



Located only 30 minutes north of Milwaukee, Cedarburg's historic main street is lined with limestone and cream city brick buildings dating from the mid-19th to early 20th centuries. Many of these buildings have been preserved as landmarks - a key element of Cedarburg's charm. Antique shops, specialty stores, a winery, restaurants and historic inns make Cedarburg a delightful destination.

What To Do

Recently named one of "America's Prettiest Towns" by Forbes, Cedarburg and the surrounding area is the ideal location for a Wisconsin summer getaway. Summer is a great season to enjoy a culinary adventure in this historic town also filled with art galleries, museums, performing arts, and everything in between.

Cedar Creek Winery

Tour one of America's most noted small regional wineries, Cedar Creek. The limestone building was built in the 1860s as a woolen mill and is located in the historic Cedar Creek Settlement, which is a collection of specialty shops, galleries and restaurants. Tours are available daily and you can also taste award-winning wines from fine, delicate whites to rich, robust reds. A variety of special, seasonal vintages are also available. Open year round, Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday 11 a.m.-5 p.m. www.cedarcreekwinery.com, 888.827.8020



Widmer's Cheese Cellars

Widmer's Cheese Cellars in Theresa, Wisconsin is an easy 40 minute, scenic road trip from Cedarburg. Widmer's settled in Theresa -- one of the richest cheese making areas in America -- more than 80 years ago. Master cheesemaker Joe Widmer is the third generation of Widmer's producing the family's renowned Brick cheese. Joe is adamant about sticking to the traditional method of brining the cheese, still using the same bricks his grandfather employed to weight down the new cheese decades ago. Widmer's produces some of the finest Brick, Cheddar and Colby cheeses in the world. www.cedarcreekwinery.com, 888.878.1107

Where To Eat

There are plenty of places to have a memorable dining experience in Cedarburg. And yes, history is the theme here. It's only fitting.

Anvil Pub & Grille

Tucked away in the Cedar Creek Settlement, the Anvil Pub & Grille is a popular spot for casual dining in a charming atmosphere. The restaurant specializes in Forge sandwiches, steak burgers, salads, steaks, chicken and seafood. Should the mood catch you, the outdoor dining patio provides dining overlooking Cedar Creek Waterfall. Lunch is served Monday-Saturday from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Dinner is available Monday-Thursday from 5-9 p.m. and Friday and Saturday 5-10 p.m. and brunch on Sunday is available from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. www.anvilpubandgrille.com, 262-376-2163

Where To Stay

Experience Cedarburg's small town appeal at one of its popular bed and breakfasts, the Washington House Inn and The Stagecoach Inn.

Washington House Inn

The Washington House Inn blends the charm and romance of days past with the amenities and conveniences expected by today's discriminating travelers. The 34 luxurious guest rooms, all with private baths (31 feature whirlpools), fine antique furnishings and many with fireplaces, offer you the utmost in accommodations.

Built in 1886 and listed on the National Register of Historic Places, it has been completely updated to provide an oasis of relaxation and pampered comfort as a romantic Wisconsin getaway. The inn provides exquisite lodging within walking distance of Cedarburg's shops, restaurants, galleries, festivals, historic sites and many outdoor activities. www.washingtonhouseinn.com, 262.375.3550

