Come visit us at the heart of the Adirondacks for a truly unique museum experience. Since opening our doors to the public in 1957, we have delighted millions of visitors with fascinating exhibits and stories about life in the Adirondack region. With over 23 historical and contemporary buildings on 121 acres overlooking Blue Mountain Lake, our open-air campus offers everyone lots to see and do. Step into the rich history of our region as you row an authentic guideboat from the new ADKX Boathouse or break up a log jam and set off a mine charge in *Life in the Adirondacks*.

**FEATURED EXHIBITS**

**ARTISTS & INSPIRATION IN THE WILD! (OPENING JULY 1)**
This upcoming exhibition will feature the most comprehensive showing of our art collection in the museum’s history. The four main galleries will illustrate how the natural features of the Adirondacks—light, forests, water, and mountains—have sparked the creative visions of painters, sculptors, and artisans.

**SCARRED LANDSCAPE: THE ADIRONDACK PHOTOGRAPHS OF J. HENRY FAIR**
This temporary exhibition features the monumental aerial photographs of photographer J. Henry Fair as he documents the impact of human activity in the Adirondack Park. Scarring of the landscape from mining, paper mills, agriculture, climate change, etc. are not always apparent from the ground. Resembling colorful abstract paintings, these images sometimes require a closer look to fully realize that beauty hides a less attractive story.

**ADKX BOATHOUSE**
Follow our easy ¾-mile hiking trail to the newly constructed Adirondack-style boathouse — home to a fleet of vintage wooden craft including classic guideboats and canoes. Or, simply enjoy a picnic lunch at the boathouse along the shores of Minnow Pond.

**THINGS TO DO**

1. Climb the fire tower or blast a mine shaft.
2. Row a virtual guideboat indoors.
3. Explore rustic buildings inside and out and discover objects and art inspired by nature.
4. Enjoy beautiful gardens and walkways throughout our campus.
6. Borrow a vintage boat at the ADKX Boathouse.
7. Grab lunch at the Lake View Café.
OPENING SUMMER 2023!
May 26 - October 9, 2023
7 days a week | 10am - 5pm

ADMISSION
Buy your tickets online and SAVE!
$22 for adults (18-64); $20 for seniors (65 and over); $14 for youth (5-17) and students with a valid student ID; and free for children four and under, and active military personnel, and members. Groups of 10 or more admission is $17.50pp. Free admission to year-round park residents on the second and fourth Sunday of every month.

Experience the people, place, and spirit of this six-million-acre park, all within 19,000-square feet of interactive exhibits, hands-on activities, and culturally rich collections. This core exhibition is every visitor’s starting point.

MAIN EXHIBITS

WOODS AND WATERS
Discover America's love for the wilderness and outdoor recreation in the late 1800s and early 1900s.

BOATS AND BOATING
See the world’s largest collection of guideboats and a variety of other Adirondack watercraft.

WORK IN THE WOODS
Explore the history of logging in the Adirondacks, once one of New York’s major industries.

PROGRAMMING
Every year the ADKX offers a full range of programs and activities:
• Interpretive programming
• Artisan demonstrations
• Daily programs
• PreK-12 education programs
• Fun kids activities

2023 EVENTS
VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR UPDATES!

ARTISTS & INSPIRATION IN THE WILD
GRAND OPENING
July 1

ADIRONDACK ARTISAN FESTIVAL
July 22

MUSHROOM MANIA
August 19

CELEBRATE AKWESASNE ARTISTS
August 26

RUSTIC FURNITURE FAIR
September 9-10

XPERIENCE FOR ALL
September 23

FALLFEST
October 1

PHOTOGRAPHY SHOWCASE
October 6-8
ARTISTS & INSPIRATION IN THE WILD

A New Exhibition Opening July 1, 2023

In 2023 ADKX will open its newest permanent exhibition, Artists & Inspiration in the Wild, the most comprehensive showing of the museum’s art and decorative collections in its 60-plus year history. Artists & Inspiration’s four main galleries illustrate how the natural features of the Adirondacks—light, forests, water, and mountains—have sparked the creative visions of painters, sculptors, and expert artisans.

From the renowned—men such as Asher B. Durand, Thomas Cole, Arthur Fitzwilliam Tait, Seneca Ray Stoddard, and Rockwell Kent—to the groundbreaking—Edna West Teall, Dorothy Dehner, Margaret Bourke-White, Takeyce Walter, Nioo Perkins, and Natasha Smoke Santiago—Artists & Inspiration will offer an inclusive and wide-reaching interpretation of Adirondack art. These visionaries have looked at the same landscapes and drawn from the same materials to create an incomparable artistic legacy.

After exploring the main galleries, visitors end their journey in a makerspace created in collaboration with Adirondack artist Barney Bellinger.

Visit Artists & Inspiration in the Wild in 2023 to make new memories.

WHAT WILL INSPIRE YOU?

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ADIRONDAK EXPERIENCE™
The Museum on Blue Mountain Lake
Sample of pieces from our collection to be featured in Artists & Inspiration in the Wild.
Opening Day
Friday, May 26

Artists & Inspiration in the Wild Grand Opening
Saturday, July 1

Adirondack Artisan Festival
Saturday, July 22

Mushroom Mania
Saturday, August 19

Celebrate Akwesasne Artists
Saturday, August 26

Rustic Furniture Fair
Sat. & Sun., September 9-10

Xperience for All
Saturday, September 23

FallFest
Sunday, October 1

Photography Showcase
Fri.-Sun., October 6-8

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Designed by Michael Bird, founder and principal of Adirondack Design, the ADKX Boathouse references Adirondack rustic architecture.