



*Honeymoons &
Weddings at*
Gunflint Lodge

A Gunflint Honeymoon



On the shores of Gunflint Lake, you'll find a magical setting, unlike anything you've ever imagined. Pure. Peaceful. Quiet. Private. Welcome to Gunflint Lodge. Nestled in the great stands of pine, birch, and aspen, you'll find charming and comfortable cabins, exquisite food, and genuinely friendly and helpful staff. We invite you to let Gunflint Lodge be your special place for making everlasting memories and dreams that come true. Your only distractions are calling loons, whispering pines, and lapping water. We'll pamper you with splendid meals, wine and hors d'oeuvres delivered to your cabin before the evening meal, breakfasts at your cabin door, and as much activity or relaxation as you wish.

The atmosphere is one of wilderness elegance with home-away-from-home comfort and luxury. Your perfect escape is right here at Gunflint Lodge. The unspoiled surroundings, rich in natural beauty make for a truly unforgettable honeymoon—away from it all. Many of the couples who honeymoon here, come back to see us again and again, to celebrate their anniversaries.

We invite you to come to Gunflint Lodge, for a romantic getaway, and make it your own special place in the woods.

Your hosts, Bruce and Sue Kerfoot

Dining at Gunflint

You have two dining rooms to choose from during your honeymoon—the Red Paddle Bistro or Justine's Fine Dining. Both dining rooms are in the main lodge and each have huge stone fireplaces and decorations of the northwoods, plus a panoramic view of Gunflint Lake and the Canadian shore to the north.

In Justine's you can select from a tasty variety of entrees, salads, soups, fresh bread, and desserts for your dinners. For openers you can select from a walleye chowder, a garden salad or a Caesar salad, along with a fresh bread.

Then we present a sorbet to cleanse your palette before the main entrée. Making a selection can be tough- from a sizzling steak, to a tasty chicken breast, or a walleye fillet (often presented with a sweet sour mango sauce-one of our specialties), a pork entrée, and a vegetarian dish. Desserts often include chocolate bread pudding with a German chocolate sauce, a cheese cake with berries, a crisp of some sort and perhaps a freshly baked pie.



Breakfasts are delivered to your cabin if you wish. Just leave us your order at the front desk the evening before and we will have it at your cabin door in the morning. You are also welcome to have breakfast in the dining room. For lunches you have several choices. The Red Paddle Bistro has huge hamburgers, a variety of soups and appetizers, big deli sandwiches and more. Another choice is to have us pack a lunch to go, for you to enjoy as you are out exploring—hiking, canoeing or boating. In addition to the food, we have a complete beverage license, so you can sip on a favorite beverage, or a cool glass of Gunflint ale on the lake patio.

Your Accommodations



Romantic cottages; designed with comfort and romance in mind. Cozy lakeside cabins feature a stone fireplace, 2 person spa, well-appointed kitchen, washer & dryer, DVD player, CD music system, steam shower and a deck with grill.

Classic cabins; situated along the shore of Gunflint Lake. These comfortable cabins feature a stone fireplace, and have a variety of features that include tower showers, washer and dryer, sauna, 2 person spa, VCR and CD music system. Each cabin is different with varying features.

Activities

You have a smorgasbord of activities to pick from each day, all included in your honeymoon package. You can go horseback riding as often as you please, use a boat and motor whenever you wish, canoes and kayaks are always available, a variety of hiking trails start just behind the lodge and our staff naturalists offer a daily variety of escorted activities.



Up at the stable they usually offer a breakfast ride and an evening dinner ride during the week. At the waterfront you have a comfortable 15' boat with a late model 15 hp motor, boat seats, all gas, landing nets and live bait. Your fish are filleted and frozen for you by our staff. In the canoe department, you can pick from 4 different kinds and lengths. In addition to the canoeing right from our dock, we are more than happy to transport you to other starting points for nice day trips into the edges of the Boundary Waters Wilderness.

At Home in the Woods

We offer a variety of naturalist-guided activities in every season. This on one of the highlights of a stay at Gunflint. It's one thing to be in the midst of a scenic wilderness, and quite another

to be able to get out and enjoy it with an awareness that makes the exploration all the more memorable. Our on-staff naturalist plans field excursions, crafts, and presentations throughout the season to take advantage of the wildlife cycles, climate, and weather. We're thrilled to be able to offer this level of adventure and education to you, all included in your honeymoon package. You might expect to pay separately for guided activities like these elsewhere, but at Gunflint it's included in your stay—as many of the activities and excursions as you like. We think it's important to give you a honeymoon that goes well beyond comfortable accommodations, great food and friendly personalized service. We want you to love these woods as much as we do, and to return often for experiences you just won't find anywhere else.



Honeymoon Packages

4 Night-5 Day Honeymoon Package

Available from December 1 to March 31 and May 1 to October 31

This is our most popular Honeymoon Package and gives you enough time to enjoy many of the activities here at Gunflint.

Includes: 4 nights accommodations in a honeymoon cabin, all meals starting with your first dinner and ending with breakfast on your departure day, horseback riding, boat, motor, canoe, kayaks, hiking trails and naturalist activities, cross country skiing, snowshoeing, and dog sledding. Each evening appetizers and wine will be delivered to your cabin at 5 p.m. for you to enjoy in front of your fireplace, before you come up for dinner. Breakfasts are delivered to your cabin each morning if you wish, and lunches will gladly be packed if you want to be out for the day exploring.

\$ 696.00 per person , plus taxes and service charge — December 1 to March 31

\$896.00 per person, plus taxes and service charge — May 1 to October 31

Additional nights \$196.00 per person



5 Night-6 Day Honeymoon Package

If you are starting your honeymoon in the Twin Cities area and want to be a bit more leisurely in your travel north, we have another choice. Leave the cities after lunch and drive north to Duluth, spending your first night at 'The Inn' down on the harbor in Duluth. Dinner is on your own, with many very nice restaurants within walking distance. After breakfast the next morning, continue north along the North Shore Drive of Lake Superior, stopping at some of the waterfalls, catching a lunch sandwich in Grand Marais and then arrive at Gunflint by mid afternoon.

Includes: 5 nights accommodations (1 night at The Inn in Duluth and 4 in a Honeymoon cabin at Gunflint), and then everything that is included in the 4 night package.

\$775.00 per person, plus taxes and service charge— December 1-March 31

\$975.00 per person, plus taxes and service charge— May 1-October 31

Super Honeymoon

7 Night-8 Day Honeymoon Package
Available from December 1 to March 31
and May 1 to October 31

When you have enough time to spend a full week's honeymoon at Gunflint

Includes: 7 nights accommodations in a honeymoon cabin, all meals starting with your first dinner and ending with breakfast on your departure day, horseback riding, boat, motor, canoe, kayaks, hiking trails, naturalist activities cross country skiing, snowshoeing, and dog sledding. Each evening appetizers and wine will be delivered to your cabin at 5 p.m. for you to enjoy in front of your fireplace, before you come up for dinner. Breakfasts are delivered to your cabin each morning if you wish, and lunches will gladly be packed if you want to be out for the day exploring.



\$ 1,050.00 per person , plus taxes and service charge — December 1 to March 31
\$1,351.00 per person, plus taxes and service charge — May 1 to October 31

Mini Moon

2 Night-3 Day All Inclusive Package

Available from December 1 to March 31 and May 1 to October 31

This should be perfect if your schedule is tight, but you still want to get away for a brief honeymoon, while you plan a bigger one for later on.

Enjoy a leisurely drive north along the beautiful North Shore Drive as you head north. Stop to take an easy hike up to one of the waterfalls and catch a tasty lunch at one of the restaurants along the way. Do a quick walk around in Grand Marais, a small fishing village clustered around a harbor on Lake Superior, for a look at the various gift shops and points of interest. Then head inland on the paved Gunflint Trail for about 1 hour as you head to the lodge. Keep a keen lookout as you might be lucky enough to catch a view of a huge moose.

Here at the lodge we will have your honeymoon cabin all ready for you, with a fireplace, hot tub or Jacuzzi tub, and king sized bed. Appetizers and wine will be delivered to your cabin both evenings, before you come up for dinner. You are also welcome to have breakfasts delivered to your cabin in the morning. In the summer you are welcome to go horseback riding, boating, canoeing or hiking, while in the winter you have cross country skis and snowshoes included in your package.

Includes: 2 nights accommodations, all meals, appetizers and wine delivered to your cabin each evening, and all activities.

\$498.00 per person, plus taxes and service charge

GROOMS DINNERS, CEREMONIES, RECEPTIONS, WEDDING DINNERS AND SUNDAY BRUNCHES

Weddings

A wedding at Gunflint comes with the uniqueness of our northwoods setting, which enables both of us to custom plan the entire event. A Gunflint wedding gives you the opportunity to spend more time with your invited guests, and they, in turn, have the opportunity to enjoy a day or two with other family members or friends in a relaxed setting. Your choices are only limited by your imagination.

Grooms dinners can be held inside or outside, at a campsite down the lake, or in the conference center. Any kind of menu is a possibility. Wedding ceremonies can be at the waterfront, by the lodge fireplace, in the conference center, at the high cliffs, or at Little Rock falls. Receptions can be complex or simple—from food items to beverages to locations. Wedding dinners are custom planned, from menu items to locations, from modest to fancy. Evening entertainment can range from a small band to a disc jockey to a campfire. Brunch the next morning can be in the lodge, the conference center or outside around a campfire. Depending on your needs, we have a minister available most of the time. We can assist with flowers and wedding cakes as needed. Accommodations are available for all your guests. A variety of activities can be planned for the free time of your guests—guided canoe paddles, hikes, fishing, horseback riding, etc. And Gunflint is a perfect place to spend your honeymoon after you send all your guests home.

E-mail us your wishes and we will start the planning with you. Shawn Kerfoot, our wedding coordinator, is available for a personal planning session in the Duluth area as well as the Twin Cities.



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Traveling to Gunflint

Start your honeymoon with a beautiful drive north, through Duluth, and then along the North Shore of Lake Superior. Stop in the Scandinavian fishing village of Grand Marais to check out their shops, enjoy a snack of smoked fish (freshly prepared by one of the local fishermen), and to gas up before heading inland on the famous Gunflint Trail en route to the lodge. The scenery of the northwoods awaits you as you drive along the Gunflint Trail—past sparkling clear lakes, big rocky cliffs and ancient white cedar wetlands. During your one hour drive inland keep your eyes open for the huge moose that step out of the tall timber from time to time, or watch for the friendly red fox that routinely search for their next meal along the road.

Gunflint is a 3 hour drive north of Duluth (6 hours from Minneapolis and St. Paul)—all on good roads through some of the most scenic country Minnesota has to offer.

