

Old Fort Niagara

Fort Niagara State Park
Youngstown, NY 14174
(716) 745-7611

Handicapped Accessible: Yes

On-Site Parking: Yes

Tour Bus Parking: Yes

Hours of Operation: May 9:00am - 5:30pm (6:30pm on weekends)
June 9:00am - 6:30pm (7:30pm on weekends)
July 9:00am - 7:30pm
August 9:00am - 7:30pm
September 9:00 - 7:30pm through Labor Day, 9:00 - 5:30pm after Labor Day



Admission: January through June - Adults: \$8.50

Children (6 to 12 years old): \$5.00

July through December - Adults: \$10.00

Children (6 to 12 years old): \$6.00

** Children under 6 years old are FREE **

Established by the French in 1726, Old Fort Niagara is the region's most popular historic site, welcoming some 100,000 visitors each year. At the site, visitors experience life in the 18th and early-19th centuries through a series of daily programs and special events. The Fort features the oldest buildings in the Great Lakes Basin as well as unique earthen fortifications, laid out over 250 years ago. During the late 1920s and early 1930s, Fort Niagara was rescued from certain ruin and was restored as a historic site. Opened to the public, the site became one of the most popular attractions of its kind in America. Today Old Fort Niagara offers a wide array of educational programs both on- and off-site and preserves the region's colonial era architectural heritage.

Opening Spring 2006, the Old Fort Niagara Visitor and Interpretive Center, located in a 1930s Army commissary warehouse, will feature interpretive exhibit space and museum shop. The centerpiece will be the preserved 1812 garrison flag measuring 24' by 28' that flew over the Fort before its capture by the British.