



# FAN GUIDE

2017 WIAA SPRING STATE  
BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIP  
JUNE 13-15



# **W E L C O M E**

## **TO THE FOX CITIES AND THE WIAA STATE BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS!**

Congratulations to your team for advancing to state. We are pleased to have you as our guests, and hope you'll find this Fan Guide a helpful tool during your stay.

I encourage you to experience more of "Wisconsin's Shopping Place" beyond the beautiful baseball facility. Head over to Fox River Mall or explore the great locally-owned shops in our thriving downtowns. We also offer an incredible variety of dining options to satisfy every palette, exciting local events, and diverse attractions throughout our 20 communities along the shores of Lake Winnebago and the Fox River.

If you can't decide how to spend your free time, please visit [www.foxcities.org](http://www.foxcities.org) or stop by our Visitor Center, Monday - Friday 8am-5pm.

Wishing you the best of luck!

Sincerely,

Pam Seidl, Executive Director  
Fox Cities Convention & Visitors Bureau

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# THINGS TO SEE & DO IN THE FOX CITIES

Looking for things to occupy your time in between games? Then take a look at our top 10 list of activities for all ages!

**1.) SHOP TIL YOU DROP! Fox River Mall:** **Fox River Mall:** 150 stores under one roof including Pottery Barn, Eddie Bauer, Macy's, Pink, Scheels and the largest Forever 21 store in the state.

Our area also offers vibrant and walkable downtowns such as Neenah, Appleton and Menasha that offer many locally-owned boutiques and shops.

**2) MIDWEEK FARM MARKETS!**  
**Menasha Market:** Located at the Marina Terrace on Thursday from 2pm-6pm  
**Greenville Market:** Located in Lions Park on Wednesday from 3p-7p  
**Hortonville Market:** Located at 300 S. Nash St. on Thursday from 3p -6:30p

## 3) OUTDOOR MUSIC

**Downtown Appleton:** : every Thursday from 11:30a-1p in Houdini Plaza and Thursdays 5:30p-8:30p in Houdini Plaza or Jones Park.

**Downtown Neenah:** Every Thursday from 11:30a-1p and every other Wednesday from 6p-8p in Shattuck Park.

## 4) MUSEUMS & MORE!

**History Museum at the Castle:** Home to the 'AKA Houdini' exhibit and more! Open Tue-Sun, 11a-4p.

**The Hearthstone Historic House:** The first home in the world lit by a hydroelectric central station based on the Thomas A. Edison system. Open Thurs-Sun, hours vary by day.

**Bergstrom-Mahler Museum of Glass:** Hosts one of the largest glass

paperweight collections in the world as well as other permanent and traveling exhibits. Open Tue – Sat 10a-4:30p, Sun 1p-4:30p.

**Trout Museum of Art:** Hosts stunning visual art exhibits as well as special events and classes. Open Tue - Fri: 10a-4p, Sat 10a-4p, Sun 12p-4p.

**Paper Discovery Center:** Explore the world of paper through hands-on experiences including making your own paper! Open Mon-Sat 10a-4p.

## 5) EXPLORE NATURE!

Take advantage of over 100 miles of paved and unpaved biking trails including the Trestle Trail bridge. High Cliff State Park, located on the shores of Lake Winnebago, offers 15 miles of scenic hiking/biking trails.

**Heckrodt Wetland Reserve:** Take in 76 acres of forested wetland. Enjoy 3 miles of trails and a 5,000 sq. ft. Nature Center. Trails open daily; Nature Center open Tue-Sun, but hours vary.

**1000 Islands Environmental Center:** 7.2 miles of trails to enjoy eagle-watching and a large Nature Center with various educational opportunities. Open Mon-Fri 8a-4p and Sat-Sun 10a-3:30p.

**Gordon Bubolz Nature Preserve:** 8.5 mile trail system for hiking, jogging, bird watching and nature observation. Enjoy the Nature Center with natural history exhibits. Trails are open during daylight hours. Nature Center open Tues-Sun with varied hours.

## 6) FOR THE KIDS

**Badger Sports Park:** Offers indoor and outdoor activities including batting cages, mini golf laser tag, mini bowling and go-karts. Hours: Mon-Fri 11a-9p; Sat 10a-10p; Sun 10a-9p.

## THINGS TO SEE & DO IN THE FOX CITIES CONTINUED

**The Building for Kids Children's Museum:** Let your child's imagination run wild at the third largest children's museum in Wisconsin! The Museum features two floors and 30,000 sq ft of interactive exhibits. Hours: Tues - Sat: 9a-5p; Sun: Noon-5p.

**Barlow Planetarium:** Enjoy 3-D excitement on their 48-foot projection dome theatre ft. star shows, family laser shows and rock laser shows. Call for show times: 920-832-2848.

**Sky Zone Trampoline Park:** The ultimate WOW experience for families focused on awesome, healthy fun! Hours: Tues-Thurs 4p-8p; Fri 4p-11p; Sat 10a-11p; Sun Noon-6p. Special toddler jump-times available.

**Weis Earth Science Museum:** Learn about WI geology with lots of interactive fun! Create a quake, marvel at minerals, touch a dinosaur bone, and much more! Hours: Mon-Fri 12-3 pm, Sat 10 am-5 pm, Sun 1-5 pm

**Xtreme Air Trampoline and Rock Climbing Park:** Enjoy 12,000 sq. ft of trampoline fun and a 3-story high rock wall. Special jump times are available for all ages. Hours: Mon - Thurs 4p- 8p, Fri 4p-11p, Sat 10a-11p, Sun 10a-6p.

### 7) GET CREATIVE!

**The Fire Art Studio:** Explore your creative side by painting pottery, fusing glass or making jewelry. Hours: Tues-Fri: 11a-8p, Sat 10a-8p, Sun Noon-6p.

**Pinot's Palette:** Need a night out without the kids? 'Paint. Drink. Have Fun.' No art experience required! Visit [pinotspalette.com/appleton](http://pinotspalette.com/appleton) for upcoming class and design information.

**The Simple Sparrow:** Grab your friends and paint your own wood signs! For a list of upcoming classes and sign designs visit [www.thesimplesparrow.org](http://www.thesimplesparrow.org).

### 8) HUNGRY?

From Thai and Greek, to Italian, Japanese and American... From an elegant atmosphere to a cozy corner diner. Whatever you're in the mood for, you can find it right here in the Fox Cities. Head to [FoxCities.org/dining](http://FoxCities.org/dining) for a full listing of restaurants.

### 9) CHEESE, CHOCOLATE & ICE CREAM

**Simon's Specialty Cheese:** Over 100 varieties of cheese as well as a large selection of WI items and specialty gifts. Hours: Mon - Fri 8a-6p, Sat 8a-5p.

**Lamer's Dairy & Store:** Offers a wide variety of Wisconsin items as well as cheese, sausage, candies, jams and gourmet foods. Known for their delicious glass-bottled milk! Hours: Mon-Fri: 8a-6p, Sat 9a-5p.

**Wilmar Chocolate's:** Plenty of sweet treats available as well as the opportunity to make your very own large candy bar (Thurs – Sat only). Hours: Mon-Wed 9a-5:30p, Thurs 9a-7p, Sat 9a-5p

**10) There is always SOMETHING FUN** to do in the Fox Cities. From Broadway shows and live music, to festivals and art exhibits. Find all of the event details you'll need on [FoxCities.org](http://FoxCities.org).

# HOTELS - 2017 WIAA SPRING BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

## **BEST WESTERN BRIDGEWOOD**

1000 Cameron Way  
Neenah, WI 54956  
Amenities: Indoor pool  
Cancellations must be made  
24 hours prior to arrival  
Single, Double: \$105  
Triple: \$115, Quad \$125  
**920-720-8000**

## **CAMBRIA SUITES**

3940 N Gateway Dr.  
Appleton, WI 54913  
Amenities: Indoor pool,  
Cancellations must be made  
4pm of arrival.  
Single, DBL, Triple, Quad: \$119  
**Rate Code: LBASE**  
**(920) 733-0101**

## **COMFORT SUITES**

3809 W Wisconsin Ave  
Appleton, WI 54914  
Amenities: Complimentary  
breakfast, Indoor pool  
Cancellations must be  
made by 6pm day of arrival  
Single, Double, Triple, Quad: \$119  
**Rate Code: LWIAA**  
**920-730-3800**

## **COUNTRY INN & SUITES APPLETON**

355 Fox River Drive  
Appleton, WI 54913  
Amenities: Complimentary  
breakfast, Indoor pool  
Cancellations must be  
made 24 hours prior to arrival  
Single, Double, Triple, Quad: \$94  
**(920) 830-3240**

## **COUNTRY INN & SUITES LITTLE CHUTE**

130 Patriot Dr  
Little Chute, WI 54140  
Amenities: Complimentary  
breakfast, Indoor pool  
Cancellations must be  
made 48 hours prior to arrival  
Single, Double, Triple, Quad: \$109  
**(920) 788-8080**

## **DAYS INN NEENAH**

495 S. Green Bay Road  
Neenah, WI 54956  
Amenities: Complimentary  
breakfast, Indoor pool  
Cancellations must be made  
14 days prior to arrival  
Single, Double, Triple, Quad: \$89  
**(920) 720-9020**

## **GRANDSTAY HOTEL & SUITES**

300 N Mall Dr  
Appleton, WI 54913  
Amenities: Complimentary  
breakfast, Indoor pool  
Cancellations must be  
made by 6pm day of arrival  
Single: \$119, Double: \$129  
Triple: \$139, Quad: \$149  
**Rate Code: WIAA**  
**(920) 993-1200**

## **HILTON GARDEN INN**

720 Eisenhower Drive  
Kimberly, WI 54136  
Amenities: Indoor pool  
Cancellations must be  
made 72 hours prior to arrival  
Single, Double, Triple, Quad: \$105  
**(920) 730-1900**

## **LA QUINTA INN & SUITES**

3800 W College Ave  
Appleton, WI 54914  
Amenities: Complimentary  
breakfast, Indoor pool  
Cancellations must be  
made by 6pm day of arrival  
Single: \$99, Double: \$109  
Triple, Quad: \$119  
**Rate Code: Statebaseballq**  
**(920) 734-7777**

## **SUPER 8**

3624 W College Ave  
Appleton, WI 54914  
Amenities: Complimentary breakfast  
Cancellations must be  
made 24 hours prior to arrival  
Single, Double, Triple, Quad: \$125  
**(920) 731-0880**

## **WINGATE BY WYNDHAM**

1565 N. Federated Drive  
Appleton, WI 54913  
Amenities: Complimentary breakfast,  
Indoor pool Cancellations must be made  
24 hours prior to arrival  
Single, Double, Triple, Quad: \$119  
**(920) 560-3000**

# DIRECTIONS TO NEUROSCIENCE GROUP FIELD AT FOX CITIES STADIUM

Neuroscience Group Field at Fox Cities Stadium is conveniently located just west of Highway 41 and north of Wisconsin Avenue in the Town of Grand Chute (just west of Appleton). The main entrance to the stadium is at 2400 N. Casaloma Drive. The stadium can be accessed from both Wisconsin Avenue and Highway 15/41 interchanges. To reach the stadium from Highway 15, exit off Highway 41 and head west to Casaloma Drive. Turn left on Casaloma Drive. Fox Cities Stadium will be a ¼ mile on the left. To reach the stadium from Wisconsin Avenue (Highway 96), exit off of Highway 41 and head west on Highway GV towards Casaloma Drive. Turn right on Casaloma Drive and the stadium will be a ½ mile on the right.

**2400 North Casaloma Drive**  
**P0 Box 7464**  
**Appleton, WI 54912**  
**920.733.4152**



# SPECTATOR GUIDELINES

**OVERVIEW** - The 2017 WIAA State Spring Baseball tournament will be played at **Neuroscience Group Field at Fox Cities Stadium** in Grand Chute Tuesday-Thursday, June 13-15. The WIAA began sponsoring a tournament program in spring baseball in 1948. There are 392 teams in the boys spring baseball tournament program for 2017. There are 96 teams in Division 1 this year, 98 teams in Division 2, 99 teams in Division 3 and 99 teams in Division 4.

**TICKETS** - Tickets are **\$8** cash for each session (two games) or tickets are **\$9** with credit card at the Fox Cities Stadium ticket window during the State Tournament. Tickets will go on sale one hour prior to the start of the first game of a given session. A cash machine is available once inside the stadium. Your ticket, which will not be refunded if a rain delay occurs, is a raincheck..

**PARKING INFORMATION** - Parking is available on site for a fee of \$6 (good for the entire day).

## **PROHIBITED ITEMS:**

- Food or beverages of any kind.
- Noisemakers (including Thunderstix).
- Face paint/body paint.
- Confetti
- Laser pens
- No alcohol or tobacco products are permitted on the stadium grounds or in the parking lot area.
- All carry-in items subject to search

**SIGNS & BANNERS** -Temporary banners are allowed, with some restrictions. Banners and signs must be hand held and stationary. Tape is not allowed. These banners may NOT have offensive language, be used to disrupt players or officials, interfere with spectators' view, used in an inappropriate manner or be carried around the facility during an event. Banners may not be hung from balconies, ceilings, etc. At outdoor tournament events, banners may be displayed and/or hung.

**LIVE STREAMING** - Watch all the pre-finals action of the State Spring Baseball Tournament streamed live on the NFHS Network. Subscribe to watch all the action leading up to the finals. [www.wiaa.tv](http://www.wiaa.tv) The finals for the State Spring Baseball Tournament will be streamed live on Fox Sports Go. Get the app in your app store.

**ANIMALS** - For the safety and comfort of all our visitors, animals are not permitted in Neuroscience Group Field at Fox Cities Stadium. Guide, signal or service dogs (as defined by law) are allowed in Neuroscience Group Field at Fox Cities Stadium. All sanitary needs for animals are the responsibility of the customer.

**DRONES:** Piloting drones over Fox Cities Stadium or the surrounding parking lots is NOT PERMITTED unless authorized in advance by the WIAA.

# 2017 SPRING STATE BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE

## TUESDAY, JUNE 13

### **Division 1 Quarterfinals - 8 a.m.**

Game 1 - Sectional #7 winner vs. Sectional #8 winner

Game 2 - Sectional #5 winner vs. Sectional #6 winner

### **Division 1 Quarterfinals - 1 p.m.**

Game 3 - Sectional #1 winner vs. Sectional #2 winner

Game 4 - Sectional #3 winner vs. Sectional #4 winner

### **Division 1 Semifinals - 6 p.m.**

Game 5 - Winner of Game 1 vs. Winner of Game 2

Game 6 - Winner of Game 3 vs. Winner of Game 4

## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14

### **Division 4 Semifinals - 8 a.m.**

Game 1 - Sectional #1 winner vs. Sectional #3 winner

Game 2 - Sectional #2 winner vs. Sectional #4 winner

### **Division 3 Semifinals - 1 p.m.**

Game 1 - Sectional #1 winner vs. Sectional #3 winner

Game 2 - Sectional #2 winner vs. Sectional #4 winner

### **Division 2 Semifinals - 6 p.m.**

Game 1 - Sectional #1 winner vs. Sectional #3 winner

Game 2 - Sectional #2 winner vs. Sectional #4 winner

## THURSDAY, JUNE 15

**Div. 4 Finals - 9 a.m.**

**Div. 3 Finals - Noon**

**Div. 2 Finals - 3 p.m.**

**Div. 1 Finals - 6 p.m.**