

# DEPARTURES

## Idyllic Lakeside Hotels



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antler wall fixtures and lots of wood dominate the design. Despite the country look, sophistication rules: Guests dress up for dinners and Wednesday and Saturday evenings are strictly black tie. *Rooms start at \$1,500; 222 Beaverwood Rd.; 518-891-5674; [thepointresort.com](http://thepointresort.com).*

### The Point, Saranac Lake, New York

This 11-room escape on Upper Saranac Lake in the Adirondacks strikes a perfect balance between rustic and elegant. Each accommodation comes with a gorgeous stone fireplace, a bottle of Heitz Cellar Cabernet Sauvignon and, in the winter, Yaktrax (snow-traction devices for shoes) to help guests traverse the grounds. Built by William Avery Rockefeller about a century ago, The Point (a Relais & Châteaux property) spreads its accommodations across four beautifully secluded log buildings and has a classic camp-lodge feel—rich fabrics, leather furniture,

