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Bounce U

Details: Conveniently located right here in Lakewood. Come bounce on huge inflatables with your family for unlimited fun.

Hours: Times vary, call for details Admission/Prices: Call for details Address: 1920 Swarthmore Avenue, Lakewood, NJ

Phone: (732) 364-7769

Games 2 U

Details: Bring the fun to you! Stay in the comfort of your own home or backyard and let Games 2 U supply you with an entire gaming system - be it laser tag, rock climbing, giant hamster ball, or any other fun options! Admission/Prices: Call for details Address: You pick the location and they come to you!

Phone:

(732)703-3110/1-800-71-GAMES Website: www.g2u.com

Make It Glass

Details: An art glass studio specializing in the field of glass fusion. Open to the public to design your own creations, or join a class or club. Various designs that are geared from ages 5-85! Hours: Call for details

Admission/Prices: Pay per item Address: 40 Chestnut Street, Lakewood, NJ **Phone:** (732) 994-5000 Website: www.makeitglassbyus.com

Sky Zone Trampoline Park

Details: Sky Zone is the world's first indoor trampoline park with a branch located right here in Lakewood. They pride themselves in being the inventors of "fun fitness" and the makers of trampolines as far as the eye can see.

Hours: Sunday: 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Monday - Thursday: 3 p.m. - 8 p.m.; Friday from 1 p.m.

Admission/Prices: 30 minutes - \$17;60 minutes - \$19;90 minutes -\$21; 120 minutes - \$25

Address: 1001 New Hampshire Ave, Lakewood NJ

Phone: (609) 398-4SKY Website: www.skyzone.com/ lakewood

iScream Kids

Details: Indoor fun center with imagination village, toddler area, large jungle gym, riding toy and roller-skate room, and arcades.

Hours: Sunday - Thursday: 10 a.m. – 10 p.m.; Friday: 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Admission/Prices: \$8 admission per child

Address: 1328 River Avenue #19A, Lakewood, NJ (Seagull Square) Phone: (732) 838-0848

Lake Shenandoah

Details: A beautiful park featuring bike trail, boat rental, conservation area, fishing, handicap accessibility, picnic area, restrooms, small boat launch (electric motors only), basketball, soccer, softball Hours: Open daily 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. Address: Route 88, Lakewood, NJ Phone: (732) 506-9090; (732) 363-9678 for boat rentals

Brunswick Lakewood Lanes

Details: Great bowling fun for the entire family!

Hours: Call to check availability Admission/Prices: Prices start at \$5.29 a game; shoes cost \$5.35; \$2 games on Tuesday after 8 p.m. Address: 101 Locust Street, Lakewood, NJ Phone: (732) 364-8080

Ocean Lanes

Details: Bowling fun for the entire family! Hours: 8 a.m. – midnight, daily; open until 12:30 a.m. on Motza'ei Shabbos Admission/Prices: \$4.50 per person, shoes not included Address: 2085 Lanes Mill Road, Lakewood, NJ Phone: (732) 363-3421

Dandicraft

Details: Plaster painting and Stuff-a-Bear in one convenient location Hours: Call for hours Admission/Prices: Pay per craft Address: 521 Marc Dr., Lakewood, NJ Phone: (732) 942-1197 / (732) 886-0797

15-20 Minutes from the Heart of Lakewood



SwingTime

Details: A family fun center with two outdoor 18-hole mini-golf courses with waterfalls and a river, indoor arcades, and batting cages

Hours: 10 a.m. - 11 p.m. daily. Admission/Prices: Adults: \$7.50; Children and seniors \$6.50, per 18hole mini golf game Address: 2390 US 9 South, Howell, NJ Phone: (732) 845-0093

Manasquan Reservoir

Details: 1,204 acres of land and water for walking, fishing, and boating. Bike rentals are available onsite from Bike Blade and Ball.

Admission/Prices - No charge. Boat rentals begin at \$14.49 an hour per boat. Call for bike rental information. Address: 311 Windeler Road, Howell 07731

Phone: (732) 919-0996

Howell Lanes

Details: Now offering cosmic bowling and billiards, it is the perfect location for corporate events, birthday parties, and just an excuse for fun.

Hours: Sunday – Thursday: 9 a.m. to midnight; Friday: 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.; Motza'ei Shabbos: open until 2 a.m. Admission/Prices: \$4 per game, \$4 shoe rental

Address: 1002 Route 9, Howell NJ Phone: (732) 462-6767



Six Flags Great Adventure and Safari

Details: A thrilling amusement park and safari off-road adventure. **Hours:** 10:30 a.m. – 10 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** Children under 2 – free. Ages 3 and up are required to purchase a ticket; general admission starts at \$46.99. **Address:** 1 Six Flags Boulevard, Jackson, NJ 08527

Phone: (732) 928-1821

Roller Magic Skating Rink

Details: Skate and rollerblade rentals and arcades **Address:** 2270 W. County Line Road, Jackson, NJ

Hours: Sunday – 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.; Monday – 7:30- 10:00 p.m.; Tuesday – Friday: 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.; Wednesday, also 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Open Motza'ei Shabbos until 11:30 p.m. Admissions/Prices: \$7.00 Phone: (732) 363-2222

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Sweet Dream Farm

Details: Amazing hands-on petting farm

Hours: Sunday 1-6 and Friday 1-5 **Admission/Prices:** Ages 2 and up: \$5; horse rides: \$3 **Address:** 826 Green Valley Road, Jackson (5 minutes from West Gate)

Phone: (732) 806-7370; (732) 987-6008

Cattus Island County Park

Details: A large, beautiful park with a nature center. Center and some trails

are temporarily closed; call for details. Hours: Dawn to dusk daily Admission/Prices: Free admission Address: 1170 Cattus Island Blvd., Toms River, NJ 08753 Phone: (732) 270-6960

Insectropolis

Details: Everything you ever wanted to know about bugs – loads of exhibits and hands-on activities! **Hours:** Monday-Friday 10 a.m.-3 p.m.; presentations at approximately 11 a.m., 12:30 pm and 2 pm.

Admission/Prices: \$8 per person over 2years old; group discount with 15+ visitors

Address: 1760 Route 9, Toms River, NJ

Phone: (732) 349-7090

Color Me Mine

Details: Your budding artist can choose a ceramic item and paint it; the studio fires it to set it for pickup at a later date. Color Me Mine is certified non-toxic and all glazes are lead-free. Paint washes off with water.

Hours: Sunday 12-5; Monday, closed; Tuesday 11 a.m. – 9 p.m.; Wednesday 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.; Thursday 11 a.m. – 9 p.m. – from 6 p.m. – 9 p.m. only adults 17 and up are welcome; Friday 11 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Admission/Prices: Children under 12 - \$7.00, adults - \$9.00, plus the cost of your ceramic piece

Address: 1877 Hooper Avenue Toms River, NJ 08753 Phone: (732) 864-9300

Additional Location: Freehold Raceway Mall, 3710 Route #9, Freehold, NJ 07728; open Monday-Friday from 10 am – 9:30 pm and Sunday from 11 a.m. – 7 pm; (732)780-7811

Website: www.colormemine.com



Ocean Ice Palace Skating Rink

Hours: Call for open skate schedule Admission/Prices: \$7 per person, plus \$3 skate rental Address: 197 Chambers Bridge Road, Brick, NJ 08723 Phone: (732) 477-4411

Mantoloking Bridge County Park

Details: The park features a new, 70foot fishing pier, a boardwalk, picnic area, sun shade, gazebo, and lighted paths with a playground for the kids. It also includes a connecting path that leads to a second, 152-foot fishing pier on the south side of the bridge. Perfect for the fishing enthusiast, and everyone else!

Hours: Daily, from dawn to dusk Admission/Prices: Free Address: 70 Mantoloking Street, Brick, NJ Phone: (732) 506-9090

Windward Beach Park

Details: Park amenities include parking, playground, tot lot, volleyball nets, picnic tables, gazebo, fishing piers, bocce courts, horseshoe pits. **Hours:** Dawn to dusk daily

Admission/Prices: Admission to

park is free; a beach badge is required for bathing area.

Address: 265 Princeton Avenue, Brick NJ

Phone: (732) 262-1044



Tuckerton Seaport

Details: Experience a working maritime village in historic Tuckerton, NJ, that brings maritime traditions of the past to life through people, exhibits and hands-on activities. The seaport and on-site Baymen's Museum feature live aquatic displays, animals, recreated and historical buildings and demonstrations.

Hours: Call to confirm schedule of demonstrations. Seaport is open daily to the public.

Admission/Prices: Vary depending on activity.

Address: 120 West Main Street, Tuckerton, NJ 08087 Phone: (609) 296-8868 Website: Tuckertonseaport.org

South Jersey:

Jenkinson's Boardwalk – 20 minutes

Details: Jenkinson's Boardwalk in beautiful Point Pleasant Beach, NJ features white sandy beaches, games,

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rides, and even an aquarium teeming with sharks, penguins, seals, monkeys, and many more interesting creatures. **Admission/Prices:** Free/Pay by activity. Aquarium - Adult: \$12.00, Child (3-12): \$7.00, Senior (62 +): \$7.00 **Hours:** Open every day 10 a.m. – 10 p.m.; call for schedule of events **Address:** 300 Ocean Ave., Pt. Pleasant Beach, NJ **Phone:** (732) 892-0600

Double Trouble State Park – 30 minutes

Details: Park activities include hiking, fishing, hunting, boating, horseback riding, and biking. There is also a cranberry bog. Guided village tours, including viewing static exhibits inside the restored sawmill and cranberry packing house, start at the interpretive center. As most of the tour is outside with walking on soft sand, participants should dress accordingly. **Hours:** Open daily, from 8 a.m. to dusk

Admission/Prices: No charge Address: 581 Pinewald Keswick Road, Bayville, NJ 08721 Phone: (732) 341-4098

Blackbeard's Cave - 30 minutes

Details: An entertainment center and amusement park for the entire family. Features adventure station, archery, batting cages, bumper boats, rock climbing, driving rage, go karts, and much more!

Hours: 12 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. daily. Admission/Prices: Prices vary with attractions.

Address: 136 Atlantic City Boulevard, Bayville, NJ 08721 Phone: (732) 286-4414

Popcorn Park Zoo - 40 minutes

Details: A family-oriented zoo that was established to provide a refuge for wildlife that were sick, elderly, abandoned, abused, or injured and could no longer survive in their natural habitats, the zoo now also includes exotic and domestic animals. Feeding of animals in the zoo is not allowed due to the animals' specialized diets; however, air-popped popcorn may be purchased to feed free roaming birds and some of the farm animals.

Hours: All week 11 a.m. – 5 p.m. Admission/Prices: Adults - \$5.00 Seniors and Children under

12 - \$4.00

Children under 3 - Free School or other groups taking tours - \$2.00 per person

Free with Wildlife Club, Share-A-Pet or Zoological Society membership card **Address:** 1 Humane Way (off Lacey Road), Forked River, NJ 08731 **Phone**: (609) 693-1900

Old Bog Nature Trail – 40 minutes

Details: A five-mile automobile loop around a system of bogs, blueberry fields, canals, reservoirs, and pine forests

Hours: Dawn to dusk, seven days a week Admission/Prices: Free admission Address: 120 W. Whites Bog Rd., Browns Mills, NJ 08105 Phone: (609) 893-4646

Eagleswood Amusement Park – 40 minutes

Details: Family-friendly amusement park with go-karts, rides, mini-golf, arcades, and other attractions **Hours:** Go Karts: Sunday – Thursday noon – 10 p.m.; Friday – from noon; Motza'ei Shabbos until midnight **Admission/Prices:** Prices vary with attractions; call for details or visit website

Address: 597 Rt. 9, Staffordville, NJ 08092

Phone: (609) 978-6606 **Website**: www. eagleswoodsamusementpark.com

The Barnegat Lighthouse State Park – 1 hour

Details: A panoramic view of Island Beach, Barnegat Bay, and Long Beach Island awaits visitors at the top of Barnegat Lighthouse. Visitors can also catch the views from the top without climbing the 217 steps thanks to four cameras that transmit live images of the view to a display in the Interpretive Center nearby.

Hours: The lighthouse is open daily from 10 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (weather permitting)

Admission/Prices: There is a \$3 fee per person to enter the lighthouse. Children ages 6-11 are \$1; children ages 5 and under are free and must be accompanied by an adult. Address: 208 Broadway, Barnegat

Light, NJ 08006 **Phone** (609) 494-2016

Storybook Land - 1 hour

Details: An adorable storybook-themed amusement park geared toward younger children

Hours: Monday-Friday 10:00 a.m.- 5:30 p.m., Sunday 11:00 a.m.- 5:30 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** \$25.50 + tax, for ages 2+, including adults, when paid at the door; \$22.50 plus tax if booked online

Address: 6415 E. Black Horse Pike, Egg Harbor Township, NJ 08234 Phone: (609) 646-0103 Website: www.storybookland.com

Speed Raceway – 1 hour

Details: Speed Raceway is Pennsylvania's newest and largest indoor electric kart racing facility. It's the perfect place for an authentic racing experience in nearly 100,000- square foot, two-track facility. It is the largest indoor go-kart track on the East Coast. **Admission/Prices:** Junior Racing (must be min. 48" to race) – 12 laps - \$20 Adult Racing: 14 Laps - \$20 **Hours:** Mon-Friday 12-10 p.m.; Motza'ei Shabbos until 11 p.m.; Sunday 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Address: 1103 Route 130 South, Cinnaminson, NJ 08077 Phone: (877) 75-SPEED Website: www.speedraceway.com

Funplex – 1 hour

Details: An indoor/outdoor amusement park with arcades, bumper cars, bowling, go-karts, laser tag, and some outdoor rides. On Monday and Tuesday kids under 10 get one bowling game for free. Parental supervision required. **Hours:** Bowling and arcades: Monday-Thursday 12 pm.-9 p.m.; indoor/outdoor attractions: Sunday-Friday 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.; August 8, 15, 23, and 29 – special hours – call for details or visit website. **Admission/Prices:** Purchase a

wristband which gives you access to a package deal of rides or pay per attraction. Tickets for wristbands available online.

Address: 3320-24 Route 38, Mt. Laurel, New Jersey 08054

Phone: (856) 273-9666

Additional Location: East Hanover, (973) 428-1166

Website: www.funplexmountlaurel. com

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Barclay Farmstead Museum – 1:10

Details: Built in 1816, a restored farmstead and 32-acre property. In addition to tours of the farmhouse, spend some time wandering our interpretive nature trails and admiring

our beautiful Plant-A-Patch garden plots.

Hours: Wednesdays, 12-4 p.m., first Sunday of the month, 12-4 p.m. Admission/Prices: Children under 12 free; adults \$5; seniors and students \$3 Address: 209 Barclay Lane, Cherry Hill, NJ 08034

Phone: (856) 795-6225

Ripley's Believe it or Not Museum – 1:10 minutes

Details: A Fun Family Friendly Museum! Ripley's Believe It or Not Museum is home to the weird. Try out the Vault Laser Maze Challenge! **Hours:** Sunday to Friday: 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Motza'ei Shabbos until 11 p.m. **Admission/Prices: Adult:** \$16.99 + tax (13 and up)

Child: \$10.99 + tax (5-12) Infant: FREE (4 and younger) Seniors: \$13.99 + tax (65+) Coupons available on website; additional charge for Laser Maze (\$3 for one play, \$5 for two)

Address: 1441 Boardwalk, Atlantic City, NJ

Phone: (609) 347-2001 Website: www.ripleys.com/atlanticcity

Diggerland USA – 1:10

Details: A construction-themed attraction where children can drive, ride, and operate real heavy machinery! All Diggerland attractions require a minimum of 36" to ride on, some under the assistance of a parent, and a few attractions require a 42" height to participate. Children under 36" may enjoy the KidZone, the Excavation Center Arcade, or view one of the daily machine stunt shows around the park. **Hours:** 10 a.m. – 7 p.m. daily **Admission/Prices:** Under 42" -\$28.95 at door (\$24.95 online); Over 42" - \$36.95 (\$29.95 online). Everyone

over 36" is required to purchase an admission ticket. Non-participating seniors over 65 are free After 2:00 ticket: online – \$24.95 | walk

up – \$26.95

Address: 100 Pinedge Drive, West Berlin, NJ 08091 Phone: (856) 768-1110 Website: www.diggerlandusa.com

Garden State Discovery Museum – 1:10

Details: An interactive, hands-on museum for kids **Hours:** 9:30 a.m.- 8:30 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** Adults and children 12 months and over: \$13.95; seniors: \$12.95. After 5 p.m., \$5 + tax. All children must be accompanied by an adult 18 or over.

Address: 2040 Springdale Road, Suite 100, Cherry Hill, New Jersey, 08003 **Phone:** (856) 424-1233

Atlantic City Aquarium - 1:10

Details: Large aquarium featuring underwater exhibits plus an exotic animal show and other rotating events **Hours:** Daily: from 10 a.m.- 5 p.m.; no admission after 4:30 p.m.

Admission/Prices: Adults: \$10; seniors: \$7; children (ages 4-12): \$6; 3 and under free

Address: 800 North New Hampshire Avenue, Atlantic City, NJ 08401 Phone: (609) 348-2880

Wharton State Forest - 1:10

Details: The largest NJ State Park, it's also the site of Batsto Village, a restored former bog, iron and glassmaking industrial center from 1766-1867, the restored Atsion 1826 mansion, rivers, streams, trails, playgrounds, and picnic areas.

Hours: Monday – Friday: 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.; Sunday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Admission/Prices: Free admission to park, \$5 per car to Batsto Village weekends

Address: 31 Batsto Road, Hammonton, NJ 08037

Phone: (609) 561-0024; 609-268-0444 for mansion tour availability

Miller Farms Horseback Riding -1:10

Hours: Open year-round, Sundays only, 10 a.m.– 4 p.m. Admission/Prices: One-hour guided trail rides are \$30 per person; only 7+ years can ride

Address: 134 N. Grove Street, Berlin, NJ 08099 Phone: (856) 728-3500

Battleship New Jersey - 1:15

Details: A retired battleship that serves as an interactive museum. Also features a 4D flight simulator, 11 am – 5 pm **Hours:** Daily 9:30 a.m.- 5 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** For standard tour: Adults: \$21.95; seniors: \$17; children 5-11: \$17.00; "Fish 'n Ship" combo tickets available when visiting the Camden Adventure Aquarium **Address:** 100 Clinton Street, Camden, NJ 08103

Phone: (856) 966-1652; 866-877-6262

x108 to purchase tickets in advance

Camden Aquarium – 1:20

Details: Find yourself surrounded by over two dozen sharks in the 550,000-gallon Shark Realm, featuring a 360° view through a 40-foot Shark Tunnel. Come face-to-teeth with some of the most amazing underwater creatures in the Aquarium's Ocean Realm exhibit, home to massive sea turtles, rare shark species, and more. Featuring more than 8,500 aquatic species, Adventure Aquarium is the only aquarium in the world to exhibit hippos. During a visit, you can also get up close and personal with sharks, stingravs, and other critters you can actually touch! Hours: Sunday: 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Monday - Friday: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Admission/Prices: Child: \$19.95; Adult: \$26.95

General admission + 4D theater: Children 2-11 - \$22.45, general - \$29.45 **Address:** 1 Riverside Drive, Camden, NJ 08103

Phone: (800) 616-JAWS/856-365-3300 **Website**: www.adventureaquarium. com

Camden Children's Garden – 1:20

Details: A four-acre garden for exploring with creative and imaginative play **Hours:** Wednesday-Sunday 10:00 a.m.-

5:00 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** \$8 per person; children under 2 are free **Address:** 3 Riverside Drive, Camden, NJ 08103 **Phone:** (856) 365-8733

Cape May Whale Watcher - 1:30

Details: Whale- and dolphin-watching cruises

Hours: Call for cruise schedules Admission/Prices: Rates begin at \$40 per ticket for adults, \$25 for children 7-12; children under 6 are free Address: 1218 Wilson Drive, Cape May, NJ 08204

Phone: 1-800-786-5445; (609) 884-5445

Jersey Shore Alpacas - 1:30

Details: Meet and mingle with alpacas. Learn about, pet and feed these interesting critters.

Hours: General admission is only on Shabbos, but private appointments can be booked for \$20 per group (up to 9 people) on other days of the week. **Address:** 521 Route 47 South, Cape

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May, NJ 08204 Phone: 609-889-4957 Website: Jerseyshorealpacas.com

Museum of American Glass - 1:30

Details: With more than 12,000 pieces, the museum has the most comprehensive exhibit of American glass in the world.

Hours: Tuesday-Sunday: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission/Prices: Adults: \$10; seniors (62+): \$7; students: \$7, under 5 free

Address: 1000 Village Dr., Millville, NJ 08332

Phone: (856) 825-6800

Wheaton Arts and Cultural Center -1.40

Details: Wheaton Arts is home to the Museum of American Glass, the Creative Glass Center of America International Fellowship Program, and the largest folk-life center in the Garden State, a hot glass studio, several traditional craft studios, and a beautiful pond-side picnic grove. In addition to daily glass blowing and artist demonstrations. Wheaton Arts features special exhibitions, programs, workshops, performances, and several weekend festivals throughout the year. Hours: Tuesday – Sunday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Admission/Prices: \$10.00 adults, \$7.00 senior adults (62+), \$7.00 students, children 5 and under are free. FREE to shop and stroll! (Except during special outdoor events.) Address: 1000 Village Dr., Millville, NJ **Phone:** (856) 825-6800

Skimmer Salt Marsh Safari - 1:40

Details: Take a wildlife boat tour and explore the many species of wildlife found in New Jersey.

Hours; Daily trips at 10 a.m., 1:30 p.m., and 6 p.m.

Admission/Prices: Call for rates, to verify times, and to make reservations Address: Trips depart from the Cape May Inlet Marina, Ocean Drive between the bridge and Fish Dock Road, Wildwood Crest, NJ 08260. Wednesday trips depart from the Wetlands Institute in Stone Harbor, as do Thursday's 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. trips. **Phone:** (609) 884-3100

Cohanzick Zoo – 1:50

Details: New Jersey's first zoo, located in a 1,100-acre park; this small zoo has over 200 animals!

Hours: Daily: 9 a.m.- 5 p.m. Admission/Prices: Free admission (donations suggested) Address: 45 Mayor Aitken Drive, Bridgeton, NJ 08302 Phone: (856) 453-1658 Website: cohanzickzoo.org

Silver Bullet Speedboat Ride and Dolphin Watch - 2 hours

Details: Combining nature and thrill, a 90-minute speedboat ride and dolphinwatching cruise Hours: Daily cruises at 9:30 a.m., 12 p.m., and 2:30 p.m.; call for availability and reservations Admission/Prices: Adults (12+): \$30; Children (2-11): \$17 Address: 508 W. Rio Grande Avenue,

Wildwood, NJ 08260 **Phone:** (609) 522-6060

Cape May Zoo - 2 hours

Details: An amazing 200 species of animals, birds, and reptiles inhabit the Cape May Zoo's park-like setting. The 120-acre zoo and park includes a playground, carousel, nature and bike trails, a pond for fishing, and picnic facilities.

Hours: 10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Admission/Prices: Free Address: 707 Route N. 9, Cape May Court House, NJ 08210 Phone: (609) 465-5271

Cape May Ferry - 2 hours

Details: The most memorable way to travel between Delaware and New Jersey; take the 85-minute Cape May ferry ride (one-way, 3 hours there and back), an experience the whole family can enjoy. The ferry can hold approximately 100 vehicles. Hours: Ferry departs daily at 7 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 1 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m. and 6 p.m.; call for details as times may vary

Admission/Prices: Children under 6 free; \$4 for everyone else.

Fares start at \$39 for car and driver; return trips and additional passengers subject to additional charge. Address: 1200 Lincoln Blvd., Cape May, NJ 08204 Phone: (800) 643-3779

Cape May Lighthouse - 2 hours

Details: A lighthouse and museum with spectacular panoramic views of the Atlantic Ocean

Hours: Park hours: sunrise to sunset daily; call for lighthouse schedule

Admission/Prices: Adults: \$8; children (3-12): \$5 Address: 215 Light House Avenue, Cape May Point, NJ 08212 Phone: (800) 275-4278; (609) 884-5404

The World War II Lookout Tower Museum & Memorial – 2 hours

Details: A restored lookout tower used to defend the area during WWII **Hours:** 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Admission/Prices: Adults: \$6, first child free with paying adult, additional children (3-12): \$3 Address: 1200 Sunset Blvd., North Cape May, NJ 08204 Phone: (609) 884-5404

Naval Air Station Wildwood Aviation Museum – 2 hours

Details: An aircraft museum, which also features a 9/11 memorial exhibit Hours: 9 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Admission/Prices: Adults: \$12, children 3-12: \$10

Address: 500 Forrestal Road (Cape May County Airport), Rio Grande, NJ 08242

Phone: (609) 886-8787

Emlen Physick Estate - 2 hours

Details: A restored, historical Victorian mansion; tours last approximately 45 minutes

Hours: Call for hours and reservations Admission/Prices: Adults: \$12; children: \$8 Address: 1048 Washington St., Cape May, NJ 08204 Phone: (609) 884-5404

North Jersey:

Jersey Shore Arena – 20 minutes

Details: 3 ice skating arenas, laser tag, and arcades

Hours: Call for public skate schedule Admission/Prices: \$8 general admission; \$4 children 5 and under; \$4 skate rental Address: 1215 Wyckoff Road, Wall Township, NJ 07727 Phone: (732) 919-7070

InfoAge Science Center - 20 minutes

Details: This history/tech museum is located at a 100-year-old national historic landmark. Exhibits on radio, computers, electronics and warfare technology housed at a former military base.

Hours: Open Wednesday and Sunday from 1 p.m.- 5 p.m. Admission/Prices: Suggested donation: \$5 Address: 2201 Marconi Rd, Wall Township, NJ 07719 Phone: (732) 280-3000

Historic Village at Allaire State Park – 20 minutes

Details: A quaint historic village of restored houses and a nearby train ride within a beautiful park **Hours:** Sunday 10 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.; Monday – Friday 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** Free admission, but fee for parking on weekends **Address:** 4263 Atlantic Avenue, Farmingdale, NJ 07727 **Phone:** (732) 919-3500

iPlay America – 30 minutes

Details: New Jersey's largest indoor amusement park Hours: Daily 10 a.m. – 10 p.m. Admission/Prices: Prices and packages vary based on attractions Address: 110 Schank Road, Freehold, NJ 07728 Phone: (732) 577-8200 Website: www.iplayamerica.com

Battleview Orchards – 30 minutes

Details: This family-owned farm harvests locally grown fruits. They invite the public to pick strawberries, sour cherries, peaches, nectarines, apples, and pumpkins, depending on the season. They also have tomatoes and corn.

Hours: Open daily 9 a.m.– 6 p.m.; visitors are encouraged to always call first to confirm dates, hours, and supply. **Admission/Prices:** Only cash is accepted at the picking locations. Families need a 2015 "Pick Your Own" membership card to pick in orchards which is available at the Country Store or in the Orchard – only \$1.00 per family or group, but of course you have to pay for what you pick.

Address: 91 Wemrock Rd, Freehold, NJ 07728

Phone: (732) 462-0756

Emery's Berry Farm – 30 minutes

Details: This great farm offers organic blueberries, U-pick fields and a kid's corn maze, farm market and farm animals. One adult is required for every two minors picking blueberries. **Hours:** Sunday – Friday 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** Pay for what you

pick

Address: 346 Long Swamp Rd, New Egypt, NJ 08533 **Phone:** (609) 758-8514

Pump It Up - 30 minutes

Details: An inflatable bounce play center for children

Hours: Call for open bounce schedule Admission/Prices: Call for prices Address: 40 Asbury Avenue, Freehold, NJ 07728 Phones (722) 400, 4748

Phone: (732) 409-4748

Holmdel Park – 30 minutes

Details: Holmdel Park is a fun day trip for the entire family. **Hours:** Sunday – Friday 7 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** Admission to the park, playground, and hiking trails is free. You may also visit the free

working Longstreet Farm nearby at 50 Longstreet Rd., Holmdel. **Address:** 44 Longstreet Road, Holmdel, NJ 07733

Phone: (732) 946-9562

Historic Longstreet Farm – 40 minutes

Details: The sights, sounds, and smells of rural Monmouth County in the 1890s have been recreated on 9 acres at Historic Longstreet Farm in Holmdel Park. Interpreters in period dress show both daily and seasonal agricultural and domestic activities. Longstreet Farm has group activities covering a variety of topics relating to agricultural and social history. These programs have been developed for a wide range of age groups. Hours: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. daily Admission/Prices: Free admission (programs have fees) Address: 44 Longstreet Road, Holmdel, NJ 07733 Phone: (732) 946-3758

Hallock's U-Pick – 30 minutes

Details: Pick a variety of seasonal vegetables and fruits, but bring your own knife.

Hours: 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. daily Admission/Prices: Pay for what you pick. One adult required for every 5 children. Address: 38 Fischer Road, New Egypt, NJ 08533 Phone: (609) 758-8847

Turkey Swamp Park – 30 minutes

Details: A large park with boat rentals and plenty of walking trails

Hours: Open daily 7 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. Admission/Prices: No admission. Boat rentals begin at \$14.49 per hour per boat Address: 200 Georgia Road, Freehold,

NJ 07728 **Phone:** (732) 462-7286

Monmouth Battlefield State Park – 30 minutes

Details: An expansive historic park with trails, picnic areas, playgrounds, and pick-your-own orchards. From the end of May until the end of October, they have a succession of harvests: strawberries begin at the end of May, pie cherries toward the end of June, and peaches and nectarines in mid-to-late July. Apples ripen around the beginning of September and pumpkins at the beginning of October.

Hours: Sunday – Friday 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. Admission/Prices: Free admission; pay for what you pick Address: 16 Business Route 33, Manalapan, NJ 07726 Phone: (732) 462-9616 for picking hours and details.

Historic Walnford – 30 minutes

Details: A quaint, historical estate and mill site along a tranquil creek Hours: Historical buildings: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily; Park: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. (until 7 p.m. after Memorial Day) Admission/Prices: Free admission Address: 62 Walnford Road, Upper Freehold, NJ 08501 Phone: (609) 259-6275

Funtime America – 30 Minutes

Details: A fun indoor amusement park with games, rides and attractions (inflatables, carnival rides, gaming areas, laser tag...) for kids of all ages Hours: Mon-Friday 12 a.m. – 9 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m. – 10 p.m.; Motza'ei Shabbos open until midnight Admission/Prices: Pay per attraction/ ride Address: 269 Route 35, Eatontown, NJ 07724

Phone: (732) 460-0700 Website: www.funtimeamerica.com

Paint a Tee - 30 minutes

Details: Design your own T-shirt (long sleeve available), apron, mouse pad, notebook, onesie, pillowcase, puzzle, sweatshirt (hooded and crew), tote bag and more and take it home that same day!

Hours: Monday-Friday by appointment

only; Sunday 12 p.m. – 4 p.m. Admission/Prices: Pay per item Address: 18 Monmouth St, Red Bank, NJ 07701 Phone: (732) 268-7620 Website: paintatee.com

Hot Sand – 30 minutes

Details: Walk-in glass blowing activities for the whole family. Glass blowing (9+ yrs), SunTile (4+ yrs), QuickCast (any age). No appointments or reservations necessary just show up during glass blowing hours. **Hours**: Daily noon – 6 p.m. Admission/Prices: Pay per object/ dish. Address: 550 Cookman Ave, #103,

Asbury Park, NJ 07712 Phone: (732) 927-5475 Website: www.HotSandAP.com

Dorbrook Park - 30 minutes

Details: Great park with a huge playground and spray ground. Bring the kids' scooters or bikes for the many paths.

Hours: Open daily, 7 a.m. - 8:30 p.m. Admission/Prices: Free admission Address: 209 County Route 537 East, Colts Neck, NJ. Phone: (732) 542-1642

Top Gun Paintball - 30 minutes

Details: A paintball experience for ages 8 and up Hours: Wednesday-Friday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday 9 a.m.- 4 p.m. Admission/Prices: Starting at \$25.99 per person. Weekday play requires reservations! Address: 567 Monmouth Road, Cream Ridge, NJ **Phone**: (732) 928-2810

Party and Play - 40 minutes

Details: Home of the 42-foot super slide - the largest in NJ - and many exciting indoor attractions Hours: Monday-Friday 2 p.m.-6 p.m. Sun: 11 a.m.- 6 p.m. Admission/Prices: \$10.00 per child for 2 hours of playtime; additional time incurs extra charge Address: 351-E. Matawan Road. Matawan, NJ 07747 Phone: (732) 583-0504

The Roebling Museum - 40 minutes

Details: The ideal museum for your budding engineer. Discover how the Brooklyn Bridge was built!

Hours: Wednesday-Sunday 11 am - 4 pm (April-August; call for hours in different seasons)

Admission/Prices: \$6.00 Adults; \$5.00 Seniors and Children 6-12; free for members and children under 6 Address: 100 2nd Ave, Roebling, NJ 08554

Phone: (609) 499-7200

Deepcut Gardens – 40 minutes

Details: A 54-acre horticultural park with paths, bridges and magnificent gardens Hours: 8 a.m.- dusk daily Admission/Prices: Free admission Address: 152 Red Hill Road. Middletown, NJ 07748 Phone: (732) 671-6050

Old Barracks Museum – 50 minutes

Details: An educational center for colonial and American history Hours: Mon-Fri: 10 a.m.- 5 p.m.; tours begin every hour, last tour at 4 pm Admission/Prices: Adults: \$8; seniors and students: \$6; children 5 and younger are free

Address: 101 Barrack Street, Trenton, NJ 08608 Phone: (609) 396-1776

Kidz Village – 50 minutes

Details: An indoor children's play facility designed for kids 10 years old and younger

Hours: Sunday-Friday: 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Admission/Prices: Children 2+: \$10.99; walking children under 2: \$7.99; non-walking children under 2 and adults are free

Address: 507 King Georges Road, Woodbridge Township, NJ 07045 Phone: (732) 826-8577

Washington Crossing State Park - 1 hour

Details: A museum, trails, playgrounds, nature center, and historic ferry house at the site of George Washington's Delaware River crossing **Hours:** Guided tours at \$6/person Admission/Pricing: Park is open daily 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Address: 355 Washington Crossing-

Pennington Road, Titusville, NJ 08560 Phone: (609) 737-0616

Liberty Science Center - 1 hour

Details: The Only All-In-One Museum, Zoo & Aquarium in NJ! Try the new Infinity Climber hanging gym. Climb 35 feet above the floor on 64

small platforms...if you dare! Other great activities include the pitch-black Touch Tunnel maze; walking along a beam 18 feet high; and being blasted by hurricane-force winds and rain the Curtain Wall simulator and much more. Hours: Monday-Friday 9 a.m.- 4 p.m., Sunday 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Admission/Prices: General admission - adults \$21.75, kids \$17.75, seniors \$18.75

Address: 222 Jersey City Blvd., Jersey City, NJ 07305 **Phone:** (201) 200-1000 Website: www.LSC.org

Rebounderz of Edison – 1 hour

Details: Giant Indoor Trampoline Park! A 41,000-square foot state-of-the-art facility featuring multiple arena style jumpers with rebounding floors foam pit and angled rebounding sidewalls. Hours: Monday - Friday 10 a.m. - 10 p.m.; Sunday 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Admission/Prices:

\$12.00 for 30 minutes of Jump Time \$17.00 for 60 minutes of Jump Time \$25.00 for 90 minutes of Jump Time \$27.00 for 120 minutes of Jump Time \$3.00 for Jump Socks (required) Address: 76 Carter Drive, Edison, NJ 08817

Phone: (732) 902-6987 x5 Website: rebounderzedison.com

Liberty Hall Museum - 1 hour

Details: A restored mansion and historic firehouse depicting 200 years of American history Hours: Tuesday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Admission/Prices: Adults: \$12; seniors, students, and children ages 3+: \$8. The Museum is Pav as You Wish on the second and third Thursday of each month from 4 p.m. - 8 p.m. Address: Kean University, 1003 Morris Avenue, Union, NJ 07083 Phone: (908) 527-0400

Howell Living History Farm - 1 hour

Details: Farming began here as far back as the 1730s, and today visitors have the opportunity to experience over 250 years of New Jersey farm life. Pitch in with daily chores such as feeding and watering animals, mixing animal feed, and collecting eggs. Children can try their hand at everything from bottlefeeding lambs and gathering honey to collecting sap and harvesting ice. Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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Sunday: Noon- 4 p.m. Please note: The farm is closed on Mercer County holidays. Admission/Prices: Admission is free. Small fee to attend the classes. Address: 70 Woodens Ln., Lambertville, NJ 08530 Phone: (609) 737-3299

Drumthwacket - 1 hour

Details: The official residence of the Governor of New Jersey since 1981, Drumthwacket is an important part of our state's history and culture. **Hours:** Public tours available Wednesdays at 1 p.m. with prior reservations.

Admission/Prices: \$5 suggested donation

Address: 354 Stockton Street, Princeton, NJ 08540 Phone: (609) 683-0057

Thomas Edison Center in Menlo Park – 1 hour

Details: Set on a 36-acre park with trails, it includes a small two-room museum and the Edison Memorial Tower and Commemorative Monuments. The museum contains artifacts and interpretive exhibits relating to Edison's major inventions at Menlo Park. Artifacts include a model of Edison's laboratory, early phonographs and light bulbs, historic photographs, and a Menlo Park era electric generator. **Hours:** Please note that the museum is only open Thursday through Saturday from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.; call to schedule larger group tours

Admission/Prices: Admission is free, but there is a suggested donation. Address: 37 Christie St, Edison, NJ 08820

Phone: (732) 549-3299

Trailside Nature Center – 1 hour

Details: It is a three-level nature center that includes a Discovery Room on the lower level, a small theater presenting a 7-minute movie on the second level, and a little wigwam equipped with small benches to sit around a "campfire" on the third. There is a big playground nearby and the Watchung Stables just around the corner. There are also hiking trails varying in difficulty with many leading to interesting locations. Hours: 12 p.m. – 5 p.m. daily Admission/Prices: The Trailside Nature and Science Center is free. Address: Watchung Reservation at 452 New Providence Road, Mountainside,

NJ 07092 **Phone:** (908) 789-3670

Colonial Park in Somerset NJ – 1 hour

Details: This Park features hiking, biking, a great playground, beautiful gardens, and even paddle boats! **Hours:** General-use parks are open from 7 a.m. until one half-hour after sunset. Some facilities such as Warrenbrook Pool, Lord Stirling Stable, Environmental Education Center, and Leonard J. Buck Garden are open during varying hours and days. Please check with each facility before you visit for current hours.

Admission/Prices: Call for details Address: 156 Mettlers Road, Somerset, NJ 08873

Phone: (732) 873-2459

Bowcraft Amusement Park - 1 hour

Details: A family amusement park with an emphasis on kiddie and family rides **Hours:** Sunday 11 a.m. – 9 p.m.; Monday 11 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Tuesday – Friday 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Admission/Prices: Pay per ride, or fun pass is \$24.95 per person. Starting at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday night special at \$12.95.

Address: 2545 Route 22 West, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076 Phone: (908) 389-1234

Duke Farms – 1:10

Details: A 1.25-mile self-guided nature trail through a series of different habitats. Come for bird watching, historical enrichment, hiking, biking, walking, classes, workshops, and more. You can also rent bikes for teens and adults.

Hours: 8:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. daily except Wednesday

Admission/Prices: Free admission. Rent a bike at just \$5 per bike. Bring a helmet.

Address: 1112 Dukes Parkway W, Hillsborough Township, N.J. 08844 Phone: (908) 722-3700

Montclair Art Museum – 1:10

Details: Since it opened in 1914 as the first museum in New Jersey that granted access to the public and the first dedicated solely to art, it has been privately funded. Its collection of more than 12,000 items and its exhibit programs are dedicated to American art and Native American art forms, as well as contemporary art in both those disciplines.

Hours: Open Wednesday – Sunday, 12 pm – 5 pm; call for additional hours Admission/Prices: MAM is always free for children and has many opportunities for adults to receive free admission, including Free First Fridays and Free First Thursday Nights. Address: 3 S. Mountain Ave, Montclair, NJ 07042

Phone: (973) 746-5555

Pole Position Raceway

Details: Adrenaline-filled go-kart racing; speeds up to 20 mph (junior), 25 mph (youth), and 45 mph (adult). Must be 48" or taller

Hours: Monday-Friday: 12 p.m. – 10 p.m.; Sunday: 10 a.m. – 10 p.m.; Motza'ei Shabbos - open until midnight

Admission/Prices: Adult (over 58", must have driver's license): \$25; youth (over 58", no driver's license): \$25; junior (48"-58"): \$22

Address: 99 Caven Point Road, Jersey City, NJ 07305

Phone: (201) 333-7223

Website: www.polepositionraceway. com/jersey-city

Turtle Back Zoo - 1:10

Details: A smaller-scale zoo with many interesting animals and exhibits **Hours:** 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. daily Park remains open for half hour after last admission

Admission/Prices: Adults: \$14; seniors/children: \$11; children under 23 months free

Address: 560 Northfield Avenue, West Orange, New Jersey, 07052 Phone: (973) 731-5800

Environmental Education Center in Basking Ridge, NJ – 1:10

Details: The Environmental Education Center lies on the edge of the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge which includes miles of hiking trails and wildlife observation. The center itself has interesting displays.

Hours: Hours vary by season and day; call for details

Admission/Prices: Free admission Address: 190 Lord Stirling Road, Basking Ridge, NJ 07920 Phone: (908) 766-2489

Raptor Trust – 1:10

Details: Located a quarter of a mile down the road from the Environmental Education Center, this bird rehabilitation center is open seven days

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Fosterfields Living Historical Farm – 1:20

Details: An actual working farm as it would have been in the 1800s Hours: Tuesday-Friday: 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. (last admission at 4 pm); hours vary by season, call for schedule Admission/ Prices: Adults: \$6, seniors: \$5, children: \$4 (4-16), \$2 (2-3) Address: 73 Kahdena Road, Morristown, NJ 07960 Phone: (973) 326-7645

Alstede Farms- 1:20

Details: Pick-your-own fruits, vegetables, and flowers; moon bounces, farm tours, and more! **Hours:** Daily 9 a.m.- 8 p.m. (pony rides, moon bounce, wagon rides, hayrides: Sundays from 12 pm – 4 pm) **Admission/Prices:** Prices vary by attraction, call for details **Address:** 1 Alstede Farms Lane, Chester, NJ 07930 **Phone:** (908) 879-7189

Willowwood Arboretum – 1:20

Details: Beautiful green space of gardens and meadows featuring a bee meadow, a conservatory of subtropical plants, a lilac collection, and much more. **Hours:** Open daily from 8 am until sunset.

Admission/Prices: Most days free; days with special events there is a charge. Call or check website for schedule of special events. Address: 14 Longview Road, Far Hills, NJ 07931 Phone: 908-234-1815 Website: Willowwoodarboretum.org

Valley Shepherd Creamery-1:30

Details: Tour the cheese-making process from beginning to end, amongst hundreds of sheep. Hours: Tours begin at 3:30 p.m. daily; call to ensure a slot Admission/Prices: \$8.75 adults; \$6.75 kids (2-12) Address: 50 Fairmount Road, Long Valley, NJ Phone: (908) 876-3200

Reeves Reed Arboretum - 1:30

Details: An oasis of beauty and calm, Reeves Reed Arboretum boasts lovely gardens and hiking trails. **Hours:** The Arboretum grounds are open daily from dawn until dusk. Wisner House is open to the public Tuesday through Friday from 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. and on some Sundays (call for schedule) Admission/Prices: Admission to the Arboretum is free; however, there is a nonmember suggested donation of \$5.00. Donation and information kiosks are located near the Greenhouse and inside the Wisner House. Address: 165 Hobart Ave, Summit, NJ 07901

Phone: (908) 273-8787

Kidnetic – 1:30

Details: A 4,000-square foot play area, with a three-level play structure, a matfilled floor of all shapes and sizes and a rock climbing wall.

Hours: Monday-Wednesday: 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Thursday: 12 pm – 5:30 pm; Friday: 12 pm – 7 pm; Sunday hours vary, call for details

Admission/Prices: \$12.95 per child for all-day play, discount for 3 or more children

Address: 2 Changebridge Road, East Building-Unit E, Montville, NJ Phone: (973) 331-9001

Delaware River Tubing - 1:30

Details: Delaware River tubing, tubing, rafting, kayaking and canoeing in NJ! Lifejackets are mandatory for everyone 17 years old and younger. All participants, regardless of age, must bring a lifejacket. Children must be accompanied by a legal parent or guardian (21 or older).

Hours: Mon-Fri – call for hours Admission/Prices: Tube \$34.41 per rider (\$40.92 on Sundays and holidays), raft – \$40.92 (\$50.22 on Sundays and holidays), canoe - \$43.71 (\$48.36 on Sundays and holidays), kayak - \$53.01 (\$57.66 on Sundays and holidays); lower rates for groups of more than 20; prices do not include tax Address: 778 Frenchtown Road,

Milford, NJ 08848 **Phone:** (908) 996-5386 **Website:** www.delawarerivertubing.com

World of Wings - 1:30

Details: Children's museum and family fun center. Featuring Live Butterfly Atrium housed with different types of exotic butterflies from all over the world, butterfly receiving room where you can watch butterflies emerge from their chrysalises, exhibition hall to view a unique collection of animals and insects, soft-play area for toddlers, plus a bounce house, ball pit, rock climbing wall, bubble room, play kitchen, arcade, mini race track, face painting, and so much more! Admission and Prices – Adults – \$16, children (2-11) - \$11, seniors - \$14 Hours: Wed – Sun. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Address: 1775 Windsor Road, Teaneck, NJ 07666 Phone: (201) 833-4650 Website: www.wowbutterfly.com

New Jersey Rock Gym – 1:30

Details: An indoor rock climbing experience Hours: Monday-Thursday: 12 p.m.-10:30 p.m.; Sunday:10 a.m.- 8 p.m. Admission/Prices: Rates start at \$17 for adults and \$13 for students (extra charge for gear) Address: 373D Route 46W, Fairfield, NJ 07004

Phone: (973) 439-9860

Tenafly Nature Center - 1:30

Details: Tenafly Nature Center is a nature preserve where you can observe wildlife, go birding, take beautiful nature pictures, snow-shoe and more. **Hours:** Trails are open all year from dawn to dusk; the Visitor's Center is open weekdays 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. and on weekends from 11 a.m. – 4 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** Free admission **Address:** 313 Hudson Ave., Tenafly, NJ 07670

Phone: (201) 568-6093

BoBolink Dairy Farm - 1:30

Details: Guided tours of a working dairy farm with farm store **Hours:** Regular farm store hours are: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 12 p.m. – 6 p.m., Sunday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Farm Tours are held most Sundays at 2 **Address:** 369 Stamets Road, Milford, NJ 08848

Admission/Prices: \$5 per person for guided tours

Phone: (908) 864-7277; for group tours, email nina@cowsoutside.com

Palisades Interstate Park & Historic Fort Lee Park – 1:40

Details: Gorgeous overlooks, scenery and trails, as well as historic Kearny House and exhibits, at this key Revolutionary War site Hours: Park grounds open during daylight hours; Visitor Center open Wed.-Sun.: 10 a.m.- 4:45 p.m. Admission/Prices: No charge; metered parking at Fort Lee Park Address: Palisades Interstate Pkwy., Alpine, NJ 07620 Phone: (201) 461-1776

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Wild West City - 2:00

Details: "The Best of the West in the Heart of the East." Wild West historical village recreation featuring an authentic-looking Main Street, theatrical characters and performances, stagecoach and train rides, pony rides, barnyard zoo, mini golf, and panning for gold.

Hours: Opens at 10:30 a.m. with opening ceremony held at 11 a.m.; closing ceremony at 6 p.m.; special events and performances all day, approximately one every 15 minutes. Open daily until Labor Day. **Admission/Prices:** \$17.25 for adults, children 2-11 are \$15.25, senior citizens

are \$13.50. Rides are \$4.00 extra per person. **Address:** 50 Lackawanna Drive,

Address: 50 Lackawanna Drive, Stanhope, NJ 07874

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Bowman Hill Wildflower Preserve and Bowman's Hill Tower – 1:10

Details: 134 acres in New Hope featuring hundreds of species of native plants, in a setting of picturesque woodlands, meadows, a pond and a creek.

Hours: Monday closed, Tuesday – Sunday 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Admission/Prices: \$6.00 for adults, children 3-14 are \$3.00, and children under 3 are free. Admission includes a guided wildflower walk offered Tuesday-Sunday at 2 p.m. from April until October

Address: Wildflower Preserve: 1635 River Road, New Hope, PA 18938 Bowman's Hill Tower: 1 Tower Road **Phone:** Wildflower Preserve: (215) 862-2924; Hill Tower: (215) 493-4076

Doylestown Castle - 1:15

Details: The Doylestown Castle is an amazing, huge wooden castle playground, designed for children ages 2-12.

Hours: Daily from dawn until dusk Admission/Prices: Free Address: Central Park: 425 Wells Road, Doylestown, PA. 18901 Phone: N/A

Escape the Room - 1:30 minutes

Details: Escape the Room is a fun, interactive game. Find the hidden objects, figure out the clues and solve

the puzzles to earn your freedom and "Escape the Room." You have 60 minutes, so be quick! Come with your friends, family, and coworkers and have a great time. Up to 10 people at a time. Requires advance booking. **Hours:** Times vary; call for hours/ availability.

Admission/Prices: Call for details Address: 1528 Walnut St, Philadelphia, PA

Phone: (267) 603-4355 Website: www.escapetheroom.com Additional Locations: NYC (downtown and midtown): 347-954-9160

Room Escape Adventures – 1:30 minutes

Details: Prepare to be locked in a room with up to 11 other people and a Zombie that is chained to the wall! Hidden in the room is a key that will unlock the door to your freedom. To find the key you must locate numerous clues and solve riddles. Every five minutes the hungry Zombie's chain is released another foot and will be able to reach you within an hour. You have 60 minutes to the find clues and escape the room without getting eaten! Advance reservation required. Reservations can be made a month in advance. If you would like to reserve a private session and purchase all 12 tickets, please visit the website. Groups of 8 or more can be set up as a private party..

Hours: Times vary so call for hours/ availability.

Admission/Prices: Call for details Address: 3502 Scotts Lane, Building #18, Philadelphia, PA 19129 Phone: (470) 236-2699 (all locations) Website: www.roomescapeadventures. com

Additional Location: NYC; email ny@ roomescapeadventures.com

Ride the Ducks – 1:30 minutes

Details: A fun way to tour historic Philadelphia and enjoy a boat ride on this restored WWII truck, which converts into a boat Hours: Call for daily schedules; advance booking recommended Admission/Prices: Adults: \$31; children (4-12): \$20; infants (under 3): \$5; seniors: \$29 (62+) Address: 6 Chestnut Street (corner Chestnut & 6th across from the Liberty

Bell), Philadelphia, PA 19106 **Phone:** (877) 887-8225

Giggleberry Fair at Peddlers' Village – 1:30

Details: A quaint village with shops and indoor attractions for both younger and older children; Giggleberry Mountain, a 3-story, 6-level climbing structure, toddler area, arcades, carousel, and more **Hours:** Monday-Thursday 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Friday from 10 a.m.; Motza'ei Shabbos until 9 p.m.; Sunday 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Admission/Prices: Prices vary by attractions; all-inclusive package \$22.99; daily specials. Call or visit website for details

Address: Route 263, Lahaska, Bucks County, PA; GPS address: 5750 Upper York Road, New Hope, PA 18938 Phone: (215) 794-4047 Wahrie, unwaddlenwillage com/

Website: www.peddlersvillage.com/kids/page/giggleberry-mountain

York County Solid Waste Authority - 1:30

Details: This plant turns household waste into electricity. There are 86 such plants in the US, and six of them are in Pennsylvania. They show you the whole process – from the time the garbage trucks dump the garbage until the waste is turned into electricity. You will also learn about paper recycling and worm composting. This one-hour tour requires a good amount of walking. Minimum age: 6.

Admission/Prices: No charge Hours: Available Monday – Friday 8 am – 5 pm (by reservation only)

Address: 2700 Blackbridge Road., York, PA 17406

Phone: (717) 845-1066 **Website:** <u>www.ycswa.com</u>

Ringing Rocks Park - 1:37

Details: Scenic 128-acre park nestled in the wood in Upper Black Eddy featuring a field of boulders that ring with a sound similar to metal when struck with a hammer or another rock; also has Bucks County's largest waterfall. The boulders fill a large area resembling a long river, but it consists entirely of large rocks. There are also hiking trails nearby. **Admission/Prices:** No charge. **Address:** 901 East Bridgetown Pike, Langhorne, PA 19047 **Phone:** 215-348-6114

Crayola Factory Tour - 1:40

Details: Roomy, crayon-centric warehouse with colorful kid-friendly activities, events, a café. and a store.

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This one-of-a-kind attraction is where color, chemistry, and technology magically combine to create a colorful adventure for a child's imagination. **Hours:** Daily 10:00 a.m. – 6 p.m.; hours vary by season, call to confirm **Admission/Prices:** \$19.99 per person (book online for \$3 discount) **Address:** 30 Centre Square, Easton, PA 18042

Phone: (610) 515-8000

Website: www.crayolaexperience.com/ easton

Amish Village - 2 hours

Details: The Amish Village is an authentic look at today's Amish lifestyle. Located on 12 scenic acres, the Amish Village lets visitors tour an authentic Amish property, including a one-room schoolhouse, barn with farm animals, blacksmith shop, smokehouse market, and more. Offering farmhouse, village, and back roads tours.

Hours: Daily – 9 a.m.- 5 p.m.; Sunday: 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Admission/Prices: Tours start at \$9.50 for adults and \$6 for children 5-12 Address: 199 Hartman Bridge Rd, Ronks, PA 17572 Phone: (717) 687-8511

Choo Choo Barn – 2 hours

Details: A 1,700-square foot train layout features over 150 hand-built animated figures and vehicles and 22 operating trains

Hours: Daily 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. (hours vary by season)

Admission: 12 and up \$7.50; Children 3-11 \$4.50; group rates available for groups of 15 or more Address: 226 Gap Road, Box 130, Route 741 East, Strasburg, PA 17579 Phone: (717) 687-7911

Longwood Gardens – 2 hours

Details: A magnificent world-class botanical display in 20 indoor and 20 outdoor gardens

Hours: Sunday - Wednesday 9 a.m.-6 p.m.; Thursday - Friday 9 a.m. - 10 p.m. Admission/Prices: Adults: \$20; students (5-18 or any valid student ID): \$10; seniors (65+): \$17; children 4 and under free

Address: 1001 Longwood Road, Kennett Square, PA 19348 Phone: (610) 388-1000

Hands on House – Children's Museum of Lancaster – 2:10

Details: This roomy venue offers interactive exhibits, classes, and events

geared for kids ages 2 to 10. **Hours:** Sunday noon – 5 p.m.; Monday – Thursday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.; Friday 10 a.m. – 8 p.m. **Admission/Prices:** \$9.50 **Address:** 721 Landis Valley Road

Lancaster PA **Phone:** (717) 569-5437

Herr's Snack Factory Tours - 2:10

Details: It's a fun-filled morning or afternoon of educational tidbits, technological feats, and tasty little morsels your family will savor for years to come.

Hours: Tour hours: Monday – Thursday 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.; Friday 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.; tours begin every half hour Admission/Prices: No charge; reservations are recommended Address: 271 Old Baltimore Pike, Nottingham PA 19362 Phone: (610) 932-9330; 800-637-6225

Kreider Farms Tours – 2:20

Details: Kreider Farms is a real working farm offering 90-minute dairy farm tours with high-tech view of farming including a trolley ride through the middle of our loafing barn, otherwise known as the cow palace, and a bird's eye view of the milking merry-go-round. **Hours:** By appointment only; schedule at least 3 days in advance

Admission/Prices: Age 2-11 \$9; 12+ \$12; personal vehicle (up to 4 people) \$40

Address: 1461 Lancaster Road, Manheim, PA 17545 Phone: (717) 665-5039 (Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.); email: farmtour@kreiderfarms.com

Hershey Park and Hershey's Chocolate World – 2:40

Details: Hershey Park is a family theme park with dozens of rides including

roller coasters, family and kiddie rides; the adjacent Hershey's Chocolate World tours takes you on a tour through the Hershey factory.

Hours: 9 a.m.– 9 p.m., until August 28, until 11 p.m.; hours vary by attraction and season, call for schedule

Admission/Prices: Age 3-8 and seniors \$39.45; 9-54 \$62.95. Discounted tickets may be ordered in advance from Central PA Koshermart – 866-946-9977/www.centralpaskoshermart.com/ tickets.php

Address: 251 Park Blvd., Hershey, PA 17033

Phone: (844) 330-1813



Staten Island Go-Karts – 1 hour

Details: With the ability to accommodate groups of any size with special rates and attention given to schools, camps, clubs, and gatherings. Call for special rates and to book a date. Accepts cash only no credit cards. There is an ATM located down the street from the park.

Hours: Call for details Admission/Prices: Go-karts - \$6 for a driver, \$3 for a passenger

Miniature golf - \$6 per person for 18 holes

Batting tokens -

\$2.50 each for 18 pitches Address: 215 Schmidts Lane, Staten Island, NY 10314 Phone: (718) 982-5576 Website: www.sigokarts.com

The Statue of Liberty - 1:20

Details: The icon of American freedom – enjoy the newly renovated interior! Access only by ferry departs from Battery Park, Manhattan or