

calendar of events

autumn 2010

Autumn is festival time in the region, a chance to celebrate the harvests of all that is, uniquely, Chautauqua. For an updated schedule of events, attractions & lodging, visit www.tourchautauqua.com or call 1.866.908.ILNY (4569)



9/1 to 9/30 **"We Made Do-Great Depression in Chaut. Co." Exhibit** 10 AM-4 PM
Fenton History Center, 67 Washington St., Jamestown 716.664.6256
fentonhistorycenter.org Exhibit will present an eye-opening perspective of the American economy & everyday hometown life during the 1930s & today.

9/1 to 9/10 **Exhibit: "Stories that Shaped the World"**
10 AM - 8 PM - Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri. 10 AM - 3:30 PM Sat.
Prendergast Library, 509 Cherry St., Jamestown 716.484.7135
prendergastlibrary.org Artistry in Wood by Wallace Berger. Berge's medium is exotic & native solid woods, incorporating natural elements such as rocks, branches, shells, & combines natural grains, colors, textures of at least 7 woods.

9/1 to 9/30 **Exhibit: The Art of Charley Harper** 10 AM to 4 PM, Tue-Sat, 1-5 PM Sun
Roger Tory Peterson Institute, 311 Curtis St., Jamestown 716.665.2473
rtpi.org Exhibition of Original Paintings. Best known for his geometric images of wildlife, birds & ladybugs, Harper has developed a recognizable style.

9/1 **"Rock the Boat" Cruise** Board 6:30 PM, 7:30 to 10:30 PM
Summer Wind, Lucille Ball Mem. Park, 1 Boulevard Ave., Celoron 716.763.7447
thesummerwind.com The Night Club is on the WIND as you cruise Chautauqua Lake along with live entertainment. Food & Beverages available to purchase.

9/2 **Jimmy Buffett Tribute Lake Dinner Cruise** Board 6 PM, Depart 7 PM
Summer Wind, Lucille Ball Mem. Park, 1 Boulevard Ave., Celoron 716.763.7447
thesummerwind.com Sit back, cruise Chautauqua Lake and enjoy dinner and a JIMMY BUFFETT TRIBUTE featuring entertainment by "Son of a Sailor".

9/2 **Treasures of the Archives** 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
Roger Tory Peterson Institute, 311 Curtis St., Jamestown 716.665.2473
rtpi.org RTPI's climate-controlled vaults house the lifework of Roger Tory Peterson, father of bird watching & one of the greatest environmental heroes. More than 200,000 surprising objects in the collection! Led by Special Collections Curator, Marlene Mudge.

9/2 **Cruise-in at the Creek** 5 PM to 9 PM
Willow Creek Winery, 2627 Chapin Road, Silver Creek 716.934.9463
willowcreekwines.net Free wine tasting, great food, fishing, horseshoes, giveaways, enter for the chance to win a car. Kid friendly, bounce house, a waterslide and plenty of other games and activities.

9/3 to 9/5 **Annual Harvest Festival** 9 AM to 8 PM
Main Street, Findley Lake 716.769.7609
findleylakeinfo.org Craft & vendor booths line the street. Live musical entertainment, plus Findley Lake Idol Contest. Food vendors, children's games.

9/3 to 9/5 **The Great Rhythm Revival** 9 AM to 12 AM
Great Blue Heron Grounds, 2361 Wait Corners Rd. Sherman 716.761.7190
greatrhythmrevival.webs.com African & Brazilian Drum & Dance; Yoga, Shamanic Journey, Drum Making, & more! Camping & food available.

9/3 **"Bionic Bones Salute!" Bemus Bay Pops** 6:30 PM
Floating Stage, Italian Fisherman, 61 Lakeside Dr., Bemus Point 716.386.7000
bemusbaypops.com John Marcellus of the Eastman School of Music presents the bionic bones trombone salute!"

9/3 & 9/4 **"The BluesBeaters"** 9 PM - 1 AM, Fri., 9:30 PM - 1:30 AM Sat.
Peek'n Peak Resort, Regency Pub, 1389 Old Road, Clymer 716.355.4141
pknpk.com Beat your blues away! A swingin', rockin bluesy pop & classics dance band. You name it these guys will (attempt to) play it!

9/4 AND 9/6 **Cross Roads Countywide Yard Sale** 9 AM to 5 PM
The Cross Roads Market, 6017 County Road 21, Westfield 716.326.6278
thecrossroadsmarket.com Labor Day Weekend tradition. Open on Saturday AND Monday, for our regular vendors plus a huge yard sale!

9/4 & 9/5 **Cassadaga Valley Labor Day Festival** 10AM to 9:30PM; Sun, 11AM - 6PM
Village-wide, Cassadaga 716.595.3713
Weekend of family events-Arts & Crafts Show, Grand Parade Sat. 6 PM, 5K Run/Walk, Fireworks Sat.-9 PM. Sun: Boat Parade-3:30PM, music at beach.

9/4 **Bemus Bay Pops Finale Dinner Cruise & Fireworks** 3 PM to 10 PM
Chautauqua Belle, 78 Water St., Mayville Reservations: 716.269.2355 & 716.483.6336
chautauquabelle.com Buffet dinner catered by The Italian Fisherman while you cruise to Bemus Bay Pops Finale & Fireworks. Reservation required.

9/4 **Bemus Bay Pops Dinner Cruise** Board 4:30, Cruise 5:30 PM
Summer Wind, Lucille Ball Mem. Park, 1 Boulevard Ave. Celoron 716.763.7447
thesummerwind.com Cruise on Chautauqua Lake with on-board entertainment by Take 2. Dock Bemus Point & attend BEMUS BAY POPS FINALE. Return to Ship for Fireworks Display. Return to Celoron 10:30-ish.

9/4 **Bemus Bay Pops Labor Day Finale with Fireworks** 6:30 PM
Floating Stage, Italian Fisherman, 61 Lakeside Dr. Bemus Point 716.386.7000
bemusbaypops.com Finale! Full symphonic Bemus Bay Pops Orchestra under the direction of Bruce Morton Wright with John Marcellus & Steve Swanson.

9/5 **Labor Day Festival & Fireworks** 11 AM to 9 PM
Bergman Park, Baker St. Ext., Jamestown 716.483.7523
jamestownny.net The annual day-long event of musical entertainment, arts & crafts, children's games, karaoke, food concessions, fireworks at 8:30 PM.

9/5 **"Light The Lakes" Bemus Bay Pops Labor Day Finale** 6:30 PM
Floating Stage, Italian Fisherman, 61 Lakeside Dr. Bemus Point 716.386.7000
bemusbaypops.com & ilovenylakes.com One of the largest Fireworks Displays. Special performance by "Boogie Wonderband" playing the music of 70s!

9/5 **"Light the Lakes" Fireworks** 9:31 PM
ilovenylakes.com Locations: Findley Lake; Jamestown Savings Bank Ice Arena; Mayville/Chautauqua; Lakewood, Westfield/Barcelona. Additional Fireworks at: Bemus Point, Stow Ferry, Chautauqua Lake Rest Area I-86 Overlook, Long Point State Park, Plus other locations to be announced.

9/5 **"Light the Lakes" Dinner Cruise** Board 7 PM, Cruise 8 PM
Summer Wind, Lucille Ball Mem. Park, 1 Boulevard Ave. Celoron 716.763.7447
thesummerwind.com Cruise on Chautauqua Lake to "Light the Lakes". Food & beverages available to purchase.

9/5 **"Light the Lakes" Fireworks Cruise with Chicken BBQ** 7:30PM to 10:30PM
Chautauqua Belle, 78 Water St., Mayville Reservations: 716.269.2355 & 716.483.6336
chautauquabelle.com Enjoy dinner while you cruise to the Bemus Point for the fireworks display. Reservation required.

9/5 **"Porcelain Busdrivers" Concert** 10 PM
The Village Casino, 1 Lakeside Drive, Bemus Point 716.386.2333
bemuspointcasino.com Enjoy the original tunes and dance your head off! Performing with the front five & the trademark Brass section

9/6 **"Cruise-in"** 9 AM to 3 PM
Midway State Park, 4859 Route 430, Maple Springs 716.386.3165
Spend Labor Day at Midway S. P. with the annual Classic, Antique Car & Truck Show.

9/9 **Cruise-in at the Creek** 5 PM to 9 PM
Willow Creek Winery, 2627 Chapin Road, Silver Creek 716.934.9463
www.willowcreekwines.net Cruise on in -classic cars, free wine tasting, great food, fishing, horseshoes, giveaways. Enter for the chance to win a classic car! Kid Friendly with bounce house, waterslide, plenty of games & activities.

9/10 & 9/11 **Red, White and Blues Festival**
Village-wide, Barker Commons Park, Main & Temple Sts., Fredonia 888.373.6642
festivalsfredonia.com Since 1995 "The Best Street Party Around" celebrates local red & white wines, brews & blues with FREE music in the park and throughout the village. Activities for the family. National Blues artists in Gazebo, "Taste of Fredona", children's games, bike run.

9/10 to 9/12 **"The Fabric of Our Lives" Quilt Show** 10AM to 5PM, Sun 12-4 PM
Firemen's Exempt Hall, 75 Bourne St., Westfield 716.792.7214
Westfield Quilters Guild hosts the biennial member's show.150+ quilts, vendors, demos, Quilt Raffle, a quilter's challenge, raffle quilt, vendors, & much more.

9/11 **Annual History Fair** 7 AM to 9 PM
Valley Historical Soc. Museum, Main & Lester Sts., Sinclairville 716.595.3408
Pancake Breakfast, Music, Live Historical Displays, Demos, Craft Show, Car Show, Baby Contest, Grand Parade-10 AM, Chix BBQ, Grandma's Fruit Pie Bake-Off.

9/11 & 9/12 **Septemberfest** 12 PM to 11 PM, Sun til 6 PM
Merritt Estate Winery, 2264 King Rd., Forestville 888.965.4800
merrittestatewinery.com A grape harvest celebration for the whole family! Grape Stomping! Fun, Food & Wine & Beer! Music, dancers, clowns, antique & classic cars cruisin' both days, Chiavetta's Chicken BBQ, Free tours & tastings.

9/11 **Wreck & Roll Festival III**
Dunkirk Harborfront, Route 5, Lakeshore Dr., Dunkirk 716.366.9876
visitudunkirk.com Dunkirk's festival incorporates the shipwrecks located off Dunkirk Harbor. Rock & Roll acts for Summer's Send-off!

9/11 **Infinity Showcase** 6 PM to 2 AM
Various venues, Downtown Jamestown infinityperformingarts.org
Annual fundraising event showcasing local musical talent.

9/11 to 9/26 **Autumn Lake Cruise** Sat. & Sun-only ck for times
Chautauqua Belle, 78 Water St., Mayville Reservations: 716.269.2355 or 716.483.6336
chautauquabelle.com Panoramic views from the mariner's eye. Gorgeous fall colors that makes Chautauqua County famous. Weather permitting.

9/12 **Western Family Fun: Wild Bill's Old West Show** 2:30 PM to 6 PM
Western Family Fun 39 Prospect St., Sinclairville 716.962.5168
Experience the old West: "Wild Bunch" Show w/quick draw, trick shooting /whip crackin'; Comedy. Rope spinning, balloon shoot contest. Museum, jail, saloon, Boot Hill Cemetery, Rusty Spur Depot, TePee, Shops. Refreshments available.

9/13 **Genealogy: So You Found Your Family on the Internet?** 6:30 PM
Prendergast Library Computer Center, 509 Cherry St., Jamestown 716.664.6256
fentonhistorycenter.org "How Do You Know the Information is Right? Workshop will give you some usable tools to verify your discoveries made on the Internet.

9/16 to 9/19 **13th Annual Jazz at Chautauqua** 7 PM Thurs to 2 PM Sun.
Athenaeum Hotel, 3 Lake, Chautauqua Institution 814.724.2163
allegheynyjazz.com 13th Annual Jazz at Chautauqua. Finest mainstream jazz musician perform. Spend a day, or weekend. Limited seating, reserve early.

9/16 **Cruise-in at the Creek** 5 PM to 9 PM
Willow Creek Winery, 2627 Chapin Rd., Silver Creek 716.934.9463
willowcreekwines.net Final Cruise in of the Season! Classic cars, free wine tasting, great food, fishing, horseshoes, giveaways, 50/50 drawing plus, enter to win a car! Kid Friendly- bounce house, a waterslide, other games and activities.

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- 9/16 to 9/19 **Festival of Grapes** 716.934.3983
Village Green, Route 20, Silver Creek
townofhanover.org Annual celebration of the grape harvest. Opening Ceremonies Thursday 6pm; Grape Stomping Entertainment, Kids Rides, Firemens Hose Race, Live Entertainment, music, food & vendors, Grand Parade - 1PM Sun.
- 9/16 **What Makes a Cottage Garden?** 9:30 AM to 11 AM
Lana's The Little House, Forestville 716.965.2798
lanasthelittlehouse.com Join author Sara Baker Michalak in Lana's cottage garden & discuss design fundamentals of cottage gardening, planning your own cottage garden & more. Reservations & pre-payment required.
- 9/19 **Folk in Fredonia Free-For-All** 3 PM
1891 Fredonia Opera House, 9 Church St., Fredonia 716.679.1891
fredopera.org Fredonia folk music for an afternoon of great music, dance & a story or two! Free event but ticket is required.
- 9/24 to 9/26 **Chautauqua Bon Vivant** 716.326.4318
Chautauqua Suites & Expo Center, 215 W. Lake Rd., Mayville
centaurstride.org/events A luxurious experience of Culinary, Wine & Spirits. Delight in the rich agricultural & cultural bounty of Chautauqua County.
- 9/25 & 9/26 **Quilting Around Chautauqua**
Quilt Show: Sat: 10 AM- 6 PM, Sun: 10 AM - 4 PM, check schedule for classes
Chautauqua Institution, Route 394, Chautauqua, Lecture & class info: 814.866.8227
Over 800 quilts on display, quilt shop vendors, art and craft vendors, classes & lectures, food vendors. Accommodations available on-grounds - ciweb.org
- 9/25 **Blue & Gray Civil War Encampment** 10 AM to 4 PM
Fenton History Center, 67 Washington St., Jamestown 716.664.6256
fentonhistorycenter.org The 9th Cavalry is returning home! Experience & interact with the "soldiers." Learn more about living during the Civil War from soldiers & family members camping on the grounds of the Fenton Mansion.
- 9/25 **Run for Liberty** 9 AM
Jamestown Audubon Nature Center, 1600 Riverside Rd, Jamestown 716.569.2345
jamestownaudubon.org 5K Run & Walk - benefits Liberty the Bald Eagle.
- 9/26 **Busti Apple Festival** 11 AM to 5 PM
Busti Grist Mill & Museum, 3443 Lawson Rd., Busti 716.483.0134
One of the largest festivals in region. Arts/Crafts vendors, 19th-century life-skill demos, 1838 grist mill tours, apple cider & apple favorites to eat or take home.
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Roger Tory Peterson Institute, 311 Curtis Street, Jamestown 716.665.2473
rtpi.org Best known for his geometric images of wildlife, birds and ladybugs.
- 10/1 & 10/2 **5th Annual Enchanted Forest** 6 PM to 8 PM
Jamestown Audubon Center, 1600 Riverside Rd., Jamestown 716.569.2345
jamestownaudubon.org A non-scary Halloween event for your children. Guided, illuminated tour to different stations to learn about our animals, campfire, crafts, refreshments. Reservations & Pre-payment Required.
- 10/2 & 10/9 **Saints & Sinners Cemetery Tours** 1 PM to 8 PM
Lakeview Cemetery, 907 Lakeview Ave., Jamestown 716.664.6256
fentonhistory.org Afternoon & evening tours. Uncover some of the more than 43,000 stories of the residents of beautiful Lakeview Cemetery. Dress for weather, bring a flashlight for late tours. Call for pre-sale tickets.
- 10/2 & 10/3 **Harmony Historical Society Harvest Festival** 10 AM to 5 PM
Harmony Historical Museum, 1943 Open Meadows Rd., Ashville 716.782.4066
dlsim@yahoo.com An annual festival with historical demonstrations- spinning, weaving, log hewing, fireplace cooking, arts & crafts show, tours of 1840s, carriage barn & 1890 school. Weaving shed & quilt show; food vendors, produce.
- 10/2 to 10/23 **Fall Foliage Scenic Cruise** Cruises from 12:30 PM to 6 PM
Summer Wind, Lucille Ball Mem. Park, 1 Boulevard Ave., Celoron 716.763.7447
thesummerwind.com See the Fall Foliage from the Summer Wind. Sightseeing Cruises with live narration. Brunch, dinner & pizza & other cruises available.
- 10/2 to 10/25 **Autumn Lake Cruise** Sat. & Sun-only ck for times
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chautauquabelle.com Panoramic views from the mariner's eye. Gorgeous fall colors that makes Chautauqua County famous. Weather permitting.
- 10/3 & 10/10 **"Twilight Mausoleum Tours"** 8 PM
Lake View Cemetery, 907 Lakeview Avenue, Jamestown 716.664.6256
fentonhistory.org Walking tour of the elegant mausoleums in 1859 cemetery. Wear comfortable shoes, dress for weather, bring a flashlight. Reservations req.
- 10/9,10/10 and 10/16,10/17 **Peek'n Peak's Annual Fall Fest** 10 AM to 5 PM
Peek'n Peak Resort, 1389 Old Road, Clymer 716.355.4141
pknpk.com 2 weekends of fun for the entire family - 75 exceptional juried crafters, farmer's market, ski lift rides, snow sports equipment swap, special kids activities; early bird winter discounts & more. Enjoy the beauty of autumn.
- 10/15 **"Clarence Darrow" starring James Ivey** 8 PM
1891 Fredonia Opera House, 9-11 Church St., Fredonia 716.679.1891
fredopera.org In David Rintels' entertaining play, Darrow is depicted as the champion of the underdog, 1-man, 2-act play of great cases defined a career.
- 10/15 & 10/16 **Harvest Moon Cemetery Tour** 7 PM to 10 PM, every 1/2 hr
Barkers Commons Park, Main & Temple Sts., Fredonia 888.414.4818
festivalsfredonia.com Horse-drawn trolley tour through local history. Ghostly guides & 200 years of heroes & villains. Tales & atmosphere in keeping with the season, suitable for families. Reservations required.
- 10/15 & 10/16 **"The BluesBeaters"** 9 PM - 1 AM, Fri., 9:30 PM - 1:30 AM Sat.
Peek'n Peak Resort, Regency Pub, 1389 Old Road, Clymer 716.355.4141
pknpk.com Get ready to beat your blues away! A swingin', rockin' bluesy pop & classics dance band. You name it, these guys will attempt to play it!
- 10/16 & 10/17 **Peek'n Peak's Annual Fall Fest** 10 AM to 5 PM
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pknpk.com Fun for the entire family! 75 exceptional juried crafters, farmer's market, ski lift rides, snow sports equipment swap, special kids activities; early-bird winter discounts & more! Come, enjoy the beauty of autumn!
- 10/16 **Storytelling - It's YOUR Turn!** 2 PM
1891 Fredonia Opera House, 9-11 Church St., Fredonia 716.679.1891
fredopera.org Acclaimed storyteller entertains the kid in all of us. Members of the audience come onstage, for "round stories." Free event, but ticket req.
- 10/16 **Storytelling & Music with Chris Shaw** 7:30 PM
1891 Fredonia Opera House, 9-11 Church St., Fredonia 716.679.1891
fredopera.org An evening of storytelling & song for adults with acclaimed Adirondack storyteller, singer & songwriter. An evening of wild, witty songs & stories, guaranteed to tickle your funny bone & make you laugh.
- 10/21 **Workshop: Go Organic at Lana's!** 9:30 AM to 11 AM
Lana's The Little House, Forestville 716.965.2798
lanasthelittlehouse.com Join author Sara Baker Michalak & learn the whys & hows of organic gardening, the wisdom & practicality of "going green" Garden construction, layout & maintenance. Reservations/pre-payment required.
- 10/23 **Annual Beer & Wine Festival** 3 PM to 7 PM
Peek'n Peak Resort, 1389 Old Road, Clymer 716.355.4141
pknpk.com Sample the fare of 20 local breweries, and local, regional, national & international wines. Featuring live Blue Grass Music.
- 10/29 **An Evening of Chopin & Liszt** 8 PM
1891 Fredonia Opera House, 9-11 Church St., Fredonia 716.679.1891
www.fredopera.org Pianist Thomas Pandolfi returns for a bicentennial birthday salute to two of the world's renowned composers, Chopin & Liszt.
- 11/2 **Exhibit: The Art of Charley Harper** 10 AM to 4 PM, Tue-Sat., 1-5 PM Sun
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rtpi.org Best known for his geometric images of wildlife, especially birds and ladybugs, Harper has developed an immediately recognizable style.
- 11/4 through 11/20 **"The Who's Tommy"** 8 PM, Sat & Sun PM
Scharmann Theatre, Jamestown Comm. College, 525 Falconer St., Jamestown 716.338.1187
sunyjc.edu The JCC Uncommoner's production of The Who's famous rock opera.
- 11/6 **Annual Christmas Bazaar** 10 AM to 4 PM
Findley Lake Fire Hall, Main Street, Findley Lake 716.769.7249
findleylakeinfo.org The annual Christmas Bazaar sponsored by the Fire Dept. Ladies Auxilliary. Chinese Auction, baked goods & homemade luncheon avail.
- 11/6 & 11/7 **Harvest Wine Weekend** 10 AM to 5 PM
Chautauqua -Lake Erie Wine Trail, North East, PA to Silver Creek, NY
877.326.6561 chautauquawinetrail.org Celebrate the harvest season, visit 21 wineries, Sample delicious wine & food pairings. Guests receive a commemorative wine glass, recipe cards & commemorative gift. All tickets pre-sold.
- 11/12 & 11/13 **Mistletoe Mart** 10 AM to 5:30 PM, Sat till 3 PM
YWCA, 410 N. Main St., Jamestown 716.488.2237
ywcaofjamestown.com Just in time for the holidays- The annual craft show, with local vendors, hand-made gifts, raffles, door prizes, and bake sale.
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- 11/13 **Art Trail Open Studio Tour** 10 AM to 5 PM
Chautauqua-Lake Erie Art Trail, Sherman to Forestville
chautauqaarttrail.com The North Shore Arts Alliance invites you to travel the trail of 25 artists. Displays and work in progress of the area's premiere artists.
- 11/13 **The Peak Polka Fest** 8 PM to 11 PM; Sat. 3 to 11 PM
Peek'n Peak Resort, 1389 Old Road, Clymer 716.355.4141
pknpk.com Featuring live entertainment from The Knewz, City Side Band, Jimmy K. & Ethnic Jazz & Joe Matczak Band. Kids 12 & under FREE admission.
- Visit Chautauqua County Farmer's Markets**
Fresh-picked Concord grapes, NY apples, locally-grown vegetables & fruits, flowers, maple products, baked goods, Amish goods, and crafts.
- Friday 9/3 to 10/29, 10AM - 4PM Downtown Jamestown Farmer's Market**
19 W. Third St., Jamestown discoverjamestown.com 716.664.2477
- Saturday 9/4 to 10/3, 9AM - 2PM Westfield Farmer's Market**
Moore Park, Rts. 394 & 20, Westfield westfieldny.com 716.326.4000
- Saturday 9/4 to 12/19, 9AM - 5PM Cross Roads Farm & Craft Market**
County Road 21, Westfield thecrossroadsmarket.com 877.512.7307
- Saturday 9/4 to 10/3, 8AM - 1PM Fredonia Farmer's Market**
Church Street, Fredonia village.fredonia.ny.us 716.679.2302