

# WHERE TO GO



# WHAT TO DO

*Hiawatha Seaway Council  
Boy Scouts of America*



This list has been compiled as part of a Cub Scout Leader Wood Badge Ticket item.



Oneida Shores Park - Brewerton 676-7366

Hiking, Picnic areas, Boating and Fishing. Special events, programs. Beach swimming. \$4.00 per vehicle Summer, \$1.00 other times.

Onondaga Lake Park - Liverpool 453-6712

Hiking, Picnic areas, Bike paths, Boating and Fishing. Special events, Sporting competitions and Festivals. Tram ride along shoreline trail during summer.

Pratt's Falls - Pompey 682-5934

Hiking, Picnic areas, Fishing. Waterfall. \$1.00 per vehicle

Jamesville Beach Park - Jamesville 435-5252

Hiking, Picnic areas, Swimming, Fishing. \$3.00 per vehicle Summer, \$1.00 rest of the year.

Centers for Nature Education at Baltimore Woods - Marcellus 673-1350  
Guided Tours and other Public programs.

Montezuma National Wildlife Refuge - Seneca Falls 568-5987

Auto-tour, Nature trail, Observation tower and visitor center.

### Skiing:

Four Seasons Golf & ski center - Fayetteville 637-9023  
Skiing, Snow tubing

Greek Peak Ski Resort - Courtland (800) 955-2754

Labrador Mountain Ski Area - Truxton (607) 842-6204  
for ski conditions (800) 446-9559

Song Mountain Ski Center - Tully 696-5711  
for ski conditions 696-8911

Has Summer Alpine slide and Water Slides

Toggenburg Ski Center - Fabius 683-5842  
for ski conditions 446-6666

**Ice Skating:**

Learn to Skate, sponsored by Syracuse Parks, Recreation and Youth Programs, offers eight-week courses. 469-2812

Burnet Rink - Coleridge Ave. or Avery Ave.

Meachem Rink - West Seneca Tpk.

Sunnycrest Rink - Teal Ave. at Robinson

call Parks, Recreation and Youth Programs Hot Line for skating times:  
473-4336

**Swimming:**

Jamesville Beach - Jamesville 435-5252  
Memorial Day to Labor Day 11am - 7pm

Oneida Shores - Brewerton 676-7366  
Memorial Day - Labor Day 11am - 7pm

Green Lakes - Fayetteville 637-6111

**Orienteering:**

Central New York Orienteering

Contact: Barb Sleight. 458-6406

offers various events throughout the year. All events are open to the General Public, include beginner instruction and a range of course difficulties to choose from. Lists for events can be found at Roundtable meetings

## **Council and District Events:**

**District:**

### **Spring and Fall Camporee**

Check at round table or Council office for dates and locations.  
Offer activities during the day for Cub Scouts. Webelos can camp with a Scout Troop.

### **Bowl-o-ree**

Day event of Bowling. Check at round table for details.

### **Cuboree**

Held by the district, (New this year) a day long event filled with activities for Cub and Webelos Scouts. Check at round table or the Council office for details.

### **Klondike Derby**

Held by the District. Wintertime outdoor day event.

**Council:**

### **Lad and Dad, Mom and Me Weekend Camps**

Held during the summer by the Council for Cub Scout Boys (All grades, particularly those entering grade 2 & 3) and their Parent(s). Activities throughout the day and evening. Starts 7pm Fri through 3:30 Sun.

### **Webelos Weekend and Resident Camps**

Held during the summer by the Council for Webelos Scouts (those entering grades 4 & 5) and their Parent(s). Activities throughout the day and evening. Starts 9am Fri through 4pm Sun. Resident camp, a 4 day camp, will start 9am Mon through 4pm Thursday.

### **Day Camp**

Held during the summer by the Council for all Cubs, grades 1-5. Full program to keep the boys busy from 9am-3:30pm

# Historical and Science Museums

## Local Historical and Science Museums:

### Anatomical Museum of the Skull

1124 E. Genesee St 478-8070

Evolution predictions on development & anthropology of the skull

### Canastota Canal Town Museum

122 Canal St., Canastota 6970-3451

Mon - Sat 10am-2:30pm Free

### Cavuga Agricultural Museum

Rt 38A, Emerson Park Auburn 253-5611

Antique farmlife on display

### Case Research Lab Museum

203 Genesee St, Auburn 253-8051

T. Case & E. Sponable's motion picture sound invention on display

### Cavuga Museum

203 Genesee St, Auburn 253-8051

Historical Mansion exhibits history of Cayuga County

### Chittenango Landing

7010 Lakeport Rd, Chittenango 687-3801

call for times Erie Canal life preserved

### DIRT Motorsports Hall of fame/Classic car Museum

1 Speedway Dr, off Rt 31, Weedsport 834-6606

Stock car, sports cars, antique sedans and convertibles, plus hall of fame

### Erie Canal Museum

318 Erie Blvd E. 471-0593

Daily 10am-5pm. Full-sized canal boat and multimedia slide show. Donation

### Everson Museum

401 Harrison St. 474-6064

Tues-Fri 12-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 12-5pm. Various Art exhibits

### Henks Photo Supply

221 Walton St. 475-0141

Nostalgic and historical views of early Syracuse

International Boxing Hall of Fame

Thruway exit 34, Canastota 697-7095  
\$3.00 Adults, \$2.00 Youth Daily 9am-5pm

Liverpool Village Museum

The Gleason Mansion, 314 Second St, Liverpool 451-7091  
Artifacts and memorabilia from the lakeside village

Jamesville Museum

E. Seneca Tpk, under the steeple in village center, Jamesville 469-1914  
200 years of Local Schools

Lorenzo Historical Site

Ledyard Ave, 4 miles north of Cazenovia 655-3200  
Wed-Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 1-5pm \$3/Adult \$1/11 and younger

Museum of Automobile History

321 Clinton St. 478-CARS  
Collection of automobilia \$4.75/Adults \$2.75/15 and younger

M.O.S.T. Museum of Science and Technology

500 S. Franklin St. 425-9068  
Hands on Science/ Planetarium/Special programs also has Bristol OMNI  
theater. Call for group rates.

Ravenwood

115 E. Genesee St, Fayetteville 637-2836  
Tour Greek revival mansion, call for hours

Sainte Marie Among the Iroquois

Onondaga Lake Park, off Rt 370, Liverpool 453-6767  
Special programs/Living Museum \$3.50/Adults \$1.50/Youth \$10/Family

The Salt Museum

Onondaga Lake Park, off 370, Liverpool 453-6767  
Tues- Sun noon-5pm. Story of Syracuse's Salt industry

Syracuse Astronomical Society Observatory

Strong Rd, Tully 472-2111  
Fri-Sat Weather permitting. Star gazing

Syracuse Hancock Intl Airport

Exit 27 off Rt 81 454-4330 Tour 454-3263  
Interactive display of aviation history

Harriet Tubman Home

Southstreet Rd, Auburn 252-2081

Tues-Thurs 11am-4pm Dwelling of the heroine of the Underground Railroad

**Regional Historical and Science Museums:**

Children's Museum

311 Main St, Utica 724-6128

Tues-Sat 10am-4:30pm Sun 12-4:30pm \$2.50/person

George Eastman House

900 East Ave, Rochester (716) 271-3361

International museum of Photography and Film

The Farmers' Museum and Fenimore House

NY Rt 80, 1 mile North of Cooperstown (607) 547-1450

Tues-Sun 10am-4pm

Fort Ontario State Historic Site

1 E. Fourth St, Oswego 343-4711

Wed-Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 1-5pm Costumed interpreters recreate lives at Fort Ontario, built by British in 1755

Fulton Historical Society

177 S. First St, Fulton 598-4616

Mon-Fri 1-5pm Mill town memorabilia

Hanford Mills Museum

East Meredith, 12 miles east of Oneonta (607) 278-5744

Functioning water-powered woodworking mills

National Baseball Hall of Fame

Main St, Cooperstown (607) 547-7200

\$9.50/Adults \$4.00/Children Daily 9am-9pm

Sciencenter

601 First St, Ithaca (607) 272-0600

Tues-Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 12-5pm \$3.75/Adults \$2.75/Children Hands on science museum

Seward House

33 South Street, Auburn 252-1283

April-Dec, Tues-Sat 1-4pm Tour home of William Henry Seward, National landmark

Stone Barn Castle

Rt 49, Cleveland 675-3602

\$3.00/Adults \$2.00/Children Antiques and farm machinery from last century

Strong Museum

1 Manhattan Square, Rochester (716) 263-2700

Mon-Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 1-5pm \$5.00/Adults \$3.00/Children Interactive exhibit allows children to shop for food, stock shelves and scan products

Peter Whitmer Log Cabin

3 miles south of Waterloo 539-2552

Daily tours 9am-6pm, Summer 8am-8pm.

## Libraries

Baldwinsville Public Library

43 Oswego St, Baldwinsville 635-5631

Brewerton Free Library

437 Library St, Brewerton 676-7484

Cicero Free Library

8424 N. Main St, Cicero 699-2032

DeWitt Community Library

4990 James St, East Syracuse 437-4841

Elbridge Free Library

E. Main St, Elbridge 689-7111

Fairmount Community Library  
406 Chapel Dr, Syracuse 487-8933

Fayetteville Free Library  
111 E. Genesee St, Fayetteville 637-6374

Jordan Bramley Free Library  
Mechanic St, Jordan 689-3296

LaFayette Public Library  
Rt 11 South, LaFayette 677-0310

Liverpool Public Library  
310 Tulip St, Liverpool 457-0310

Manlius Library  
1 Elmbrook Dr, Manlius 682-6400

Marcellus Free Library  
2 Slocombe St, Marcellus 673-3221

Minoa Library  
112 Willard St, Minoa 656-7401

North Syracuse Free Library  
210 S. Main St, North Syracuse 458-6184

Onondaga County Public Library  
447 S. Salina St, Syracuse 435-1900

Onondaga Free Library  
4840 W. Seneca Tpk, Syracuse 492-1727

Salina Free Library  
100 Belmont St, Mattydale 454-4524

Solvay Public Library  
615 Woods Rd, Solvay 468-2441

Tully Free Library  
12 State St, Tully 696-8606

# TOURS

911 Communication Center

Onondaga Hill 435-8840

Free tour, training room, observe control room

Channel 9 WLXT-TV

5904 Bridge St, E. Syracuse 446-4785

Channel 3 WSTM-TV

1030 James St, Syracuse 477-9400

Channel 5 WTVH

980 James St, Syracuse 425-5555

Hancock Field, Air Nation Guard

Col. Dick Blanset 454-6492

Karam El-Saha Baking Co.

102 Fairgrounds Dr, Manlius 682-2780

Tour bakery where pita bread is made, insights into the lives and culture of the Middle East. Contact Kay Dara for information

Onondaga County Resource Recovery

Rock Cut Road, Jamesville, off Rt 481, 469-3261

Tour of Plant, talk of recycling

Hercules Candy

209 W. Herman, E. Syracuse 463-4339

Prugger's Bagel Bakery

731 S. Crouse Ave 478-1477

3065 Erie Blvd E. 449-2528

333 Nottingham Rd 446-3934

112 E. Seneca, Manlius 682-2575  
Tour bakery, learn how to make bagels

Herald-Journal/Post Standard

Clinton Square 470-0011

Town of Manlius Police Department

Administrative office 682-2212

Free tour: Roll Call, Drug Display, Arresting, Booking and Youth division rooms

WSYR-570 AM Radio station

500 Plum St, Syracuse 472-9797

WAQX-FM-95X Radio Station

1064 James St, Syracuse 472-0200

# SPORTS

## Sky Chief Baseball

Games 474-7833

## Syracuse University

offers a wide variety of sports, including Football, Basketball, Soccer, Lacrosse, Track and Field, Wrestling.

Athletic Director 443-2385, Sports information 443-2608

## Syracuse Crunch Hockey

Onondaga County War Memorial, 473-4444

Discount rates for groups, offer Scout Days throughout season.

## Train Rides

### Amtrak

E. Manlius Center Road, East Syracuse 463-1135

Has various trips, call for more information

### Ontrack

269 W. Jefferson, Syracuse 424-1212

### Adirondack Scenic Railroad

Old Forge 369-6290

Has various trips, call for more information

## Other Ideas

### Howe Caverns

RR1, Box 107, Howe Cave, NY (518) 296-8900  
Explore an underground cavern, tour, gift shop.  
(Near by is an Indian Culture center)

### Enchanted Forest/Water Safari

Old Forge 369-6145  
Water Park and family activities

### The Great Escape

Lake George 792-3500  
Ride, Show, attractions

### Boldt Castle

Alexandria Bay  
Uncle Sam Boat Tours 482-2611

### Lake Placid

Olympic Site Tour (800) 462-6236  
Whiteface Mountain (518) 523-1655  
Site of the 1992 & 1980 Winter Olympics  
Plenty of camp grounds and other area attractions in the Lake Placid area.  
Ideal for Family camp outs

There are a great deal more things to do than are listed here, some of the omissions are due to lack of phone numbers, and lack of knowledge of the attractions. Hopefully this list will help to spark your imagination for things to do and places to go with your Cub Scouts and your families. If you have other places that have not been included please forward them to me so this list can be updated and expanded. If you send me an idea, please include phone numbers and addresses whenever possible. See front page for my address information.





## ACTIVITY IDEAS FOR TIGER CUBS & CUB SCOUTS

- Get together and play games.
  - Show and Tell, Sharing time(ex. pictures, family advent., jobs, etc.)
  - Have everyone at your house to make something.
  - Have a group sing-along.
  - Watch home movies.
  - Go to the Zoo.
  - Go fishing.
  - Rollerskating
  - Bowling
  - An Archery Range
  - Swimming Party
  - Sledding Party
  - Discovery Center-Planetarium
  - Beaver Lake Nature Center
  - Apple Picking
  - Pumpkin Farm
  - Visit the Airport
  - Take a walk Downtown
  - Have story time at the library.
  - Chuck E. Cheeses has a tour.
  - Scotsman Press or Syracuse Newspapers
  - Fire Station Visit
  - Baseball, Football, Basketball, Hockey Games, see one or play one.
  - Visit a Police Station
  - Arrange to visit a Medical place or have a doctor or nurse visit.
  - Dress up as clowns and go visit somewhere.
  - Have a scavenger hunt.
  - Putt Putt Golf
  - Go on a sunrise or winter picnic.
  - In winter go look for animal footprints in the snow.
  - Visit an animal doctor.
  - Have a covered dish dinner or a traveling dinner(different parts of the meal at different houses).
  - Christmas Caroling
  - Put on a Play.
  - Hold a Talent Show.
  - Clean up a community area.
  - Nine Mile Point Activity Center
  - Griffis Airbase
  - Have a Holiday Party. For any holiday.
  - Arrange a Bakery visit.
  - Have a talk about swimming, boating, bicycling etc. safety.
  - See the Circus.
  - Hold a fundraising project for a worthy cause.
  - Take a walk on the S.U. campus.
  - Go to a Greenhouse.
  - Plainville Turkey Farm
  - Any Kind Of Business or Industry Tour
  - Learn about banking from a Banker.
  - Collect food, clothing or toy items for a community drive.
  - A Hay or Sleigh Ride
  - Arrange to visit a place with big trucks or machinery.
- Don't feel shy, use your imagination. I'm sure you can come up with many more ideas than are listed here.

This list is trips taken by other Packs in the District.

Hancock Air Base 174th	Fort Ste. Marie
Marine Base Motor Pad	Howes Cavarán
Domino's Pizza	Ice Skating
Beaver Lake	Kackleberry Farm
Cornell	Lafayette Apple Festival
Rochester Children's Museum	Kodak Park
Marcellus Maple Festival	Canal Museum
911 Center	Everson Museum
Herald Journal	Farmer's Museum Cooperstown
Airport Control Tower	Local Parks
M.O.S.T.	Green Lakes
Energy Center	Jamesville Beach
Sims Stone Museum	Long Branch Park
Plainville Turkey Farm	Marcellus Park
County Clerk's Office	Oneida Park
Carrier Dome	Pratts Falls
WSEN Radio Station	Clarks Reservation
Train Trip To Utica	Petrified Creatures Exhibit-
Utica Children's Museum	near Richfield Springs
County Garages	Post Offices
Fire Dept.	Farmer's Markets
Police Stations	Rochester Plantarium
Town meetings	Syracuse Chiefs Baseball
Shacksboro Museum	Banks
Burnet Park Zoo	
Salt Museum	
Rollerskating	
TV Stations	
WSTM Sat. Showboat	
Fort Ontario	
Fort Ticondaraga	
Baltimore Woods	
Highland Forest	
Montezuma Wildlife Refuge	
Buffalo NY-Battleships, Submarine, destroyer	
Herkimer Diamond Mines	
Fort Stanwick	
Martisco Railroad Museum	
Filmore Glen State Park	
Constantia Fish Hatchery	
Carpenter's Brook	
Fort Rickey	
Websters Pond	
Syracuse Library	
Salmon River Hatchery	
Fishing-small groups	
Albany State Museum	
Red Cross Blood Bank	
Apple Farms	
Baseball Hall of Fame-Cooperstnwn	
Bowling	
Corning Glass Works Corning	
Erie Canal Village	

This is just a suggestion, there are numerous field trip ideas.  
Too many to include in one list.