WISCONSIN DELLS
(LAKE DELTON, MAUSTON, BARABOO)
Wisconsin Dells has been christened “The Waterpark Capital of the World!” for good reason. The community boasts the largest concentration of waterparks in the world including America’s largest outdoor waterpark, the country’s largest indoor/outdoor combination, and the state’s largest indoor waterpark. Several local business owners are credited with pioneering the national indoor waterpark craze.

Water shows are the dominant theme in Wisconsin Dells in other ways. For more than 150 years, visitors have taken sightseeing tours on the Wisconsin River, which literally bisects the city, for up-close views of the magnificent sandstone bluffs that tower above the water. The Dells is home to the world’s largest fleet of “Ducks,” restored WWII amphibious vehicles popular for land-to-water tours. A long-running ski show is often on the itinerary. Kayaking, canoeing, boating, parasailing, skiing and fishing round out the H₂O pursuits.

WEATHER
Wisconsin Dells Climate Graph – Wisconsin Climate Chart

CITIES/AIRPORTS
Chicago – 3 hours
Madison – 45 minutes

COMMUNITY GROUPS/RESOURCES
Dells J-1 Consortium: facebook.com/dellsj1s

CULTURAL EVENTS OPPORTUNITIES
Thanksgiving in August, Talent Show, Ice Skating, Cookouts, Employer Parties
PROS & CONS
PRO: Close to Chicago (3 hours away) Over 6,000 J-1 Students in community from all over the world. Safe. Discounted pass to all attractions for being an employee in the town
CON: Housing can be a challenge to find if employer does not provide

THINGS TO DO
• Go to Tanger Outlets!
• Go to the water parks and attractions!
• Swim in the river!
• Visit Chicago and Madison

HOT TIPS
Find housing before you come! Join Facebook page for Dells Consortium

MAP OF THE AREA

http://www.nationsonline.org/oneworld/map/USA/wisconsin_map.htm