

My Favorite Great Lake is



Because... (Send us your answer)

Retrieving Nutrient Diffusing Substrate near Beaver Bay in Lake Superior



“For me, it’s Lake Superior. After all...It is SUPERIOR.”

Andrew Camilleri, CIGLR Benthic Ecology Research Technician

"Lake Superior is and has always been my favorite force of nature (...that is, after my mom)."
-Dr. Ashley Elgin, Benthic Ecologist at NOAA-GLERL





“There are a lot of Great Lakes, but one of them is Superior. The Big Lake, Mother Lake, Gitche Gumee- that one’s my favorite. It is the one that will always humble me, and the one that taught my college friends and I the definition of being cool. From 29 bells for the Edmund Fitzgerald-to the least visited National Park in the lower 48, it’s special, and I hope to call it HOME(S) again someday.”

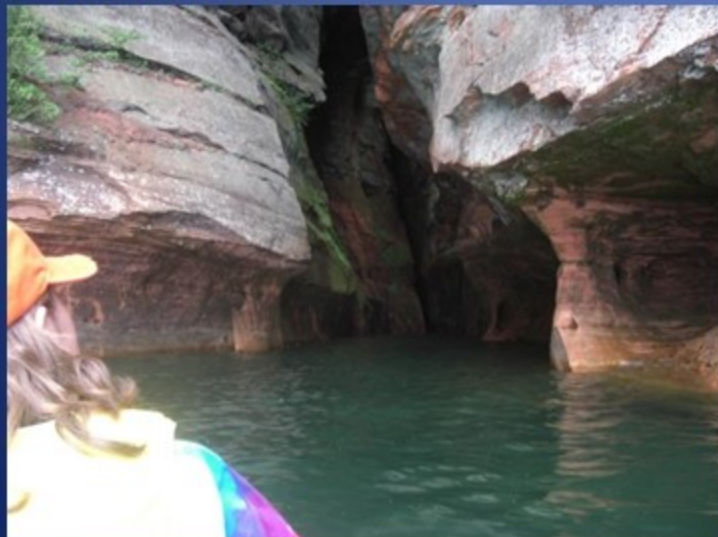
Hayden Hendersen, CIGLR Research Engineer



Madeline Island
(Apostle Islands)
Wisconsin



Lake Superior is my favorite lake because, as the biggest lake, there are endless places to explore! In the summer, my family kayaked through the caves around the Apostle Islands, which are also great to explore in the winter when they ice over. Holly Kelchner, CIGLR Aquatic Ecology Research Analyst



“Lake Erie doesn't get much love, so I'll give it a little attention. Here is one of the famous Lake Erie Water Snakes from South Bass Island. The snake was enjoying a warm rock and didn't want to move!”

-Dr. Mark Rowe, Research Physical Scientist at NOAA-GLERL





“My favorite Great Lake is Lake Michigan (Huron and Superior right after). But I really like this area north of Big Sable Point - Nordhouse Dunes Wilderness Area - hiking along the beach for miles with no houses.” -Steve Ruberg

Group Leader
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Lake Superior



It's the biggest lake

Lake Huron



We vacation there with our family

Lake Michigan



I've been to it the most times and I love Sleeping Bear Dunes

Lake Erie



We've gone there as a family, swam in it

Lake Ontario



It is by Niagara Falls and it is very pretty