

# TAHQUAMENON

## "LOWER FALLS"

*- Experience the Adventure -*



Tahquamenon Falls State Park is home to the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest Waterfalls east of the Mississippi River. Two distinctly unique waterfalls create the centerpiece for this park.

"Upper Falls" the larger and more dramatic has a drop of 50 feet and width of over 200 feet.

"Lower Falls" 4 miles down stream the Tahquamenon River rushes it's 50,000 gallons of water per second around an island where it is then broken into two distinct waterfalls cascading around opposite banks of the island.



Each falls has a drop of 22 feet and a width of over 100 feet. Although the lower falls can be viewed from many interesting observation points on the mainland, visitors can opt to visit the island by renting a rowboat from the Lower Falls concession. Accessing the island is a great opportunity for visitors to afford a good view of the falls in the south channel and explore it up close.

# Outdoor Enthusiasts

Over 45,000 acres of wilderness waiting to be explored at Tahquamenon Falls State Park.



- Camping
- Hiking
- Fishing
- Boat Rental

- Photography
- Canoeing
- Birding
- Nature Study



**Be Sure to visit Tahquamenon Shores  
Gift Shop and Longfellow's Café**

## Gift Shop

- Souvenirs
- Books
- Shirts/Hats
- Hiking/camping  
Accessories
- Gift memorabilia  
For everyone

## Café

- Jilbert's Ice Cream
- Michigan made  
Food Products
- Dine inside
- Dine outside
- Daily specials

# Re-Capturing History



## VII. Hiawatha Sailing

Give me of your bark, O Birch-tree!  
Of your yellow bark, O Birch-tree!  
Growing by the rushing river,  
Tall and stately in the valley  
I a light canoe will build me,  
Build a swift Cheemaun for sailing,  
That shall float on the river,  
Like a yellow leaf in Autumn,  
Like a yellow water-lily!

Thus aloud cried Hiawatha  
In the solitary forest,  
By the rushing Taquamenaw,  
When the birds were singing gaily,  
In the Moon of Leaves were singing,  
And the sun, from sleep awaking,  
Started up and said, "Behold Me!  
Gheezis, the great Sun, behold me!"

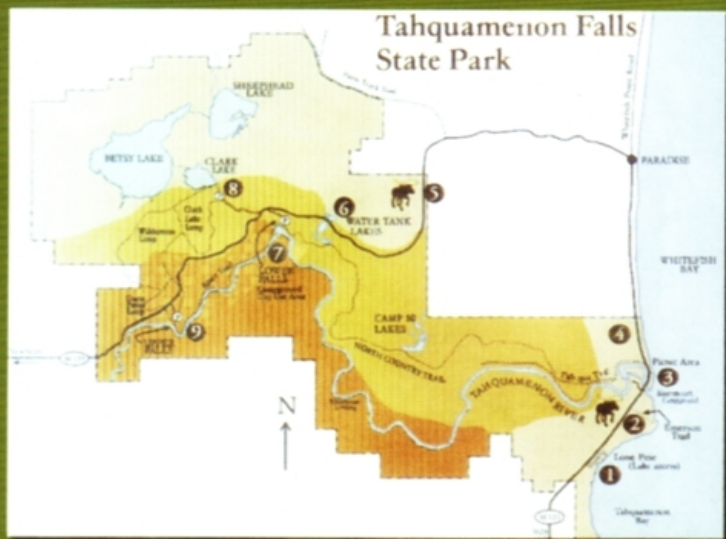
Song of Hiawatha, W.W. Longfellow



# Park Events

- Hike Between Da Falls .....
- Geo Caching 101.....
- Smokey Bear Day .....
- Tahqua Trail Run.....
- Wilderness Canoe Race.....
- Harvest Fest.....

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OPEN RAIN  
OR SHINE  
MONDAY-SUNDAY

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