The Schoharie Valley Association is committed to preserving the Valley’s rich history, enhancing the quality of life of those who live here, and providing a warm welcome to those who visit.

To learn more about our organization and our members, please visit our website.

schoharievalley.org
The bountiful Schoharie Valley. Any drive through our beautiful region will bring you up close to rolling pastures and fields brimming with nature’s bounty. In fact, George Washington stationed troops in the Schoharie Valley to protect one of the main sources of food for his army, earning us the nickname we continue to use with pride… *A Breadbasket of the American Revolution.* Today, you’ll find farms of all shapes and sizes, raising everything from asparagus to zucchini. And our restaurants know something many of us are only now learning about food: the closer, the better.

The historic Schoharie Valley. Even though we recently marked the 300th Anniversary of European settlement here in the Schoharie Valley, our history actually goes back hundreds of millions of years! Over time, our valley was shaped and re-shaped and has become one of the foremost agricultural areas in the Northeast. It was the valley’s fertile soil that brought Native Americans to this area as well as the first German refugees and Dutch Americans who began new lives here in 1712.

We who are living in this special place proudly till the same soil as those original settlers, and we enjoy a quality of life built on this agricultural heritage.

The momentous events that have shaped our history are on display in museums from one end of the Valley to the other. A museum showcasing prehistoric trees, preserved as spectacular fossils. A museum celebrating our region’s Native American culture. A museum recalling our Colonial past. Museums of local invention and innovation.

Come explore our museums, shop for one-of-a-kind gifts or dine in a gracious restaurant. Above all, come see the resilience of the Schoharie Valley and its people, in the enduringly picture-perfect Schoharie Valley.
Landis Arboretum (#1)
Enjoy nature's stillness in one of only three arboreta in eastern North America with old growth forest. Hundreds of acres of trees, perennial gardens and trails. Activities include workshops, stargazing, hiking and snowshoeing. Spring and Fall plant, book & bake sales. Free admission, donations accepted.

Daily from dawn to dusk
Year round

Lansing Manor (#21)
A history buff’s dream come true, Lansing Manor is filled with authentic furnishings from the early 19th century. Many period outbuildings also on the property. Built in 1819 by John Lansing, a NY delegate to the Constitutional Convention. Listed in the National Register of Historic Places.

Daily except Tuesday
May-October

Palatine House (#10)
Built by the Palatine Colonists in 1743, this building features medieval, German-style construction.

Visitors can experience colonial life and times through guided tours of the house, grounds and adjacent cemetery.

Saturday /Sunday 12-4
or by appointment
May-October

Gilboa Museum (#23)
The Gilboa fossils are the oldest fossilized trees in the world, unearthed in the early 1900s during construction of the Gilboa Dam. The museum also has two new tree species discovered during the 2010 reconstruction of the dam.

Saturday /Sunday 12-4:30
July-Labor Day
and by appointment year round

Old Stone Fort Museum Complex (#5)
The Old Stone Fort Museum Complex celebrates and preserves the rich, historic legacy of New York’s beautiful Schoharie Valley. Buildings include an early 1700s home, a 1780s Dutch barn, an 1830s law office, and an 1890s one-room schoolhouse as well as the 1772 stone church that was fortified and attacked by British forces in 1780.

In addition to the extensive exhibits, it is host to a variety of programs, lectures and special events. For the dedicated history enthusiast, a Museum Store overflows with books of local history, toys and games of the past and a research library is available to those who want to explore history and genealogy more deeply.

Monday-Saturday 10-5
and Sunday 12-5
Mid May-mid October

Weekends only
Early May and late October
The Apple Barrel Café is the perfect complement to our Country Store! Great sandwiches, wraps and salads plus a terrific selection of New York State beers and wines! See our listing (#2)

1. The Landis Arboretum
Hundreds of acres, miles of trails, wetlands, ponds, educational programs, labeled collections. Nationally recognized collection of oaks of the Northeast. NYS’s most complete collection of native plants. Part of the NYS Bluebird Trail. Two ancient forests. Site available for weddings. 1.5 miles off Route 20, follow signs, Open dawn to dusk all year. Free parking and admission, donations welcomed. 174 Lape Road, Esperance • 518-875-6935 • landisarboretum.org

2. The Apple Barrel Country Store & Café
The ultimate country store, jammed packed full of “wicked neat stuff” for home, garden and you! Our award winning café is open for lunch daily 11:00-4:00 and dinner Friday & Saturday 5:30-8:00. Store hours April through December daily 9:00-6:00. January through March daily 10:00-5:00. Located ¾ mile south of I-88 Exit 23. 115 State Route 30A, Schoharie • 518-295-7179 • applebarrelcountrystore.com

3. Schoharie Valley Farms
Home of The Carrot Barn. A family farm for all seasons. Growers of a wide variety of vegetables, small fruits, and greenhouse crops. Gifts, floral designs and a bakery featuring our carrot cakes, soups, and sandwiches. Local dairy, meat and maple products. Open 9 am-6 pm daily March 1 through December 24; Saturdays 10 am-2 pm in January and February for seasonal fare. 5605 State Route 30, Schoharie • 518-295-7139 • schoharievalleyfarms.com

4. Wellington’s Herbs & Spices

5. Old Stone Fort Museum Complex
A 1772 church fortified and attacked during the American Revolution. Six buildings house a century-old museum of rural New York life. Open May through October. 145 Fort Road, Schoharie • 518-295-7192 • theOldStoneFort.org

6. Schoharie Valley Railroad Museum
Guided tours of original buildings located at the former S.V.R.R. Yard. Station house, freight/engine house, weigh station & mill building. Restored railcars: 1891 combine, D&H caboose, wooden boxcar & flatcar. Saturday and Sunday 12 to 4 pm Memorial Day through Columbus Day, or by appointment. Depot Lane, Schoharie • 518-295-7505 • SchoharieHeritage.org

Numbers refer to map locations.

Explore a serene public garden, free admission. See listing #1

A little slice of heaven

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• Elegant Tearoom
• Spacious Country Store

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Schoharie Valley Railroad Museum
See our listing, #6

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Food, fashion & fun!

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It’s old. It’s stone. And it’s a fort.

But it’s so much more.

SEE LISTING #5

The Old Stone Fort MUSEUM
7. **Generations Antiques & Gifts**
A consignment shop accepting “stuff” on a daily basis, with heavy emphasis on antiques and collectibles. You’ll find hutches, benches, sets of chairs, books, jewelry, linens and lace, rugs, lighting, baskets, trunks, glass and china, and period and classic clothing and furs. An ever-changing inventory makes it a fun place to visit. Open daily 11 am to 5 pm. 397 Main Street, Schoharie • 518-231-7241 or 518-295-6447 • generations-antiques.com

8. **J.Lacy Hair Salon**
An AVEDA exclusive salon with very convenient hours to accommodate busy schedules of men, women and children. Complete services for your hair, nails and skin. We are your hair color/cut specialist. Walk in or make an appointment. 277 Main Street, Schoharie • 518-295-8198 • jlacyunisex.com

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Schoharie: 271 Main Street, Schoharie • 518-295-7788
Middleburgh: 299 Main Street, Middleburgh • 518-827-4111 • nbts.com

10. **1743 Palatine House**
Guided tours of the oldest building in Schoharie County and its adjacent gardens. Weekends 12-4 Memorial Day through Columbus Day, or by appointment. Spring Street, Schoharie • 518-295-7585 or 518-295-7505 • SchoharieHeritage.org

11. **Guernsey’s Schoharie Nurseries**
Over 125 years. Family-owned and operated with a knowledgeable and friendly staff. Full service nursery with delivery and installation available. Monday-Friday 8 am to 5 pm; Saturday 8 am to 4 pm; Sunday 10 am to 4 pm.
149 Bridge Street, Schoharie • 518-295-7400 • schoharienurseries.com

12. **Terrace Mountain Orchards**
50 acres of the finest quality apples you’ll find grown anywhere. Pick your own or buy already picked. Visit our Apple Barn where you’ll find a wide variety of locally grown produce, pumpkins, cider, donuts, pies and much more. Open September and October. 158 Apple Blossom Lane, Schoharie • 518-295-7755 or 518-295-8212 • terracemountainorchard.com

13. **National Bank of Coxsackie**
We pride ourselves on being a reliable hometown bank that focuses on customer service. We are committed to providing you with the finest products and services possible. 4507 State Route 30, Middleburgh • 518-827-3333 • nbcx.com

14. **The Olde Corner Store**
Schoharie County’s own Health Food Store offering natural and organic products, snacks, spices, supplements, teas and Boar’s Head deli meats and cheeses. The home of Joy’s Baked Goods including bread and cookies. Tuesday-Saturday 9-7. 308 Main Street, Middleburgh • 518-827 DELI (3354) • theoldecornerstore.com (also on Facebook)

15. **The Conglomerate**
Just like 18 specialty shops under one roof. Women’s boutique clothing, jewelry, and accessories, children’s clothing (0-4), gifts and games, home and tabletop decor, stemware, bath & body products, candles, greeting cards, fine chocolates and confections, dried fruits, nuts, herbs and spices. Always something special! Open Monday-Saturday. Look for us on Facebook! 331 Main Street, Middleburgh • 518-827-6696 • conglomerategifts.com

17. **Hubie’s Restaurant and Pizzeria**
Steaks, seafood, pizza, pasta, panini and burgers. “Make Hubie’s your dining destination.” Beer and wine available. Open Tuesday through Sunday. Visa, MC, Discover. 325 Main Street, Middleburgh • 518-827-5955
18. Under the Nose
Fresh baked goodies, beverages and local handcrafted artisan gifts such as pottery, quilts, wool items, photography and more. Relax after a hike or share a cup of tea and a treat with a friend. Located next to the Vroman’s Nose hiking trail. Thursday thru Monday 9-6, closed Tuesday and Wednesday. 207 Mill Valley Road, Middleburgh • 518-669-2752 • underthenose.com

19. Barber’s Farm
Visit our farm stand for homegrown produce or head to our fields to pick your own. Open every day May-December and weekends January-April. In the spring we offer beautiful hanging baskets, bedding plants and early produce. Summer brings fresh-picked and pick-your-own vegetables. In winter our inviting farmstand offers fresh greens from our high tunnels, storage crops, our own frozen produce, local artisan cheeses, gifts and so much more. 3/4 miles south of Middleburgh on Route 30 • 518-827-5454 • barbersfarm.com

20. Shaul Farms
Quality homegrown produce at reasonable prices. Visit our beautiful pavilion in the Schoharie Valley for an enjoyable shopping experience. Open 7 days a week mid-June through November. Route 30, Middleburgh (5 miles south of the village) • 518-827-4210 (Roadstand); 518-827-5750 (Office)

21. Lansing Manor Museum
An elegant early-1800s country estate. Admission free. Open daily except Tuesdays, 10-5, May 1-October 31. On the grounds of the New York Power Authority. 1378 State Route 30, North Blenheim • 800-724-0309 • nypa.gov

22. Aqua-Tec Water Service
Water well drilling, complete pump systems and service. Geothermal heating and cooling systems. • 607-588-9413 • waterwellsandpumps.com

23. Gilboa Museum
Come see the oldest fossil trees in the world and the town that vanished in the early 1900s. Children’s area, farm equipment barn, fossil shelter and gift shop. 12 noon to 4:30 pm weekends July-August or by appointment year round. 122 Stryker Road, Gilboa • 607-588-9413 • gilboafossils.org

24. A Taste of Europe
If you can’t go to Europe, let us bring Europe to you! Fine dining in elegant surroundings and friendly atmosphere. Open February through December, Wednesday-Sunday 4:30-8:30 pm. Reservations recommended. Banquet room with stage. Special events. 1 mile south off I 88 Exit 22. 3630 State Route 145, Cobleskill • 518-296-8000 • atasteofeurope.ny.com

25. Gobbler’s Knob Family Fun Park
Make it a day of fun for everyone! Get in the swing on our 9-hole par 3 course, an 18-hole miniature golf course or our lighted driving range. Bungee trampoline, snack bar, ice cream parlor and more. 3793 State Route 145 (just south of I-88 Exit 22), Cobleskill • 518-296-8008 • gobblerknob.us