# Experience Albany



# **Going Dutch:**Exploring Albany's unique Dutch past

Albany's Dutch roots make it distinct among early American cities. The Dutch settled Albany nearly 100 years before the English arrived, and today, much evidence of this early colonial power remains. Learn what makes Albany unique, and how Dutch traditions helped inform the nation we live in today.

- See the interior of a traditional Dutch home, complete with giant hearth fireplace, and hear about daily life in the early colonial days at Crailo State Historic Site, the only remaining fortified home on the Hudson River.
- Find out about farmlife at Mabee Farm Historic Site. *Churn butter, make handicrafts*, and watch period farming demonstrations.
- **See how the other half lived** at Schuyler Mansion State Historic Site, Philip Schuyler's elegant mansion on the hill.
- Raise a pint at the Olde English Pub and Pantry, a pub located in the historic
   Quackenbush Square. The pub is the second oldest building of Dutch architecture in the
   city.
- Tour First Church of Albany, the second oldest church in New York State, with oldest pulpit in America, whose congregants included Philip Schuyler, Alexander Hamilton, and Teddy Roosevelt.
- Visit Ten Broeck Mansion, home of Abraham Ten Broeck, State Senator, and one of Albany's first Mayors.



## Plan a Trip Around These Annual Events

#### **Albany Tulip Festival**

(May, Tulips bloom from late April to early May)
Washington Park, Albany, NY
www.albanyevents.org

#### **Path Through History Weekends**

(June)
Various locations
www.paththroughhistory.iloveny.com

#### **Harvest Faire**

(September)
Crailo State Historic Site
9 1/2 Riverside Ave, Rensselaer, NY 12144
<a href="https://parks.ny.gov/historic-sites/30/details.aspx">https://parks.ny.gov/historic-sites/30/details.aspx</a>

#### **Hudson Valley Ramble**

(Weekends in September, various times)
Various locations
www.hudsonvalleyramble.com





## **RESOURCES**



Crailo State Historic Site 9-1/2 Riverside Ave. Rensselaer, NY 12144 (518) 463-8738 www.nysparks.com/historicsites/30/fees-rates.aspx



Olde English Pub & Pantry (Quackenbush House) 683 Broadway Albany, NY 12204 (518) 434-6533 www.theoldeenglish.com



First Church of Albany
110 North Pearl Street
Albany, NY 12207
(518) 463-4449
www.firstchurchinalbany.com



Schuyler Mansion State Historic Site
32 Catherine Street
Albany, NY 12202
(518) 434-0834
www.nysparks.com/historic-sites/33/
details.aspx



Historic Mabee Farm
1100 Main Street
Rotterdam Junction, NY
(518) 887-5073
www.schenectadyhistorical.org



Ten Broeck Mansion
9 Ten Broeck Place
Albany, NY 12210
(518) 436-9826
www.tenbroeckmansion.org

#### TRAVELING WITH A GROUP?

#### Contact our team!



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## **Group Friendly Restaurant Options**

Buca di Beppo The Hollow Bar & Kitchen

C H Evans Brewing Co. at the Albany Pump Station

Jack's Oyster House

The Century House Lucky Strike Social

The City Beer Hall New World Bistro Bar

Dave and Buster's Olde English Pub & Pantry

dp's Brasserie Recovery Sports Grill

Druthers Brewing Company Warehouse Grill & BBQ

Jay Cloutier will assist in planning an itinerary for your groups, including the perfect hotel and cuisine choices.



