Handcrafted History

Experience the artistry and flavors of Southeast Ohio with immersive activities and savory stops







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DAY 1

Kick off your group's journey through the Southeast region in Gallipolis, where you'll enjoy a refreshing lunch at the newest restaurant and entertainment hall downtown, **The Colony**. From there, treat your tourgoers to a selection of local flavors at Merry Family Winery, which offers a variety of handcrafted wines sourced from locally grown apples. Next, head to the Hopewell Culture National Historical Park in Chillicothe to explore Indigenous cultural sites that span 2,000 years of history. The art aficionados of your group will want to tour the Pump House Center for the Arts, which showcases works by area creatives in a building that once served as Chillicothe's Water Works. End the evening with a show at the Majestic **Theatre**, followed by a ride around town aboard the Chillicothe Trolley. Spend the night at Hampton Inn & Suites Chillicothe

DAY 2

Your group's second day in the region begins in Marietta, where the Marietta Earthworks stand as an ancient testament to the ingenuity and engineering prowess of the Hopewell peoples. For a different type of historical experience, send your group to JustAJar Design Press, where tourgoers will get to see a working old-fashioned printing press, learn about different printing methods, and participate in handson activities. For lunch, journey to The Boondocks in McConnelsville before attending a show at the Ohio Valley Opry. Grab some after-show drinks at Old Bridge Brewing Co. before departing for Zanesville, where your group can tour the Conn's Potato Chip Factory, learn about the Zanesville Appalachian Arts Project, and shop at Smore **Baskets**. Finally, settle in for an evening of relaxation at Coshocton Village Inn & Suites.

DAY 3

For those who enjoy a more immersive experience, the **Apple** Butter Stirrin' Festival, generally falling in mid-October, is a great event for enjoying hand-stirred apple butter, live music, craft and food vendors, historical tours, and more. If your group isn't in Coshocton in time for the festival, no worries! Raven's Glenn Winery in West Lafayette and Pearl Valley Cheese in Fresno both offer delectable sips and bites for your group to enjoy. For your group's last stop in Southeast Ohio, head to Cambridge, where they'll want to pause for lunch at Salt Fork Lodge before taking a deep dive into the process of glassmaking at Mosser **Glass**. End your group's trip with a sweet treat at Kennedy's Bakery.