

Civil War: On the Home Front

No trip to Roscoe Village is complete without a journey through the Living History Exhibits. From April 1 through December 31, our tours offer a glimpse in life along the canal in early Roscoe. Tour tickets can be purchased at the Visitor Center for entry to the exhibits listed below.

January - March

Tours available for booked groups only

April - June 15

Guided tours available at 11am and 2pm
Tuesday through Sunday

June 16- Labor Day

Guided tours available at 11am and 2pm
Tuesday through Thursday
Leisure tours through the Living History Exhibits
10am— 5pm Friday through Sunday

September & October

Guided tours at 11am and 2pm Tuesday through Friday
Leisure tours 10am—5pm Saturdays and Sundays
through the third weekend of October
Guided tours at 11am and 2pm other weekends

November

Guided tours at 11am and 2pm Saturdays and Sundays

December

Guided tours at 12:30pm, 1:30pm, 3:00pm & 7:00pm on the first
three Saturdays

Guided tours at 11am and 2pm Sundays

Closed

New Year's Day, Easter, Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day

~ Living History Exhibit Areas ~

A. VISITOR CENTER — This beautiful welcome center is the place to purchase Living History tickets, view the *Ditches of Destiny* video and stroll through the Founder's Gallery, where the story of Edward and Frances Montgomery's restoration

dream is told. In the Exhibit Hall, located on the lower level, you will find detailed dioramas, maps and models of the canal and lock system and our cooperative exhibit.

At the Village Crafter's Shop, located inside the Visitor Center, you can purchase items which have been fashioned by our skilled Roscoe Village artisans.



B. THE VILLAGE SMITHY — Built c.1889, this rustic structure is the home of our village blacksmith. Since its renovation in 1978, the barn has come alive with memories, as a blacksmith demonstrates, using the old tools and techniques of the Canal Era.

C. HAY CRAFT & LEARNING CENTER — Watch the broom squire handcraft useful brooms from broomcorn. Learn about the various specialty brooms made in Roscoe Village. See the printer operate an 1870s press and receive a sample bookmark. Home to the broom shop and print shop, the Raymond Hay Craft and Learning Center was built in 1987 and named in honor of Raymond Hay, an active community leader and supporter of Roscoe Village.



D. THE TOLL HOUSE — This is the restored home of Jacob Welsh, the first recorded toll collector in Roscoe. It is now home to exhibit items and a video pertaining to the restoration processes used throughout the Village as well as *The Toy Cellar*, a vintage toy exhibit.



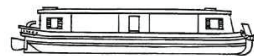
E. DR. MARO JOHNSON'S OFFICE — Built in 1842, Dr. Johnson's Office is home to many medical instruments and furnishings of the 19th century. Listen to Dr. Johnson as he shares stories about 1800s medicine. Visit the medical display located on the second floor.



F. DR. MARO JOHNSON'S HOUSE — A beautifully furnished 1830s period home once owned by Dr. Maro Johnson, a prominent doctor in Roscoe during the Canal Era. Here he lived with his wife and four children while keeping his office in the rooms next door. Antiques from the 1800s provide the background, while costumed interpreters describe the lifestyle and furnishings.



G. CALDERSBURGH PEARL CANAL BOAT EXHIBIT — Climb aboard this life-size replica of a three-cabin cargo boat. This exhibit is permanently moored along the hillside in Roscoe and will spark the imaginations of guests of all ages with its authentic detail.



H. ROSCOE SCHOOL — Gather children of all ages at the one-room schoolhouse for a daily lesson of reading, writing and arithmetic under the watchful eye of the school teacher.



I. THE CRAFTSMAN'S HOUSE — As both the oldest building in Roscoe, built in 1825, and the only building to be moved from its original site on SR 541 W, this little home has quite a past. Previously the home of canal weaver Daniel Boyd and his family, today you will find looms and a home representing the lifestyle of the typical Roscoe resident.



Historic Roscoe Village

walking map



Welcome!

We sincerely
hope that
you enjoy
your time
here with us.

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9. Montgomery Hall - This building is the home of the Coshocton Campus of the Central Ohio Technical College.



8. Johnson-Humrickhouse Museum - This nationally-accredited museum has four permanent galleries: American Indian, Historic Ohio, Decorative Arts and East Asian. A fifth gallery displays temporary exhibits ranging in topics from art to history.



7. Krasco Customs - Your headquarters for custom vinyl graphics and printed clothing, hats, mugs and window stickers.



6. House of G.A. Fisher Jewelers - From the traditional to the eclectic - diamonds, fine jewelry, clocks, watches and many unique gifts. A shop you won't want to miss.



5. Roscoe General Store - Decorated with antiques from general stores of old, this delightful shop earns its name with offerings for every taste. Apple butter, jams and jellies, homemade fudge, candy, gourmet dips and sauces, toys for the kids and gifts for the home.



4. The Warehouse Steak n Stein & P.R. Nye's Lock 27 - Enjoy the atmosphere of this beautifully restored building as you dine in the restaurant or relax in the more casual Lock 27 Pub. Summertime brings outdoor dining and entertainment in the lovely Carriage Gardens.



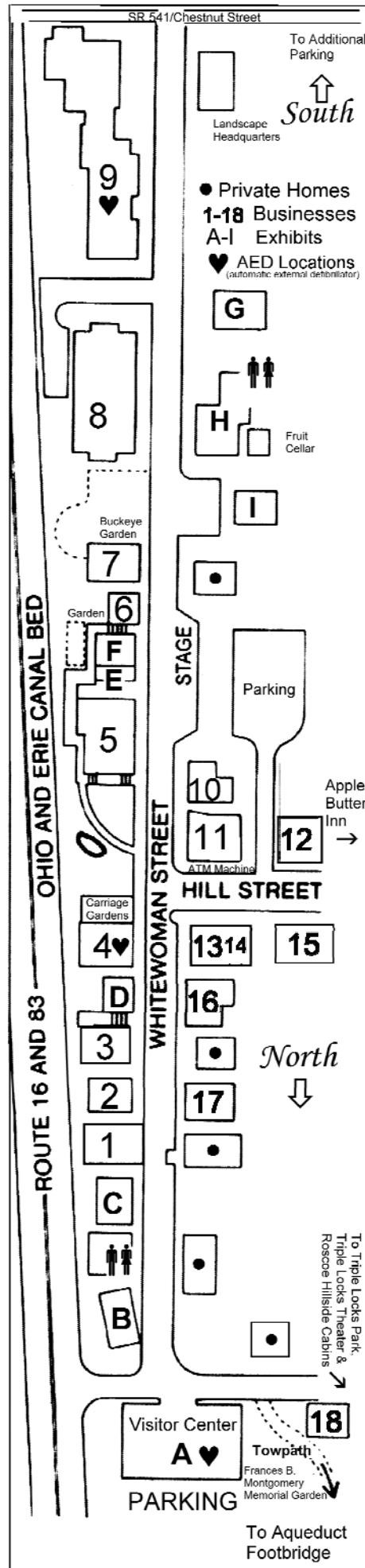
3. Liberty House - Liberty Lady features unique women's clothing and accessories, men's casual wear, and an Ohio State room for Buckeye fans! Liberty Pottery offers made-in-the-Village, hand-thrown, hand-painted pottery, both traditional & custom design.



2. Strads Attic - Take a step back in time and experience the age-old rhythms of a luthier shop where instruments of the violin family are made, restored, and repaired.



1. Canal Cargo - This shop offers a collection of wonderful handmade gifts, Vera Bradley handbags, gourmet food, a complete winemakers cellar, bath & body care items and WoodWick and Yankee candles.



10. River Ridge Leather - Quality leather goods made in Roscoe Village using traditional tools and techniques.



11. Uncorked - Shop our newly renovated wine bar and coffee shop. We offer a full line of gourmet coffees and a full-service wine bar. Visit our adjoining retail shop for over 200 imported and Ohio wines.



12. Kiefer's Florist - Fresh cut flowers, green plants, seasonal blooming plants and home garden accessories.



13. Medbery Marketplace - This canal era hotel offers deli meats and cheeses, gourmet foods, bulk snacks and more. It also houses Captain Nye's Custard, Coney's & Candies on the first floor and the Shops of Medbery on the second and third floors.



14. The Garden Gate - The perfect place to find beautiful, seasonal hanging baskets, perennials, herbs and a wonderful selection of decorative items and garden accessories.



15. Knob Hill Design - A custom design shop featuring American Benchmade furniture, antiques, glassware, aprons and pillows.

16. The Cottage Gate - Cottage-style living with accessories for every season, including: tapestries, wall art, pillows, throws, and many handmade items from floral to small oak furniture.



17. The Village Pantry of Roscoe - This quaint kitchen specialty shop offers several lines of cookware, bake ware, cast iron and unique kitchen tools. You will find charming and useful gifts for all types of kitchens.



18. Wildwood Music - Listen to the sweet sounds of Ohio's musical heritage at this shop brimming with guitars, mandolins, banjos, dulcimers and many wonderful CDs.



Directions to the Monticello III Canal Boat Ride

- **From Visitor Center.** Turn right when leaving the Visitor Center parking lot; follow CR 495 to the stop signs; turn right on US 36 E; go to the stop light and turn left; go to the next stop light and turn left onto SR 83 N. The Canal Boat Landing is located 1/4 mile on the right.
- **From south end of village.** Turn left at the stop sign at the corner of Whitewoman Street and SR 541. Turn left onto the entrance ramp for SR 16 E/SR 83 N. Turn left at the second traffic light (SR 83 N). The Canal Boat Landing is located 1/4 mile on the right.
- **Walking.** You may walk the towpath, located behind the Visitor Center (0.8 mile starting at the back left of the Visitor Center).