

August

Saturday 8/3 Bike Tioga-7-9 am registration-A bicycle touring event throughout Tioga and surrounding counties with various ride lengths and difficulties. Hickories Park Road, Rt., Owego www.biketiooga.com • 800-671-7772

Saturday 8/10 Newark Valley Day-Parade at 11 am. Village of Newark Valley, Route 38, Newark Valley • nvhistory.org 607-642-9516

Wednesday-Saturday, 8/14-17 Spencer Picnic-Friday fireworks, Saturday parade. Nichols Park, Spencer • spencerpicnic.com 607-592-1949

Friday, Saturday, Sunday 8/16, 17, 18 Hickories Circuit All Breed Dog Show -8 am-3 pm. \$3 per car load. Apalachin Fireman Field Day Grounds, 9 Field Day Drive, Apalachin • tioga-county-kennelclub.com 607-754-0415

Sunday, 8/18 Annual En Plein Air Art Show & Sale-10 am-4 pm. Location in Owego TBA • tiogaartscouncil.org • 607-687-0785

Sunday 8/18 Annual Antique Car Show-9 am-4 pm. Donation \$2 per person/\$5 per carload, children under 12 free. Hickories Park, Hickories Park Road, Owego • 607-785-8867, 754-6861, 754-7400

September

Saturday & Sunday, 9/7 & 8 Civil War Festival-Saturday 9 am-5 pm, Sunday 9 am-3 pm. Barn dance at 7 pm Saturday. Church service, Sunday at 10 am. Rudin's Farm, 4890 Gaskill Road, Owego • 607-687-3160

Saturday 9/21 Car Show and Outdoor Concert. Tioga Downs Casino, 2384 West River Road, Nichols, NY • tiogadowns.com • 888-946-8464

Saturday 9/21 21st Annual Potato Festival-All Day! Throughout the Town of Richford, Rt. 38 & 79, Richford richfordny.com • 607-539-6283 or 607-539-6505

Saturday & Sunday 9/28 & 29 Alpaca Days-10 am-5 pm. Free! Alpacalachin Farms, 2571 Chestnut Ridge Road, Apalachin alpacalachin.com • 607-687-6950

Saturday 9/28 Pumpkin Festival-9 am-4:30 pm. Free! Ransom Park, Rt. 17C, Tioga Center • tiogacenterpumpkinfest.com 607-658-3033 or 607-972-9577

October

Every Saturday in October - Haunted House-6-9 pm. \$5 donation benefits Traci's Hope & Relay for Life. Rudin's Farm, 4890 Gaskill Road, Owego • 607-687-3160

Saturday 10/5 Annual Drumbeats Through Time-1-5 pm. Free! Susquehanna Archaeological Center • 345 Broad Street, Waverly sracenter.org • 607-565-7960

Saturday and Sunday 10/5 & 6 Newark Valley Apple Festival-10 am-5 pm. \$6 adults, \$4 students & sr. citizens, \$18 family rate. Bement-Billings Farmstead, Rt. 38, Newark Valley • nvhistory.org • 607-642-9516

Saturday & Sunday, 10/5 & 6 Alpaca Days-10 am-5 pm. Free! Alpacalachin Farms, 2571 Chestnut Ridge Road, Apalachin alpacalachin.com • 607-687-6950

Thursday 10/10 Tioga Business 2013-9:30 am-4 pm. Owego Treadway Inn, 1100 State Rt. 17C, Owego tiogachamber.com • 607-687-2020

Friday-Sunday, 10/11-13 Candor Fall Festival-Throughout the Town of Candor • candornychamber.org • 607-659-4121

Friday 10/11 Annual Taste of Tioga-5:30-8:00 pm. \$30 per person. Owego Treadway Inn, Rt. 17C, Owego tasteoftioga.com • 607-687-4020

Saturday & Sunday, 10/12 & 13 Finger Lakes Cheese Trail Open House-10-5 pm. These small scale producers of artisan cheeses welcome you to visit them at the farm • flcheesetrail.com

Saturday 10/26 Pumpkin Carnival and Halloween Hikes-Pumpkin Carnival-11 am-2 pm & Halloween Hikes 6-8:30 pm. Waterman Conservation Education Center, 403 Hilton Road, Apalachin watermancenter.org • 607-625-2221

Sunday 10/27 Halloween Tea-1 pm. \$30 per person. Pumpelly House Estate B&B, 44 Front Street, Owego pumpellyestate.com • 607-687-0510

Thursday 10/31 Trunk or Treat-6-7:30 pm. Owego Free Academy parking lot, Sheldon Guile Blvd., Owego 607-687-3160

November

Saturday 11/9 Holiday Showcase-10 am-5 pm. Downtown Owego • owegoloveshoppers.com • 607-671-7772

Saturday 11/9 Snowzilla 5K Run & Kids Candy Cane 1.6K. Downtown Owego • snowzilla5K.com • 800-671-7772

November-December (Specific dates TBA) O'Tannenbaum Holiday Showcase & Silent Auction-Special holiday hours, call for times. Tioga County Historical Museum, 110 Front Street, Owego tiogahistory.org • 607-687-2460

December

Thursday-Sunday 12/5, 7, 8 & 13, 14, 15 "A Christmas Story"-Thurs., Fri., and Sat. at 8 pm, Sun. at 2 pm. General Admission \$18, Fri., Students with ID \$10, Sun., Seniors 60+ \$15. Ti-Ahwaga Performing Arts Center, 42 Delphine Street, Owego • tiahwaga.com • 607-687-2130

Friday 12/6 - 6th Annual "Lights on the River" Festival -5:30-8:30 pm. Fireworks at 8 pm. Downtown Owego Shopping District lightsontheriver.com • 800-671-6772

Saturday 12/7 Annual Gala Historic Home Tour and Auction -Afternoon Tour 1-4 pm, Evening Tour 6-8:30 pm, Auction at 8:30 pm. Reservations only. Various Owego Homes and Owego Elks Lodge, 223 Front Street, Owego • tiogaartscouncil.org • 607-687-0785

Saturday & Sunday 12/7 & 8, Friday-Sunday 12/13, 14, 15 Annual Holiday Tea -1 pm. Reservations are required. \$30 per person. Pumpelly House Estate B&B, 44 Front Street, Owego pumpellyestate.com • 607-687-0510

Sunday 12/8 Candor's Christmas Holiday of Exterior Lights Contest candornychamber.org • 607-659-7540

Friday 12/13 10th Annual Tinsel 'N Lights Festival-5:30-8:30 pm. Free! Muldoon Park, Pennsylvania Ave., Waverly • 607-565-3319 or 607-565-3570 ext. 0721

Saturday 12/14 "Holiday Magic" Festival-4-8 pm. Downtown Newark Valley • nvhistory.org • 607-642-9516

Sunday 12/15 Candor Tour of Homes-Time and costs TBA. Call for reservations. Historic Homes in Candor candornychamber.org • 607-659-4121

Recurring Events

Every Third Friday Owego Art Walk-5-9 pm. Downtown Owego • owegoloveshoppers.com • 607-687-0785

Every First and Third Saturday Bingo-1 pm-3 pm. Doors open at 12 pm. Early Bird Bonanza at 12:45. Admission \$3. Waterman Conservation Education Center, 403 Hilton Road, Apalachin watermancenter.org • 607-625-2221

First and Third Sunday Antiques/Uniques Collectibles Market 8 am-3 pm. Owego Elks Emporium, Corner of Church and Front Streets, Owego • owegoelksemporiummarket.com • 607-687-1039

First Tuesdays of every month "Histories Mysteries"-6:30-7:30 pm. \$6 adult, \$4 members & student donation. Susquehanna River Archaeological Center, 345 Broad Street, Waverly • sracenter.org 607-565-7960

Several Saturdays Round & Square Dances-7-10 pm. \$5 donation suggested. tiogaartscouncil.org • 607-687-0785
3/23-Berkshire Community Hall "Charlie Brown & Four Strings"
4/20-Spencer Grange, Classic Country with Mel Heeman
5/18-Candor Fire Hall, "Northern Harmony"
6/15-Goodrich Settlement Grange, Owego, "Jerry Garrison & the Country Connection"
8/31-Rudin's Old Tyme Farm Days "Country Connection with Alice Detrick"

Every 2nd, 3rd, & 4th Wednesday, April-September Susquehanna River Tours-6 pm. Hiawatha Island Boat Dock, Western end of Marshland Road, Apalachin • watermancenter.org • 607-625-2221

Mondays, June-October Waverly's Farmers Market-4 pm-7 pm. Muldoon Park, Pennsylvania Ave., Waverly • cce.cornell.edu/tioga

Tuesdays and Fridays, June-October Owego's Farmers Market 9 am-1 pm. Rite-Aid Parking Lot, Main Street, Owego • 607-642-8439

Every Sunday, May 19-October 27 Newark Valley's Farmers Market-12-4 pm. The Village Green, Newark Valley • 607-657-8251

Every Saturday & Sunday Tioga Downs Antique Center and General Marketplace 9 am-5 pm. Open every Sat. & Sun until the end of Oct. Tioga Downs Casino, 2384 West River Road, Nichols tiogadownsgeneralstores.com 607-239-8353 or 607-427-2573.

Every Third Sunday Contra Dance-4-7 pm. \$7 admission, \$5 students & seniors, family max. \$15. Tioga Trails Café, 50 Lake Street, Owego dance.clarityconnect.com/owegocontra.html 607-687-4034 or 607-687-7195



Every Friday, June 7-September 13 Depot Friday-7-9 pm. Free. Open at 6 pm. Depot Street, Newark Valley • nvhistory.org • 607-642-9516
6/7-The Tarps
6/14-Rick Marsi
6/21-Cobblestone Crossing
6/28-Grassanova
7/5-Rich Wilson
7/12-Horseshoe Lounge Playboys
7/19- Jerry Acton
7/26-Absolutely Reptacular
8/2-Pat Cane & West O'Claire
8/9-Dixiekats
8/16-Ginny Mullens & Town Historians
8/23-Alice Detrick & Slideways
8/30-TBA
9/6-Rick Pedro
9/13-The Accords

Almost Every Saturday, June-Oct. Tioga Journeys Bus & Walking Tours -10 am. Most tours meet at the Tioga County Visitors Center, 80 North Ave., Owego • visittiooga.com • 800-671-7772

Every Wednesday, July 3-August 7 Owego's Concerts in the Park -7-9 pm.
July 3-Kirby Band with Fireworks at 9:30
July 10-Dixie Kats
July 17-Royal Blues Big Band
July 24-Four Eye Band
July 31-String of Pearls
August 7-Triple Play with Alice Detrick
Hickories Park, Hickories Park Road, Owego tiogaartscouncil.org • 607-687-0785

Every Monday, July 1-August 12 Waverly's Concerts in the Park-6:30-8 pm. Muldoon Park, Pennsylvania Avenue, Waverly • 607-565-8641

Every Friday, July 5-August 9 Spencer's Music in the Park-7-9 pm. Nichols Park, Spencer • s-ve.com • 607-659-5283



Tioga County, New York

2013

Calendar of Events

Tioga County Tourism

1-800-671-7772

www.visittiooga.com



Dates and information about events were accurate at the time of printing, but are subject to change. Please check with the contact website or phone number for any potential changes or more up-to-date listings.

January

Sunday 1/20 "Always on Sunday" Concert Series Featuring Pat Kane-3-4:30 pm. Free! First Presbyterian Union Church • Corner of Temple & North Avenue, Owego • tiogaartscouncil.org • 607-687-0785

Saturday 1/26 Mark Wills-7 & 9 pm. Tickets at all Ticketmaster outlets and the Tioga Downs Gift Shop. Tioga Downs Casino, 2384 West River Road, Nichols, NY • tiogadowns.com • 888-946-8464

February

Saturday 2/2 Annual Groundhog Shoot-11 am. Bement-Billings Farmstead Black Powder Shooting Range, 9241 Route 38, Newark Valley nvhistory.org • 607-687-2271

Thursday 2/7 Tioga County Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner and Community Awards, Silent Auction-5:30 pm. Tioga Downs Casino 2384 West River Road, Nichols • tiogachamber.com • 607-687-2020

Friday-Sunday 2/8, 9, 10 "Fame"-Fri. & Sat. at 7:30 pm, Sun. at 2:30 pm. Owego Apalachin Theater, 3 Sheldon Guile Boulevard, Owego 607-687-6230, ext. 1 • oacsd.org

Friday-Sunday 2/8,9,10 & 15,16,17 & 22,23,24 "A Delicate Balance" 8 pm, Sunday at 2 pm. Ti-Ahwaga Performing Arts Center, 42 Delphine Street, Owego • tiahwaga.com • 607-687-2130

Saturday 2/16 "Adam D. Tucker: A Tribute to Tim McGraw"-Two shows-7 & 9 pm. Tioga Downs Casino, 2384 West River Road, Nichols, NY • tiogadowns.com • 888-946-8464

Sunday 2/17 "Always on Sunday" Concert Series Featuring "Cobblestone Crossing"-3-4:30 pm. Free, donation suggested. First Presbyterian Union Church, Corner of Temple & North Avenue, Owego tiogaartscouncil.org • 607-687-0785

Friday & Saturday 2/22 & 23 Annual Black & White Antique Show Fri. 1-7:30 pm, Sat. 9 am-6 pm. Tickets, \$6 in advance, can be purchased at all Central NY Elks' Lodges and the Emporium in Owego. Tickets at the show, \$10. Tioga Downs Casino, 2384 West River Road, Nichols tiogadowns.com • 888-946-8464

Saturday 2/23 Wine and Beer Festival-5-8 pm. Tickets, \$35, available at Jolly Farmer, 7 Elizabeth Street, Railhouse Restaurant, 366 Broad Street, Waverly Liquor and Wine, Fulton Street, Waverly. The Loom, Corner of Waverly and Elizabeth Street, Waverly • discoverwaverly.com 607-565-2858



March

Friday, 3/1 Team Trivia-7-10 pm. Business or organization team \$225, Family Team \$125. Owego Elks Lodge, Corner of Church and Front Street, Owego • oafoundation.com

Saturday 3/9 Fundraising Auction and Food Fest-7 pm-11 pm. \$35, Ti-Ahwaga Performing Arts Center, 42 Delphine Street, Owego tiahwaga.com • 607-687-2130

Saturday & Sunday 3/9 & 3/10 Field, Hearth and Home Show Sat. 9 am-5 pm, Sun. 9 am-3 pm. Owego Treadway Inn and Conference Center, 1100 State Rt. 17C, Owego • tiogachamber.com 607-687-4028 or 607-687-2020

Saturday and Sunday 3/16, 17, 23, 24 Maple Weekend/Open House 10 am-4 pm. Free! Sweetrees Maple, 761 Glen Road, Berkshire sweetreesmaple.com • 607-972-6699 •315-481-4060

Sunday 3/17 Annual Winter Automotive Flea Market-9 am-3 pm. Free! Save More Furniture/Beds 4 Kids, 100 Elm Street, Owego 607-785-8867, 754-7400, 754-6861

Sunday 3/17 "Always on Sunday" Concert Series Featuring Al Hamme and Friends- "Blues March with a Tinge of Green" 3-4:40 pm. Free! donation suggested. First Presbyterian Union Church Corner of Temple & North Avenue, Owego • tiogaartscouncil.org 607-687-0785

Saturday 3/23 Hamley's Maple Open House 10 am-4 pm. Free, donations requested. Hamley's Maple Farm, 70 Frost Hollow Road, Barton • 607-565-3731

Saturday 3/23 Candor Community Showcase-11 am-3 pm. Community Dinner- Noon-5:30 or until gone. Candor Fire Hall, Rt. 96, Candor • candornychamber.org • 607-659-7312

Sunday 3/31 Easter Brunch-11am-2 pm. \$30. Pumpelly House Estate, 44 Front Street, Owego pumpellyestate.com • 607-687-0510

April

Friday thru Sunday, 4/5, 6, 7, & 12, 13, 14, & 19, 20, 21 "The Miracle Worker" Thurs.-Sat. at 8 pm, Sun. at 2 pm. Ti-Ahwaga Performing Arts Center, 42 Delphine Street, Owego • tiahwaga.com • 607-687-2130

Saturday 4/13 Spring Fling Pancake Breakfast-Breakfast 8:30-11 am, Easter egg hunt 10 am. Newark Valley Depot, Depot Street, Newark Valley • nvhistory.org • 607-642-9516

Saturday 4/20 Hamley's Maple Open House-10 am-4 pm. Free, donations requested. Hamley's Maple Farm, 70 Frost Hollow Road, Barton • 607-565-3731

Sunday 4/21 "Always on Sunday" Concert Series Featuring Tri Cities Opera 3-4:30 pm. Free, donation suggested. First Presbyterian Union Church • Corner of Temple & North Avenue, Owego tiogaartscouncil.org • 607-687-0785

Saturday 4/27 Benefit Auction with Bob Connelly-5-9 pm. Auction starts at 6 pm. Newark Valley Fire Station, 7151 State Route 38, Newark Valley • nvhistory.org • 607-642-9516



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May

Saturday 5/4 Harness Racing Opening Day. Tioga Downs Casino, 2384 West River Road, Nichols • tiogadowns.com • 888-946-8464

Saturday & Sunday 5/4 & 5 Barnyard Craft Sale-11 am-4 pm. Fulkerson's Farm, 289 Dawson Hill Road, Spencer • 607-589-4886

Sunday 5/5 Opening Day Tioga Downs Antique Center and General Marketplace-9 am-5 pm. Open every Sat. & Sun until the end of Oct. Tioga Downs Casino, 2384 West River Road, Nichols tiogadownsgeneralstores.com • 607-239-8353 or 607-427-2573

Sunday 5/5 Folk Art Series "Inventing Fashion-Iroquois Beadwork and the Art of Flowering"-2:30 pm. A lecture by Deborah Holler. Noble Room, Municipal Bldg. Park St., Newark Valley • nvhistory.org 607-642-9516

Friday & Saturday, 5/10 & 11 The Raptor Project with Jonathan Wood. Friday at 7 pm & Saturday at 10 am, 12 pm & 2 pm. Reservations required. Waterman Conservation Education Center, 403 Hilton Road, Apalachin • watermancenter.org • 607-625-2221

Saturday 5/11 Annual Spring/Ladies Tea-1 pm. \$30 per person. Pumpelly House Estate B&B, 44 Front Street, Owego pumpellyestate.com • 607-687-0510

Friday 5/17 Tioga County Chamber of Commerce Golf Tournament. Catatonk Golf Course, Rt. 96, Candor • tiogachamber.com • 607-687-2020

Monday 5/27 Annual Alpaca Harvest Festival-10 am-4 pm. Free. Alpacalachin Farms, 2571 Chestnut Ridge Road, Apalachin alpacalachin.com • 607-687-6950

Friday 5/31 "Avenue Q"-8 pm. Ti-Ahwaga Performing Arts Center, 42 Delphine Street, Owego • tiahwaga.com • 607-687-2130

June

Saturday & Sunday 6/1, 2, & 7, 8, 9, & 13 (Thurs.), 15, 16 "Avenue Q" Thurs.-Sat at 8 pm, Sun. at 2 pm. Ti-Ahwaga Performing Arts Center, 42 Delphine Street, Owego • tiahwaga.com • 607-687-2130

Saturday 6/1 Master Gardener Plant Sale-8 am-noon. 56 Main Street, Owego • ccetioga.org • 607-687-4020

Saturday & Sunday 6/1 & 2, 6/8 & 9 New York Heritage Weekend heritageweekend.org

Friday & Saturday 6/7 & 6/8 Greater Valley Relay For Life-7 pm-7 am. \$10 registration fee. Waverly High School • relayforlife.org/tiogacountyny • 607-766-6911

Saturday & Sunday 6/8 & 9 Annual Catfish Derby-7 am on Sat., until noon on Sun. \$25 per person, free to kids under 12 with a donation of a canned food item. Hickories Park, Pavilion #2, Hickories Park Road, Owego • vva480.org • 607-743-0734

Saturday 6/8 Hiking for Helping Hands-Registration at 9:30 am, Hike begins at 10 am. \$7 registration fee. Community Care Network of Nichols, 139 RoKi Blvd, Nichols • ccnichols.org • 607-414-1018

Saturday 6/8 Folk Art Series "English Hoop Pot Trellis Workshop"-12-4 pm. Pre-registration suggested. \$45 Bement Billings Farmstead Museum • 9242 State Route 38, Newark Valley nvhistory.org • 607-642-5412

Friday 6/14 Strawberry Festival Friday Night, 5K Run, Block Party and Fireworks-5:30-10:30 pm. Downtown Owego owegostrawberryfestival.com • 800-671-7772

Saturday 6/15 Annual Strawberry Festival-9 am-4 pm. Parade at 10 am. Downtown Owego • owegostrawberryfestival.com • 800-671-7772

Sunday, 6/16 Father's Day Breakfast on Hiawatha Island-9-11 am. Reservations required. Hiawatha Island Boat Dock, Western end of Marshland Road, Apalachin • watermancenter.org • 607-625-2221

July

Thursday, 7/4 Candor's 4th of July Celebration-Parade at 10 am. American Legion, Route 96, Candor • candornychamber.org

Fridays, 7/5, 12, 19 Kids' Night Out-7-8 pm. Free! July 5-Tom Knight, Puppeteer, July 12-John Simon-Songs & Stories, July 19-Will Stafford, Juggler Extraordinaire. Court House Square, Park and Court Streets, Owego • tiogaartscouncil.org • 607-687-0785

Wednesday 7/10 Annual Waverly Car & Truck Show-5:30-8 pm. Free! East Waverly Park in the village of Waverly • 607-565-3570 ext. 0721

Friday-Sunday, 7/12-14 Busy Bird Bluegrass Festival-Music on Friday, 3-10pm; Saturday, 10 am-10 pm; Sunday, 10 am-4 pm. Wilson Creek Road and Ketchumville Road, Newark Valley busybirdbluegrass.com • 607-642-8925 or 607-227-1880

Friday & Saturday 7/12 & 13 Tioga County Relay For Life-6 pm-10 am. Owego Free Academy, 1 Sheldon Guiles Blvd., Owego relayforlife.org/tiogacountyny • 607-766-6911

Sunday 7/14 Cars in the Park-8 am-4 pm. Awards at 3 pm. Hickories Park, Hickories Park Road, Owego • triplicitiesstreetrods.com 607-754-7534

Monday thru Friday 7/15-19 Frontier Wisdom Camp-\$200 per camper. Bement Billings Farmstead Museum • 9241 State Route 38, Newark Valley • nvhistory.org • 607-642-9516

Saturday 7/20 2nd Annual Motorcycle Show. Tioga Downs Casino, 2384 West River Road, Nichols • tiogadowns.com • 888-946-8464

Saturday & Sunday 7/20-21 Northeast Primitive Rendezvous 9 am-5 pm, tours and gift shop open 12-4 pm. Bement Billings Farmstead Museum "Maple Grove" • 9241 State Route 38, Newark Valley nvhistory.org • 607-642-9516

Wednesday 7/24 Folk Art Series "Pine Needle Basket Workshop"-1-4:30 pm. Pre-registration suggested. Bement Billings Farmstead Museum • 9242 State Route 38, Newark Valley nvhistory.org • 607-642-5412

Sunday 7/28 Brides by the River-1-4:30 pm. Pumpelly House Estate B&B, 44 Front Street, Owego • bridesbytheriver.com • 607-687-0510

