

Visit our two museums Celebrating Laughter in Comedy's Hometown – **Jamestown, New York!**

# NATIONAL COMEDY CENTER

Named one of the *TIME's* "World's Greatest Places"



# Lucy Desi MUSEUM



**JUST 90 MINUTES FROM NIAGARA FALLS AND BUFFALO, NY!**



# Laugh All Day in our Two Museums Celebrating American Comedy!

## NATIONAL COMEDY CENTER

The National Comedy Center is the United States' official cultural institution and non-profit museum dedicated to presenting the vital story of comedy and preserving its heritage for future generations. The Comedy Center features exclusive collections, world-class exhibits, and cutting-edge interactive technology to create an immersive experience that inspires, entertains, and educates visitors while filling their day with laughter. *USA Today* named it the "Best New Museum" in the country and *TIME* magazine named it one of its "World's Greatest Places."



## Lucy Desi MUSEUM

Just three blocks from the National Comedy Center, the Lucille Ball Desi Arnaz Museum celebrates the lives, careers, and legacy of the "First Couple of Comedy" and the incredible impact they had on the world, as well as the pioneering role and remarkable influence that *I Love Lucy* and Desilu Studios had on the entertainment industry for generations to come. This museum proudly features wardrobe, rare artifacts, and re-created sets from *I Love Lucy* – the most beloved TV comedy of all time. Visitors have the opportunity to take photos on the sets, star in their own *Vitameatavegamin* commercial, and much more.



## The LucyTown Tour

Take a LucyTown Tour with Step-on Guide (aboard your motorcoach) of Lucille Ball's historic hometown, including larger-than-life murals, former homes, legendary statues, and her final resting place in Lake View Cemetery.



## The Comedy shop

Shop for unique comedy and pop culture merchandise and gifts at three comedy-themed stores – including the most extensive collection of *I Love Lucy* products in the world.







**FEATURED ON:**



**Explore the Inside Story of**

**Desilu**<sup>TM</sup>  
The Studio that Produced Smash Hit TV Shows  
**I Love Lucy** **STAR TREK** **MISSION: IMPOSSIBLE**



**Dine at the Tropicana CLUB**

Join us for a unique, once-in-a-lifetime dining experience in the legendary Tropicana Club located above the Lucy Desi Museum. Enjoy a catered lunch or dinner in a replica of Ricky Ricardo's nightclub from *I Love Lucy* as we present a classic episode of the show on the big screen. This immersive, private dining experience is exclusive for Group Tours only and must be reserved in advance. The Tropicana Club is also available for private evening events.



Located in beautiful Chautauqua County in Western New York State, Jamestown is only 80 minutes from Buffalo Niagara International Airport, 95 minutes from Niagara Falls, USA, 3 hours from Toronto, Canada, and 6 hours from New York City.

**NEW EXHIBITS COMING SOON**

**New Joan Rivers Interactive Exhibit Coming in 2025**

**I Love Lucy 75th Anniversary Exhibit Coming in 2025/2026**







**Laugh**



**Tour**



**Shop**



**Dine**

## The United States' Official Cultural Institution for Comedy

- Laugh with the greatest comedians of all time!
- Fun for the entire family.
- One of the most interactive and immersive museums in the world.
- 5 out of 5 Rating on TripAdvisor.  5 star rated on TripAdvisor



### Lucy Desi Museum & National Comedy Center Suggested Itinerary

**10:00 AM - 11:30 AM:**

Visit Lucille Ball Desi Arnaz Museum and gift shops

**11:30 AM - 12:30 PM:**

Have lunch in downtown Jamestown, NY

**12:30 PM - 3:00 PM:**

Visit the National Comedy Center and Comedy Shop

**3:00 PM - 4:00 PM:**

Take a self-guided LucyTown Tour using our online driving tour

**THE NATIONAL COMEDY CENTER AND LUCILLE BALL DESI ARNAZ MUSEUM ARE PROUD MEMBERS OF:**



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# NATIONAL COMEDY CENTER



The Nation's Official Cultural Institution for Comedy



One of the Most Interactive Museums in the World



Based on the Vision of Lucille Ball for her hometown to be a destination for comedy

named one of the "25 Top Family Weekend Getaways in the U.S."



Personalized Content Based on Your Sense of Humor





Comedy Continuum



Comedy Karaoke



"Act the Part"  
Green Screen  
Experience



Virtual Writer's Desk



Ham It Up



Laugh Battle



The Blue Room



# NATIONAL COMEDY CENTER

Featuring Archives and Collections from Comedy's Great Minds and Unique Voices



George Carlin



Johnny Carson



Carl Reiner



Don Rickles



Joan Rivers



Lucille Ball



Ernie Kovacs



Betty White



Richard Pryor



George & Jolene Brand Schlatter



Gabriel Iglesias

AND MANY MORE!



# Rave Reviews from National Media and Visitors

## AWARDS AND HONORS INCLUDE:



#2 Best New Attraction, #1 Museum and #1 Ticketed Attraction



GROUP TOUR MAGAZINE  
America's Top Cultural Institutions for Student Groups



Best of 2018 Comedy Innovators



# Explore Chautauqua County, New York

The world-renowned, historic Chautauqua Institution on Chautauqua Lake is dedicated to the exploration of the best in human values and lifelong learning. From world-class speakers, artists, performers and religious leaders to hands-on activities, a Chautauqua experience is unlike any other.



Explore the natural beauty of Chautauqua Lake, a 17-mile-long inland lake in the heart of Chautauqua County. This scenic lake is a popular destination for outdoor recreation and water activities, including boating, sailing, paddle sports and fishing – with quaint cottages, unique shopping and wonderful restaurants situated along the picturesque shoreline.



Chautauqua Lake



Home to the largest U.S. grape-cultivating region east of the Rockies and the largest Concord grape growing region in the world. More than 50 miles long, the wine trail includes 23 wineries in Chautauqua County, NY and neighboring Pennsylvania.



The Lake Erie Grape Discovery Center is the official Visitor's Center for the Lake Erie Concord Grape Belt, designated a New York State Heritage Area in 2006. The Discovery Center showcases local grape-related products and serves as a venue for sharing the rich history and culture of the region.

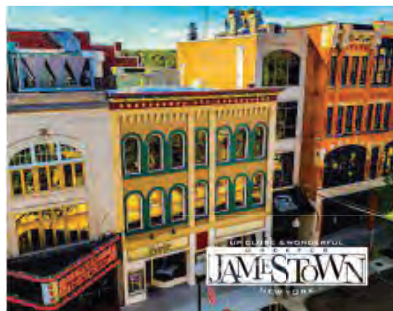
Dedicated to promoting liberty under the law through the examination of the life and work of Jamestown native Robert H. Jackson, Supreme Court Justice and Chief U.S. Prosecutor for the Nuremberg Trial. Exhibits demonstrate the contemporary relevance and applicability of Justice Jackson's ideas and work, as the Center envisions a society where the universal principals of equality, fairness and justice prevail.



A nature art museum showcasing art that matters to the planet – informing, inspiring and illuminating the beauty of nature through world-class art exhibitions and programs. Inspired architecture complements the natural beauty of Western NY to present a living embodiment of Jamestown native Roger Tory Peterson's legendary Field Guide to the Birds.



Take an excursion on the Chautauqua Belle, the largest and most historic vessel on Chautauqua Lake, as it explores the beauty and history of this scenic body of water.



With the feel of a classic American downtown, Jamestown is noted for its rich history, striking architecture, sloping brick streets, beautiful open spaces, distinctive alleyways and scenic riverwalk. Explore wonderful local restaurants, retail shops, attractions and art galleries, along with outdoor murals celebrating hometown legend Lucille Ball.

Explore a half-mile long ridge of 60-foot high rock-forming caves, crevices, and passageways in an ancient forest! Panama Rocks has been listed as the #1-ranked nature and hiking trail in New York State and is one of the top-rated attractions in the area.



The historic, 61-foot stone Dunkirk lighthouse and attached keeper's house was built in 1876. During the season you can climb up the 55-step spiral staircase for a beautiful view of Lake Erie and the surrounding area.



Dunkirk Lighthouse