

DICKENS SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



The following occur every Saturday and Sunday from Thanksgiving thru Dec 24 PLUS Fri, Nov 24 Noon-4pm & Tues Dec 24 Noon-2:30pm

Presented by: The Sherwood Inns and Appetites, Skaneateles Area Chamber of Commerce Foundation and the Skaneateles-Area Business Community

- ***FREE PARKING** ~ Locations: Austin Park Pavilion (corner of Jordan and Austin Sts, across from St. Mary's Church), Skaneateles High School Lower Lot (Across from the top of Leitch Ave on Elizabeth Street).
- *Noon kick-off to Dickens each day on the porch of the Hannum House (corner of Genesee & Hannum Streets)
- *Strolling Dickens characters performing interactive street theatre
- *Father Christmas greets children from 12:30-2 pm, and 3-4 pm at the Masonic Temple Porch, 13 E. Genesee St.
- *Free roasted chestnuts in front of The Savage Homestead (61 E Genesee Street). *Brought to you by: The Savage Homestead and TOPS Friendly Markets*
- ***Horse-drawn wagon and carriage rides** Nov. 29 and every Sunday (weather permitting), departing from The Sherwood Inn, provided by Rt. 80 Quarry Ridge Stables. Wagon rides are \$5 per person, \$20 per family (of up to five), \$5 for each additional person thereafter. Private carriage rides are offered for a \$50 donation (cash only).
- *Free eggnog served by local Girl Scout Troops every Saturday at 42 E. Genesee St. Eggnog courtesy of *Byrne Dairy*
- *Caroling at 2 pm at the Gazebo. *The Mid-Day Revels!* (Poor weather location...Hannum House Porch)
- *Appearances by the **Bright Friday Brass**, Nov. 29 and every Saturday.
- *Live shows and music at the Skaneateles Library, 1 and 3 pm daily! See the calendar below.
- *Sing Christmas carols with the "Dickens Singers" - listen for them throughout the village
- *Mother Goose reads to children at Loft 42 from 12:30 – 4 pm (42 E. Genesee St./lobby of the building)

Everyday:

Snowshoes are available to rent on the trails at Baltimore Woods Nature Center (4007 Bishop Hill Rd., Marcellus, NY 13108). Free for members, \$5 for non-members. Trails are always open from dawn to dusk (only a 10-minute drive from Skaneateles!).

EVERY SATURDAY DURING DICKENS

Local wine and distillery tastings, Village Bottle Shop (18 W. Genesee St.). 1-4 p.m.

Live music at Anyela's Vineyard (2433 W. Lake Road). 3-6 p.m. www.anyelasvineyards.com

NOVEMBER DICKENS EVENTS

Bright Fri., Nov. 29 - World's Smallest Christmas Parade! Starts at NOON, don't be late or you will miss it! Grand entrance of Charles Dickens and his entourage. Meet Queen Victoria, Father Christmas, Scrooge, Tiny Tim, the Spirit of Christmas Past, the Ghost of Jacob Marley, along with finishing school girls, pickpockets, and other villagers! Grand opening immediately following the parade on the steps of the Hannum House next to the Sherwood Inn.

Fri., Nov. 29 - "A Sleepy Hollow Christmas" trunk show with Washington Irving at the Gazebo in Clift Park, 12:30 p.m.

Fri., Nov 29 – Mother Goose reading holiday stories to children at Loft 42 (42 E. Genesee St./ lobby of the building). 12:30 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Fri., Nov 29 – Finishing School Girls perform at Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.). Upstairs, lift available. Entertainment for the entire family. 1 p.m.

Fri., Nov. 29 - Midday Revels. Christmas carol sing-along with the Dickens Cast at the Gazebo. 2 p.m.

Fri., Nov. 29 - "A Christmas Carol" trunk show will be acted out with your help. Entertainment for the entire family. Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.). Upstairs, lift available. 3 p.m.

Sat., Nov 30 – Small Business Saturday!! Support your local businesses and shop small today!

Sat., Nov. 30 - Holiday Pop-Up Shop at Lake Life Laser Studio (4357 Jordan Road). Shop several small business vendors in one location! 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 30 - Strawberry Fields Hydroponic Farm Open House, 11 a.m.–4 p.m. Strawberry Fields is located on Rt. 20 west of Skaneateles. The farm store will be open, fresh-cut Christmas trees, wreaths, centerpieces, fresh green arrangements for sale, and along with local gifts. Free hot chocolate and cookies. Live music. 315-751-5657. Holiday hours: 11 a.m.-6 p.m. daily.

Sat., Nov. 30 - "A Sleepy Hollow Christmas" trunk show with Washington Irving at the Gazebo in Clift Park, 12:30 p.m.

Sat., Nov 30 – Mother Goose reading holiday stories to children at Loft 42 (42 E. Genesee St./ lobby of the building). 12:30 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Sat., Nov 30 – The Syracuse Chapter of the American Guild of Organists will present free organ concerts on Saturday afternoons during Dickens Christmas. Join community organists for festive holiday organ music and Christmas carols. St. James' Episcopal Church (96 E Genesee St.). 12:30, 2:00, and 3:30 p.m.

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Sat., Nov 30 – The Local Crust Pizza Truck at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). 1 – 6 p.m.

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Sat., Nov 30 – Holiday Parade & Miracle on Genesee St., downtown Auburn. The Holiday Parade & Float Competition begins at 6 p.m., followed by Tree Lighting on City Hall steps, community caroling & Festival of Trees on South St. 5- 8 p.m., visits with Mr. & Mrs. Claus & more!

DECEMBER DICKENS EVENTS

Every Fri., Sat. & Sun. - Skaneateles Historical Society (28 Hannum St.) open 1-4 p.m, Also by appointment. 315-685-1360.

Sun., Dec 1 - Horse-drawn wagon and carriage and every Sunday (weather permitting), departing from The Sherwood Inn, provided by Rt. 80 Quarry Ridge Stables. Wagon rides are \$5 per person, \$20 per family (of up to five), and \$5 for each additional person thereafter. Private carriage rides are offered for a \$50 donation (cash only).

Sun., Dec. 1 - Cookies & Cocoa at the Skaneateles Community Center (97 State St.). Start your day with free cookies & cocoa 10:30 a.m.-noon. Free. 315-685-2266.

Sun., Dec. 1 - “A Sleepy Hollow Christmas” trunk show with Washington Irving at the Gazebo in Clift Park, 12:30 p.m.

Sat., Dec 1 – Mother Goose reading holiday stories to children at Loft 42 (42 E. Genesee St./ lobby of the building). 12:30 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 1 – The Finishing School Girls will perform at the Skaneateles Library (49 E Genesee St.). Upstairs, lift available. 1 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 1 - Midday Revels. Christmas carol sing-along with the Dickens Cast at the Gazebo. 2 p.m.

Sun., Dec 1 – Sunday Music at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). Jim Scala will perform 2 – 5 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 1 - “A Christmas Carol” trunk show will be acted out with your help, 3 p.m. Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.). Upstairs, lift available. Entertainment for the entire family. 315-685-0552.

Sun., Dec. 1 - Holiday Harps in Concert. 3 p.m. Take a break with members of the CNY Chapter of the American Harp Society and enjoy music of the season played by harps of all shapes and sizes, ranging from a beautiful concert grand, to sweet Celtic harps, to a super cool electronic harp! First Presbyterian Church (97 E Genesee St.). Free to all! Donations appreciated.

Tues., Dec. 3 - **Shop Skaneateles!** Shop, Sip and Stroll in the Village of Skaneateles, 5-8 p.m. Sales, refreshments and complimentary gift wrapping at participating merchants. Free drink coupon with purchase distributed 5-8 p.m., to be redeemed at participating restaurants. 315-685-0552.

Thurs., Dec 5 – The Local Crust Pizza Truck at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). 5 – 7:30 p.m.

Fri., Dec 6 - Skaneateles Historical Society (28 Hannum St.) open 1-4 p.m, Also by appointment. 315-685-1360.

Fri., Dec. 6 – The Skaneateles Library hosts a Dickens Christmas Book Sale. 5-7 p.m. 49 E Genesee St.

Fri., Dec. 6 - **Skaneateles Sings** starts at 6 p.m. at the Skaneateles Library. Sponsored by the Skaneateles Bakery. Dedication of the crèche, caroling, and tree lighting at the Gazebo. Organized by the Skaneateles Area Chamber of Commerce Foundation, the Skaneateles Girl Scouts and the Skaneateles Garden Club. Reception at the Skaneateles United Methodist Church immediately following the tree lighting. 315-685-0552, skaneateles.com.

Sat., Dec. 7 - Look for our very own Dickens newsboys hawking today’s paper. All monies raised from the sale of today’s Post-Standard will go directly to The Christmas Bureau, which is run by the Salvation Army and United Way.

Sat., Dec. 7 - Lakeside Artistry Holiday Fair at First Presbyterian Church (97 E Genesee St.), 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Shop small & LOCAL. Support your Community. 25+ artists, artisans, crafters, ceramics, textile, photography, culinary treats, upcycling, jewelry, candles, and much, much more! The best holiday show in town. Don’t miss out! More information on Facebook (Lakeside Artistry). 315-440-0221.

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Sat., Dec. 7 – The Local Crust Pizza Truck at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). 1 – 6 p.m.

Sat., Dec. 7 - Midday Revels, 2 p.m. Christmas carol sing-along at the Gazebo.

Sat., Dec. 7 - “A Christmas Carol” trunk show will be acted out with your help, 3 p.m. Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.). Upstairs, lift available. Entertainment for the entire family.

Sat., Dec 7 – Skaneateles Community Band Concert at the First Presbyterian Church (97 E Genesee St.). Free. 4 p.m.

Sun., Dec 8 - Horse-drawn wagon and carriage and every Sunday (weather permitting), departing from The Sherwood Inn, provided by Rt. 80 Quarry Ridge Stables. Wagon rides are \$5 per person, \$20 per family (of up to five), \$5 for each additional person thereafter. Private carriage rides are offered for a \$50 donation (cash only).

Sun., Dec. 8 – The Skaneateles Library hosts a Dickens Christmas Book Sale. 12 – 4 p. m. 49 E Genesee St.

Sun., Dec. 8 - “A Sleepy Hollow Christmas” trunk show with Washington Irving at the Gazebo in Clift Park, 12:30 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 8 – Mother Goose reading holiday stories to children at Loft 42 (42 E. Genesee St./ lobby of the building). 12:30 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 8 – Songs and Carols with Daniel Kringer at the Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.), 1 p.m. Upstairs, lift available.

Sun., Dec 8 - Skaneateles Historical Society (28 Hannum St.) open 1-4 p.m, Also by appointment. 315-685-1360.

Sun., Dec. 8 - Midday Revels, 2 p.m. Christmas carol sing-along at the Gazebo.

Sun., Dec 8 – Sunday Music at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). Dean Bunger will perform 2 – 5 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 8 - “A Christmas Carol” trunk show will be acted out with your help, 3 p.m. Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.). Upstairs, lift available. Entertainment for the entire family.

Weds., Dec 11 – Music at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). Loren and LJ Barrigar will perform 4:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Thurs., Dec 12 – The Local Crust Pizza Truck at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). 5 – 7:30 p.m.

Fri., Dec 13 – Illustrating Climate Change, 10- 11:30 a.m. for adults at Baltimore Woods Nature Center (4007 Bishop Hill Rd., Marcellus, NY 13108). For more details, visit baltimorewoods.org

Fri., Dec 13 - Skaneateles Historical Society (28 Hannum St.) open 1-4 p.m, Also by appointment. 315-685-1360.

Fri., Dec 13 – Skaneteles Brewery 5th Anniversary Party. For details, please visit skanbrewery.com

Sat., Dec. 14 - SUMC Holiday Luncheon and Craft Fair. Crafters, warming room, and soup and sandwich kitchen, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Event will be at The Skaneateles United Methodist Church. The kitchen will be shared by the Skaneateles United Methodist Church and the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church. Proceeds from kitchen sales benefit hurricane relief in Florida and the Carolinas.

Sat., Dec. 14 - Celebrate and Decorate Holiday Gingerbread House, 10-11:30 a.m. Skaneateles Community Center. Goodies will be supplied; leave the cleanup to us! House kits come neatly packaged — easy to carry home to build or gift. Please prep-order your edible house kit by Dec. 9. \$20/kit. 315-685-2266.

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Sat., Dec. 14 - Snake Oil Glassworks (4251 Jordan Rd.) Holiday Open House, 11 a.m.- 5 p.m. The studio will be open for customers to watch the glassblowers make things; holiday treats and refreshments available. 315-685-5091.
www.snakeoilglassworks.com.

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Sat., Dec. 14 - The Classic Guitar Ensemble from the Music School of CNY will perform at the Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.), 1 p.m. Come hear Christmas music and the beautiful sound of acoustic guitars. Upstairs, lift available.

Sat., Dec. 14 – The Local Crust Pizza Truck at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). 1 – 6 p.m.

Sat., Dec. 14 - Midday Revels, 2 p.m. Christmas carol sing-along at the Gazebo.

Sat., Dec. 14 - Snowman-building contest in Clift Park (weather-permitting). Queen Victoria will judge the entries at 2:45 p.m.

Sat., Dec. 14 - "A Christmas Carol" trunk show will be acted out with your help, 3 p.m. Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.). Upstairs, lift available. Entertainment for the entire family.

Sat., Dec. 14 – Caroling in the Woods at Baltimore Woods Nature Center (4007 Bishop Hill Rd., Marcellus, NY 13108). Free for all ages, 7-8:30 p.m. For more details, visit baltimorewoods.org.

Sat., Dec 14– A Christmas Suite, an annual event held by the Skaneateles Festival. 6pm at Hobbit Hollow. For tickets and more info contact music@skanfest.org

Sun., Dec 15 - Horse-drawn wagon and carriage and every Sunday (weather permitting), departing from The Sherwood Inn, provided by Rt. 80 Quarry Ridge Stables. Wagon rides are \$5 per person, \$20 per family (of up to five), \$5 for each additional person thereafter. Private carriage rides are offered for a \$50 donation (cash only).

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Sun., Dec. 15 – The Skaneateles Library hosts a Dickens Christmas Book Sale. 12 – 4 p. m. 49 E Genesee St.

Sun., Dec. 15 - "A Sleepy Hollow Christmas" trunk show with Washington Irving at the Gazebo in Clift Park, 12:30 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 15 – Mother Goose reading holiday stories to children at Loft 42 (42 E. Genesee St./ lobby of the building). 12:30 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 15 – Prestidigitating Packwoods performing a magic show at the Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.), 1 p.m. Upstairs, lift available.

Sun., Dec 15 - Skaneateles Historical Society (28 Hannum St.) open 1-4 p.m, Also by appointment. 315-685-1360.

Sun., Dec. 15 – Forest Therapy Walk at Baltimore Woods Nature Center (4007 Bishop Hill Rd., Marcellus, NY 13108). \$30. Best for ages 14 and up. For more details, please visit baltimorewoods.org.

Sun., Dec. 15 - Midday Revels, 2 p.m. Christmas carol sing-along at the Gazebo.

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Sun., Dec 15 – MasterWorks Chorale’s Christmas Concert. Choral gifts of a magical season, aglow with the harmony of a string quartet. Top off your Dickens Festival visit with joyous music. Michael Kringer, director. First Presbyterian Church (97 E. Genesee St.). Suggested donation at door: \$10 adults, 18 & under free. Proceeds support MasterWorks Chorale.

Sun., Dec. 15 - Fezziwig’s Christmas Ball, 6-8 p.m. First Presbyterian Church. Festive English country dancing led by the Syracuse Country Dancers. Tickets available at the Skaneateles Area Chamber of Commerce (22 Jordan St.) or online at Skaneateles.com. \$30/person.

Tues., Dec 17 – Skaneateles High School Choral Holiday Concert, 7 pm HS Auditorium., 49 E. Elizabeth St. 315- 685-8361

Thurs., Dec 19 – The Local Crust Pizza Truck at Skaneateles Brewery (4022 Mill Rd.). 5 – 7:30 p.m.

Fri., Dec 20 - Skaneateles Historical Society (28 Hannum St.) open 1-4 p.m, Also by appointment. 315-685-1360.

Fri., Dec. 20 - “Off the Dock” fundraising concert. 7 p.m. First Presbyterian Church (97 E. Genesee St.). Free. Donations appreciated.

Fri., Dec. 20 – Winter Solstice Hike at Baltimore Woods Nature Center (4007 Bishop Hill Rd., Marcellus, NY 13108) from 7-8:30 p.m. \$6 for members, \$9 for the public. For more details, visit baltimorewoods.org.

Sat., Dec 21 - The Syracuse Chapter of the American Guild of Organists will present free organ concerts on Saturday afternoons during Dickens Christmas. Join community organists at 12:30, 2:00, and 3:30 p.m. for festive holiday organ music and Christmas carols. St. James’ Episcopal Church (96 E Genesee St.).

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Sat., Dec. 21 – **Scarlett Rat Entertainment and Auburn Public Theater (APT) present, “It’s a Wonderful Life — The Radio Play,”** 7 p.m. Auburn Public Theater. \$15 adults, \$10 children 12 and under. Visit Skaneateles.com for tickets and more information.

Sun., Dec 22 - Horse-drawn wagon and carriage and every Sunday (weather permitting), departing from The Sherwood Inn, provided by Rt. 80 Quarry Ridge Stables. Wagon rides are \$5 per person, \$20 per family (of up to five), \$5 for each additional person thereafter. Private carriage rides are offered for a \$50 donation (cash only).

Sun., Dec. 22 - “A Sleepy Hollow Christmas” trunk show with Washington Irving at the Gazebo in Clift Park, 12:30 p.m.

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Sun., Dec. 22 – Songs and Carols with Daniel Kringer at the Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.), 1 p.m. Upstairs, lift available.

Sun., Dec 22 - Skaneateles Historical Society (28 Hannum St.) open 1-4 p.m, Also by appointment. 315-685-1360.

Sun., Dec. 22 - Midday Revels, 2 p.m. Christmas carol sing-along at the Gazebo.

Sun., Dec. 22 – Dickens Christmas Raffle Drawing at the Gazebo. 2:30 p.m

Sun., Dec. 22 - “A Christmas Carol” trunk show will be acted out with your help, 3 p.m. Skaneateles Library (49 E. Genesee St.). Upstairs, lift available. Entertainment for the entire family.

December 24th- An abbreviated Dickens Christmas Day. 12-2:30 p.m.

The Skaneateles Library provides meeting space as a community service. The library neither sponsors nor endorses this event, the speaker(s) or the organization.