

In addition to scenic landscape and abundant wildlife, Trout Run Trail features public art sculptures – keep an eye out for them; they make for perfect photo opportunities too!



When folks think Iowa, they often think "flat." But nestled in the far northeast corner of this Midwestern state is a hidden secret: Winneshiek County!

Beautiful Winneshiek County has always been marked by rolling hills, flowing streams, and soaring bluffs. But now, it boasts amazing recreational trails too! From the laid-back Prairie Farmer Rec. Trail, spanning 20 miles from Cresco to Calmar, to the 11-mile Trout Run Trail, a loop that hosts both casual riding over bridges and farmland and steep switchbacks with stunning views of the valley. Both of these trails are open to all sorts of fun activities, year-round: riders, walkers, joggers, skaters, skiers...you get the idea!



Stop by the Winneshiek County Convention and Visitors Bureau for more information about area businesses, lodging, and activities. 507 West Water Street. 563.382.2023 or 800.463.4692. VisitDecorah.com – Facebook.com/visitdecorah.



Prairie Farmer Recreational Trail

Are you a skilled rider looking for more adventure? There are more than 18 miles of exceptional off-road, single-track trails right here in Decorah! View maps and get info at VisitDecorah.com. Plus, trail fun is year-round.



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FROM IOWA NATURAL HERITAGE FOUNDATION

Fun!

Trails of WINNESHIK COUNTY

Ridgeway is a great half-way point for wetting your whistle or grabbing a bite before you continue on the trail!

Tip: Ridgeway Park

TRAILHEAD TO CRESCO IOWA MILE 20

CALMAR (see pullout)



More!

RIDGWAY IOWA POP. 314 MILE TEN

TRAILHEAD

PRAIRIE FARMER RECREATIONAL TRAIL

20 MILES. YEAR-ROUND.

WINNESHIK COUNTY SECTION

Walk. Jog. Bike. Skate. Cross country ski.

Equipment/Bike Rentals:
Decorah Bicycles: decorahbicycles.com, 563.382.8209, 101 College Dr, Decorah

Additional area bike shops:
Oneota River Cycles: oneotacycles.com, 563.382.0421, 220 E Water St, Decorah
Cresco Bicycles (Howard Co. / Prairie Farmer Trailhead), www.crescobicycles.com, 563.547.2877, 225 N Elm St, Cresco

INSIDE: TROUT RUN TRAIL MAP & FREEPORT TRAIL MAP