

## Watkins Glen Lake and Lap Tour, One-Day Tour

Explore Watkins Glen, the quaint lakeshore village on the southern tip of Seneca Lake, the largest and deepest of the NY Finger Lakes.

Discover the beauty and charm of the lake as it can only be seen from water during a narrated cruise. You will be captivated by Hector Falls at 165 feet, the majestic cliffs of the east shore with Native American paintings, and a view of the salt industry that now harvests the lake mineral. The largest of the Finger Lakes and the deepest lake in New York, it is known as the lake trout capitol of the world, and has been used by the Navy to test sonar equipment.

Hold on tight as your coach rounds the bends of the famous Watkins Glen International raceway. First established on the streets of the town in 1848 Watkins Glen International has grown to be one of North America's premier racing facilities. The Glen has a long and storied past from its Formula 1 roots to its position as New York's only home to the NASCAR Spring Cup Series.

You'll follow the pace car in your coach down the FrontStretch into the Ninety, twist, climb and claw your way up through the Esses and onto the BackStretch, braking as you hit the Inner Loop and navigate the Carousel turn, then drop off the face of the earth into the depths of the turn-heavy Boot, climb your way out into Turn Ten, regain your senses and make a run for the finish line! (Note speeds do not exceed 55 miles per hour.) A photo opportunity will also be available at the finish line (weather permitting) plus time to visit the gift shop.

To put it all into perspective, we'll include a historic driving tour on your coach tracing part of the original 6.6 mile race route through the village and surrounding country side and visit the Racing Research Library and Hall of Fame.

Need to calm your nerves? We'll also include a visit to one of the region's premiere wineries overlooking the lake.

Lunch will be included during lake cruise, at a lakeside restaurant, at a winery or at the raceway.

*Tour available May through mid-October.*

### Tour includes:

- **Seneca Lake Cruise**
- **Watkins Glen International Racetrack**
- **Watkins Glen Racing Museum and National Racing Hall of Fame**
- **Racing History Driving Tour**
- **Winery**



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