still discovering Kentucky. We Kentuckians feel a great sense of pride in our state that is inspired by

the beauty of the land, the diversity of our culture, and the rich traditions of our heritage. Most of all, we like sharing our unique state with the many people who visit us every year. Please stop at one of our Welcome Centers before you continue your travel on Kentucky's highways. You will receive your first sample of our famous

Kentucky hospitality, as well as all the information you need to make your trip more memorable and enjoyable. Whether you are here for business or vacation, I know that you will enjoy the charm of Kentucky and the warmth of Kentuckians.

On behalf of the people of Kentucky, welcome to the Bluegrass State. Newford Mikin

Accidents — If you are involved in an accident, notify

PLEASE DRIVE SAFELY

Speed Limit — The speed limit is 65 mph on rural sections of Kentucky's interstates and on most parkways. Child Restraints — A Kentucky law requires that all children less than 40 inches tall be placed in an approved child restraint seat when traveling in an

Motorcycles — No person shall operate or ride as a passenger on a motorcycle unless that person wears approved protective headgear and eye protection.

Turning — Kentucky has a permissive "right turn on red" law, unless a sign forbidding such turns is posted at the intersection

Driving Under the Influence — Our goal in Kentucky is to save lives, not to arrest and penalize people. If you are convicted of D.U.I. for the first time, you will receive a six-month license suspension, be fined a minimum of \$200 (maximum \$500), and you could face imprisonment for not less than 48 hours nor more than 30 days in jail. Further sanctions are applied for second and subsequent convictions. Don't drink and

the nearest State Police post or use the emergency number listed below. Accidents involving personal injury, or total damage of \$200 or more, not investigated by a law enforcement agency, must be reported by the individual within 10 days to the Department of Transportation on an official form which may be obtained from any police station or State Police officer.

Emergency Toll Free Number — Call 1-800-222-5555 to report accidents, crimes or drunk drivers. Kentucky troopers stand ready to assist you at any time.

KENTUCKY IS CLOSE-BY

Kentucky is located in the south central United

States along the west side of the Appalachian

Ohio River, running along the state's northern

Indiana. West Virginia borders Kentucky to the

borders Kentucky to the southeast. Tennessee

borders Kentucky to the south, and Missouri is

edge of the state.

★ Whitehaven

Welcome Center

I-24 & US-45 at Exit in Paducah

northeast along the Big Sandy River, and Virginia

across the Mississippi River at the extreme western

Kentucky's Welcome Centers are located at major

entry points into the state. The five centers indicated

below are open seven days a week from 8:00 a.m.

hand to answer questions, give directions and pro-

KENTUCKY'S WELCOME CENTERS

Kentucky is known as the "Bluegrass State"

tucky bluegrass originated, but reports say that

early pioneers found it growing in the state when

began to ask for the seed of the "blue grass from

Kentucky" and the name stuck. Bluegrass is not

really blue - it's green. But in the spring, blue-

in large fields, give a rich blue cast to the grass.

"My Old Kentucky Home, Good-Night"

'Tis summer, the people are gay;

All merry, all happy and bright:

While the birds make music all the day. The young folks roll on the little cabin floor,

By Stephen Collins Foster - 1853

grass produces bluish-purple buds that, when seen

The sun shines bright in the old Kentucky Home,

The corn top's ripe and the meadow's in the bloom

By'n'by Hard Times comes a-knocking at the door,

Then, my old Kentucky Home, good-night!

they crossed the Allegheny Mountains. Traders

because of the abundant growth of bluegrass on its

rich limestone soil. No one really knows where Ken-

* Franklin Welcome Center

THE BLUEGRASS STATE

I-65 North at the KY-TN state line

to 8:00 p.m. Travel information specialists are on

vide you with all the vacation information you'll

Mountains, and is bordered by seven states. The

border, separates Kentucky from Ohio, Illinois, and

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Kentucky's colorful past, which helped shape the character of America, is preserved at many exciting events, sites and museums throughout the state. Did you know that on February 12, 1809, Abraham Lincoln was born in a small cabin near Hodgenville in central Kentucky? That cabin remains, as does the natural spring where the family drew water, at Abraham Lincoln Birthplace National Historic Site. A few more than a hundred miles away, in southwestern Kentucky, is the birthplace of Jefferson Davis, who became Lincoln's primary adversary as President of the Confederacy during the Civil War. Davis' birthplace is also marked by a public monument at

HISTORY

Take time to visit a real Kentucky showplace, My Old Kentucky Home at Bardstown, and the picturesque Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill. Look through the Cumberland Gap from Pinnacle Mountain to understand why Daniel Boone had to find out where it led, and reflect on the hardships of pioneer life at Fort Boonesborough and Old Fort Harrod. Use our Traveller's Guide to Kentucky for a complete listing of Kentucky's many historic sites and attractions.

Actors from the "Lincoln" Outdoor Drama, performed at Old Fort Harrod to the Abraham Lincoln Birthplace National Historic Site, Hodgenville.

The annual Civil War re-enactment a

Perryville Battlefield State Historic Site,

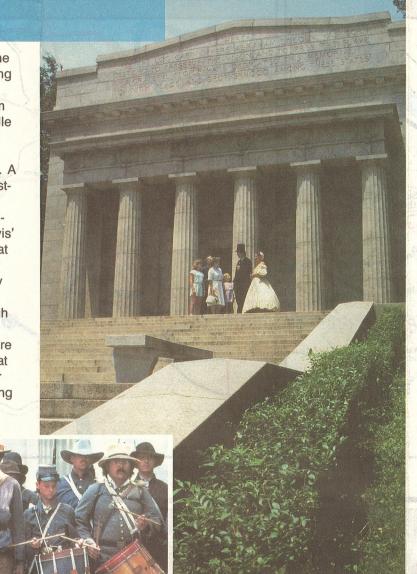
HORSES

Every year on the first Saturday in May, Kentucky

hosts the most famous horse race in the world, the

Kentucky Derby. Held at Louisville's Churchill Downs,





ATTRACTIONS

The following are only 50 of Kentucky's attractions. Use our Traveller's Guide to Kentucky for more information on these and other attractions which will make your vacation truly memorable.

Western

Columbus-Belmont Battlefield State Park, Columbus. Commemorates the major opening of the Union Army's Western

Jefferson Davis Monument State Historic Site, Fairview. The tower marking the birthplace of the President of the Confederate States of America is also the fourth tallest monu-National Museum of the Boy Scouts of America, Murray,

the history of the Boy Scouts of America and scouting Owensboro Area Museum, Owensboro, Displays on astronomy, geology, botany, archaeology, anthropology and Daviess County history and special events year-round.

The Market House, Paducah. Built in 1905, this structure

houses the city's art gallery, theater and a museum. It was originally a produce market Wickliffe Mounds, Wickliffe. A prehistoric Indian village of the Mississippian period, AD 800 to 1350, now on the National

North Central

My Old Kentucky Home, Bardstown. The plantation atmosphere of this graceful Georgian mansion is much as it was when Stephen Foster visited his cousins here in 1852 and was inspired to write his most endearing song.
"The Stephen Foster Story," Bardstown. Kentucky's best known outdoor drama depicts the colorful era of antebellum Kentucky, and features many of Foster's songs, including "My Old Kentucky Home, Good Night."

Appalachian Museum, Berea. The Appalachian culture is de-

fined through exhibits of farming tools, utensils, handmade goods and a slide program.

Bernheim Forest, Clermont. Bernheim Forest is a 10,000 acre

wildlife preserve and arboretum, including a museum, trails, McDowell House and Apothecary Shop, Danville. Dr. Ephraim McDowell performed the first removal of an ovarian tumor in this house that he used as his office in the early 19th

Coca-Cola Museum, Elizabethtown. Features the largest col Patton Museum of Cavalry and Armor, Fort Knox. Memorabilia of General George Patton, Jr., colorful field

Governor's Mansion, Frankfort. Kentucky's governors live in the elegant mansion of French influence overlooking the

Kentucky River.

Liberty Hall, Frankfort. Senator John Brown constructed Liberty Hall in 1796-1800. Visitors included General Lafayette, President James Monroe, and General Andrew ackson, who was later President Old Governor's Mansion, Frankfort. Now the home of Ken-

structed in the late 1700's. Old State Capitol, Frankfort. Completed in 1830, the Greek Revival structure remains the masterpiece of Kentucky architect Gideon Shryock. Its circular stairs are

State Capitol Building, Frankfort. Kentucky's handsome statehouse features 70 Ionic columns, Georgian white marble walls and stairways, and a nave adorned by 36 columns of

The Legend of Daniel Boone" & "Lincoln," Harrodsburg These outdoor dramas are performed at Old Fort Harrod State Park, a reproduction of the first permanent settlement west of the Allegheny Mountains. Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill, Harrodsburg. The village.

beautifully restored and open all year, offers original Shaker furnishings in exhibition buildings, and shops with demonstrating craftsmen. Dining and lodging are available in Lincoln's Boyhood Home, Hodgenville. The Lincoln family lived on their Knob Creek farm from the time Abe was two

until he was almost eight. **Ashland, Lexington.** The country estate of Henry Clay, one of America's greatest early statesmen, includes a beautiful for-Headley-Whitney Museum, Lexington. Jeweled bibelots and

seashells from across the world. The Hunt-Morgan House, Lexington. Built in 1814, this house was the home of General John Hunt Morgan and Nobel Prize Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington. This 1,032-acre park is a working horse farm. It features Kentucky Thoroughbreds, various other breeds, International Museum of the Horse,

arriage rides, American Saddle Horse Museum, exhib Mary Todd Lincoln House, Lexington. Abraham Lincoln visited this home on three occasions. It was the home of his wife's

Maker's Mark Distillery, Loretto. Kentucky bourbon was invented in 1789, at Georgetown. Today this picturesque distillery offers a unique look at the bourbon-making process. Belle of Louisville, Louisville. The Belle is one of America's

last authentic sternwheel riverboats, and offers cruises on the Ohio River during the summer months.

Farmington, Louisville. The Speed family built this home in 1810, after a design by Thomas Jefferson. Abraham Lincoln visited Joshua Speed here in 1841 J.B. Speed Art Museum, Louisville. Kentucky's foremost art museum features medieval tapestries, American and Euro-

pean paintings, and contemporary art.

Kentucky Derby Museum, Churchill Downs, Louisville. Memorabilia from over 100 Kentucky Derbies.

The KentuckyShow!, Louisville. This multi-image, multi-media show presents a breathtaking portrait of Kentucky.

Museum of History and Science, Louisville. Exhibits involve Mason County Museum, Maysville. Maysville was original named Limestone and was a busy riverport in the late 18th century. Its memorabilia are displayed here.

Blue Licks Battlefield State Park, Mount Olivet. Features a

park museum and a memorial to the men who fought and lied in the last Revolutionary War battle. Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption, Northern Kentucky Modeled after Notre Dame Cathedral of Paris, this ornate structure features one of the largest stained-glass windows in

Marcellus Clay, an outspoken abolitionist, newspaper publisher, Minister to Russia and friend to Abraham Lincoln Old Washington, Washington. Named for George Washington in 1786, the historic community displays original flagstone walks and log buildings. It features one of Kentucky's best-known Yuletide celebrations, Frontier Christmas.

White Hall State Historic Site, Richmond, Home of Cassius

South Central

Riverview-The Hobson House, Bowling Green. Built on a hill overlooking the Barren River, this splendid Italianate mansion Crystal Onyx Cave and Onyx Cave, Cave City. Two of the Mammoth Onyx Cave, Horse Cave. Features delicate, colorful

onyx formations and crystal clear pools.

Diamond Caverns and Jesse James Cave, Park City. Two well-known caves not far from Mammoth Cave, both feature hakertown at South Union, South Union. Site of the last Shaker community in Kentucky, this small village includes the Centre House, which contains Shaker furniture, tools and

a gift snop.

Big South Fork Scenic Railway, Stearns. The two-hour round trip train ride departs from the historic coal community of Stearns and travels to the bottom of a beautiful gorge along

Dr. Walker led the first documented expedition through the Cumberland Gap in 1750.

Cumberland Falls, Corbin. The magnificent Falls is approximately 125 feet wide and plunges almost 68 feet into the

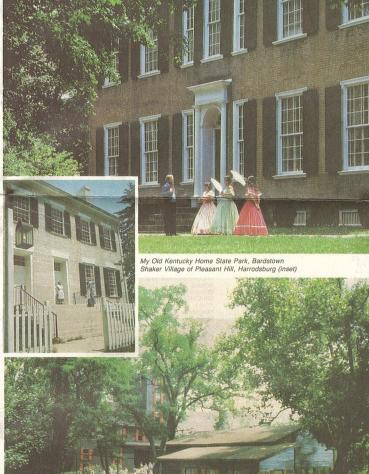
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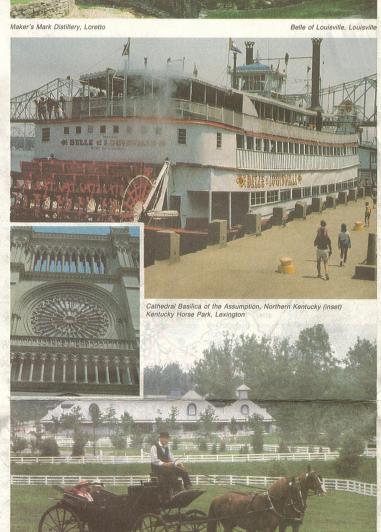
Lilley Cornett Woods, Letcher County. Preserving this scenic woodland was the life's work of Lilley Cornett, who aspired to protect its virgin timber. Guided tours available.

Renfro Valley Country Music Center, Renfro Valley. John Lair founded this famous home of country music in the 1930's.









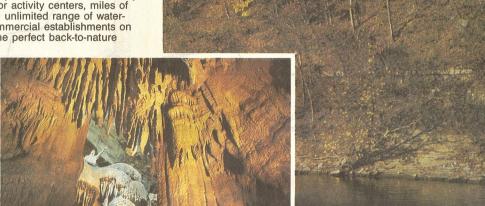


area for hiking, horseback riding, camping, fishing, canoeing and white water rafting amidst nature's rugged unspoiled Cumberland Gap National Historical Park, Middlesboro. With over 20,000 acres, this is the second largest historical park in the national park system. When Daniel Boone came through the gap in 1775 and cleared the Wilderness Trail, the migration to Kentucky began. Features Pinnacle Mountain which overlooks Kentucky, Virginia and Tennessee. Daniel Boone National Forest, Eastern Kentucky. The forest covers portions of 21 Kentucky counties and over 672,000 acres. Special attractions include: Red River Gorge Geological Area, Cave Run Lake, Sheltowee Trace National Recreation Trail,

Hunting Area and Beaver Creek Wilderness. Outdoor recreational opportunities abound. Land Between the Lakes, Western Kentucky. TVA's 170,000-acre outdoor recreation and environmental education area is situated between Lake Barkley and Kentucky Lake in western Kentucky and Tennessee. Features four major activity centers, miles of hiking trails, camping sites and an unlimited range of waterrelated activities. There are no commercial establishments of the peninsula which makes LBL the perfect back-to-nature getaway vacation spot.

Laurel River Lake, Natural Arch Scenic Area, Pioneer Weapons

Mammoth Cave National Park, Mammoth Cave. Unique in all the world this park covers 2,000 acres in south centra Kentucky and is underlaid by the world's longest cave syste Mammoth Cave is a World Heritage Site and has over 300 miles of mapped passageway on five levels. Guided cave tours provide an unforgettable experience below around with camping and hiking "top-side.



OUTDOORS

In Kentucky, the outdoors comes to life, whether you enjoy it from a fishing boat or a mountaintop. You can fish for bass or crappie, trout or muskie, or a variety of other fish. And you'll be fishing in waters that have yielded their share of record catches — including a world record 11-pound, 15-ounce smallmouth bass. Of course, that's only natural for a state that has over 200,000 surface acres of impounded water and offers more miles of running water than any other state except Alaska.

Not a fisherman? Don't worry about it. There's plenty of room for everybody on Kentucky's waters. You can go sailing across a sunlit lake, relax on a comfortable houseboat, or water-ski in one of many glassy coves. Try maneuvering a canoe or raft through a boulder-lined shoot of white water or drift down a smooth stream canopied by aging sycamore and maple trees. Hikers and bicyclists will find Kentucky's backcountry offers some of the most beautiful vistas in the mideastern United States. And campers will delight in any of the 200 campgrounds across the state as well as the various wilderness areas. Use our *Outdoor Directory* for more information on Kentucky's outdoor recreational



It's a pretty big claim to call yourself the finest in the nation, but that's exactly what Kentucky's state park system has called itself for years. And with good reason. The 44 resorts, recreational parks and historic sites are located at some of the most scenic spots in the state. And each one offers a multitude of recreational opportunities for every member of the family. Use our Traveller's Guide to Kentucky to find the perfect park for your vacation.



STATE RESORT PARKS

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Capital Plaza Tower, Frankfort, KY 40601 Cover photo of the Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington.

Official Highway Map

KENTUCKY TOLL SCHEDULE

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Weep no more, my lady, Oh! weep no more today! We will sing one song for the old Kentucky Home, for the old Kentucky Home, far away.

The Kentucky Bass The Grey Squirrel State Fish State Wild Animal

The Kentucky Coffee Tree



★ Florence Welcome Center

★ Williamsburg Welcome Center

I-75 North at the KY-TN state line

★ Gravson Welcome Center



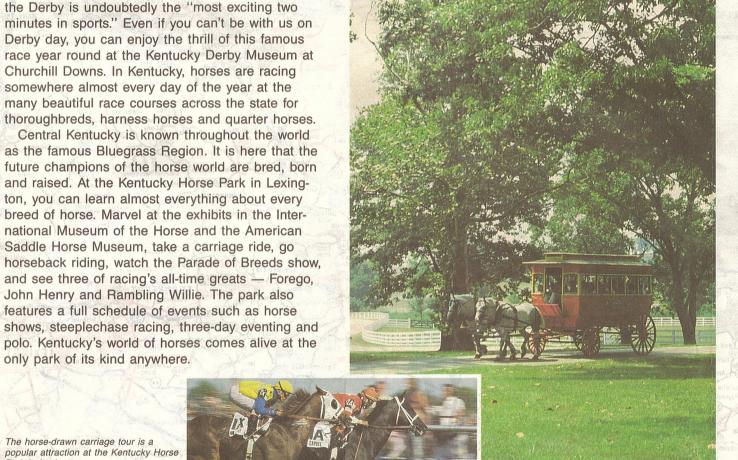


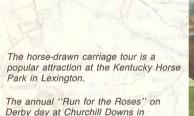
Louisville. (inset)

entucky Bluegrass









only park of its kind anywhere.

Kentuckians never miss an opportunity to get together for celebration and fun. There's a good chance on any given weekend you'll have to choose which fair or festival around the state you want to attend! Wherever you choose to go, you can be assured that the food will be homemade, hospitality" will take on new meaning. The finest

and visual arts programs offered throughout the year. Use our Calendar of Events to discover the wide range of activities not to be missed during your stay in Kentucky.



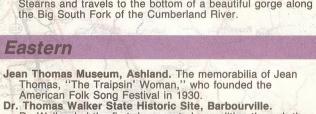
HAPPENINGS

the entertainment lively and the phrase "Southern handcrafts made in America today will be displayed by artisans whose methods are as old as the hills where their techniques originated. You'll hear the best Bluegrass music anywhere and marvel at the stamina of the cloggers and square dancers.

Of course every event has a theme . . . here are just a few of ours - Strange Music Weekend, Tater Day, Black Gold Festival, Lincoln Days, the Egyptian Event, Frontier Christmas and the spectacular Kentucky Derby Festival. Sound like fun?

One of the world-renown crafts festivals in Berea, Kentucky's craft center. The Louisville Orchestra performs at the Kentucky Center for the Arts, Louisville.





boulder-strewn Cumberland River gorge.

Breaks Interstate Park, Elkhorn City. A five-mile-long and ,600-feet deep canyon is the highlight of this resort park or

Valley Country Music Center, Renfro Valley (inser

