

Summer & Fall Events in the Monroe County Parks

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▪ JULY

- **Concerts By The Shore Series** at the Bandstand in Ontario Beach Park, hosted by the [Ontario Beach Park Planning Committee](#), **Every Wednesday night in June, July & August, 7-9pm**
- **Shakespeare in the Park** at Highland Park Bowl, hosted by the [Rochester Community Players](#), **July 2-17 (see RCP website for showtimes)**
- **The Big Rib Barbeque and Blues Fest** at Highland Park, **July 8-11**
- **The Sports and Music Festival** at Ontario Beach Park, hosted by the [Monroe County Sports Commission](#), **July 10-11**
- **FREE Movies in the Parks** at Ontario Beach Park (Tuesdays) & Highland Park Bowl (Thursdays), hosted by the Monroe County Parks Department, Starting **July 13, extending through August 19**
- **Beach Pole Vault Competition** at Ontario Beach Park, hosted by [Rochester Rockback](#), **July 17 (raindate July 18)**
- **Jungle Jog** at Seneca Park, hosted by the [Seneca Park Zoo Society](#), **July 18**
- **Pride Picnic** at Genesee Valley Park, sponsored by the [Gay Alliance of the Genesee Valley](#), **July 18**
- **Dirt Cheap Trail Series #4** at Mendon Ponds Park, hosted by [Fleet Feet Sports](#), **July 21**
- **Ten Ugly Men Festival** at Genesee Valley Park, **July 24-25**
- **Rochester Orienteering Club's** Event at Durand Eastman Park, **July 24**
- **Sweet Music By the Lake** at Ontario Beach Park, hosted by the [Ontario Beach Park Planning Committee](#), **July 25**

▪ AUGUST

- **FREE Movies in the Parks** at Ontario Beach Park (Tuesdays) & Highland Park Bowl (Thursdays), hosted by the Monroe County Parks Department, Starting **July 13, extending through August 19**
- **ABOVE African-American Festival** at Highland Park Bowl, **August 7**
- **Sand Soccer Tournament** at Ontario Beach Park, hosted by [The Soccer Shack](#), **August 8**
- **Rochester Orienteering Club's** Event at Black Creek Park, **August 11**
- **Soccer in the Sand** Tournament at Ontario Beach Park, **August 14**
- **Weltman Memorial 5K** at Ontario Beach Park, **August 15**
- **Walnut Hill Farm Carriage Competition** at Mendon Ponds Park, hosted by the [Pittsford Carriage Association](#), **August 15**
- **Dirt Cheap Trail Series #5** at Webster Park, hosted [by Fleet Feet Sports](#), **August 18**
- **Rochester Radio Control Club** Event at Northampton Park, **August 21-22**
- **Rochester Orienteering Club's** Event at Powder Mills Park, **August 21**
- **Red Ribbon Ride** at Genesee Valley Park, hosted by [AIDS Care](#), **August 22**

- **UK Car Day** at Genesee Valley Park, hosted by the [Greater Rochester Triumph Club](#), **August 22**
- **Salute to Seniors Event** at Ontario Beach Park, hosted by [County Executive Maggie Brooks](#), **August 26**
- **Smoke, Flames, and Courage Event** at Ontario Beach Park, **August 28-29**
- **Bark for Life Walk** at Ellison Park, hosted by [The American Cancer Society](#), **August 28**
- **Healthy Choices 5K Walk/Run** at Genesee Valley Park, hosted by Living Word Temple of Restoration, **August 28**
- **Pound the Ground for Vets 5K** at Genesee Valley Park, hosted by [The Veterans' Outreach Center](#), **August 29**
- **SEPTEMBER**
 - **Summerfest 12K & 5K** at Mendon Ponds Park, hosted [by Fleet Feet Sports](#), **September 4**
 - **Drum Corps Associates Championships** at Genesee Valley and Highland Parks, hosted by [Drum Corps Associates](#), **September 3-5**
 - **Run for Mercy 5K** at Genesee Valley Park, hosted by [The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints](#), **September 11**
 - **Rochester Pagan Pride Day Festival** at Ellison Park, hosted by the [Greater Rochester Pagan Pride Project](#), **September 11**
 - **Dirt Cheap Trail Series #6** at Ellison Park Wetlands, hosted by [Fleet Feet Sports](#), **September 15**
 - [Rochester Orienteering Club's](#) Event at Highland Park, **September 18**
 - **Walk to Defeat ALS** at Ontario Beach Park, hosted by the [ALS Association Upstate NY Chapter](#), **September 18**
 - **International Coastal Cleanup** at Ontario Beach Park, Durand Eastman Park, and TBD, **September 25**
 - **Memory Walk 2010** at Mendon Ponds Park, hosted by the [Alzheimer's Association](#), **September 25**
 - **Children Awaiting Parents Walk** at Ontario Beach Park, **September 25**
 - **Rochester Kidney Walk** at Seneca Park, hosted by the [National Kidney Foundation of Upstate New York](#), **September 26**
 - **Cyclocross** at Ellison Park, hosted by [Full Moon Vista](#), **September 25-26**
 - **Conservation Field Days** at Ellison Park, hosted by the [Monroe County Soil & Water Conservation District](#), **September 28-30**
- **OCTOBER**
 - [McQuaid](#) Invitational Cross-Country Meet at Genesee Valley Park, **October 2**
 - **Lupus Walk** at Seneca Park, hosted by [The Lupus Foundation of America, Genesee Valley Chapter](#), **October 2**
 - [Rochester Orienteering Club's](#) Event at Mendon Ponds Park, **October 3**
 - **Rochester Autumn Classic Duathlon** at Mendon Ponds Park, hosted by [Fleet Feet Sports](#), **October 3**
 - **Out of the Darkness Community Walk** at Genesee Valley Park, hosted by the [American Foundation for Suicide Prevention](#), **October 3**
 - **Walking on Sunshine Event** at Ontario Beach Park, hosted by the [Mary Cariola Center](#), **October 3**

- **Head of the Genesee Crew Race** at Genesee Valley Park, hosted by the [Genesee Waterways Center](#), **October 9-10**
- **Hike for Haccamo** at Greece Canal, Mendon Ponds, and Seneca Parks, hosted by [Camp Haccamo](#), **October 10**
- **Romancing the River Event** at Ontario Beach Park, hosted by the [Ontario Beach Park Planning Committee](#), **October 10**
- **NCAA Regional Cross Country Championships** at Genesee Valley Park, hosted by the [University of Rochester](#), **October 16**
- **Rochester Step Out Walk** at Genesee Valley park, hosted by the [American Diabetes Association](#), **October 16**
- **Seneca Invitational Cross Country Meet** at Seneca Park, hosted by [Section V Athletics](#), **October 16**