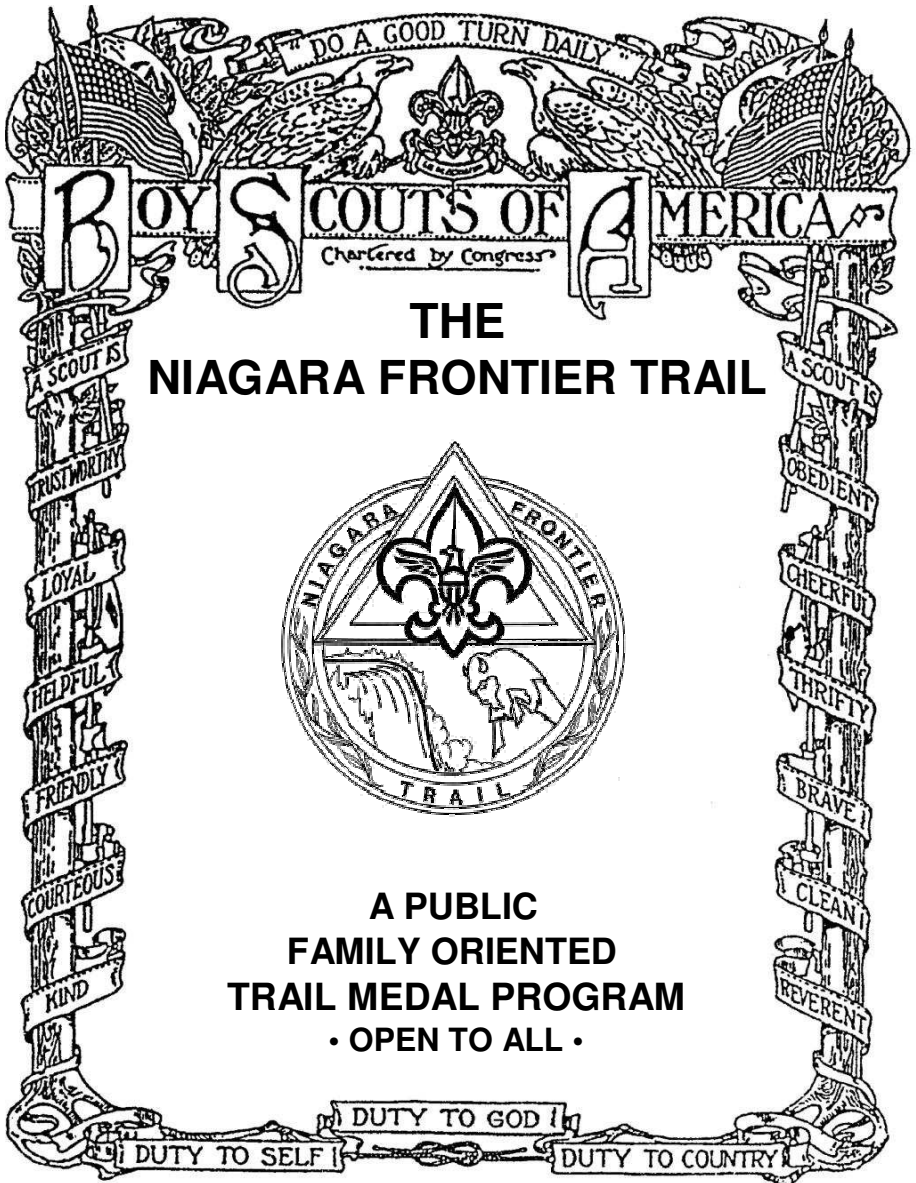


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# The Niagara Frontier Family Trail Program

## Welcome to Western New York and the Niagara Frontier!

The Niagara Frontier is one of the most historically significant areas in the United States. Few regions can claim as much impact on our early development as a nation: The Iroquois Confederacy; military fortresses and battlegrounds; the development of hydro-electric power; gateway for the mass movement of settlers and goods across the Great Lakes and Mid-West heartland of America; home to immigrants and refugees from all lands; and, the awesome natural wonder of Niagara Falls, are just a few of the unique heritage-treasures that should be known and appreciated by people of all ages.

The Greater Niagara Frontier Council, Boy Scouts of America, established and maintains the “Niagara Frontier Trail” as an opportunity for families of Scouts, and non-Scouts alike, to discover the rich heritage of the Niagara Frontier. Through this program, the Council also has an incomparable opportunity to further its work in providing educational support to young people and fostering family unity.

The Niagara Frontier Family Trail is a unique program, centered around a two-day experience that includes a 30 mile motor tour of many of the historical highlights of the area, with specific activities along the way and follow-up projects after-ward. Upon completion, each participant — Scout or not, young or old — is eligible to receive the trail medal. This program can be completed at any time during the year, however, it is strongly urged that it be attempted between April 1st and October 31st, as some of the sites maintain seasonal closing periods.

The “Trail” begins at *Old Fort Niagara National Historic Landmark* (Youngstown) and proceeds to the *New York Power Vista* (Lewiston), then the *Niagara Reservation State Park* and the mighty Falls of Niagara (Niagara Falls). Continuing on, the other sites are: the *Buffalo History Museum* (Buffalo); the *Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural National Historic Site* (Buffalo); *Forest Lawn Cemetery* (Buffalo), which is the burial site of U.S. President Millard Fillmore, famed Seneca orator “Red Jacket,” U.S. Congresswoman - Shirley Chisholm, and

“Pony Express” partner William D. Fargo; and concludes at the *Buffalo & Erie County Naval & Military Park* (Buffalo). Numerous side-trip options abound including: *The National Shrine Basilica of Our Lady of Fatima* (Lewiston); the *Aquarium of Niagara* (Niagara Falls); and, in Buffalo, the *Albright-Knox Art Gallery*, the *Buffalo Museum of Science*, and Frank Lloyd Wright’s *Darwin D. Martin House*.

An important part of the Trail program is its “*Hunt for Knowledge*.” At each stop on the tour, you must look for answers to certain questions — listed in the Trail Booklet — which deal specifically with each site. Good touring, good learning, and, Good Luck! The list of specific requirements follows.

**\*Please note: While this program contains the name “Family Trail,” and was developed to help encourage family unity, it is open to anyone and any group interested in participating. It is a recognized reality of life, today, that “family” takes many forms. The important thing in all of this is that you undertake and experience the journey together.**

## **Trail Medal Requirements:**

**1 . Read this pamphlet thoroughly.** Sit down as a family and plan your Historic Trail, including any side-trips you may want to take. Designate responsibilities to everyone, such as: •Making advance reservations •Navigating and map reading •Driving and paying tolls •Asking questions or directions •Taking pictures or collecting postcards and brochures

**2 . Visit all seven “required” sites on the trail and answer all the questions listed in this booklet for each location.** Everyone must be neat and courteous at all times. Scouts are encouraged to wear their uniform while on the Trail.

**Pre and post-visit research is strongly encouraged !!!**

**3 . Complete any two of the projects listed below:**

- a. Make a family/group album of your trip (hard copy or digital), using either photographs you have taken, or postcards and brochures (or a combination) of the places you visited.
- b. Construct a diorama of the Niagara River, showing Lake Erie, the Falls, the Niagara Gorge, and Lake Ontario. Show it at school or group meeting.

- c. Write “thank you” notes to all those who helped you along the Trail.
- d. Take a side-trip and visit another point of interest that was not one of the required seven.
- e. Put together a presentation, and show it at school, Scout, or other group meeting.

**4 . Complete and sign the certification form in the back of this pamphlet (if you are under 18 years of age have parent, guardian or leader sign it) and mail to:**

Greater Niagara Frontier Council  
Boy Scouts of America  
Trail Medal Program  
2860 Genesee Street Buffalo, NY 14225-3131

*To order medals, please follow the instructions on that page.*

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For additional assistance in planning your “Family Adventure,” and more information on the many experiences the Niagara Frontier has to offer, you may wish to contact:

•Buffalo Niagara Convention and Visitors Bureau•  
617 Main Street, Suite 200  
Buffalo, NY 14203-1496

Phone: (716) 852-0511 or (800) BUFFALO or (888) 2BUFFNY  
[www.VisitBuffaloNiagara.com](http://www.VisitBuffaloNiagara.com)

• New York State Travel Information (official) •

Phone: (800) CALL-NYS  
[www.iloveny.com](http://www.iloveny.com)

*PLEASE NOTE: The phrase “Buffalo Niagara” originated as a marketing device and strategy put into use by commercial entities in Buffalo and Erie County to capitalize on the name-recognition that goes with “Niagara Falls.” Though there is a regional sound to it all, the reality is that the primary aim of most enterprises using the “Buffalo Niagara” monicker is to boost tourism, convention bookings, and other economic interests in the City of Buffalo and Erie County, not to further similar efforts in the City of Niagara Falls and Niagara County. The tourism and convention folks in Buffalo are very nice and quite helpful with providing information on the world-class attractions of that city; however, detailed information on attractions to the north (in Niagara County) are best obtained directly from those sites.*

**NOTE: Ongoing fiscal concerns on both State and Federal levels can greatly affect funding assistance to many public and private locales. Verify operating information directly with each site when planning your visit.**

## Required Sites (7 in all) :

### 1. Old Fort Niagara National Historic Landmark

*(located in Fort Niagara State Park, Youngstown, NY)*

Old Fort Niagara Association

PO Box 169

Youngstown, NY 14174-0169

Phone: (716)745-7611 Fax:(716)745-9141

[www.oldfortniagara.org](http://www.oldfortniagara.org) [ofn@oldfortniagara.org](mailto:ofn@oldfortniagara.org)

Old Fort Niagara is one of the most significant historic sites in North America and the Great Lakes Region. Situated on the shore of Lake Ontario at the mouth of the Niagara River, the permanent fortress was begun and garrisoned by France in 1726 (after two failed attempts in the 17th-century), lost to Great Britain (1759-1796) during the French & Indian War, turned-over to the United States (1796-1813) under terms of “Jay’s Treaty,” re-taken by Britain (1813-1815) during the War of 1812, and returned to the United States (1815-Present) in accordance with provisions of the Treaty of Ghent. Following the Civil War era, the Fort was modernized and vastly expanded beyond the “old” walls of the original. The expanded post, or “new” Fort Niagara was an active Army base until June of 1963.

In the 1920’s, the Old Fort Niagara Association was formed to save and restore the “old” Fort (which was still being used for living quarters, and storage) as a museum. With the help of Federal and local citizens, school children, Scouts, and Army officials, the goal was achieved. Today, Old Fort Niagara is a Registered National Historic Landmark, owned by the State of New York and operated by the Old Fort Niagara Association under license from the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation, and Historic Preservation. Six original 18th-century buildings stand within its wall. The “French Castle” was the first permanent structure on the site (1726) and is the oldest original building in the Great Lakes area. The Fort is a center for a multitude of colorful “living history” events, and houses a significant archaeological collection, research & conservation facility. The grounds of New Fort Niagara were converted into a State Park when the United States Army decommissioned the base in 1963.

•Open: Daily (9:00 a.m.), except New Year’s, Thanksgiving, and Christmas. Closing time varies by season.

•Admission: Yes; various rates. Contact Fort office for current structure. Group and AAA discounts are available. Scout group overnights, and other educational programs, are available by prior arrangement. Please note that entry to the Fort is through the Visitor Center.

•Parking Fee (seasonal): Check with Fort office for current policy, which is governed by the NY State Parks Department.

**Questions to be answered:**

1. What major lakes are connected by the Niagara River, and why was the location of Fort Niagara and its control so critical to France and Great Britain?

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2. What is the oldest building at Fort Niagara?

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3. Prior to the construction of Fort Niagara, the French made two other attempts to garrison the site. What were these forts named; when were they built; when were they abandoned? What famous French explorer built the first of these forts?

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4. What fort was Niagara's main adversary during the War of 1812?

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5. Why do the two British-built "Redoubts" have chinese-style roofs?

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6. What does the Rush-Bagot Memorial commemorate?

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7. In which Native American nation's territory was Fort Niagara built, and of what powerful confederacy are they a member?

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## 2. Niagara Power Project — Power Vista

Power Vista & Visitors Center  
New York Power Authority  
5777 Lewiston Road  
Lewiston, NY 14092-2121  
Phone: (716)286-6661  
[www.nypa.gov/vc/niagara.htm](http://www.nypa.gov/vc/niagara.htm)

One of the earth's greatest natural wonders, Niagara Falls, is also one of the world's largest electric power producers. Since colonial days, man has harnessed the waters of the Niagara River to aid him in his daily labors. The ways in which that energy has been developed, and how it is being used today, are described in the exhibits of the New York Power Vista.

The Vista is located 350 feet above the Niagara River Gorge, crowning the New York Power Authority's Niagara Power Project generators. It is part of the total complex of intakes, underground water conduits, reservoir, holding bay, and tur-bines which are integral to the production of the hydro-electric power. In addition, the view of the magnificent gorge is unsure-passed from the outer deck.

- The Power Vista goes through regular renovations which can affect its opening to the public. Check with their office to confirm current visitor status (as regards possible Homeland Security closings), public hours, admission fees (if any), and parking.
- The complex is located directly next to the campus of Niagara University (founded, 1856; present location, 1857), home of the renowned Castellani Art Museum. University phone: (716)285-1212. Castellani Art Museum: (716)286-8200.

### Questions to be answered:

1. What body of water directly supplies the Niagara Power Project? Where does water first enter the system?

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2. In general, how is hydro-electricity generated at Niagara?

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3. Who was the first person to tap the river for commercial purposes?

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4. In what year was hydro-electric power first produced on the Niagara River?

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5. How large is the Niagara Power Project Reservoir in size (acres) and volume (gallons)?

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6. The Hydro-Canada counterpart to the Niagara Power Project (located directly across the River) was named in honor of whom?

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### **3. Niagara Reservation State Park~ Niagara Falls**

NY State Office of Parks, Recreation & Historic Preservation  
Niagara Regional Office

PO Box 1132 • Niagara Falls, NY 14303-0132

Phones: Office (716)278-1770/278-1796 Fax: (716)278-1744

[www.nysparks.com](http://www.nysparks.com) (Search: Niagara Falls State Park)

[www.niagarafallsstatepark.com](http://www.niagarafallsstatepark.com) (commercial site)

Established in 1885, Niagara Reservation State Park is the oldest STATE park in the nation. In addition to the United States' portion of the "Great Cataracts," it includes Prospect Point, Goat Island (with Terrapin Point), Luna Island, Bridal Veil Falls, and The Three Sisters Islands. The seasonally operated *Maid of the Mist Boat Tour*, *Cave of the Winds*, people-mover system, and *Orin Lehman Visitors' Center-Festival Theater* are all accessed here (the *Niagara Gorge Discovery Center* can be accessed via the people-mover system from here as well). The Falls can be viewed free-of-charge, but parking fees exist, as do fees for the *Maid of the Mist*, *Cave of the Winds*, *Festival Theater*, *Niagara Gorge Discovery Center*, and the people-mover.

•The New York State Park "Passport to the Falls" offers a good savings if you are going to visit ALL of the included attractions AND (highly recommended) use the "people-mover" system. The Pass may include admission to the *Aquarium of Niagara*. Please call the Park Office for current rates and included attractions.



•Parking in any of the three State-owned lots (1 at Prospect Point, 2 on Goat Island) is expensive by local standards, but the most practical if spending the day (fee good for same-day re-entry). The one to aim for first is the Prospect Point Lot, directly south of the Rainbow Bridge and accessed from the mainland; next is the large lot on the west end of Goat Island (at Terrapin Point); absolute last resort (it's a very long hike) is the small lot at the east end of Goat Island. Municipal parking (City owned) is equally expensive (the open-air lot between Third Street and Rainbow Boulevard, although somewhat farther away, is preferable to the municipal ramp attached to the vacant Rainbow Center; avoid both after dark). **AVOID PRIVATE PARKING LOTS and the SENECA NIAGARA CASINO RAMP.**

•Ongoing renovations near the Rainbow Bridge, in the Park, and on City streets, will impact parking and movement to some degree. Be prepared for potential seasonal delays.

**Questions to be answered:**

1. Who was Father Louis Hennepin, and why is he important to the history of Niagara Falls?

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2. How did Goat Island get its name? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. What is the name of the group of 3 islands clustered off the south side of Goat Island, and who were they named after?

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4. "Niagara Falls" is actually composed of two primary cata-racts — the "American Falls" and the "Horseshoe Falls" — plus the small "Bridal Veil Falls." Is the "Horseshoe Falls" in United States or Canadian territory? \_\_\_\_\_

5. In what year were the American and Bridal Veil Falls "turned off" by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers so that they could be examined, and stabilization options evaluated? How did they accomplish this feat? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. The rate of water flow over Niagara Falls is greater during daytime hours than at night. Why is this? \_\_\_\_\_
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#### **4. Buffalo History Museum**

*(formerly known as the Buffalo and Erie County Historical Society)* One Museum Court • Buffalo, NY 14216  
Phone: (716)873-9644 Fax: (716)873-8754  
www.buffalohistory.org

The Buffalo History Museum is one of the oldest regional organizations of its type in the country. Founded in 1862 as the Buffalo Historical Society, its first president was Millard Fillmore, 13th President of the United States.

The building which now houses the museum and serves as a research center, was built of white Vermont marble and de-signed to be used as the “New York State Building” for the 1901 Pan-American Exposition. This National Historic Landmark was the only building specifically designed to remain after the Expo and is the primary repository for: more than 80,000 artifacts documenting the area’s cultural heritage; 20,000 books; 200,000 photographs; and, 2000 manuscripts.

•The Museum is open daily, except Monday. It is also closed New Year’s Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas. Check with their office for times and admission costs, and any potential seasonal changes. •The Museum is near the world-famous Albright-Knox Art Gallery ([www.albrightknox.org](http://www.albrightknox.org)), whose permanent collection includes works by Picasso, Van Gogh, Matisse, Derain, Monet, and Renoir. Although intended (hoped for in planning) to serve first as the Fine Arts Pavilion of the 1901 Pan-American Exposition, the “Albright Art Gallery” was not completed until 1905, well after the Expo.

#### **Questions to be answered:**

1. In what year was the original Erie Canal completed, and what was the relationship of Buffalo, New York, to it? Name the first boat to transverse the Canal; when, and from where, did it depart. Also, by what derogatory “nick-name” was the Canal known by its detractors, and why? \_\_\_\_\_
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2. Why was the Erie Canal so important to the history of the United States, as well as the State of New York? \_\_\_\_\_

3. By what “regal” sounding title is the City of Buffalo known? \_\_\_\_\_

4. In what building at the 1901 Pan-American Exposition was President William McKinley shot? \_\_\_\_\_

5. During what armed conflict was Buffalo attacked and burned by British forces? \_\_\_\_\_

6. When was the original “Buffalo Lighthouse” built? \_\_\_\_\_

7. The east-coast based whaling industry of the 19th and early 20th centuries advertised heavily, for sailors, in Buffalo as well as Boston and New York City. Why those cities, in general, and Buffalo in particular? \_\_\_\_\_

## 5. Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural National Historic Site

*(also known, locally, as The Wilcox Mansion)*

641 Delaware Avenue

Buffalo, NY 14202

Phone: (716)884-0095

[www.TRsite.org](http://www.TRsite.org)

Following the assassination of President William McKinley, at the 1901 Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo, Theodore Roosevelt was inaugurated as our nation’s 26th President in the library of the Wilcox Mansion (an historic home in its own rights at the time). The building is the only National Park Service location in Western New York, and one of just five inaugural sites located outside of Washington, D.C. For the record, Theodore Roosevelt was, and remains, the youngest President of the United States at the time of his inauguration.

Featured attractions include: guided tours of the house; permanent and changing exhibits; architectural walking tours; period gardens; and, numerous special events through-out the year. Extensive renovations and exhibit expansion have been completed.

“Teddy” Roosevelt was a good friend of Scouting in its early years and was the first and only Chief Scout Citizen. His oldest son, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., served on the National Board of the Boy Scouts of America for many years and was a strong advocate for the program until his death five weeks after World War II’s “D-Day” operations in 1944. Father (Col.) and son (Brig. Gen.) both are recipients of the United States Medal of Honor. •Owned by the U.S. National Park Service, this locale is subject to federal budget and closing restraints. Check with the site office for hours of operation, admission fees, and parking information. Often overlooked, the TRINHS is a fascinating gem!

**Questions to be answered:**

1. On what date was President McKinley shot? Who was the assassin, and why did he do it; what was the killer’s ultimate fate?  
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2. On what date did President McKinley die, and Vice-President Theodore Roosevelt take the oath of office as President?  
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3. What was the name of the house in which President McKinley died, and where was it located?  
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4. During President McKinley’s first term of office, he appointed Theodore Roosevelt to what federal position? How long did he hold this post, and why did he resign it?  
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5. At the time of his election in 1900 as Vice-President (for McKinley’s second term), what political office did Roosevelt hold? Who did McKinley and Roosevelt defeat in that election?  
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6. Teddy Roosevelt was, himself, the victim of an assassination attempt while running for President on the Progressive (or “Bull Moose”) Party line in the 1912 election. Just before he was to make a speech, in Milwaukee, he was shot; a glass case in his pocket deflected the bullet and probably saved his life. Even with the bullet in his chest, Roosevelt insisted on making the speech; he recovered in about two weeks. What was the date of the attempt; who was the would-be assassin and his occupation; what was the shooter’s fate?
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7. The Roosevelt Inaugural Site is also known as the “Wilcox Mansion.” Who was Wilcox, and why was the inauguration held there? \_\_\_\_\_
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8. What were the “Buffalo Barracks,” and what was their relationship to the location of the Wilcox Mansion?
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9. In what year was the mansion officially acquired by the National Park Service to care for as the Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural National Historic Site? \_\_\_\_\_

## **6. Forest Lawn Cemetery (Buffalo)**

1411 Delaware Avenue  
Buffalo, NY 14209  
Phone: (716)885-1600  
[www.forest-lawn.com](http://www.forest-lawn.com)

Designed by Buffalo, NY, lawyer Charles E. Clarke, who purchased the land in 1849, this incredible 269-acre cemetery contains some of the finest examples of funerary art and architecture in the United States, including the Frank Lloyd Wright-designed Blue-Sky Mausoleum™. Frederick Law Olmsted, who was one of the designers of New York City's Central Park, as well as the Niagara Reservation State Park in Niagara Falls, has been incorrectly identified in some publications (including a few local "official" tourism guides) as the architect of the site.

Following the opening of the Erie Canal and Buffalo's place as the western terminus of the new inland waterway, the city grew substantially, and by 1849 its port had become the busiest grain-transfer site in the world. As the population increased accordingly, Clarke realized the need for a cemetery of sufficient size to serve the needs of the booming population. His de-sign concepts were inspired by the *Père-Lachaise* Cemetery in Paris, France, which was established by Napoleon-I in 1804, and named after Père (Father) François de la Chaise (1624-1709), confessor to King Louis XIV.

First and foremost, Forest Lawn is a final resting place for the departed, ranging from ordinary folk to former President of the United States Millard Fillmore (who was interred there in 1874). More than that, it includes outstanding examples of public and private sculpture and monument architecture, balancing works of art with nature. It is one of the finest spots in the north-east to observe the migration of birds, with nearly 250 types having been sighted. More than 10,000 trees adorn the grounds, representing 200 different species and varieties.

**Questions to be answered:**

1. Whose remains were the first interred at Forest Lawn, and in what year did the funeral take place?

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2. The statue of famed Seneca orator Red Jacket depicts him wearing the large oval-shaped Peace Medal awarded to him by what United States President?

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3. What bell, which won the Gold Medal at the Paris Exposition of 1867, is tolled electronically for each funeral procession entering the cemetery?

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4. What founder of the United States Weather Service and first commander of the U.S. Army Signal Corps is interred in the 1857 Walden-Myer Mausoleum in Section X of Forest Lawn?

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5. When (year) did architect Frank Lloyd Wright design his "Blue-Sky Mausoleum™," and when (year) was it built?

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6. What Native American interred at Forest Lawn, while a military adjutant to United States Army General Ulysses S. Grant, scribed the formal surrender document signed by Confederate General Robert E. Lee at Appomattox, Virginia, in 1865, that effectively ended the American Civil War?

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7. What beloved African-American U.S. Congresswoman called Buffalo "Home" for a number of years, and is interred there at Forest Lawn Cemetery? \_\_\_\_\_

8. What Czarist-Russia Prince rests in peace at Forest Lawn?

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## **7. Buffalo & Erie County Naval & Military Park**

1 Naval Park Cove

Buffalo, NY 14202

Phone: (716)847-1773

[www.buffalonaivalpark.org](http://www.buffalonaivalpark.org)      [info@buffalonaivalpark.org](mailto:info@buffalonaivalpark.org)

**\*Please note: Getting to this site is heavily impacted by ongoing municipal construction. It is strongly advised that you contact the Naval Park Office before you visit, to verify the current situation, then follow their recommendation. Municipal-posted signage (directional and parking) for the site is confusing...be patient...it's worth it.**

Located on the Buffalo waterfront, the Naval & Military Park is the largest inland facility of its kind in the United States. All branches of the Armed Forces are represented in the exhibits. Visitors have the opportunity to tour the decks and hulls of the Guided Missile Cruiser *USS Little Rock* (CL-92/ CLG-4), the battle-scarred Destroyer *USS The Sullivans* (DD-537), and the WW-II era Submarine *USS Croaker* (SS-246/SSK-246). Also, on site is Motor Torpedo Boat *PTF-17*, as well as planes, a tank, and more. Overnight encampments are avail-able for youth groups, such as Scouts, on board the *Little Rock*. •The site is open to the public on a seasonal basis: daily, from April through October; weekends, in November. Check to con-firm hours and admission fees, as well as parking information.

**Questions to be answered:**

1. What kind of airplane (manufacturer and type) is “Snooks 2nd,” and who was its pilot? \_\_\_\_\_
  
2. When was the *USS Little Rock* (CLG-4) decommissioned, and what was her approximate compliment of crewmen?  
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3. What are the names of the five Sullivan brothers for whom the *USS The Sullivans* (DD-537) is named? On what ship did they serve during World War II? \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. In what two combat theaters of World War II did “Motor Torpedo Boats” (PT Boats) prove invaluable to U.S. and allied forces, and wreak havoc on enemy targets?  
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5. In what operational areas did *USS Croaker* serve under its initial designation (SS-246), and after conversion (SSK-246)?  
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6. The nuclear-powered submarine *USS Buffalo* (SSN-715) – which was named after the City of Buffalo, New York – is designated as what “class” and “type” of vessel? What was the date of its “christening “and launch? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. In whose memory is the Museum Building named? Also, a permanent exhibit gallery on board the *Little Rock* show-cases uniforms and memorabilia from which allied (WW-II) group — many of whose veterans settled in, and around, Buffalo? \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: While present-day GPS navigation systems continue to improve, the reality is that they are often wrong and useless, depending on your location. It is urged, strongly, that you equip your self with good detailed traditional (printed) street maps of Buffalo and Niagara Falls when traversing the Trail.**



## ... Notes ...

**Questions regarding the Trail Medal Program? Please contact our  
Camping Department (716) 512-6216.**

**An Answer Key will be sent following receipt of each Completion  
Certification & Medal Order. The Key contains an extensive  
amount of additional educational information.**



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Orders for Niagara Frontier Trail Medals are fulfilled by the Niagara Frontier Scout Shop, located in the Greater Niagara Frontier Council, BSA, Service Center. The Scout Shop is operated directly by BSA National Supply, which sets the medal price & shipping cost.



Records of Trail Medal completion are kept and maintained directly by the Greater Niagara Frontier Council, BSA.

All mail orders for Medals, as well as Completion Certifications, should be sent to the indicated Scout Shop address. The Shop will fulfill the orders and forward the Trail Completion records

to the Scout Council for documentation and filing.

Orders & Completion Certification may be submitted, in person, at the Niagara Frontier Scout Shop. An Answer Key will be sent, following receipt of each Completion Certification & Medal Order.

• Questions regarding the Trail Medal Program? Please contact our camping department at (716) 512-6216.

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## Niagara Frontier Trail Medal Certification & Medal Order

Please complete and return this order form and the "Certification Statement" on the next page.

Thank you.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping Address (including Zip Code):

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Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

# of Medals @ \$8.69each: \_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_ + \$7.50 Shipping

Grand Total (\$US): \_\_\_\_\_ Payment: \_\_\_ Check \_\_\_ Credit Card

Credit Card (please circle): Master Card / Visa / Discover / American Express

Name as it appears on Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Expir.: \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail to:

Niagara Frontier Scout Shop

Attn: Trail Medal Program

2860 Genesee St. • Buffalo, NY 14225-3131

Please Make Checks Payable to: "Niagara Frontier Scout Shop"



## Old Fort Niagara

DATE VISITED: \_\_\_\_\_



## New York Power Authority Niagara Power Project Power Vista

DATE VISITED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE VISITED: \_\_\_\_\_



NIAGARA RESERVATION  
STATE PARK  
"NIAGARA FALLS"

## Forest Lawn

DATE VISITED: \_\_\_\_\_



DATE VISITED: \_\_\_\_\_

## THEODORE ROOSEVELT INAUGURAL NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

DATE VISITED: \_\_\_\_\_



DATE VISITED: \_\_\_\_\_

## Niagara Frontier Trail Medal Certification

*I do hereby attest to the fact that the following named individuals have completed all of the requirements for the Niagara Frontier Trail Medal: (X) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: / /*

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2. \_\_\_\_\_ 7. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 8. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ 9. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_ 10. \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Youths (under 18 years of age) \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Adults (18 years of age & older) \_\_\_\_\_

Did you complete the Trail as a: Family \_\_\_\_\_ Group \_\_\_\_\_ or Individual \_\_\_\_\_?

If done as a Group, please include organizational name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please mail with Medal order page to:**  
Niagara Frontier Scout Shop  
Attn: Trail Medal Program  
2860 Genesee St. • Buffalo, NY 14225-3131