

Finger Lakes Fantasy

WBCCI 2016 Region 2 Rally Hammondsport, NY

The 2016 Region 2 rally will be held in Hammondsport, NY. From June 1st, 2016 through June 6th, 2016. Hammondsport is a quaint village located at the south end of Keuka Lake in New York's Finger Lakes country. This is the heart of New York's wine country providing ample opportunity to tour some world class vineyards and wineries. In addition this Norman Rockwell like village offers sidewalk cafés, antique shops, Pottery studios, arts and crafts and much more. Also featured are some truly unique museums, the Corning glass works is nearby, along with the Rockwell museum of western art and the Glen Curtis aviation museum.

Name		WBCCI #	
Spouse		Unit:	
Guest			
Address		ST/PR:	Zip:
E Mail		Phone:	
Handicapped parking needed?		Arrival date:	
Medical need for 30 amp site?		Departure date:	

Rally site: Hammondsport Fire house located at 8521 NY-54, Hammondsport, NY. GPS 42.401598, -77.217336

The Rally fee includes two nights of musical entertainment, 2 dinners, three breakfasts, evening snacks, goody bags seminars, and water, electric and dump facilities.

Rally Fee \$55.00 per person	\$55 X _____ people	= \$ _____
Camping	\$25 X _____ nights	= \$ _____
Children under 13 free		
Winery tour \$55 per person 6/3, Includes \$35 bus fee and driver tip and \$5 tasting fee at each of four wineries	\$55 X _____ people	= \$ _____
Museum tour fees will paid individually at the tour site		
Tour reservations needed by April 15, 2016		
Rally reservations due by May 1, 2016	Total enclosed	= \$ _____

Please mail your coupon and check (US funds) to Will Kushto at 114 Flagstaff Road Philadelphia, PA 19115-3410. Make the check payable to Region 2 WBCCI

Rally Overview:

This is a small facility and parking will be limited to 50 RVs. Interest has been very high and we expect to fill the site so please get your reservation in early and join in the fun.

Wed: Early worker day, set up crews are encouraged to arrive early to assist in preparation.

Thu: Arrival day, parking potluck dinner, bring a dish to pass. Campfire and sing along in the evening.

Fri: Parking, Continental breakfast, Seminars, Winery tour, Hassle tassel, dinner, Opening ceremony, Musical entertainment and door prizes

Sat: Pancake breakfast, Regional meeting, Seminars, Museum tour, wine and cheese tasting, Costume parade dinner, Musical entertainment, Door prizes.

Sun: Coffee plus, Devotional service, closing ceremony, and tbd.

Mon: Optional camping day, no activities planned at this time.

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Winery Tour: Chauffeured bus tour will include tasting stops at four of Keuka lakes' fine wineries. The tour requires a minimum of 21 participants, if less than 21 sign up the bus tour will be cancelled and your tour monies will be fully refunded and a caravan tour of the wineries will be arranged.

Corning Glass museum tour: The tour will consist of a caravan to Corning, about 25 miles, and a 1 ½ hour guided museum tour, time for the gift shop afterwards. Free shuttle busses run from the Corning museum to the Rockwell museum every fifteen minutes. Admission rates are available at the following website, <http://www.cmog.org/visit/hours-and-admission>

Please note commitments to both tours must be received no later than April 1, 2016 in order to secure the tour reservations and rates.

Glen Curtis Aviation Museum: We will Caravan to the Glen Curtis Aviation Museum located on Route 54, one half mile south of the village of Hammondsport, New York. Dedicated to the memory of pioneer aviator, Glenn Curtiss, the museum contains a priceless collection relating to early aviation and local history.

Glenn Curtiss began his career as a builder of bicycles and then, motorcycles. In 1907 he became the "fastest man on earth" when he attained a speed of 136.4 MPH on his V8 powered motorcycle. Glenn Curtiss won world recognition as an aircraft builder and pilot in 1909 when he won the Gordon Bennett Trophy for speed at the First International Aviation Meet held in Reims, France. During this flight he achieved the breath-taking speed of 46.5 MPH (he went 90 MPH faster on a motorcycle two years earlier).

The Windmill Farm and Craft Market: Join this caravan to the first and friendliest farm and craft market in upstate New York, located right in the heart of the Finger Lakes Wine Region. Midway between Penn Yan and Dundee on NY Route 14A, The Windmill has become a premier tourist attraction, with a weekly attendance exceeding 8,000 - 10,000 people.

Beginning with roughly 100 vendors, The Windmill serves as an outlet for local producers and craftsmen. Now in its 28th year, The Windmill plays host to nearly 200 shops, you're sure to find something for everyone.

Many folks start the day at The Windmill with a hearty breakfast, pick up some fresh produce then set out to explore the many shops. Later, take in a free show, and have a relaxing lunch in the mini pine tree forest.

Hammondsport is a beautiful village on the south shore of Keuka Lake. Once voted the coolest small town in America by Budget Travel magazine. The lovely town square is bordered by shops and outdoor cafes, an ideal setting for an afternoon stroll.

Flea Market: The town of Hammondsport holds its annual walk around flea market on this weekend. I'm sure there will be treasures you can't resist. The Town center is about a mile away from the campgrounds.

Keuka Lake: The rally site is located within walking distance of Keuka Lake, about 100 yards to the shoreline. The lake itself offers great opportunity for fishing, swimming, and boating. Take your Kayak along and enjoy.

Costume Parade: Each year at the international rally individual units participate in the annual 4th of July parade dressed in costume, representing their units or individual areas. Since this year's International is in nearby West Virginia, we want to encourage participation by having our own Region/unit costume parade as a dry run for the International. Our region is so diverse and rich in heritage that we can have a great time with this. Entries will be judged and Ribbons awarded.

Facilities: Water, electric and dump facilities are provided. Electric is shared 15 amp. There are fourteen 30 amp sites available, they are located a little farther away than the bulk of the sites, and will be assigned on an as needed or first come first serve basis.

Trash: Dumpsters are available

Grey Water: Absolutely no dumping of grey water on the grounds

For more information check out the Region 2 Website at region2.wbcci.net or contact Fred Schultz at region2wm@aol.com or (570) 406-3049