



The **Country Byways Region** invites you to enjoy the many treasures that can be found in their quaint, Americana towns and villages. Experience the local charms and culinary delights while meeting hometown residents along the way. Located between Niagara Falls & the Finger Lakes of New York, explore the tranquility of rural living, friendly people, unique museums, attractions and adventures. Whether you're traveling by car, exploring on bike or boat, their byways and waterways will inspire you to return often and stay longer.  
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## Day 1: Livingston County | *Something for Everyone!*

GENESEE  
COUNTRY  
VILLAGE AND  
MUSEUM



Finger Lakes West - over 150 thrilling festivals and yearly events offered in welcoming communities and historic downtowns! Many options for a relaxing getaway, even during colder temperatures, Livingston County has plenty of scenic outdoor spots to enjoy. Whatever your pleasure, you're sure to find it here! » [fingerlakeswest.com](http://fingerlakeswest.com)

### GENESEE COUNTRY VILLAGE AND MUSEUM

Explore a living, working 19th-Century village filled with costumed interpreters who bring history to life. » [gcv.org](http://gcv.org)

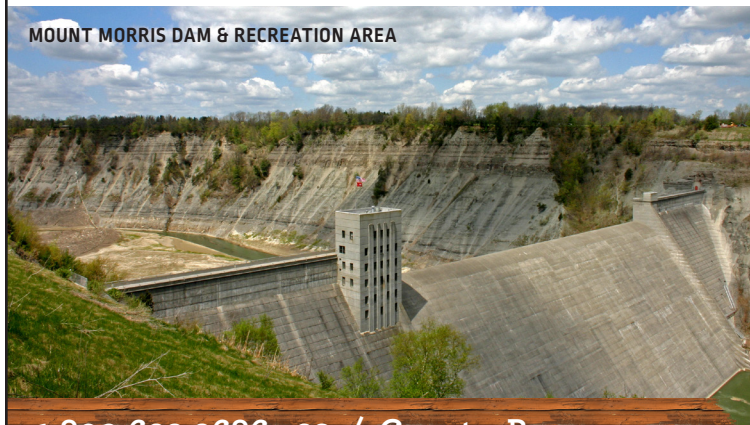
### MINNEHAN'S FUN CENTER

Featuring a restaurant & ice cream parlor, go karts, miniature golf, discovery zone, arcade, batting cages, driving range, and outdoor laser tag. » [minnehansgokart.com](http://minnehansgokart.com)

### MOUNT MORRIS DAM & RECREATION AREA

The largest dam of its type east of the Mississippi River. Free ranger-led tours inside the dam, daily April through October. Informational visitor center and onsite hiking trails.  
[lrb.usace.army.mil/Missions/Recreation/Mount-Morris-Dam](http://lrb.usace.army.mil/Missions/Recreation/Mount-Morris-Dam)

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### NATIONAL WARPLANE MUSEUM

Impressive vintage aircraft collection, historical displays, historic aircraft rides, and an annual airshow every July. Home to "Whiskey 7", a restored WWII C-47 that flew in Normandy.  
[nationalwarplanemuseum.com](http://nationalwarplanemuseum.com)

### NEW DEAL GALLERY

A gallery housing over 200 paintings created during the Great Depression, commissioned by Roosevelt's Works Progress Administration. » [gvartscouncil.org/new-deal-gallery](http://gvartscouncil.org/new-deal-gallery)

### DEER RUN WINERY

Family-owned boutique winery on Conesus Lake producing award-winning wines. » [deerrunwinery.com](http://deerrunwinery.com)

### LIBERTY BALLOON COMPANY

Scenic hot air balloon rides above the Finger Lakes and through the hills and valleys of the region. » [libertyballoon.com](http://libertyballoon.com)

### ABBEEY OF THE GENESEE

A community of Trappist monks who bake Monks' Bread and other baked goods, sold in onsite store/gift shop. Guests are also welcome to visit the chapel and pray with the monks if desired.  
[geneseeabbey.org](http://geneseeabbey.org)

### BIG TREE INN

The best in "polished-casual" dining, topped off with attentive and professional service in a warm and comfortable setting.  
[bigtreeinn.com](http://bigtreeinn.com)



# Letchworth State Park – Livingston & Wyoming Counties

Letchworth State Park, renowned as the “Grand Canyon of the East,” is one of the most scenically magnificent areas in the country. The Genesee River roars through the gorge over three major waterfalls between cliffs, as high as 600 feet in some areas, surrounded by lush forests. Visitors have over 66 miles of forest trails to choose from for hiking, biking, snow-shoeing, and cross-country skiing. Letchworth offers nature, history, and performing arts programs, guided walks, tours, lecture series, whitewater rafting, kayaking, an Olympic sized swimming pool, and hot air ballooning. **Voted the #1 State Park in the USA in 2015 and the #1 Attraction in New York State in 2017.**

[parks.ny.gov/parks/79](https://parks.ny.gov/parks/79)



## Day 2: Wyoming County | Your Outdoor Adventure Awaits!



Wyoming County is a four-season destination for outdoor adventure and family fun. Enjoy hiking, biking and excitement in Letchworth State Park, the “Grand Canyon of the East,” exotic safari rides, a historic steam engine excursion, beautiful & unique golf courses, and camping at the many family campgrounds, there’s fun and adventure for all! » [gowyomingcountyny.com](https://gowyomingcountyny.com)

### ADVENTURE CALLS OUTFITTERS

Enjoy an incredible whitewater rafting experience through the Genesee River Gorge at Letchworth State Park.  
[adventure-calls.com](https://adventure-calls.com)

### HIDDEN VALLEY ADVENTURE

Experience over 400 exotic animals up close and personal, by hand feeding zebras, bison, elk, camels and more during a guided tour through the park. » [hiddenvalleyadventure.com](https://hiddenvalleyadventure.com)

### THE CLUB ON SILVER LAKE GOLF COURSE

Located along the shores of Silver Lake, play this 18-hole par-70 golf course – ending your round with dinner and drinks overlooking the lake. » [silverlakecountryclub.net](https://silverlakecountryclub.net)

### GLEN IRIS INN

Enjoy a mouthwatering dining experience in the historic Glen Iris Inn, located overlooking the Middle Falls in Letchworth State Park.  
[glenirisinn.com](https://glenirisinn.com)

### ARCADE AND ATTICA RAILROAD

An authentic operating short line railroad. Step back in time aboard the last operating steam train excursion in New York.  
[aarailroad.com](https://aarailroad.com)

### RIVER SPRING LODGE

Nestled in the woods, enjoy luxurious accommodations, succulent cuisine and a quiet retreat at this one-of-a-kind boutique lodge.  
[riverspringlodge.com](https://riverspringlodge.com)

### THE HOLE IN THE WALL RESTAURANT

Locally-sourced meals, from pizza to prime rib, & wines are presented in a scenic country setting. » [holeinthewallperry.com](https://holeinthewallperry.com)



## Day 3: Genesee County | Theme Park Thrills and Americana Adventures

DARIEN LAKE AMUSEMENT PARK



BATAVIA DOWNS RACETRACK AND GAMING



Only 45 minutes from Niagara Falls, Genesee County is the place to create memories that will last a lifetime! Children can't resist the lure of rides, games, shows and more at Darien Lake Amusement Park. Experience our top-notch golf courses and the abundance of historical sites, outdoor recreation and quaint Main Street shopping and dining stops. » [visitgenesee.com](http://visitgenesee.com)

### DARIEN LAKE AMUSEMENT PARK

Known as New York State's Roller Coaster Capital. The park boasts seven world-class coasters, the region's largest waterpark, thrill rides & family rides, hotel and large campground. [darienlake.com](http://darienlake.com)

### OLIVER'S CANDIES

Tasty treats of all kinds are found at this family-owned, award-winning candy store. Unique chocolate creations, handmade ice cream and regionally-adored sponge candy. This sweet shop has been an area favorite for over 85 years. [oliverscandies.com](http://oliverscandies.com)

### ELI FISH BREWING CO.

The first local brewery in nearly 100 years. 20 taps of local brews and a great menu served in a 10,000 sq ft. food court with Vegan and Puerto Rican offerings. » [elifishbrewing.com](http://elifishbrewing.com)

### D&R DEPOT RESTAURANT

Dine in a former B&O train depot. Take a step back in time and let friendly staff serve up home-cooked American fare. [dandrdepot.com](http://dandrdepot.com)

### FARMER'S CREEKSIDE TAVERN & INN

Housed in a building that's nearly 200 years old! A casual tavern serving old English, early American, and cozy gastropub fare. The best part might just be the view – Farmer's is nestled on the banks of beautiful Oatka Creek. » [farmerscreekside.com](http://farmerscreekside.com)



### BATAVIA DOWNS RACETRACK AND GAMING

Live harness racing, over 700 gaming machines, four on-site restaurants and beautifully appointed guest rooms. [bataviadownsgaming.com](http://bataviadownsgaming.com)

### HOLLAND LAND OFFICE MUSEUM/ INTERNATIONAL PEACE GARDEN

Built in 1810, this museum showcases thousands of unique historical artifacts – from war history to farming equipment. Stroll the history and gardens of the adjacent International Honorary Peace Garden at Batavia which commemorates the War of 1812. [hollandlandoffice.com](http://hollandlandoffice.com) / [peacegardentrail.com](http://peacegardentrail.com)

### IROQUOIS NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

New York State's largest wildlife refuge. Over 10,000 acres of protected habitat. A haven for the animals, and a place where visitors fish, hike, hunt, ski, snow-shoe, kayak, and enjoy the natural beauty of the area. » [fws.gov/refuge/iroquois/](http://fws.gov/refuge/iroquois/)

### JELL-O GALLERY MUSEUM

The wiggly, jiggly dessert was invented in Le Roy, NY in 1897. Follow the JELL-O Brick Road to a fun exhibit of "America's Most Famous Dessert". » [jellogallery.org](http://jellogallery.org)

JELL-O GALLERY MUSEUM



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## Day 4: Orleans County | Year-Round fun!

### WORLD CLASS SPORTFISHING



Orleans County is one of the region's best-kept-secrets. Experience firsthand the benefits that this location has to offer ranging from a simple, laid back and comfortable pace to cultural excitement, all within an hour's drive. Known for our world-class fishing, farm fresh produce and wineries and unique cobblestone architecture, all which are a result of our proximity to Lake Ontario and the historic Erie Canal. » [orleanscountytourism.com](http://orleanscountytourism.com)

### MEDINA RAILROAD MUSEUM

Located in a 300-foot-long wooden freight house built in 1905, Provides exhibits of railroad and firefighting history. Includes the largest HO scale model railroad layout in the eastern United States. » [medinarailroad.com](http://medinarailroad.com)

### OAK ORCHARD LIGHTHOUSE

Enjoy the view from the top of the Oak Orchard Lighthouse at Point Breeze, Oak Orchard Harbor on Lake Ontario. The lighthouse is one of the jewels in the Great Lakes Seaway Trail. » [oakorchardlighthouse.org](http://oakorchardlighthouse.org)



### COBBLESTONE MUSEUM

The center for everything cobblestone. Guests are amazed during the tour of the eight historic buildings from the 1800s. A convenient, on-site gift shop includes books about cobblestone architecture, hand-made items, and souvenirs. [cobblestonemuseum.org](http://cobblestonemuseum.org)

### WATT FARMS AND COUNTRY MARKET

Farm market, gift shop, playground, u-pick fruit. Brunches are offered on Sunday mornings several times a year featuring fresh strawberries & peaches. » [wattfarms.com](http://wattfarms.com)

### LEONARD OAKES ESTATE WINERY/ LYNOAKEN FARMS

Family owned and operated. The gift shop features cookies, artisan cheese, chocolate, jams, jellies and more. The winery provides an the engaging, fun, and informative wine experience. [oakeswinery.com](http://oakeswinery.com) / [lynoakenfarms.com](http://lynoakenfarms.com)

### FITZGIBBONS CELTIC PUB

A pub with an old world feel and comfortable atmosphere. Offering a nautical theme and sometimes wait staff dressed in kilts. Guests enjoy a variety of beers and their Celtic menu includes fish & chips, steak and mores. » [fitzgibbonspub.com](http://fitzgibbonspub.com)

### Where are the Country Byways?

