

Jinny Palms Nature Preserve

Size: 360 acres

Land Description: Situated a mile inland from Lake Superior, this preserve borders the Michigan Nature Association's 370-acre Lake Superior Preserve. The northwest portion of Chippewa County is the wildest and most remote land in LTC's service area and contains some of the largest blocks of unfragmented landscape within the Conservancy's preserve system.

Trails: Sandy roads provide access to the southwest and southeast corners of the preserve and old logging roads provide easy paths for foot travel, but no designated trails exist. This preserve is remote and may be difficult to find if you are not familiar with the area. A four-wheel drive vehicle is recommended and be sure to take a map with you.

This preserve contributes to some of Michigan's most significant wildlife habitat. The land is located approximately nine miles north of Tahquamenon Falls and 11 miles west of the Whitefish Point Bird Observatory near Paradise.

The protection of the Palms Preserve was made possible with a donation from Jeannine Palms who named the preserve in memory of her mother, Jinny.



Directions: From Paradise, go west on U.S. 123 toward Tahquamenon Falls for about 4½ miles. Turn right onto Farm Truck Road (also marked as designated snowmobile route #452). Go north on Farm Truck Road about ½ mile and go left at the fork, staying on Farm Truck. Go 4 miles then turn right at the fork onto Mapleblock Road (still marked as #452). Go north on Mapleblock 5.4 miles and at a log landing area, go right following signs for #452. Go about 1 more mile and the preserve entrance is on the left.

