



Experience all four seasons during the Otsego Outdoors Spring Octet Challenge. Snow, sun, rain, clouds, waterfalls, and mud! Complete eight featured activities between March 20 and June 20, 2026 and receive a Spring Octet embroidered patch and vinyl sticker. You can get credit for participating in an outdoors event too. Complete this form and mail to Otsego 2000, or complete online form. **Patches and stickers are free for all who complete the Spring Octet.** Donations appreciated.

Name(s):

Canine Finishers (if any):

Email(s):

Address:

_____ Yes, include my/our names in the **Otsego Outdoors Octet Roster** on otsegooutdoors.org

_____ # of official Spring Octet embroidered patches requested

_____ # of official Spring Octet vinyl stickers requested

_____ # of Four Season Octeter patches requested for those completing an Octet in all four seasons

_____ # of Four Season Octeter stickers requested for those completing an Octet in all four seasons

_____ Yes, I'd like to help support Otsego Outdoors with a tax-deductible donation of \$_____

(Make check payable to Otsego 2000 or donate online www.otsego2000.org)

What was your favorite part of the Spring Octet? We value your comments about the trails/activities. What advice do you have for others trying out the Octet Challenge?

What could be improved? Have ideas for future challenges? What stores/restaurants near trails do you recommend?

Please mail completed form to: **Otsego 2000, PO Box 1130, Cooperstown, NY 13326**

You may also complete this form online at otsegooutdoors.org/our-challenge

Share photos by tagging **#OtsegoOutdoors** on social media or emailing outdoors@otsego2000.org

Otsego Outdoors is a collaborative effort of Otsego 2000, the Otsego County Conservation Association, the Otsego Land Trust, and the Butternut Valley Alliance. www.otsegooutdoors.org outdoors@otsego2000.org



OTSEGO OUTDOORS SPRING OCTET CHALLENGE LOG



Complete 8 activities 3/20-6/20. Dress for weather, expect mud, bring water, take tick precautions, and have fun exploring.

NORTH

Arnold Lake State Forest, *Joe Cornell Road and County Route 46, Milford*

Betty and Wilbur Davis State Park, 133 Davis Rd., Westford, Andy's Trails (2.7 miles) *Date/Notes:*

Glimmerglass State Park, 1527 County Hwy 31, Cooperstown Sleeping Lion Trail (2.5 miles) or any trail *Date/Notes:*

Lordsland Conservancy Preserve, 512 Gage Road, Roseboom Orange Trail and/or the Blue Trail, (trailhead at 227 Doc Ahlers Rd.) Each trail is .7 miles. *Date/Notes:*

Star Field From Main Street, Cooperstown, Chicken Farm Hill Road is seasonal. In snow/mud, access Chicken Farm Hill Road from Route 33 and then Kraham Road. 3.7 miles out and back *Date/Notes:*

PARTICIPATE IN TWO OR MORE OUTDOORS EVENT

Event/Notes:

[Upcoming Events, more options at otsegooutdoors.org](http://otsegooutdoors.org)

April 11: **Walk the Planets with OCCA**

April 18: **Morris Earth Day Clean Up**

May 2: **I Love My Park Day**

May 2: **Mud Lake Saturday hike with ADK**

May 9 **OCCA Earth Festival at SUNY Oneonta**

SOUTH

Delaware-Otsego Audubon Society Sanctuary, 52 Grange Hall Road Spur, Oneonta All 3 trails (1.6 miles) *Date/Notes:*

Emmons Pond Bog, 2028 White Hill Road, Oneonta Orange Trail (1.4 miles) *Date/Notes:*

Gilbert Lake State Park, 18 CCC Road, Laurens any trail *Date/Notes:*

Robert V. Riddell State Park, 1894 Charlotte Creek Road, Davenport Mud Lake Trail park at Hartwick Pine Lake Campus to Mud Lake (out and back to Mud Lake is 5+ miles) or **from Gersoni Road, just south of I-88 exit 17**, take 3.5 mile out and back hike to waterfall *Date/Notes:*

Table Rock Trails at Hartwick College, Hartwick Drive, Oneonta (Look for trailhead sign and designated parking for hikers) Blue Trail (2.2 miles) *Date/Notes:*

YOUR CHOICE ACTIVITY

Paddle, pedal, fish, camp, geocache, hike. *Date/Notes:*