

Genesee Region Newfoundland Club
Splash Camp 2026
Presented by Donna Thibault

*Join us on Seneca Lake for this weekend
hands-on water training workshop
Appropriate for all levels of experience*

June 13 & 14

Smith Memorial Park
5303 Park Avenue
Hector, NY 14841

Entries Open: Monday April 27

Entries will be limited to 15 working teams per day

Event will be held Rain or Shine

GRNC Splash Camp 2026 Entry Form

Regular post only. No hand delivered entries; no overnight mail entries accepted.

No entry will be accepted if postmarked before MONDAY APRIL 27, 2026

Closing date for entries is 4 pm ET THURSDAY MAY 28, 2026

In order to receive a refund, workshop and meal cancellations must be made no later than 7 pm ET THURSDAY MAY 28. There will be NO refunds after that date!

Event will be held rain or shine!

Entries must be received by the event chair, Jeanne Raish, via postal mail & with a visible postmark.

Entries are limited to fifteen working spots each day. A working spot is one dog/handler team. There will be no audit slots. Spots will be filled on a first received/first fill basis.

Once all spots are filled for each day, a waiting list will be generated based upon postmark.

Checks payable to GRNC (Genesee Region Newfoundland Club)

Mail entry to Jeanne Raish, Event Chair

Jeanne Raish 3069 County Route 119 Canisteo, NY 14823

Phone: 607-698-2394 Email: jlraish@gmail.com

YOU MUST COMPLETE AN ENTRY FORM FOR EACH DOG ENTERED

WORKING SPOT IS ONE DOG-HANDLER TEAM

WEEKEND ENTRIES MAY WORK DIFFERENT DOG ON SECOND DAY

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

NAME: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

DOG'S CALL NAME: _____

PLEASE CIRCLE:

Entry Day	Entry Fee
Saturday & Sunday	\$125.00
Saturday Only / June 13	\$65.00
Sunday Only / June 14	\$65.00

Entry Form Must Be Signed To Be A Valid Entry & Sent By Postal Mail to the Address Above

I understand that I am entering my dog in this GRNC event at my own risk. I agree to abide by Smith Park Regulations, the Event Regulations and Safety Policy as determined by the Event Chair, Event Safety Officer and GRNC Board of Directors.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

MEAL RESERVATIONS

Please include meal reservations and payment with your entry form.

Mail to Jeanne Raish 3069 County Route 119 Canisteo, NY 14823

MEAL RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE IN ADVANCE

Name: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____

**FRIDAY JUNE 12 NO HOST EVENING DINNER: The Falls Restaurant & Catering.
Reservations 6:00 pm.**

The Falls is located at 214 East Main St, Trumansburg, NY. Phone: 607 387 9761.

Menu with pricing can be previewed at

<https://fallsrestaurantandcatering.com/dinnermenu>

Number for Dinner Seating Reservations: _____

Everyone is welcome to attend

Don't miss this evening dinner with friends – new & old

Complimentary breakfast hospitality available Saturday & Sunday at Smith Memorial Park Lower Pavilion

SATURDAY & SUNDAY LUNCH AT SMITH MEMORIAL PARK

Lunches for both days will be Assorted Sub Platter Tray including vegetarian/non-meat sub options.

Assorted side dishes and cold beverages.

\$10.00 per person

Saturday Lunch Number Ordered _____ Sunday Lunch Number Ordered _____

SATURDAY JUNE 13 at 6 PM EVENING COOK OUT AT CAYUGA WINETRAIL CAMPGROUNDS PAVILION

Address: 6590 South Cayuga Lake Road Ovid, NY 14521

Hamburgers, Hots, Veggie Burgers, Salads, Dessert and Non-alcoholic Beverages (BYOB)

Those attending are welcome to provide a dish to pass

\$15 per person Number Attending: _____

Checks payable to Genesee Region Newfoundland Club

Please return the meal reservation form & payment with your entry form to Jeanne Raish

Meal cancellations must be made no later than 7 pm ET THURSDAY MAY 28 / There will be no refunds after that time.

WHAT TO BRING

Coast Guard approved life vest & water shoes **REQUIRED FOR ALL**

Crate & Shade Cover for dogs / NCA Approved Water Test Equipment / Beach Chair

LOTS and LOTS of treats for your dog

Potable Water, Changing Tent, Porta potty available on beach

**Smith Park will provide a truck shuttle for moving equipment between the parking lot and the beach site at a designated time in the morning and at end of afternoon session.
Private vehicles are not allowed access to the beach/workshop site.**

EVERYONE WILL BE IN THE WATER

BE READY WITH APPROPRIATE GEAR

SENECA LAKE WATER TEMPERATURES AVERAGE MID-60'S THIS TIME OF YEAR

WETSUIT AND WARM APRES-SWIM ATTIRE ADVISABLE

GRNC SPLASH CAMP WORKSHOP SAFETY POLICY

Dogs must be kept under control to prevent harm to itself or others. It is the owner/handler's responsibility to ensure their dogs are under control for the duration of the event.

Dogs must be crated or leashed and collared at all times, except when the dogs are required to perform off leash. When dogs are leashed, the length of the leash must not exceed SIX (6) feet and the leash may NOT be a retractable leash.

Dogs should not be allowed to approach another dog without permission from the other dog's owner/handler.

Any dog that in the opinion of the **safety officer Anne Smith Abbey and the event chair Jeanne Raish** appears dangerous shall be asked to leave the event promptly or be crated for the duration of the event and is excused from further participation in the event. Anyone who witnesses a dog appearing to be dangerous should bring their concerns to a safety officer. Part of upholding good sportsmanship is to take action through the appropriate channels.

Examples of out of control behavior would include but are not limited to:

Aggressive vocalization such as barking and growling, or aggressive behavior toward any person or animal such as snapping, biting, lunging, charging, attacking or attempting to attack at any time while on the event grounds.

Owners and handlers are responsible for monitoring the well-being and safety of their dog(s). If left unattended the owner/handler must check on them frequently to ensure they are safe.

At the end of the event, entrants and committee members are asked to secure their dogs, pack up their gear and any club equipment that needs to be transported off the property and leave as quickly and safely as possible so that others may use the space.

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

FRIDAY JUNE 6 at 6:00 pm No Host Dinner at The Falls Restaurant & Catering

The Falls Restaurant is located at: 214 East Main St, Trumansburg, NY. Phone: 607 387 9761

<https://fallsrestaurantandcatering.com>

SATURDAY JUNE 7 at Smith Memorial Park Lower Pavilion & Beachfront

Smith Memorial Park is located at: 5303 Park Avenue Hector, NY 14841

<https://www.smithmemorialpark.com>

7:00 am Equipment Set Up / Transport from upper parking area to beach

8:00 am Check In at the Lower Pavilion

Morning Hospitality offered at Lower Pavilion / Complimentary continental breakfast consisting of prepackaged items / Coffee, Tea, Assorted hot and cold beverages

8:30 am Welcome to Splash

Lunch at the Lower Pavilion

4:00 pm Close of Session

SATURDAY JUNE 7 at 6 PM EVENING COOK OUT AT CAYUGA WINE TRAIL CAMPGROUND PAVILION

Address: 6590 South Cayuga Lake Road Ovid, NY 14521 (Formerly Sned Acres Family Campground)

<https://winetrailcampground.com>

SUNDAY JUNE 8 at Smith Memorial Park Lower Pavilion & Beachfront Smith Memorial Park is located at: 5303 Park Avenue Hector, NY 14841 <https://www.smithmemorialpark.com>

7:00 am Equipment Set Up / Transport from upper parking area to beach

8:00 am Check In at the Lower Pavilion

Morning Hospitality offered at the Lower Pavilion / Complimentary continental breakfast consisting of prepackaged items / Coffee, Tea, Assorted hot and cold beverages

8:30 am Welcome to Splash

Lunch at the Lower Pavilion

4:00 pm Close of Session

Please note that the Smith Park beach workshop area has NO PRIVATE VEHICLE ACCESS

Smith Park is providing a truck with their driver to ferry equipment to & from the beach area at a designated time in the morning and at end of the session. The truck will not be available at other times.

Park in the lot in front of the office and take a short walk north (to the right when facing the lake) to the gated entrance. Walk down the moderately steep gravel road to the beach.

Nearby Pet Friendly Camping, Cabin & RV Accommodations

****Make reservations early****

Smith Memorial Park 4303 Park Avenue Hector, NY 14841 / Phone: 607-546-4467
Electric & Non-electric sites for campers 25 feet or smaller / Shower and Toilet Facilities On Site

<https://www.smithmemorialpark.com>

Cayuga Wine Trail Campground & Cabins (Formerly Sned Acres Family Campground) 6590 S. Cayuga Lake Rd, Ovid, NY / Phone 607-869-9787 / Approximately 28 minutes from Smith Memorial Park

<https://winetrailcampground.com>

Watkins Glen/Corning KOA 1710 State Route 414 Watkins Glen, NY 14891 / Phone 607-535-7404
Approximately 22 minutes from Smith Memorial Park

<https://koa.com/campgrounds/watkins-glen>

Pet Friendly Cabins, RV & Tent Sites are available at these nearby NYS Park Sites:

All NYS Park Site Reservations through <https://newyorkstateparks.reserveamerica.com>

CALL TOLL-FREE 1-800-456-CAMP

Taughannock Falls State Park, 1740 Taughannock Boulevard, Trumansburg, NY 14886
Approximately 26 minutes from Smith Memorial Park

Watkins Glen State Park 1009 N Franklin St, Watkins Glen, NY 14891
Approximately 17 minutes from Smith Memorial Park

Robert H. Treman State Park 105 Enfield Falls Road Ithaca, NY 14850
Approximately 32 minutes from Smith Memorial Park

Bring Fido identifies four pet friendly hotels in Watkins Glen

<https://www.bringfido.com>

ACCOMMODATIONS IN THE FINGER LAKES AREA BOOK VERY QUICKLY AND WELL IN ADVANCE

ALWAYS CONFIRM AN ESTABLISHMENT'S PET POLICY WHEN MAKING YOUR RESERVATIONS

Veterinary Services

Cornell Companion Animal Hospital

930 Campus Rd. Ithaca, NY 14853

Phone: 607-253-3060

Emergency veterinary service is available 24/7/365

Directions to Cornell University Hospital for Animals Emergency Services from Smith Memorial Park Take Co Rd 2, Picnic Area Rd, Potomac Rd and Stage Rd to NY-79 E 13 min (8.2 mi)

Follow NY-79 E to Mitchell St in Ithaca 25 min (15.3 mi)

Take Ithaca Rd and NY-366 E/Dryden Rd to your destination in Ithaca Cornell University Hospital for Animals

Hospital GPS Coordinates 42.4466, -76.4647

SOME GPS DEVICES MAY NOT PROVIDE ACCURATE ROUTING TO 930 CAMPUS RD. PLEASE NOTE THE HOSPITAL LOCATION ON THE MAP AND CONFIRM YOUR ROUTE BEFORE TRAVELING

Parking. When you arrive, you can park in the small client parking lot in front of the Companion Animal entrance. If the lot is full, additional parking is available in the B lot across the street in spaces marked for hospital clientele. You will need to register your vehicle with the admissions office upon arrival

URGENT CARE: Well-Now Urgent Care 740 South Meadow Street Ithaca, NY 14850

Phone: (607) 319-4563

HOSPITAL:

Cayuga Medical Center Emergency Department 101 Dates Drive Ithaca, New York 14850 Phone: (607) 274-4011

