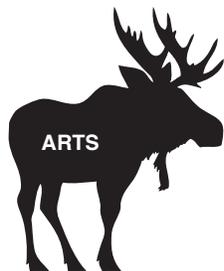


20th Annual
COUNTRY CHRISTMAS TOUR



Indian Lake, New York

TOUR FESTIVITIES




FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2017

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Visit the Goats (5397 NYS Route 30)

9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Artisan and Crafter Tours (See map for locations.)

Santa Claus will be visiting all of the crafters.

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Story Time with Mr. and Mrs. Claus (St. Mary's Church Hall, NYS Route 28/30)

2:00 pm

"Nightmare Before Christmas," a free movie (Indian Lake Theater, NYS Route 28/30)

2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Arts Center Candy Cane Hunt

(Adirondack Lakes Center for the Arts, 3446 NYS Route 28, Blue Mountain Lake)

7:00 pm

"Only the Brave," \$7 admission (Indian Lake Theater, NYS Route 28/30)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2017

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Visit the Goats (5397 NYS Route 30)

9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Artisan and Crafter Tours (See map for locations.)

Santa Claus will be visiting all of the crafters.

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

'Gifts to Give,' a Children's Holiday Workshop - Photos with Santa

(St. Mary's Church Hall, NYS Route 28/30)

2:00 pm

"Holiday Inn," a free movie (Indian Lake Theater, NYS Route 28/30)

4:15 pm - 5:15 pm

Closing Ceremony (Indian Lake School Gym, NYS Route 28/30)

7:00 pm

"Only the Brave," \$7 admission (Indian Lake Theater, NYS Route 28/30)

CRAFTERS, CRAFT BUSINESSES AND ORGANIZATIONS

1 - Abanakee Studios (Business, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm)

Visit one of Indian Lake's most unique gift shops, a turn of the century barn filled with photographs, paintings, antique furniture and irresistible collectibles, many made by local artists. Enjoy the Artists' Gallery featuring unique work by local and regional artists and craftsmen. (NYS Route 28)

2 - Homemade Quilts and Crafts (Business, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm)

Make your home or camp welcoming with hand-made quilts, hot pot pads, balsam bags, potholders, fresh balsam wreaths, pillows and baskets. Delight your family and guests with Indian Lake maple products and jams. (Herricks, NYS Route 28)

3 - North Country Crafters (Friday Only, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm)

Offering a variety of handmade treasures for your own enjoyment or to give as gifts, including table runners, placemats, knitted hats, scarves and sweaters, ornaments, jewelry pouches, scrubby dishcloths and much more, the North Country Crafters will donate all proceeds to benefit local charities. Buy your tickets for the annual Quilt Raffle. (Byron Park, NYS Route 28)

4 - Dolores Weisinger

Indulge yourself or someone special with home-made quilted table runners, wall hangings, Christmas stockings, floral arrangements and unique decorations. Those with a sweet tooth will love Dolores's chocolates. (Adirondack Lake Road)

5 - Kelly Ameden and Sandy Davis

Wintery scenes, pinecones and mountain landscapes adorn Kelly's hand-painted glass ornaments, glasses, coasters and lighted wine bottles. Return to yesteryear with gingerbread ornaments. Stay comfy this winter with Sandy's knitted hats, scarves and gloves. Brighten the holidays with soy candles and candle melts. (6149 Main Street, across from the Verizon Telephone Company)

6 - Pine's Country Store (Business, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm)

Find everything you need for the holidays, including Adirondack crafts, signs, holiday decorations and tees and sweats in this True Value (plus, plus) Hardware Store. (NYS Routes 28 and 30)

7 - Kim Ameden (Business - Kim's Country Corner - 9:00 am - 5:00 pm)

Take home "A Piece of the Adirondacks" with Kim's glass ornaments filled with bits and pieces of the Adirondack forest that Kim found on her walks through the woods. Also discover many different Adirondack-themed ornaments, artificial wreaths, fresh kissing balls and cemetery markers decorated by Kim and signs expressing your unique philosophy of life. (Corner of NYS Routes 28 and 30)

8 - Mary Vianese

Find unique hand-crafted gifts using natural materials such as stones, birch bark and twigs, flowers, gourds and pine needles. In addition, you'll find one-of-a-kind cards, jewelry, and hand-painted loons, bears, herons, moose, and other Adirondack critters along with framed pressed flowers. (149 Joe Locke Road)

9 - Harding's Fibers (Friday and Saturday, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm)

Looking for truly unique gifts? Find exceptional apparel designed and hand-knitted for you from a variety of yarn fibers. Nancy's own handspun yarns, processed from her animals, are available for sale. Also visit her fiber producing pygora goats, and Eme, the Livestock Guardian Dog, and view hand spinning demonstrations. (5397 NYS Route 30, 7 houses past The Lake Store on the right)

11 - Dan McFadden and Kelli Mitchell

Sit back, relax and enjoy Dan's expertly made Adirondack chairs for adults and kids. Take a break from shopping and grab a quick lunch (hot dogs, hamburgers, chili, soup in bread bowls and, of course, ice cream). (Happy Trails, 6323 Main Street, NYS Route 28/30)

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13 - Indian Lake Central School (NYS Route 28, use front door entrance)

Vicki Virgil - Capturing the beauty of the Adirondacks, Vicki's small oil paintings mounted on drift wood or large birch bark and twig framed oil paintings of Adirondack scenery will help complete your Christmas list. You'll add to your own wish list with her tea light holders, burned wall plaques of squirrels or chipmunks and lazy Susans decorated with images of burned pine cones or deer, and wood-burned Christmas ornaments.

Elizabeth Marshall - Everything quilted for everyone on your Christmas list! Adirondack- and Christmas-themed placemats, table runners, aprons, pot holders, casserole totes, towels, wall hangings, Christmas stockings, baby bibs and more. Chase away winter's cold with a hand-knitted scarf for yourself. Elizabeth will be demonstrating her knitting skills.

Lorraine Powers - Accent your home with birch bark decorations, basket arrangements, finely crafted Christmas decorations trimmed with birds and snowmen and pinecone items.

Brian Morris - Spice up your holidays with twenty different flavors of fudge, including peanut butter chocolate, dark chocolate and peanut brittle, a yummy combination of maple and pecans. Discover the beauty of hand-crafted walnut live-edged serving boards and candle holders and hardwood lazy Susans.

Jeannie Turner - Stay warm this winter under one of Jeannie's 100% wool quilts. Her potholders, children's books and table runners will be welcome gifts under your Christmas tree.

Mary Margaret Gerry (Saturday only) - This certified reflexologist uses gentle finger pressure on the hands and feet to promote circulation and relaxation, relieve sore, tired feet and help with arthritis. All donations will go to the Indian Lake Food Pantry.

Suzanne Rinas and Russell Palubniak - Browse this wide variety of delightful gifts - how to choose between hand-turned wooden pens decorated with bears, fish and moose and hand-turned wooden kitchen utensils, including bread boards, cheese cutters and knives. Then there are Suzanne's acrylic prints in hand-made frames and trivets of fish, butterflies and horses from her original acrylic paintings. Also they offer their own honey and bees' wax candles.

Lauren Walker Arsenault - Surprise someone or treat yourself to Lauren's upcycled jewelry - rings, necklaces, earrings, bracelets, key chains and hooks made from upcycled silver spoons. Stand out in a crowd with Lauren's beaded jewelry of semi-precious stones and glass. Lauren will be making jewelry at her site.

Mary Gauvin and Sharon Earls - Mary does all things knitted and crocheted - crocheted ponytail hats and knitted car seat blankets. Sharon does all things yummy - chocolate covered Oreos and pretzels, chocolate bark, large snowflake chocolates, peppermint bark and, of course, lollipops!

Indian Lake Garden Club - Beautify your home with one-of-a-kind lovely holiday wraths, kissing balls and centerpieces, including topiary trees.

Jeri Hutchins Williams - Yum! Stock up on pickled garlic, Italian-style peppers (hot or mild), jams, jellies and marmalades. Also find wax luminaries, spa bath items, holiday ornaments, Adirondack inspired photos and cards and prints to give away or enjoy.

The B's (Beth Schidzick and Berneice Cummins) - Take a break from shopping with hot chili, hotdogs, doughnuts and home-baked goodies for dessert.

Briana Crossway - Perfect your retreat with framed paintings - landscapes, flowers, still lifes and more, beautifully rendered in acrylics.

Kellie Aldous - Nothing says "Christmas yum" like homemade chocolates. Also awaken your taste buds to Kellie's truffles, peanut brittle and Adirondack bacon bark.

Brooke Stiffel - Be prepared for winter's chill with Brooke's knitted hats, scarves, headbands, gloves and neck warmers. Brooke will be demonstrating her crafts at her site.

Diane and George McCane - Admire nature turned functional with George's unique tables and birdhouses. Enhance your home with Diane's Christmas decorations.

Route 30 IRA - (Saturday, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm) Enhance your Christmas with handmade ornaments and gift tags. Don't forget the doggies on your list and pick up some homemade dog biscuits. All proceeds will benefit "Just Like Home Daycare" to purchase Christmas gifts for the children.

Leona King and Lisa Shaw - Select gifts for yourself and friends from unique and eclectic handcrafted treasures: bottle cap magnets, birch bark reindeer, wooden crafts, fleece blankets and hand painted pictures.

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14 - 130 Pelon Road (10:00 am - 4:00 pm)

Stop by and enjoy free Adirondack hot chocolate, coffee and tea.

Donna Benton - Make today truly memorable with Donna's dated felt animal Christmas Country Tour ornaments. Indulge yourself or loved ones with yummy chocolate truffles, Oreo caramel truffles, pumpkin pie truffles or Donna's signature treat, buckeyes presented in handmade boxes.

Mary Anne Farmiere - No wardrobe is complete without a beautiful handmade shawl, knitted or crocheted. Mary Anne also makes delightful Christmas ornaments and towels with crocheted hangers.

Rosemarie McFadden - Get your taste buds ready for homemade apple butter, jalapeno mustard, mini quick breads and pizzelles. Soothe your skin with goat milk lotion and lip balm.

15 - Peppi Graves, John Finnan and Joann Quinlivan (Fri., 9:00 am - 4:00 pm & Sat., 9:00 am - 12:00 pm)

All eyes will be drawn to the beauty of Peppi's semi-precious stone necklaces, many with pendants. Lift your spirits and brighten your walls with Joann's pastel, oil and acrylic paintings. John's white cedar outdoor furniture will make you wish winter away. Also enjoy his rustic frames, mirrors and side tables. (6371 Main Street, NYS Route 28/30)

16 - Annelies and Temple Taylor

Capturing the beauty of the Adirondacks, Annelies's realistically painted glasses, trays, Christmas decorations, boxes and even feathers will help complete your Christmas list.

(Forest House, 7969 NYS Route 28/30, Blue Mountain Lake)

17 - Boka Baglieri and Marti Evanoff

Bring the outdoors in with Boka's pine cone wreath and fresh Christmas arrangements and decorations. Delight in Marti's lovely scarves, pillows and photos of Durant and Blue Mountain Lakes. Dress the babies in your family in adorable knitted hats, headbands and mittens. (Blue Mountain Rest, 8821 NYS Route 28/30, Blue Mountain Lake)

18 - Adirondack Lake Center for the Arts (10:00 am - 4:00 pm)

Visit the Arts Center's Gallery and Gift Shop featuring current exhibitions of photography, pottery, and contemporary rustic furniture. Purchase local artisan work in support of Small Business Saturday. On Saturday, stop by and shop local - purchase Adirondack made gifts while enjoying refreshments and crafts for kids from 2 - 4 pm. (3446 NYS Route 28, Blue Mountain Lake)

19 - Adirondack Experience the Museum on Blue Mountain Lake Store (Business, 9:30 am - 5:30 pm)

Add a touch of the Adirondack wilderness to your Christmas tree and shopping list with bird, moose, pack basket, canoe and loon ornaments. Surprise little ones with toys, games, kits, puzzles and stocking stuffers. Find books, candles, stained glass, table toppers and other unique gifts for those who love and miss the mountains. (Adirondack Experience, the Museum on Blue Mountain Lake, 9097 NYS Route 30, Blue Mountain Lake)

EATERIES

Marty's Chili Nights, Restaurant (Main Street)

Traditional Mexican cuisine and vegetarian dishes. (Friday and Saturday 4:30 pm – 8:30 pm)

Pig II Deli (Main Street)

Deli and Bakery. Breakfast, Lunch and Friday take out Dinners. (Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm and Saturday 8:00 am – 2:00 pm)

Bear Trap Inn (Route 28)

Bar/Restaurant from burgers to beer. (12:00 pm – 8:00 pm)

Stewarts Shops (Route 28)

Stop by for breakfast or lunch, ice cream and coffee. (5:00 am – 12:00 am)

Route 30 One Stop Complex (Route 30)

Delicious homemade breads, soups, sandwiches and salads, dinner on Friday night (6:00 am – 9:00 pm - Deli until 7:30 pm)

Happy Trails (6325 Main Street, Route 28/30)

American "cuisine" - hot dogs, hamburgers, chili, soup and ice cream. (9:00 am – 4:00 pm)

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Family Activities

9 - Visit the Goats (Friday and Saturday, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm)

Greet and meet Nancy's Pygora goats (pygmy and angora cross), small in size, but with big personalities, Watch as Nancy spins the goats' fur/fiber into yarn. Also, fall in love with Eme, the Livestock Guardian Dog.
(5397 NYS Route 30, 7 houses past The Lake Store on the right)

12 - 'Gifts to Give,' a Children's Holiday Workshop with Leddy Johnson (Saturday, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm)

Create unique gifts to give (or keep) in this fun-filled workshop. Excitement mounts with a visit from Santa himself! (St. Mary's Church Hall, NYS Route 28/30)

12 - Story Time with Mrs. Claus (Friday, 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm)

Meet Mrs. Claus as she reads special Christmas stories and serves home-made cookies. Be prepared for a visit from Santa himself. Take photos of your children with both Mr. and Mrs. Claus.
(St. Mary's Church Hall, NYS Route 28/30)

18 - Arts Center Candy Cane Hunt (Friday 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm)

Youth of all ages are invited to hunt for candy canes and prizes inside and outside (weather permitting) at the Arts Center. Search for specially marked "ART" candy canes to receive one of five extra-special rewards (one per youth). Enjoy cocoa, cookies and crafts while participating in the hunt.
(Adirondack Lakes Center for the Arts, 3446 Route 28, Blue Mountain Lake)

10 - Theater Fun (Indian Lake Theater, NYS Route 28/30)

"Nightmare Before Christmas," a free movie - Friday, 2:00 pm – "Only the Brave" at 7:00 pm \$7 admission
"Holiday Inn," a free movie - Saturday, 2:00 pm – "Only the Brave" at 7:00 pm \$7 admission

13 - Closing Ceremony (Saturday 4:15 pm – 5:15 pm)

We will be announcing the door prize winners and "Let There Be Light" contest winners. The MC is our very own nanogenarian Jeannie Turner! Music by Bob Marriot starts at 3:30 pm.
(Indian Lake School Gym, Route 28)

COUNTRY CHRISTMAS TOUR STEERING COMMITTEE

Nancy Harding – Chairperson, Treasurer
Taff Fitterer and Terry DeArmas – Bake Sale Fundraiser
Dolores Weisinger and Diane McCane – 4th of July Fundraiser
Mary Vianese – Artisan/Crafter Communications
Leddy Johnson, Lizzy Kries, Diane McCane, Lorraine Powers, Terry DeArmas,
Patricia Mahoney, Vicki Virgil, Dolores Weisinger – Support Personnel

For information, please call 518-648-0251

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