

Old Order Amish Country Tour



Hardin County is home to a large community of Old Order Amish. They still live a centuries-old “Plain” lifestyle with the horse and buggy as their primary form of transportation. The simple lifestyle of the Amish, their plain clothing, and their denial of modern technology are a careful expression of their devotion to their religious beliefs.

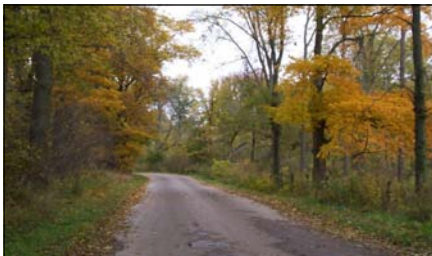
Day One

Amish Bakery, County Road 265, North of Pfeiffer Station - filled with the smell of fresh baked goods, Mary’s Bakery features many homemade items including fruit and cream pies, breads and noodles. Also available are honey and bulk candies as well as Amish produced cheeses. *Not open on Wednesdays.*

Visits with Amish Artisans - along your journey you’ll see signs at the end of drive-ways marking where specific Amish made products are sold. By stopping at these homes, you’ll see firsthand Amish craftsmanship using centuries old techniques and tools.



No Sunday sales



“River Road”, Township Road 146, South of Pfeiffer Station - step back in time as you drive down this road. No matter what season, the countryside is picture perfect and serene.

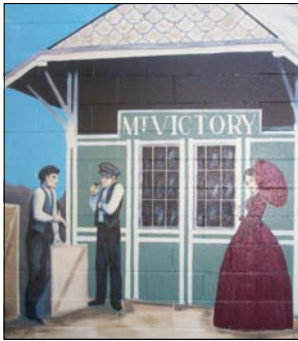
Old Sandusky Trail, County Road 265 - once an Indian thoroughfare connecting the Wyandot villages of Upper Sandusky with the Shawnee Mac-O-Chee towns of the southwest.

For a list of recommended overnight accommodations, visit www.HardinOhio.org or contact the Alliance at 419-673-4131

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Day Two

Spend your second day in Hardin County exploring areas of the Old Order Amish countryside that you did not get to on day one, or experience our other interesting points of interest.



Antique & Craft Shopping in Mount Victory - located in the southern part of Hardin County, this small village includes a quaint Main Street area with over 12 shops where you'll find antiques, crafts and special treasures. Admire the mural at Henry Martin Park, stroll along their Historic Walking Tour or visit the beautiful gardens surrounding some of the shops. *Most shops are open Thursday through Sunday.*

Hardin County Sullivan-Johnson Museum - built in ca. 1896, this Queen Anne style mansion features an extensive display of cast iron toys manufactured by the former Kenton Hardware Company, as well as their popular Gene Autry Repeating Cap Pistols. Also on display is the Nation's First Congressional Medal of Honor, given to Kenton native Jacob Parrot in 1863. *Open Monday thru Friday from 1 - 4 pm and some Sundays.*



Hardin County Historical Village & Farm - site includes a one-room school house complete with old fashioned school desks and McGuffey Readers; a log cabin with a large, civil war weaving loom; a jail now used to display a variety of woodworking tools; and a barn filled with antique farm machinery and relics from the nearby Scioto Marsh area. *Not open regular hours, however in July programs will be held there on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.*



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