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Juneau, Alaska

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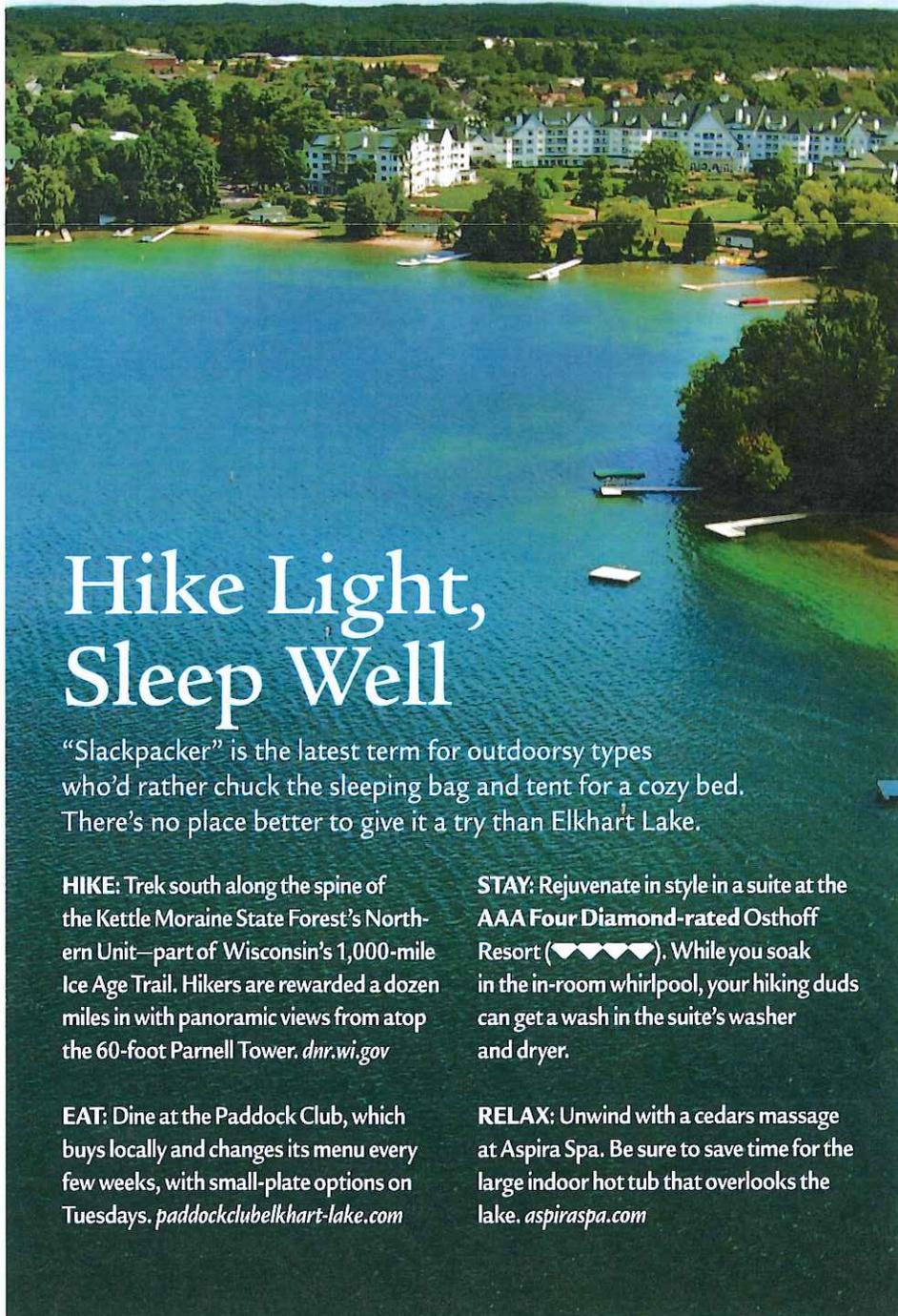
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Deals on Vacuums,
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MEMBER STORY

AAA Helps One Mom
See the World

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Hike Light, Sleep Well

“Slackpacker” is the latest term for outdoorsy types who’d rather chuck the sleeping bag and tent for a cozy bed. There’s no place better to give it a try than Elkhart Lake.

HIKE: Trek south along the spine of the Kettle Moraine State Forest’s Northern Unit—part of Wisconsin’s 1,000-mile Ice Age Trail. Hikers are rewarded a dozen miles in with panoramic views from atop the 60-foot Parnell Tower. dnr.wi.gov

EAT: Dine at the Paddock Club, which buys locally and changes its menu every few weeks, with small-plate options on Tuesdays. paddockclubelkhart-lake.com

STAY: Rejuvenate in style in a suite at the **AAA Four Diamond-rated Osthoff Resort** (◆◆◆◆). While you soak in the in-room whirlpool, your hiking duds can get a wash in the suite’s washer and dryer.

RELAX: Unwind with a cedars massage at Aspira Spa. Be sure to save time for the large indoor hot tub that overlooks the lake. aspirspa.com

Spring on Stage

Entertainment for all ages hits Milwaukee.

Celtic Celebration

Where: Uihlein Hall, Marcus Center for the Performing Arts

When: March 23–25

Why go: Nine-time Ireland fiddle champ Eileen Ivers plays with the Milwaukee

Symphony Orchestra, led by visiting conductor Marvin Hamlisch. marcuscenter.org



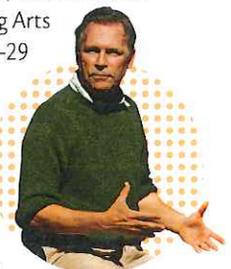
Coach—the Untold Story of College Basketball Legend Al McGuire

Where: Vogel Hall, Marcus Center for the Performing Arts

When: March 28–29

Why go: Sports-caster Dick

Enberg wrote this one-man play about his 10-year broadcasting partner, the quick-witted Marquette University coach who died of leukemia in 2001. marcuscenter.org



Shrek, the Musical

Where: Milwaukee Theatre

When: April 5–8

Why go: The much-loved animated ogre comes to life and leads a cast in song, dance and irreverent comedy. milwaukeeetheatre.com



LAKE: ELKHART LAKE TOURISM; CELTIC: LUKE RATRAY; COACH: BELMONT ABBEY COLLEGE & PATRICK SCHNEIDER; SHREK: JOAN MARCUS