



# STONE TOOL CRAFTSMAN & ARTISAN SHOW 2026

## 36th ANNUAL GATHERING OF THE GENESEE VALLEY FLINTKNAPPERS

LETCWORTH STATE PARK, NEW YORK – Highbanks Recreation Area  
FRIDAY, AUGUST 28<sup>th</sup> – SUNDAY, AUGUST 30<sup>th</sup>

10:00 AM – 5:00 PM Friday & Saturday      10:00AM – 2:00 PM Sunday

### FLINTKNAPPING: See how arrowheads are made!

- Flintknapping demonstrations under the knappers tent & throughout the event site
- Sales & personal displays of stone tools by various artists
- Knapping tools & rock for beginners to expert available for purchase
- Awards ceremony – Sunday at 11:00 AM

### ATLATL COMPETITIONS: August 27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>

- ISAC – all four days (27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>)
- Eastern Seaboard Atlatl Competition (27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>)
- Animal Silhouette Field Course (27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>)
- Ancient Bison Mass Atlatl Hunt– 4 pm Saturday (29<sup>th</sup>)

### LIVING HISTORY ENCAMPMENTS:

- Walk through the camps and visit with the re-enactors
- Fur Trade Era & Civil War encampments
- Purchase period items from trade blankets

### ROCKS, GEMS, MINERALS, & FOSSILS

### INFORMATION:

- Hotel/Travel/Tourism: 1-800-839-3919, <https://www.gowyomingcountyny.com>
- General Information / Flintknapping: Dana Klein, 716-474-5841, [danakchert@verizon.net](mailto:danakchert@verizon.net)
- Vendors, Camping, Registration: Cheryl Berg, 607-743-4379, [cheryll@thunderbirdatlatl.com](mailto:cheryll@thunderbirdatlatl.com)
- Fur Trade Era & Civil War Era Encampments: Leo Martling - 585-230-7133
- Atlatl Competitions: Douglas Bassett, 585-313-7111, [dglsbassett@gmail.com](mailto:dglsbassett@gmail.com)
- Participant Registration, Genesee Valley Flintknappers website <http://www.gvfka.com>

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