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Out our door to your left, on **Broadway** and **Race Street**, you'll find shopping, restaurants, tours and activities, including access to the [D&L Trail](#) near the rail station. If you walk out to the right and up the hill, you'll find the [Mauch Chunk Museum](#), [Old Jail](#), and the [Stabin Museum](#), [Wonderland on Broadway Escape Room](#), and you can see where the Mauch Chunk Creek is diverted under houses on Broadway. The Creek runs behind our house under the back patio. Also behind the house and just up on Hill Road, you'll find the [Switchback Railroad Trail](#) for a nice walk in the woods. The [Jim Thorpe Tourism board](#) has lots of current info, but here's a list we've compiled, with restaurants on the next page.

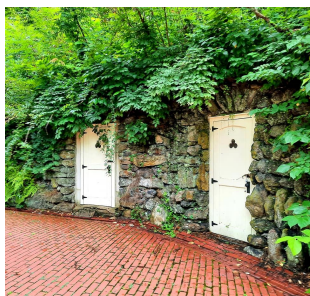
All-weather activities

[Mauch Chunk Opera House](#) is just steps away, with music and comedy shows. Next doors is the [Anita Shapolsky Art Foundation](#) modern art gallery & foundation.

The Train Station has historic information and rides on the [Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway](#).

The [Mauch Chunk Museum](#), a few rooms packed with local history, and a diorama of the local mountain, is just across the street, a few doors up.

The [Wonderland on Broadway Escape Room](#) and [Old Jail Museum](#) about a 5-minute walk up West Broadway.



The beautiful [Asa Packer Mansion Museum](#) hosts historian-guided tours of the exemplary gilded-age home. Check for current hours.

The [Stabin Museum](#) is really worth a visit. A sprawling old factory now holds beautiful paintings and creations of Victor Stabin, as well as a top-notch restaurant/bar, Jazz Nights, and the Mauch Chunk Creek running right through the building. It's a 10-min walk, or there's plenty of parking.

[The Slatington Marketplace](#) is a huge market of stalls with a wide variety of antiques, vintage items and collectibles. Now features an [expo center](#), with a collection of restaurants, bars, local producers and products, a farm stand, as well as axe throwing and other activities. (15-min drive)

In Weissport, [The Hofford Mill](#) has a great diner and café, as well as e-bike and kayak rentals. Nearby is old fashioned ice cream parlor [Chantilly Goods](#) with awesome local Manning's ice cream. (10-min drive)

Outdoor/seasonal activities

[Jim Thorpe Trolley Tours](#) offers live narrated historic tours from April 1st to October 31st, including wine tours.

Biking/hiking trails: [D&L Trail](#), [Switchback Railroad Trail](#)

Bike rentals right down the street: [Pocono Biking](#)

Boating, swimming, fishing, hiking, picnics: [Mauch Chunk Lake Park](#), [beach & swimming](#), (5 min drive)

[Pocono Whitewater Rafting](#) (10 min drive)

Ski, Snowboard & Tubing at [Blue Mountain](#) or [Jack Frost Big Boulder](#) (15-20 min drive)

[The Mahoning Drive-In Theater](#) (drive)

[The Country Junction Store and Pumpkin Festival](#) (drive)

[Mahoning Valley Speedway](#) (drive)

[Jim Thorpe Sidecar Tours](#) are available next door in from of the [Marion Hose Bar](#).

[Bear Mountain Butterfly Sanctuary](#) (drive)

[The No 9 Mine Museum](#) Coal mine tours Apr-Nov (drive)

Distillers and wineries

Right in town: [Nomad Distilling](#), [Big Creek Vineyard](#), [Wild ElderWine & Cider](#) (also has sandwiches), [Bright Path Brewing](#) (across the bridge).

A short drive: [Eight Oaks](#), [Insurrection](#), [Galen Glen](#).



Groceries & supplies

[Mauch Chunk 5 & 10](#) has all kinds of supplies, gifts and housewares. Turkey [Hill Minit Mart](#) at 101 Susquehanna St is open 24 hours for basics, gas and fishing bait. The [Jim Thorpe Market](#), a 5 min drive right over the bridge, has groceries, firewood and propane, and liquor & beer stores next door. There's also Highland's beer distributor. [Giant](#) is a larger grocery store (15 min) with more produce and a better bakery.

Favorite restaurants in town

[Marion Hose Bar](#) is great and just two doors down to the left, with outdoor seating.

[Café Arielle](#) at the [Stabin Museum](#): an amazing space with great food and a nice bar. Often has seating space for larger parties.

[Ouros](#) is a bar and pub with good food and occasionally live music in a renovated Victorian home.

[Notch Eight Craft House](#) has a wide variety of excellent bar food, a great beer and cocktail selection, and a very cool setting.

[Moya](#) is modern American food in a neat space. Located on Race Street.

[Broadway Grille & Pub](#) has good food with some outdoor seating on their front balcony, and sometimes live music downstairs or on the patio.

[Muggles Mug](#) is a great café with a Harry Potter theme. Coffee & tea drinks, cookies, muffins, scones, quiches.

Find delicious donuts & coffee at [Donerds Donuts](#).

[Union Publick House](#) a bar with good food on the east side of town (over the bridge; 15 min walk or 5 min drive)

[Ma's Crepes and Cakes](#) has breakfast/lunch crepes, with a few tables or for takeout. Just a few doors up to the right.

Other good options & restaurants a short drive

[Molly Maguire's](#) has a bar and large outdoor patio and standards like sandwiches, fish & chips.

[Myst](#) is pan-Asian, with Thai, Japanese and Chinese options on the menu, with outdoor seating and a bar.

[Bonnie & Clyde's](#) a fun option just a short drive away, Lehighton. (10 min drive)

[Macaluso's](#) Upscale Italian; reservations recommended. (5 min drive)

[The Hofford Mill](#) in Weissport has a great diner & a café, and [Chantilly Goods](#) is right there as well—a cool, old-fashioned ice cream parlor and soda fountain serving Manning's ice cream, made just north here in Pennsylvania. (10 min drive)

