

Wander the Wonders!



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destination overview

The Wayne County Convention and Visitors Bureau is a non-profit destination marketing organization formed in 1983 to promote the Wayne County area. The county is a beautiful rural area containing part of the world's largest Amish settlement. Wayne County's serene charms and convenient location make it the perfect escape.

geographic description

Wayne County is the gateway to Amish Country, the world's largest settlement. The area is easily accessible via interstate I-71, I-77, U.S. 30, and the historic Lincoln Highway.



mileage to Wayne County

BUFFALO	210
CLEVELAND	57
CINCINNATI	204
COLUMBUS	90
DETROIT	210
PITTSBURGH	120
TOLEDO	110
WHEELING	130

area accommodations

Hotels include names such as:

RODEWAY INN / DAYS INN / BEST WESTERN PLAZA
ECONO LODGE / HAMPTON INN / ROYAL STAR INN
HILTON GARDEN INN



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attractions

Amish Country/Lehman's Hardware

Amish farmers shop Lehman's for cookware, tools, non-electric lights, crockery, kegs and gas refrigerators. Enjoy the new Cast Iron Café and demonstration room.

The Cat's Meow Village

Visit the home of the popular two-dimensional wooden buildings. Your groups will love the "Mew-seum" where you can learn the Cat's Meow story. Relax at Casper's Café, explore the Village Store or make your own "Purr-sonal" Touch Cat's Meow Piece.

Ohio Agricultural Research & Development Center, OARDC

2100-acre agricultural campus of the Ohio State University. Secret Arboretum, Old World Rose Garden. Guides are available from the Visitor Center.

Everything Rubbermaid Store in Historic Downtown Wooster

Visit the four floors of the Everything Rubbermaid Store, featuring over 3,000 Newell-Rubbermaid products. This one-of-a-kind store sits in the heart of beautiful Downtown Wooster with its many gallery type shops, bakeries, coffee houses, and restaurants featuring local produce and meats in their cuisine.

P. Graham Dunn Retail Gallery

Nestled in the scenic Amish/Mennonite country the P. Graham Dunn Retail Gallery is easily accessible from many intersections. On your tour you can watch craftsmen operate the wood carving and laser-engraving equipment that creates charming wood gifts, music boxes, and furniture that are sold in their 100,000 square foot retail showroom and manufacturing facility.

Ohio Light Opera Series

June through August, professional company who make their summer home on the College of Wooster Campus. Light operettas by well known writers such as Gilbert & Sullivan.

Shreve/Smithville

Visit the many different shops and enjoy the food and crafts at Des Dutch Essenhaus and The Barn Restaurant.

Hartzler Family Dairy, Inc.

A family owned and operated dairy. They bottle an all-natural cream-top milk in glass bottles and make wonderful ice cream. Come taste the difference.

Historical Societies

Each unique community shares its history and past accomplishments. Visit an 18th century log cabin and a working weaving mill.

The JM Smucker Company Store and Café

Visit the newly expanded store offering products from our family of brands. "With a name like Smucker's, it has to be good."

Troutman Vineyards

Always a Vintage Experience! Visit our winery set among the rolling hills of southwestern Wayne County, only 5 miles south of Wooster. Sample home-grown wine in the shade of our garden and learn about the wine-making process, and taste how our climate puts its unique stamp on our wines.

Kidron Auction

Livestock auction held every Thursday in Kidron.