

**NYS Outdoor Writers Association
2026 Spring Conference
Greene County/Columbia County
Upper Hudson Valley & Catskills
May 7-10, 2026
Headquarters: Glen Falls House
230 Winter Clove Rd, Round Top, NY 12473**

THURSDAY, May 7

3 pm Check-in begins

6 pm Meet-n-Greet, main lobby of G.F. House

Sponsored by: Columbia and Greene County Tourism Offices

FRIDAY, May 8

Morning Outings:

On-your-own turkey hunting or trout fishing nearby.

Rest of Day

9:15am Depart for Glencadia Rod & Gun Club, 315 County Rt 46, Stuyvesant

10:00 am Meet and Greet with Glencadia Members, tour of the club

11:30 am LUNCH provided by Glencadia RGC

12:00 pm DEC Presentation

2:00 pm Set up and breakout session for members

5 stand shooting (must sign up in advance)

4:00 pm Doors of the Glencadia RGC open to the public for a meet and greet with NYSOWA. Members who display their products/info during breakout session will be provided a small table space to sell their products to the public throughout the remainder of the evening.

5:00 pm - Chicken BBQ DINNER with NYSOWA.

7:30 pm Return to Glen Falls House

SATURDAY, May 9

Morning Outings (Please check one, please return by 11:30)

- Guided Striped Bass fishing in Albany (limited to 2)
 On your own turkey hunting
 On your own fishing, hiking or sightseeing (circle one, maps to be provided)

Lunch

12 pm - Rip Van Winkle Brewery, 4545 NY 32, Catskill.

- Tour of the brewery followed by LUNCH

- Craft improvement seminar on photography by Chris Paparo

6 pm Annual awards presentation, dinner banquet and silent auction at Glen Falls House

Sponsored by the National Shooting Sports Foundation

SUNDAY, May 10

7:30 am Annual membership meeting at Glen Falls House

Depart for "home". Happy Mother's Day to all Moms!

Breakfasts and snacks will be available for purchase on site in the Glen Falls House "provision grab/go room" or the café bakery. See attached sheets for local area attractions, food venues and opportunities for spouses.

Registration: \$280 (3 nights), \$205 (two nights), \$110 (one night) Based on double occupancy. Please add \$75/night for solo room.

Register online here: <https://ticketstripe.com/NYSOWA-2026-Conference>

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

Spouse/Roomate Name:

Are they included with this registration? Yes / No

Amount Enclosed:

Please mail reservation form to: Dan Ladd, PO Box 302, Fort Ann, NY 12827

Reservation Deadline: April 23, 2026