



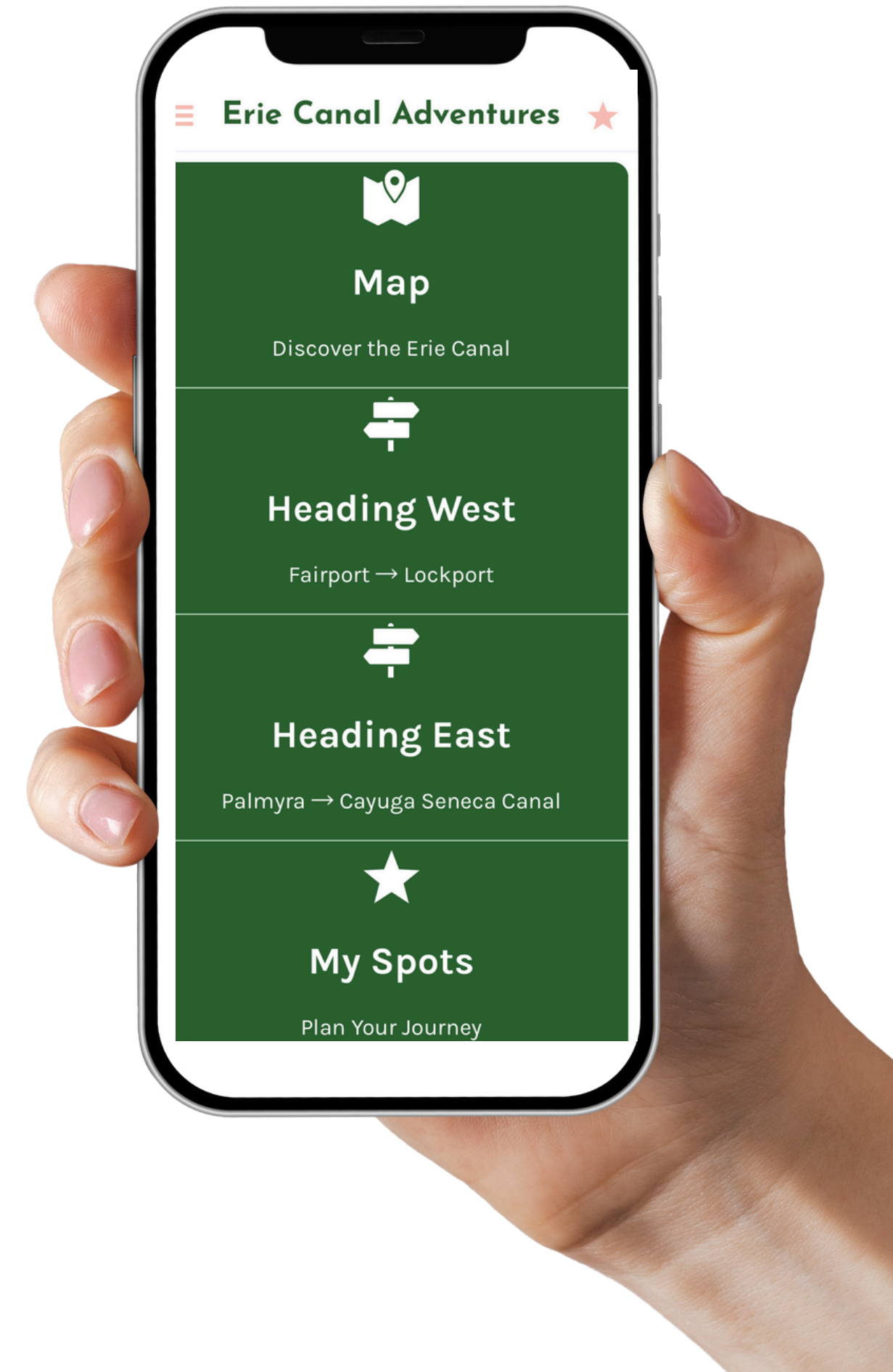
Planning Guide: Eastbound Towns



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- Interactive Map
- Complete Town Info
- Restaurants
- Attractions
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Towns Heading East/South (Palmyra - Seneca Falls)

The towns heading east offer our customers a more rural experience. This direction is ideal for birding, etc. About 20% of ECA's visitors travel eastbound. Why? Most eastbound towns offer less restaurants, pubs, and entertainment than heading west.





All Trips are Roundtrip

3 Nights:

To Lyons
and Back

4 Nights:

To Montezuma
and Back

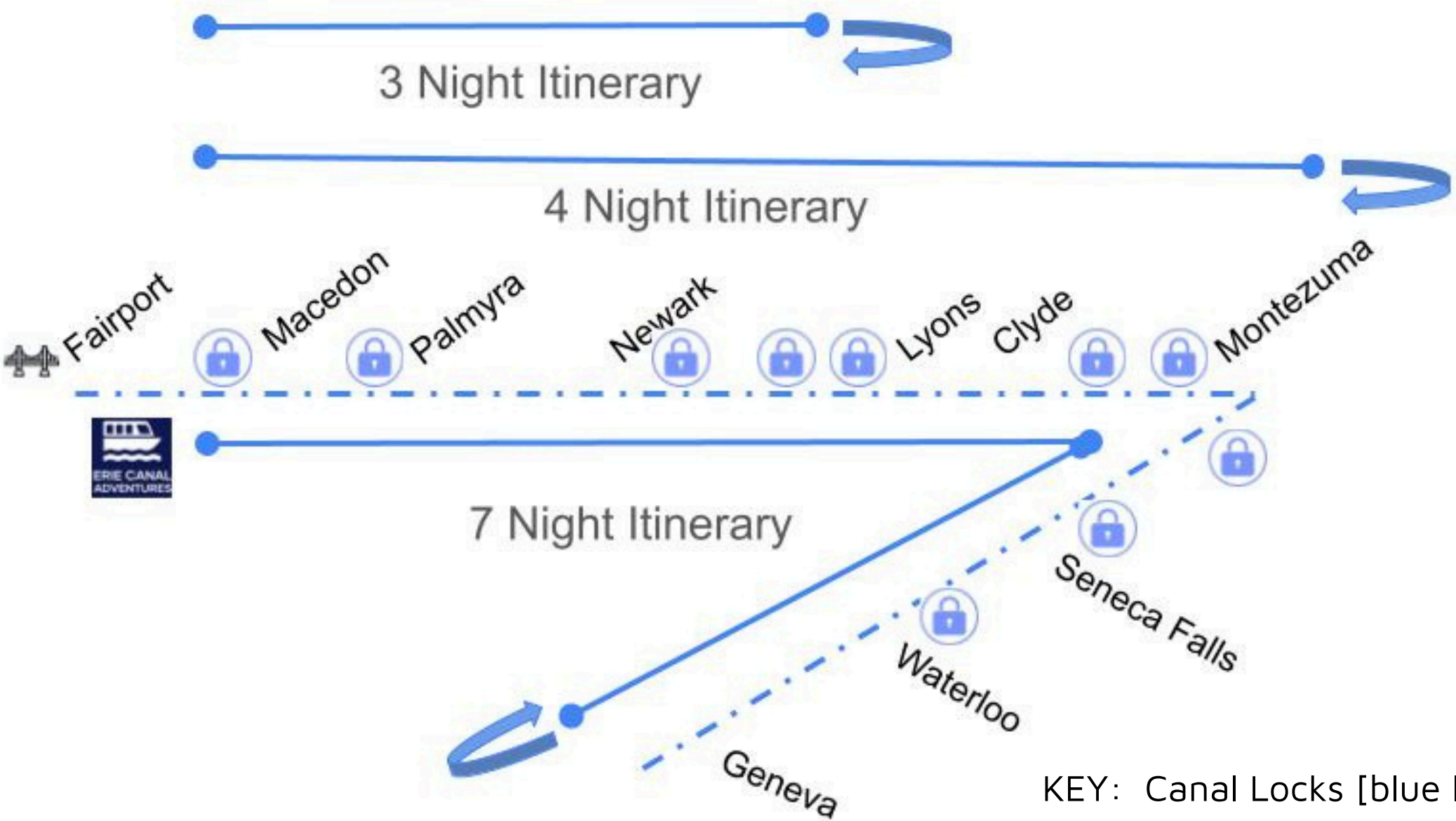
7 Nights:

To Seneca Falls or
Waterloo
and Back

We recommend
Fairport or Palmyra
for your last night
for all Eastbound Trips

Eastbound Towns, Locks & Bridges

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Sample Itineraries: Eastbound Towns

3 Night (East).

Night 1: Newark

Night 2: Lyons to
Palmyra

Night 3: Fairport

4 Night (East).

Night 1: Newark

Night 2: Montezuma

Night 3: Lyons

Night 4: Fairport Or
Palmyra

7 Night (West).

Night 1: Newark

Night 2: Montezuma

Night 3: Seneca Falls

Night 4: Waterloo

Night 5: Lyons

Night 6: Palmyra

Night 7: Fairport

*** While your itinerary is your decision; a 3 Night eastbound itinerary is not a recommended itinerary. Generally, you need at least 4 nights to get the most out of an eastbound itinerary.

Palmyra (East)

Palmyra, known as the "Queen of Canal Towns," is a historic village along the Erie Canal with a rich 19th-century heritage and charming downtown. It is famous as the birthplace of the LDS Church and home to significant sites like the Sacred Grove and Hill Cumorah. With scenic canal views, vibrant annual events, and outdoor recreation, Palmyra blends history, culture, and small-town charm.



- Docking
- No Fee
- Power
- Water
- Bathrooms
- Showers
- Walk-able Village



- Acqueduct Park - A historic park with preserved canal related structures from the old canal.
- William Phelps General Store Museum
- Alling Coverlet Museum
- Birthplace of the Mormon Religion LDS: Sites from founding of the Mormon Religion - Hill Cumorah, Sacred Grove, The Smith Farm etc.

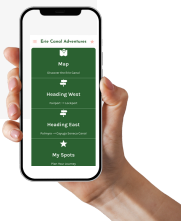


- Hog and Hen 315-597-4297
- Muddy Waters Cafe: 315-502-4197
- Chill and Grill: 315-597-8946
- Nima’s Pizza: 315-597-5399



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Newark (East)

Newark, NY, is a vibrant village along the Erie Canal, known for its strong industrial heritage and revitalized waterfront. It serves as a regional hub with diverse businesses, excellent parks, and community events like the Newark Summer Festival. With a blend of history, modern amenities, and access to outdoor recreation, Newark offers a welcoming small-town atmosphere.



- Docking
- No Fee
- Water
- Power
- Restroom
- Shower
- Laundry
- Visitor’s Center



- Hoffman Clock Museum
- Arcadia Historical Society Museum
- Erie Canal Historic Lock 59
- Vintage Gardens B&B - Beautifully maintained building and gardens
- Wayne County Council for the Arts

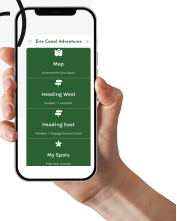


- Craft 120: 315-573-7781
- Parker’s Grill: 315-331-3663
- Main Street Restaurant: 315-332-8833
- Wegman’s Food Markets (walk or uber)



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Lyons (East)

Lyons, NY, the former peppermint capital of the world, is a historic Erie Canal village known for its rich agricultural and industrial heritage. It features charming 19th-century architecture, the H.G. Hotchkiss Peppermint Museum, and a revitalized canalfront. With scenic trails, community events, and a strong sense of history, Lyons offers a unique blend of past and present.



- Docking
 - No Fee
 - Water
 - Power
 - Bathrooms
 - Showers
 - Greeters
- Providing Info



- Hotchkiss Peppermiint Oil Museum
- Museum of Wayne County History
- Abbey Park/ Acqueduct Ruins
- Ohmann Theater
- Lyons Dry Docks and Canal Operations

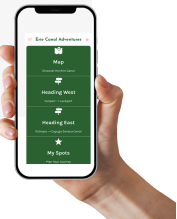


- The Pour House 315 665-0197
- Pat’s Pizzeria 315 946-4500
- Que Rico: 315 830-0045



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Montezuma (East)

Montezuma, NY, is a small town along the Erie Canal known for its rich history and proximity to the Montezuma National Wildlife Refuge.

Once a key canal port, it played a vital role in early canal transportation and salt production. Today, it attracts nature lovers and history enthusiasts with its scenic wetlands, birdwatching opportunities, and remnants of the original Erie Canal Lock 62.



- Limited Docking
- No Fee
- No Water
- No Power
- Closest Overnight docking is Lock 25 at May’s Point
- The Dock in the park is not allowed for overnight



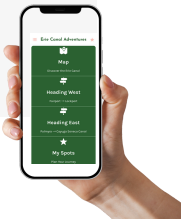
- Virtually no restuarants in the area. Please plan groceries ahead of time.



- The Montezuma National Wildlife Refuge is a wildlife preserve operated by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, encompassing part of the Montezuma Swamp at the north end of Cayuga Lake. The 10,004-acre preserve is composed of swamps, pools and channels and is a stopping point for migratory birds.

Destination on our 4 Night and 7 Night Eastbound Itineraries only - view our Sample Itineraries for more information.

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Seneca Falls (East)

Seneca Falls, NY, is a historic village known as the birthplace of the women's rights movement, where the first Women's Rights Convention was held in 1848. It is home to the Women's Rights National Historical Park, the National Women's Hall of Fame, and a charming downtown along the Erie Canal. With a blend of history, culture, and scenic waterways, Seneca Falls also inspires the classic holiday film It's a Wonderful Life.



- Docking
- No Fee
- Water
- Power
- Showers
- Bathrooms
- Walk-abe Village



- Women's Rights Hall of Fame
- Seneca Museum of Waterway History
- It's a Wonderful Life Museum
- Elizabeth Cady Stanton House
- National Women's Rights Park
- Trinity Trinity Episcopal Church - Photograph Spot!



- Parker's Grill & Tap 315-712-4152
- Red Brick Pub: 315-712-4020
- Fall Street Brewing: 315-569-8332
- Flint and Stave: 315-828-6300



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Waterloo (East)

Waterloo, NY, is best known as the birthplace of Memorial Day, officially recognized for originating the national holiday in 1866. Located along the Erie Canal and Cayuga-Seneca Canal, it features a rich history, a charming downtown, and sites like the National Memorial Day Museum. With annual celebrations, historic landmarks, and access to Finger Lakes wine country, Waterloo offers a blend of tradition and small-town charm.



- Limited Dock
- No Fee
- No Water
- No Power
- Docking is at Lock 4
- No services available



- Memorial Day Museum - This town founded the Memorial Day Holiday!
- McClintock House (National Parks)
- Muranda Cheese Company (a few miles)
- Good Location to arrange driver for Finger Lakes Wine Tour

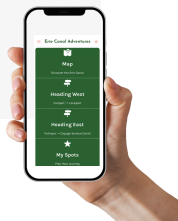


- Ciccionos: 315-539-1064
- Green Apple: 315-220-8235
- La Fiesta: 315-539-3212
- Starr's Restaurant 585 734-8107



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Geneva (East)

Geneva, NY, is a vibrant city on the northern shore of Seneca Lake, known for its stunning waterfront, rich history, and connection to the Finger Lakes wine region. Home to Hobart and William Smith Colleges, it blends a college-town atmosphere with historic architecture, boutique shops, and a thriving food scene. With outdoor recreation, wineries, and cultural events, Geneva offers a perfect mix of scenic beauty and lively community spirit.



- Docking
- Limited Power
- Limited Water

*** Boats are not designed or permitted onto Seneca Lake. To reach Geneva you will need dock at the mouth of the lake and bike or uber to town



- Ventosa Winery
- Rose Hill Mansion
- Finger Lakes Welcome Center
- Hobart and William Smith Colleges
- Lakeshore Park and Camp Ground
- Great jumping off point for Finger Lakes Wine Tours

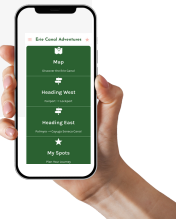


- Stone Cutters:315-781-0201
- Beef and Brew:315-789-7770
- Eddie O'Briens: 315-789-7999
- The Rusty Pig: 315-325-4548



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Towns Heading East (Palmyra - Baldwinsville)

Very few of our customers travel east of the Seneca-Cayuga Canal toward Baldwinsville.

This itinerary is reachable on a 7 Night Itinerary but it involves very long boating days. Call us if you are planning this itinerary.



Towns Heading East/North (Palmyra - Oswego)

Very few of our customers travel east of the Seneca-Cayuga Canal toward Oswego.

This itinerary is reachable on a 10 Night Itinerary but it involves very long boating days.

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