 5 and 212 near Norwood Young America
- M ★ Lake Minnewashta Regional Park:** 6900 Hazeltine Blvd., Chanhassen, MN 55331 - Located along Hwy 41 between Hwys 5 and 7, west of Chanhassen
- W ★ Lake Waconia Regional Park:** 8170 Paradise Lane, Waconia, MN 55387 - Located just east of Waconia on Paradise Lane next to the Lake Waconia Event Center

Please Note:

- Dogs must be leashed and are not permitted at the beach or picnic areas.
- Park in designated areas only.
- Annual/daily permits are required for all vehicles.
- Observe signage.

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Baylor Regional Park



Escape to Fun and Relaxation at Baylor Regional Park

Park Features

Baylor Regional Park offers 201 acres for you to explore and enjoy throughout the year. The park is named after Henry Baylor, a farmer and the original owner of the lands on which the park is located.

Picnic Shelters

Ready to eat? Baylor Park's two picnic shelters are ready for you! Both shelters feature picnic tables, a large grill, water and electric service.



The Beach Shelter overlooks Eagle Lake, and the Prairie Shelter overlooks the maintained park grounds and cattail marsh.

Community Room

Planning a special party or event? Consider holding it in the Baylor Park Community Room (a charming remodeled 1935 barn). The room is heated, air conditioned and fully enclosed—making it available year round for gatherings such as graduations, meetings and reunions. Restrooms, a food preparation area, and a 35' x 55' outdoor deck are included.

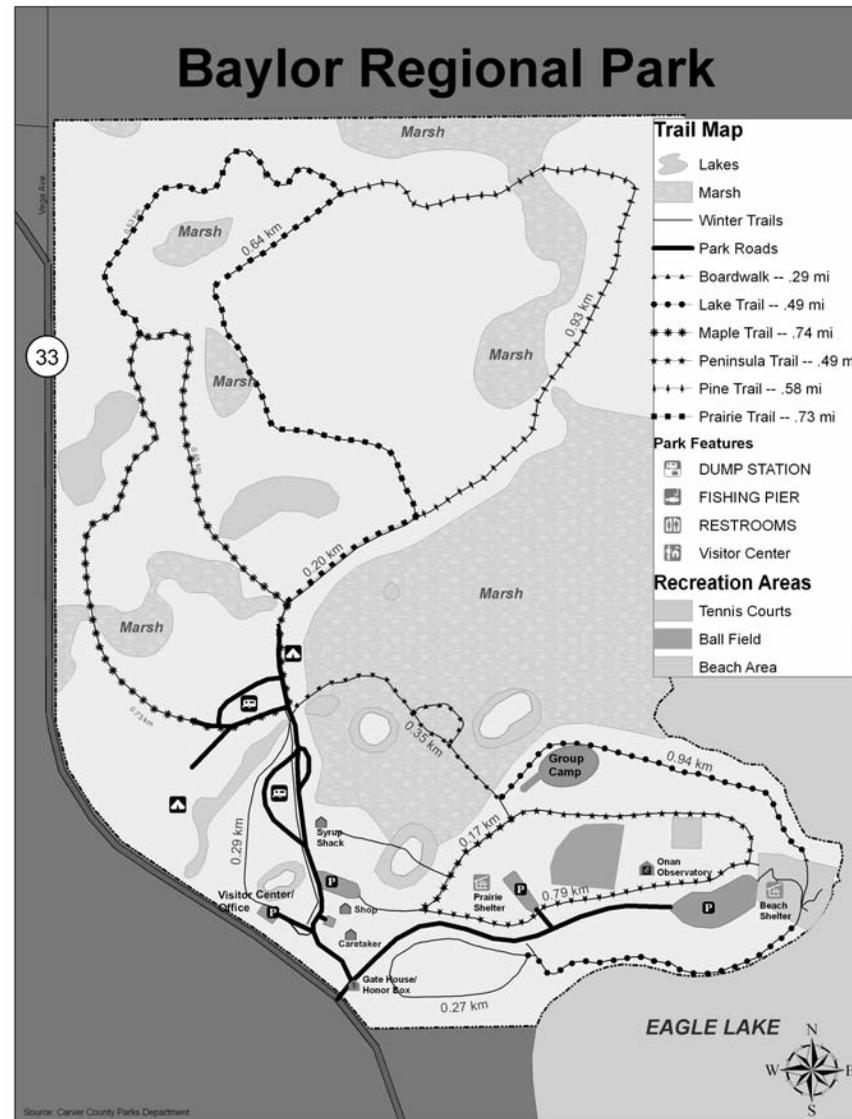
Camping

Enjoy a peaceful family camping experience at Baylor Park. Bring your tent or RV and relax amongst the campground's many shade trees. Group camping is also available.

The campground features:

- 50 campsites: 15 primitive campsites and 35 with water and electrical hook-ups
- Hot shower and restroom facilities

Park Map



Park Hours

The park is open daily from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. or one hour after sunset, whichever is later.

Hiking/Skiing Trails

Enjoy a walking tour along five miles of trails through Maple/Basswood forest and prairie. Watch for wildlife or enjoy a scenic vista overlooking Eagle Lake. Experience the cattail marsh from a duck's point of view as you venture across the 1/4 mile boardwalk trail. In the winter, trails are groomed for skiing, or you can go snowshoeing off-trail. Ski equipment is available for rent at the Park Office on weekends and holidays, conditions permitting.

Beach Area

Make a splash at the beach! Eagle Lake's sandy beach area is a great place to play and swim.

It features:

- Creative water play structure for kids who like to experiment with water and sand
- Beach house with restrooms and changing area
- Picnic shelter, picnic tables and grills located nearby
- Playground for adventures on dry land



Boating

Launch a boat from the nearby public access or rent a paddleboat from the gate attendant for a fun way to tour the lake. Paddleboat rentals are available on Saturdays and Sundays from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. through the gate house. Life vests are provided. Paddleboat operations begin around Memorial Day weekend and end Labor Day.

Make reservations for the picnic shelters, community room or campsites. Call (952) 466-5250 or visit www.co.carver.mn.us/parks/ Visa®, MasterCard® and Discover® accepted.