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# PRONUNCIATION

2017

guide

## **Baroque** /bə-'rōk/ · [buh-rohk]

That incredible, giant wire-mesh pipe organ that made its debut at Eaux Claires Deux. It now resides at the corner of First Avenue and Grand Avenue in Eau Claire.

## **Blugold** /'bloo-gōld/ · [blue-gold]

University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire mascot. What a Blugold actually is? Beats us.

## **Bon Iver**

Give us a ring when you find out how to pronounce this. Nobody actually knows. Big deal, homegrown band.

## **Chippewa** \ 'chi-pə-wə\ or \ 'chip-wə\ · [chi-puh-wuh] or [chip-wuh]

Another term for Ojibwa, an indigenous tribe principally residing in the regions around Lake Huron and Lake Superior

## **Confluence** \ 'kän-flü-ən(t)s\

A coming or flowing together, meeting, or gathering at one point; specifically, in regards to the Eau Claire and Chippewa Rivers.

## **Eau Claire** \ō-'kler\ · [oh-klair]

Not to be confused with the pastry, Éclair.

## **Eaux Claires** \ō-'kler\ · [oh-klair]

Sometimes referred to by locals as [oh-klairs] in order to differentiate between the city and the festival.

## **Kubb** \ 'küb\ · [koob]

Eau Claire is the Kubb capital of the world and we can't wait to show you what the heck that means.

## **Leinenkugel** \ 'lī-nēn-kü-gəl\ · [lie-nin-koo-gul]

Make it easy on yourself – just say “Leinie’s”

