3RD ANNUAL

PALMER BROOK

DATES	LOCATION	TRAIL RATING	STYLE
AUG 12 – 14, 2027	AU SABLE FORKS, NEW YORK 44.5014347, -73.6911529	3 – 9	A Select Jeep Jamboree. Friday and Saturday dinners included. You are responsible for breakfast and lunch.

FOLLOW THE FLOW WHEN YOU ARRIVE

STEP 01
VEHICLE EVALUATION
Thursday at the Jamboree tent

STEP 02
REGISTRATION
Photo ID and signed waiver

STEP 03
TRAIL SIGN-UP
First come, first served

Evaluation and registration are mandatory before sign-up. Trails fill first come, first served — your guides will match you to a trail based on your Jeep and your comfort level. Registration may open early to suit local conditions; there is no late registration Friday morning. Bring your signed waiver: link.jeepjam.com/waiver — and don't worry, there are extras at the event if needed.

THURSDAY AUG 12

4:00 p.m.	Vehicle evaluation, registration and trail sign-ups at the Palmer Brook Jeep Jamboree tent, until 6:00 p.m. Be sure to fill your tank for tomorrow!

FRIDAY AUG 13

8:30 a.m.	Mandatory General Attendance meeting at Palmer Brook Jeep Jamboree tent.
9:00 a.m.	Trail ride until 5:00 p.m., with lunch along the trail around noon. Lunch time varies based on trail progress.
5:30 p.m.	Dinner at Palmer Brook, until 7:30 p.m. Be sure to fill your tank for tomorrow!

SATURDAY AUG 14

8:30 a.m.	Mandatory General Attendance meeting at Palmer Brook Jeep Jamboree tent.
9:00 a.m.	Trail ride until 5:00 p.m., with lunch along the trail around noon. Lunch time varies based on trail progress.
5:30 p.m.	Dinner at GiGi's on the River, until 7:30 p.m. Awards and prize drawings following dinner.

WHERE TO GO

ENTRANCE · REGISTRATION · DINNER

PALMER BROOK ENTRANCE

44°29’37.1”N
73°41’57.5”W

Enter the property here on your way to the Jamboree tent.

link.jeepjam.com/palmerentrance

JEEP JAMBOREE USA TENT

44°30’01.5”N
73°41’02.1”W

Vehicle evaluation, registration and trail sign-ups Thursday; mandatory General Attendance meetings and Friday dinner.

link.jeepjam.com/palmerjjtent

GIGI’S ON THE RIVER

1878 US-9, Keeseville, NY 12944 · 518.834.0232

Saturday dinner, with awards and prize drawings.

link.jeepjam.com/palmergigis

HOTELS / MOTELS

No headquarters hotel for this Jamboree

The closest town to Palmer Brook is historic Lake Placid, New York. Lake Placid is a smaller town but features a wide variety of lodging and other entertainment options including a Crowne Plaza and boutique hotels. Plattsburgh, New York is a longer drive but offers a variety of lodging options across a broader budget range. AirBnB and VRBO are good choices for lodging options closer to the Jamboree.

CAMPING & RV PARKING

Camping at Palmer Brook (ask for Fred) 518.536.2874

For camping at the Palmer Brook property, please call and ask for Fred. There is a 3-day minimum, and he will give you price and location details when you call. A variety of camping and RV parking options exist between Plattsburgh, New York and Lake Placid, New York.

QUESTIONS

Trip or Jeep questions: Shawn Gulling, shawn@jeepjam.com

Registration: registration@jeepjam.com

Passengers, changes and cancellations: jeepjamboreeusa.com/my-account

Radios and gear: link.jeepjam.com/radios

SPECIAL THANKS TO

Local Coordinators John and Lisa Wheeler · Palmer Brook Trail Guides · Jamie Atkins · Adirondack Park Preserve

BEFORE YOU GO

REQUIRED

Missing any of these means you are turned away at registration, without a refund.

- Tow points: frame-mounted tow hooks with grade 6 or 8 bolts, draw bars and receiver hitches, or aftermarket bumpers with a manufacturer-installed clevis or D-ring.
- A working GMRS-compatible radio. Guides call out upcoming obstacles, plus local history and wildlife.
- A full-size spare tire.
- Seat belts for all occupants, worn on the trail.
- Street legal, registered and insured, with a license plate.
- STRICTLY ENFORCED Tires no larger than 40". Suspension lift no more than 6". No exceptions.
- Roll bars on all open-topped vehicles, including CJs, Scramblers and Willys.
- A rated tree saver and soft shackle if you run a winch.
- No buggy-style Jeeps and no snowplow frames.

PACK LIST

Bring these with you — for registration, and for the trail.

- Signed waiver for every occupant; a parent or legal guardian signs for passengers under 18.
- Photo ID for the driver of record — the name must match the registration.
- Name badge, worn all weekend. It is your admission to trails and meals.
- Basic tool kit, first aid kit, tire gauge, rain jacket, clothing for all conditions.
- An ice chest of non-alcoholic drinks. Stay hydrated.
- Trail snacks and a chair or blanket for the lunch stop.
- Insect repellent, sun block, medications, hand sanitizer, flashlight, camera, binoculars.
- Toilet paper and zip-lock bags for tissue disposal.

Recommended: a tow strap with looped ends (metal hooks are not allowed), a fire extinguisher and first aid kit. Consider removing running boards and steps for higher-rated trails. Questions about your Jeep? Contact your Adventure Consultant before the event.

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Registrations, and adding, deleting or changing passengers, close 14 days before the event.
- Check a 10-day forecast for every location listed here; conditions differ sharply between them.
- Drones require permission from your trail guides, and many landowners and agencies prohibit them outright.
- Alcohol and non-prescription drugs on the trail mean immediate expulsion without a refund.
- Pets are strongly discouraged; a pet waiver is required at registration.
- Trail access may be granted to guided Jamboree groups only — returning on your own violates our land use agreements.

TRAIL RATING SYSTEM

1–2

Relatively easy terrain. In optimum conditions some trails may not require continual use of 4WD.

3–5

Moderately demanding; a challenge for novice drivers. Mud holes, boulders, streams. Requires 4-LO.

6–7

Demanding at most skill levels. Deeper mud, larger boulders, steeper climbs. Requires 4-LO.

8–9

Very demanding. Getting stuck is likely and rock climbing is arduous. Lifts and lockers help.

Ratings describe the overall trail, not one or two tough spots. Rain, even from days prior, can raise a rating one or two points, especially on street tires. All vehicles are subject to a check before trail departure, and higher-rated trails are more likely to result in vehicle damage. When in doubt, ask a guide.