

ADVENTURE

10 Amazing Lake Town Getaways for Every Adventurer

You've checked the bulk of the [best mountain towns in America](#) off your list, and journeyed to one too many [beaches across the globe](#), now it's time to plan your next adventure. Forget the expense and pretension of beach getaways, and the lengthy gear lists for your mile-high retreat for a minute. Instead, enjoy the endless summer days and laid-back vibes of these lake getaways.



Kirkland, Washington

Start summer vacation off right at [Bottle and Bull](#), an Ernest Hemingway-inspired restaurant with a killer happy hour menu and smoked trout ravioli that will linger in your memory long after the last bite. Only 12 miles outside of Seattle, the eastern shore of Lake Washington provides visitors a small-town feel, with plenty to do. If you're missing your workouts back home, consider torching your core with a [paddleboard yoga class with Northwest Paddle Surfers](#), who also are boat rental outfitters.

When thirst for an adult beverage calls, tackle [The Cross Kirkland Corridor](#), a nearly six-mile biking and walking route that connects you to [Flycaster Brewing](#), [Maelstrom Brewing](#), and [Chainline Brewery](#). For lakefront vistas, post up at [Woodmark Hotel](#), which also has a spa and two restaurants begging for a sunset meal, Beach Cafe and Bin on the Lake. If you're more of a downtowner, book at [The Heathman Hotel](#), close to galleries, wineries, restaurants, and shops.