

Rochester, New York, USA

Where the Genesee River meets Lake Ontario, Rochester's Charlotte neighborhood offers a sandy beach, a rare 1905 carousel, and the oldest active lighthouse on the lake — plus an Eastman Kodak legacy that shaped modern photography.

 Pier docked

 Typical call: 7-9 hrs

 USD

 English

 Lake Ontario

🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____	Arrive: _____	All aboard: _____
Excursion: _____	Notes: _____	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Pier — direct dockage at Port of Rochester Terminal, Charlotte

Best For: History, photography, beaches, local food culture

Walk to center: Charlotte beach & lighthouse 5-10 min; downtown Rochester 9 miles (rideshare)

Don't Miss: Abbott's Frozen Custard — a Rochester institution since 1926

 Getting around:  **Taxi**  \$18–\$25 ·  **Rideshare**  Uber, Lyft

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Charlotte-Genesee Lighthouse** — Built in 1822, this is the oldest active lighthouse on Lake Ontario.
- **George Eastman Museum** — The world's oldest photography museum, set in the magnificent estate of Kodak's founder.
- **The Strong National Museum of Play** — A world-class interactive museum housing the National Toy Hall of Fame and the World Video Game Hall of Fame.
- **Susan B. Anthony Museum & House** — The actual home where the suffragist leader lived and was arrested for voting in 1872.
- **Ontario Beach Park & Charlotte Pier** — Wide sandy Lake Ontario beach right next to the terminal.

BEST WALKS

- **Charlotte Waterfront Loop** 1.5 miles · 30-45 min · flat — From the port terminal, walk north to Ontario Beach Park, stroll the Charlotte Pier over Lake Ontario, then head east to the...
- **Genesee Riverway Stroll** 1-3 miles · 30-60 min · flat paved — Head south from the terminal along the Genesee Riverway Trail through Turning Point Park.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 **CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	53°	37°	14d
Jun	74°	58°	12d
Aug	79°	64°	12d
Sep	73°	58°	10d
Oct	61°	48°	13d

 **DAYLIGHT &  MONEY**

Apr 6:28AM–7:53PM · Jun 5:30AM–8:51PM · Aug 6:16AM–8:12PM · Sep 6:50AM–7:19PM · Oct 7:24AM–6:26PM

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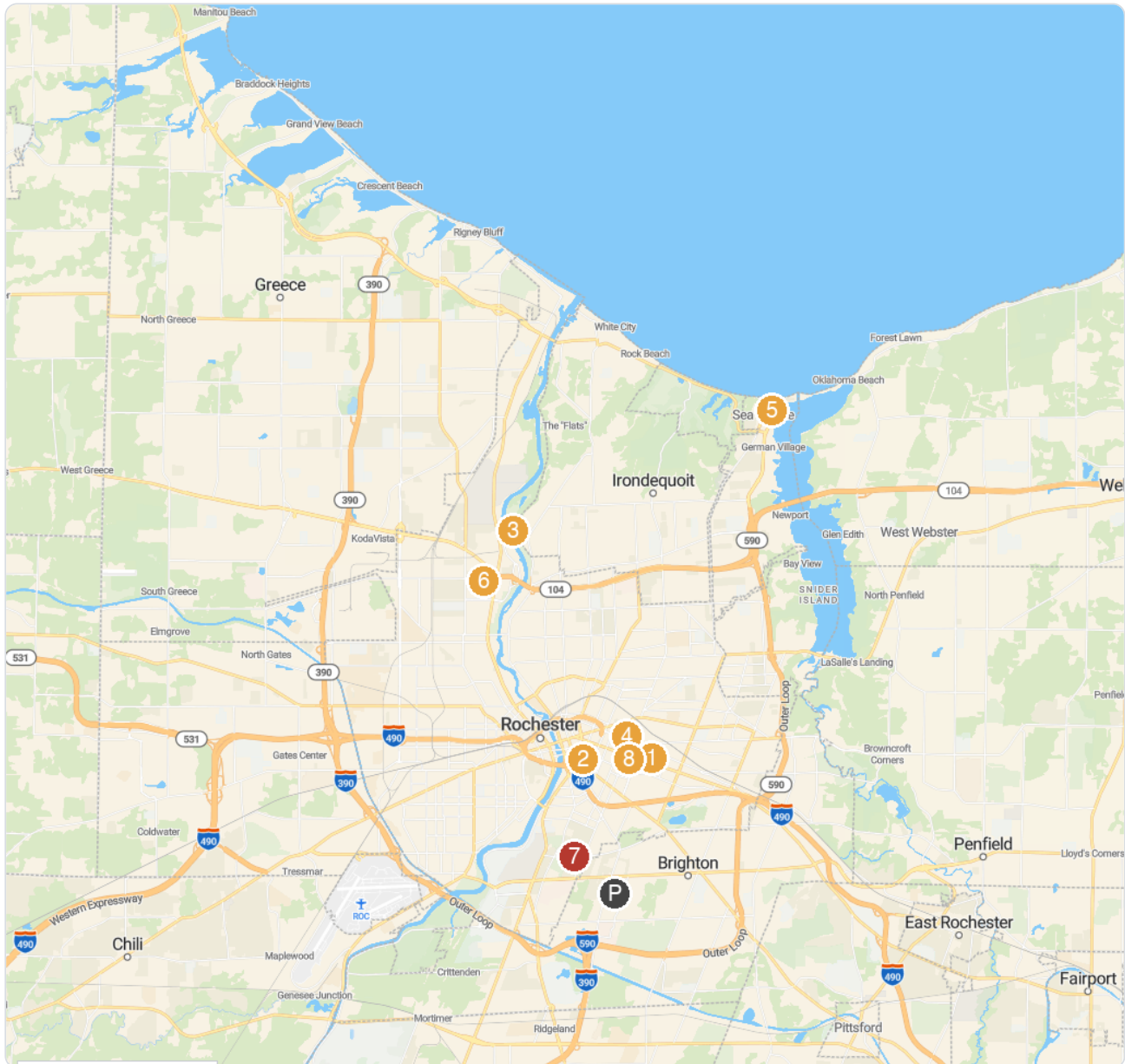
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Abbott's Frozen Custard is non-negotiable. This Rochester institution (since 1926) sits right across from the beach. Slow-churned, ultra-rich custard — get Chocolate Almond or...
- Lake Ontario runs cold. Expect temps 10-15°F cooler at the port than inland, even in summer. A light windbreaker lives in your day

Rochester, New York, USA — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 George Eastman Museum | Historic home and museum of photography and film. | 2 The Strong National Museum of Play | Interactive museum celebrating play, toys, and video games. |
| 3 Seneca Park Zoo | A zoo featuring animals from around the world. | 4 Memorial Art Gallery | University art museum with diverse collections spanning centuries. |
| 5 Seabreeze Amusement Park | Historic amusement park with rides and a waterpark. | 6 Sacred Heart Cathedral | Beautiful Roman Catholic cathedral, a place of worship. |
| 7 Highland Park | Historic park famous for its beautiful lilacs and arboretum. | 8 RMSC (Rochester Museum & Science Center) | Museum and science center with exhibits and a planetarium. |
| P Cruise port / terminal | | | |