July 15-17, 20-21: Flight of Five Lock Tenders Tour ($)
Erie Canal Discovery Center, 24 Church St., Lockport / 716-349-7998
11am. Learn all about the people who labored and lived on the waters of the Erie Canal on this 1 1/2-hour walking tour. Listen to the stories of the drivers, boat crews and captains, longshoremen, lock tenders and how they impacted the "artificial river" as it moved people and freight across New York State and celebrate their contributions. Each guest will have an opportunity to step into the shoes of a Flight of Five Lock Tender and go to work to move the balance beams, to open the gates and allow the "Erie Traveler" to pass through the restored locks! Reservations required. Tour starts at the Erie Canal Discovery Center.

July 15-21: Carnegie Art Festival: A Virtual Art Experience caccvirtual.org
In lieu of an in-person art festival, the Carnegie Art Center (CAC) will host the Carnegie Art Festival: A Virtual Art Experience on their website where visitors can browse and purchase artwork, crafts, and other handmade items created by hundreds of artists from the comfort of their own homes. The website will be laid out as an online gallery where visitors can easily click on images and visit artists' websites to purchase artwork. Join the CAC for this unique opportunity to browse, support, and celebrate the arts.

July 16: Drive-In Film Series at Artpark ($)
Artpark, 450 South 4th St., Lewiston / 716-754-4375
7:30pm. Projected on LED screens, watch Ray at Artpark. Audio for the films will be transmitted via car FM radio. Gates open one hour prior to showtime. Tickets will be sold in advance only. All guests must remain inside of their vehicles at all times, except for bathroom breaks and to visit the snack bar. All guests must wear a face mask whenever they are in a public area within 6 feet of other guests.

July 16: Live at the Drive: Concert & Movie Combo Night ($) Transient Drive-In, 6655 S Transit Rd., Lockport / 716-625-8535
4:30pm. This themed drive-in concert and movie combo series features local and regional bands followed by a movie. Catalina Wine Mixer Night – Prestige Worldwide Band with Step Brothers. Gates open at 4:30pm.

July 18: Saturday Night Car & Bike Cruises Main St., Olcott
5-8pm. Cars are parked and hoods raised. Come check out your favorite classic cars as they fill Main Street. Family fun for all ages.

July 18: Live at the Drive ($) Transient Drive-In, 6655 S Transit Rd., Lockport / 716-625-8535
2pm. Presented by Buffalo Iron Works and Transient Drive-In, this drive-in concert series features Functional Flow. General Admission and VIP tickets available. Gates open at 1pm.

July 19: Drum Circle with Stephen Bell Artpark, 450 South 4th St., Lewiston / 716-754-4375
2pm. Join this free drum circle, set outdoors Artpark’s scenic Lower Park Emerald Grove area, led by Stephen Bell of Unity Through Rhythm. Chairs and drums will be provided. Participants are also welcome to bring their own. Attendance is free but limited. RSVP no later than 24 hours prior to reserve your spot by emailing artpark@artpark.net.

July 21: Drive-In Film Series at Artpark ($)
Artpark, 450 South 4th St., Lewiston / 716-754-4375
8pm. Projected on LED screens, watch Ray at Artpark. Audio for the films will be transmitted via car FM radio. Gates open one hour prior to showtime. Tickets will be sold in advance only. All guests must remain inside of their vehicles at all times, except for bathroom breaks and to visit the snack bar. All guests must wear a face mask whenever they are in a public area within 6 feet of other guests.

July 18: Saturdays in the Park Niagara Falls State Park, Niagara Falls / 716-282-5154
10am. It's Saturday, and there is nothing better than a morning walk on Goat Island! Enjoy the views and listen to some fun facts and stories about the oldest state park in the country. Registration required. Masks are required for anyone over the age of 2.

July 18-19: Art of Walking ($) Artpark, 450 South 4th St., Lewiston / 716-754-4375
Sat., 4pm & 6:30pm & Sun., 4pm. Much more than a traditional walking tour, the Art of Walking is a moving meditation combining walking, stillness, listening and site-specific performance in which all are active participants exploring the nature, poetry and story of Artpark. Two trained performers will lead groups of up to ten and headphones will be provided through which you may listen to your guides, ambient sounds and music of the park. Headphones and other provided materials will be sanitized prior to each tour and headphones will also be equipped with one-use earpiece covers. In addition to sanitation measures, all participants will be required to wear masks and socially distance at check-in and for the duration of the tour. Participants will meet in at the picnic shelter nearest the Emerald Grove/Percussion Garden area. An option for a picnic basket meal will be offered for purchase upon pre-registration.

July 18: Lockport Community Market 21 Main St., Lockport / 716-434-0212
9am – 2pm. This open-air market features a multitude of vendors each week offering fresh produce, meat, baked goods, and more. The market will operate as a cashless market, see the market management table for exchange of cash, credit or debit card for coins. Before attending the market, please visit the website to review the list of rules that will help create a safe and easy shopping environment.

July 15, 17, 20: Niagara Falls City Market Market Square, 15th St., and Pine Ave., Niagara Falls
8am – 3pm. Fresh fruit and vegetable market every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

July 16, 18, 21: North Tonawanda City Market Corner of Payne Ave., & Robinson St., North Tonawanda
7am – 1pm. Fresh produce, flowers, pastries and more.