



Touring Tips

March 2020

With March comes **Maple Weekend** in New York state on **March 21-22 and 28-29, 2020**. This state-wide event celebrates the production of all things maple. The making of maple syrup is a key part of the state agricultural industry. See below for Maple Weekend events:

Wohlschlegel's Naples Maple Farm, 8064 Coates Road, Naples FingerLakesBulkMapleSyrup.com
Pancake breakfast (8 a.m. to 1 p.m.) and Open House (10 a.m. to 4 p.m.) both weekends. Guided tours through the sugarbush and sugarhouse with tastings of several maple products. Come enjoy maple hot dogs in the afternoon! New this year is maple ice cream sundaes featuring their bourbon barrel aged maple syrup, coffee infused maple syrup and pure natural amber maple syrup.

Kettle Ridge Farm, 515 Log Cabin Road, Victor KettleRidgeFarm.com
Open house, tours of the woods, demonstrations in the sugarhouse, free tastings of maple products and hot pancake and sausage breakfast in the barn with pure New York State maple syrup will be offered at Kettle Ridge. You can even rent one of their igloos for your breakfast, seating six people. Hours each day are 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Located less than 5 minutes from Eastview Mall and Thruway Exit 45.

Schoff's Sugar Shack, 1064 Willis Hill Road, Victor SchoffsSugarShack.com
On March 21 and 22 at noon, come for Maple Camp where families can take to the woods and tap their own maple trees. There will also be spring games for adults and kids including ring toss and corn hole, maple trivia and an outdoor campfire where visitors can make maple smores. Two pancake breakfasts are also planned for each Sunday.

Syrup A'LaRue, 927 LaRue Road, Clifton Springs
Stop by both weekends at Syrup A'LaRue from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. for Maple Weekend festivities! The fun includes adopt-a-maple and syrup subscriptions, photo and maple recipe contests as well as farm tours of the sugarbush, animal barns and blueberry fields. Also sample free maple snacks, tastings of over 12 different types of syrups and scavenger hunts!

Cumming Nature Center, 6472 Gulick Road, Naples RMSC.org/Cumming-Nature-Center
Celebrate 42 years of serving up steaming-hot stacks of pancakes at the beautiful Cumming Nature Center! They will be serving a locally sourced hot pancake breakfast from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on both weekends (vegetarian and gluten-free options available). Enjoy a delicious meal, take a group selfie in their iconic red pine stand, and wander for over 6 miles of gorgeous trails. Featuring a short educational trail where you can learn how a tree makes sap and discover different sap processing techniques through history. Maple products available for purchase.