



# Visit HERSHEY & HARRISBURG



## Summer Media Days Tour Menu 2019





## WELCOME TO THE HERSHEY & HARRISBURG REGION

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### ABOUT THIS MEDIA TOUR MENU FOR SUMMER MEDIA DAYS 2019

Our Media Tour Menu provides an easy guide to help you build an itinerary for your media visit. Simply review and pre-select which attractions you would like to visit or experience. Then we can work together to make it happen.

This planning tool clearly identifies those attractions that participate in our Media Pass Program. They are grouped by regions "Harrisburg" and "Hershey" and each attraction within those groupings is listed by proximity to the others. Meaning, you could follow the order of the attractions listed in this menu and see everything in (almost) a linear route. The suggested time at each location is also noted in parenthesis.

Once you have reviewed this menu and selected your desired locations, our Public Relations Department will assist you in developing a manageable "suggested" itinerary. We will also assist you with coordinating all necessary Media Passes at the participating Partner locations you have pre-selected.

No tickets are issued to media in advance and all tickets, passes, and vouchers provided by participating Partners are considered non-transferrable. You will be required to **present valid ID** to redeem your tickets at each location.

If for any reason the attractions or properties that you pre-selected do not have your tickets upon arrival, you should simply purchase the necessary tickets and submit your receipts to our Public Relations Department for full reimbursement.

This menu also highlights a variety of suggested options for dining and additional experiences that may require additional planning, reservations, or have associated costs which are not covered or coordinated by the bureau. These exceptions are clearly marked next to the attractions or experiences and are considered "On Your Own" for media participating in the Media Days program.

A friendly reminder that the bureau does not cover the cost for meals and we encourage our media guests to make their own dining reservations. During peak seasons it is highly recommended to make all dining reservations well in advance.

Some experiences listed in this Media Tour Menu may also not be available during the dates of your visit due to seasonality, weather conditions, etc. Those are clearly marked "Seasonal" and media should call ahead to confirm the attraction is open and operational.

**IMPORTANT: Media should not contact the individual properties or attractions listed in this Media Tour Menu directly to request Media Passes or complimentary tickets. The participating Partners in our Media Pass Program have agreed to provide complimentary provisions ONLY to media who have been officially pre-approved and coordinated by the Visit Hershey & Harrisburg organization.**

Thank you for your interest in our region and we look forward to hosting you soon!

Warm Regards,

*Rick Dunlap*

Director of Public Relations

# HARRISBURG

Overview: Harrisburg, the Capital of Pennsylvania, was once inhabited by Native Americans as early as 3000 BC. Known as Peixtin, the area was an important trading post for Native American traders, as trails leading from the Delaware to the Ohio Rivers, and from the Potomac to the Upper Susquehanna intersected there. The primary natural feature of the city is the Susquehanna River, 464 miles (747 km) long and is today the longest river on the US East Coast. With its watershed, the river is the 16th-largest river in the United States, and the longest river in the continental United States without commercial boat traffic today. In the Canal Era, navigation improvements were made to enhance the river for barge shipping of bulk goods by water on the Pennsylvania Canal.

## ATTRACTIONS (Harrisburg)

### National Civil War Museum (1 – 2 hrs)

#### MEDIA PASS

Kate McDermott, Assistant Director of Sales/Marketing  
kmcdermott@nationalcivilwarmuseum.org or 717-260-1861.

1 Lincoln Circle at Reservoir Park, Harrisburg, PA 17103

Tel: 866-258-4729

Email: kmcdermott@nationalcivilwarmuseum.org

Web: www.nationalcivilwarmuseum.org

Twitter: @NCWM

Mon/Tue/Thur/Fri/Sat 10am–5pm, Wed 10am–8pm, Sun Noon–5pm.

As one of the largest museums in the world dedicated solely to the American Civil War, the NCWM is unique in its approach of telling a complete story of this most troubled chapter in American history from the social, political, and personal perspectives of the day. This nationally-recognized museum, one of only eight museums in Pennsylvania currently affiliated with the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C., strives to preserve the history of the American Civil War and inspire lifelong learning. Since opening in 2001, its mission has

been to serve as the destination of choice for students, families and historians who seek to experience and research the culture and history of the American Civil War. The NCWM attracts over 40,000 visitors annually and has welcomed guests from all 50 states and 27 countries to tour the museum. TripAdvisor ranked this #2 for “Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA” (2018).



### PA Capitol Complex Tour (45 min)

#### MEDIA PASS

Jill Fetter, Director of Capitol Visitors Services

JFetter@os.pasen.gov or 717- 329-9761

North Third Street, Harrisburg, PA 17120

Located across the street from PA State Museum.

Reservations Line: (800) 868-7672 // www.pacapitol.com

Guided Tours (FREE): Offered every half-hour from Mon-Fri 8:30am-4pm, and Sat-Sun & most holidays at 9am, 11am, 1pm, 3pm.

Always recommended to call ahead to check tour availability.

This National Historic Landmark is the most recognizable feature of the Harrisburg skyline. Dedicated in 1906 at the cost of \$13 million the Capitol was designed to be a Palace of Art. The Capitol contains 475 rooms and has four floors, a mezzanine and a basement. The massive bronze doors of the capitol entrance lead visitors into the first-floor main rotunda highlighted with a grand imperial staircase similar to the one in the famous [Palais Garnier](#) (Paris Opera House) in Paris, France. Free 30-minute guided tours daily reveal the stunning artwork, craftsmanship, and various Renaissance designs capped by a spectacular dome that is a 1/3 scale replica of the one on St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. Pay particular attention on the tour to the paintings in the Supreme Court Chamber by [Violet Oakley](#), the first American woman to receive a public mural commission. TripAdvisor ranked this #1 for “Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA” (2018).

**MUST SEE: Art beyond the Capitol Complex.** Walk among elaborate bronze sculptures, stunning murals and decorative sconces inside the Finance Building. While regarded as one of the finest structures of its time, it is often overshadowed by the neighboring Capitol Complex, designed to be a “Palace of Art.”



## State Museum on Pennsylvania (1 hr)

### MEDIA PASS

Howard Pollman, Marketing Director at 717-329-9194 or hpollman@pa.gov  
300 North Street, Harrisburg, PA 17120-0101  
Tel: 717-787-4980

Web: [www.statemuseumpa.org](http://www.statemuseumpa.org)

Mon & Tue - Closed, Wed-Sat 9am-5pm, Sun Noon-5pm.

Filled with Pennsylvania's rich history from Earth's beginnings to present day, the museum features Peter F. Rothermel's "The Battle of Gettysburg: Pickett's Charge" painting and a newly restored Marshall's Creek Mastodon Skeleton. TripAdvisor ranked this #4 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA" (2018).

**MUST SEE: Largest Civil War Painting on single canvas.** Take a moment in time with the largest epic Civil War battle scene ever painted on a single canvas from 1870 entitled "Battle of Gettysburg: Pickett's Charge" found in the permanent exhibit "Objects of Valor: Commemorating the Civil War in PA" at The State Museum of Pennsylvania.



## Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts (45 min)

### MEDIA PASS\*

\*Media Pass valid for Science Center admission only. Performance & Show Tickets not included.

Ashlee Hurley, Director of Marketing & Sales at 717-724-3879 or ahurley@whitakercenter.org

222 Market Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101

Tel: 717-214-ARTS (2787)

Web: [www.whitakercenter.org](http://www.whitakercenter.org)

Twitter: @WhitakerCenter

Mon-Closed, Tue-Sat 9am-5pm, Sun 11:30am-5pm.

Discover three floors of hands-on science exhibits and fun-filled galleries to delight all ages - from toddlers to grandparents - including Forces of Nature, KidsPlace, Carnival of Health and Move It! Experience spectacular Hollywood movies and documentaries on a 4-story-tall screen inside the Select Medical Digital Cinema, and enjoy world-class live performances of music, theater and dance, in our specially-designed performance theater. TripAdvisor ranked this #10 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA" (2018).

**MUST SEE: Backstage Studio at Whitaker Center.** Get hands-on with the often-unseen art forms and interactive technology behind today's movies, TV shows, and music at the Backstage Studio Exhibit at The Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts. Don't leave without mixing your own music by moving objects around on the *Reactable*.



## Art Association of Harrisburg (1 hr)

### FREE

Carrie Wissler-Thomas, President of Art Association of Harrisburg

[Carrie@artassocofhbg.com](mailto:Carrie@artassocofhbg.com) or 717-236-1432.

Governor Findlay Mansion, 21 North Front Street

Harrisburg, PA 17101

Tel: 717-236-1432

Web: [www.ArtAssociationofHBG.com](http://www.ArtAssociationofHBG.com)

Twitter: @ArtAssocHbg

Mon-Thur 9:30am-9pm, Fri 9:30am-4pm, Sat 10am-4pm, Sun 2-5pm.

Founded in 1926, this hub of Central PA cultural events is the oldest Harrisburg gallery still in operation offering art classes for children and adults. The galleries are in the historic Governor Findlay Mansion at 21 North Front Street adjacent to Riverfront Park in Harrisburg. The unique space provides exhibition opportunities for both regional and national artists. The AAH is associated with the Cultural Enrichment Fund. TripAdvisor ranked this #37 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA" (2018).



## **Pride of the Susquehanna Riverboat Cruise (1hr)**

### **HARD TICKETS ISSUED BY VHH (SEASONAL)**

Jason Meckes, Executive Director at Jason@HarrisburgRiverBoat.com or cell (emergency only: 717-503-1659).

City Island, Harrisburg, PA 17101

Tel: 717-234-6500

Web: [www.harrisburgriverboat.com](http://www.harrisburgriverboat.com)

Twitter: @pride\_riverboat

#### Seasonal Schedule

Summer (Memorial Day – Labor Day)

Weekdays: Noon, 1:30pm, 3pm

Weekends: Noon, 1pm, 2pm, 3pm.

Fall (Sept. thru Oct.)

Weekends Only (Sat/Sun) Noon & 1:30pm.

#### Holiday Schedule

Memorial Day Weekend, July 4, Labor Day Weekend

Noon, 1pm, 2pm, 3pm, 4pm, 5pm.



Cruise the Susquehanna River on one of the last remaining paddle-wheel riverboats in America. The Pride of the Susquehanna Riverboat is an authentic stern-driven paddle wheeler built in 1988 to beautify and enrich the Hershey Harrisburg region. The Pride offers a scenic view of the Harrisburg skyline from both the lower and upper deck. With a variety of theme cruises and events, the riverboat always has unique Susquehanna River experiences. The boat is used for private functions (meetings, parties, weddings, dinners, anniversaries) and offers themed cruises, including Murder Mystery Dinner Cruises, Wine and Cheese Night, Arooga's Wing Night Cruises, family-themed Pirates on the Pride adventure rides, live-music Blues Cruises, Jazzin' on the Pride, Moonlight Party Cruises, Maryland Blue Crab Cruises, River School Educational Trips, and more. TripAdvisor ranked this #11 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA" (2018).

## **City Island Complex (30 min – 1 hr)**

### **SELF-GUIDED WALKING TOUR**

This 63-acre island complex once contained archeological treasures of the Susquehannocks and Iroquois tribes which established seasonal settlements here. The island also served as a stopping off-point for Union soldiers during the Civil War as they crossed over the Camelback Bridge to defend Harrisburg from the threat of invasion by the Confederate Army. Today visitors & locals enjoy the island's recreational offerings including a minor-league baseball park and minor-league soccer stadium, riverside mini-golf course, a scaled-down version of a Civil War-era steam train, batting cages, and boat docks where passengers get aboard the Pride of the Susquehanna Riverboat\* for one of the best views of the Harrisburg skyline. Seasonal sporting events available pending schedules for the minor-league Senators Baseball Club or City Islanders Soccer Team. TripAdvisor ranked City Island Complex #7 and the baseball park #8 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA" (2018).



## MIDTOWN DISTRICT (HARRISBURG)

### **Broad Street Market (30 min – 1 hr.)**

#### **TOURS MUST BE SCHEDULED IN ADVANCE**

Beth Taylor, Market Manager, cell 717-798-6711 or 717-236-7923 or [broadstreetmarketmanager@gmail.com](mailto:broadstreetmarketmanager@gmail.com)

1233 North Third Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102

Tel: 717-236-7923

Web: [www.BroadStreetMarket.org](http://www.BroadStreetMarket.org)

Twitter: @BroadStMarket

Thur & Fri 7am-6pm; Sat 7am-4pm. Closed Sun-Wed.

[Story](#): Historic Broad Street Market Attracts New Wave of Pop-Culture & Cool to Harrisburg's Midtown District

The Broad Street Market is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and is one of the oldest continuously operated market houses in the country. Founded in 1860 and used to feed the civil war troops training at nearby Camp Curtin, this market today serves as the hub of Harrisburg's Midtown District with 40 vendors offering locally-grown and organic produce, meats, baked goods, and freshly prepared meals. Market managers work to preserve the historic legacy and cultural diversity of the market in addition to serving the community with food-centered educational events. Ask about the renovations since early 2015 and new local farmer program. TripAdvisor ranked this #16 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA" (2018).



### **Midtown Scholar Bookstore – (30 min)**

#### **ON YOUR OWN**

*Great spot for a Coffee Break & Self-Guided Tour or ask someone to show you around.*

Mitzi Trotzle – Events Manager at [Events@MidtownScholar.com](mailto:Events@MidtownScholar.com)

1302 North Third Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102

Tel: 717-236-1680

Twitter: @MidtownScholar

Web: [www.MidtownScholar.com](http://www.MidtownScholar.com)

Hours: Mon-Thur 8am-9pm, Fri & Sat 8am-10pm; Sun 11am-7pm.

This unique book store, located in a renovated 1920s theater next to Harrisburg's historic Broad Street Market and just a few blocks (1/4 mile) north of the Pennsylvania State Capitol, was named "13 Independent Bookstores Every Booklover Should Visit in the U.S." by Travel + Leisure Magazine in 2017 and "America's Great Independent Bookstores" and voted "Simply the Best" Independent Bookstore in the region for 9 years running. Their internet warehouses stock over one million academic and general-interest books, while the retail bookstore-cafe has more than 100,000 used, rare, and sale-priced books on six floors in two connected buildings. Thanks to special arrangements with several University presses, the shop also features tens of thousands of discounted NONFICTION scholarly titles, including many not available for purchase anywhere online. Their FICTION wing and expanded Children's and YA sections opened in June 2012 and "Robinson's Rare Books and Art Prints" opened on September 9, 2012.



**MUST SEE: Rare Reads & Fine Prints.** Discard the Dewey Decimal System and dive the many depths of the Midtown Scholar Bookstore to discover Robinson's Rare Books & Fine Art Prints tucked away in one of the historic building's comfy book nooks.

## The Millworks Restaurant + Artist Studios + Brewery (2 hrs)

### SELF-GUIDED TOUR

*Great spot for a meal, snacks, beverage break, and self-guided tour of artist studios.*

Matt Sarver, Operations Manager – [Matt@MillworksHarrisburg.com](mailto:Matt@MillworksHarrisburg.com) or cell: 484-682-9813

340 Verbeke Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102

Tel: 717-695-4888

Web: [www.MillworksHarrisburg.com](http://www.MillworksHarrisburg.com)

Twitter: [@MillWorksHBG](https://twitter.com/MillWorksHBG)

Video: [Watch it](#)

Mon-Closed, Tue-Thur 11:30am-10pm, Fri & Sat 11:30am-Midnight; Sun 10am-10pm.

Lunch: Mon-Closed; Tue-Sat 11:30am-4pm; Dinner: Tue-Thur 4pm-9pm, Fri & Sat 4pm-10pm, Sun 4pm-9pm

Brunch: Sun 10am-2pm.

The Millworks earned the recognition of “New Tourism Business of the Year 2015” from the Hershey Harrisburg Regional Visitors Bureau with its combination of restaurant, biergarten, and artist studios.

The unique 24,000-square-foot mixed-use venue opened in March 2015 in the former Stokes Millworks, located near the Susquehanna Arts Museum, the Broad Street Market, and the Midtown Scholar Bookstore.

The 160-seat restaurant began by focusing on authentic and sustainable food sourced from local growers and producers, many located next door in the Broad Street Market.



The restaurant offers a full-service bar featuring draft and bottled microbrews, craft beers, and nano-brews from local breweries, plus a full menu of spirits and artisan cocktails. Thirty-five (35) [regional artists](#) have studios located inside the Millworks' building, allowing customers the opportunity to watch sculptors, painters, and others from the restaurant and biergarten.

Open houses on weekends allow customers to walk through the studios, engaging with the artists and seeing their craft performed in person. With a full stage and sound system, the Millworks also hosts [events](#) including live music by local & touring bands and singer songwriters.

In Fall 2016 developer Joshua Kesler expanded to include an in-house [brewery](#) and completed the 165-seat rooftop biergarten, the largest in the city, with aerial view of Harrisburg's Midtown neighborhood.

The facility will be named as a National Park Service Registry of Historic Places and the architecture & design includes repurposed lumber for furnishings & interior construction, lighting from the Broad Street Market from 1920's, a portion of a Pennsylvania railroad car on display in the dining area, and the wood-fired oven constructed of bricks from an 1830's farmhouse in nearby Perry County.

## Susquehanna Art Museum (30 min)

### MEDIA PASS

Lauren Nye, Exhibitions Manager at [Lnye@sqart.org](mailto:Lnye@sqart.org) or

Tina Sell, Education Manager – [Tsell@sqart.org](mailto:Tsell@sqart.org)

1401 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Harrisburg, PA

Tel: (717) 233-8668

Web: [www.sqart.org](http://www.sqart.org)

Facebook: [Susquehanna Art Museum](https://www.facebook.com/SusquehannaArtMuseum)

Twitter: [@SusquehannaArt](https://twitter.com/SusquehannaArt)

Hours: Sun Noon-5pm, Mon-Closed, Tue/Thur/Fri/Sat 10am-5pm, Wed 10am-7pm

After nearly two decades in downtown Harrisburg, the Susquehanna Art Museum (SAM) opened moved to a newly refurbished and expanded 20,000 square-foot space in the Midtown area of Harrisburg in January 2015. When the museum's new \$12 million home re-opened in The Keystone Trust Building, it marked the first new cultural arts facility to open in Harrisburg since the Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts in 1999. Today, SAM is Central PA's only dedicated art museum, mounting exhibitions that reflect the diverse cultural heritage of the community as well as a wide range of aesthetic interests. The museum's main lobby comes complete with the restored 1923 bank vault, 27-foot-high ceilings and marble floors. The galleries feature the artworks of nationally and internationally recognized artists as well as spotlighting the works of regional artists annually. The museum's Education Center can accommodate workshops, luncheons, meetings, groups and events for up to 50 people. TripAdvisor ranked this #21 for “Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA” (2018).



## Zeroday Brewing Company (30 min – 1 hr)

### ON YOUR OWN

Theo and Brandalynn Armstrong, Owners  
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250 Reily Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102  
Tel: (717) 745-6218  
Web: www.zerodaybrewing.com  
Twitter: @ZerodayBrewing or #FindYourZeroday

Mon-Closed, Tue-Thur 4pm-11pm, Fri 4pm-Midnight, Sat Noon-Midnight, Sun Noon-8pm.

Zeroday Brewing Co. opened in April 2015 as a 7-barrel craft brewery and 60-seat tasting room located in the Midtown district of Harrisburg right next to the Midtown Cinema. This husband & wife team of Theo and Brandalynn Armstrong are the heart & soul of the story here. They specialize in clean, balanced ales and lagers and love to showcase their amazing brews alongside PA wine and cider, local artwork featured in a 16-foot gallery wall, and with some of the area's best musicians on any given night. Zeroday is not a full restaurant, but it offers a fun snack menu with items like the Large Ass Pretzel (seriously bigger than your face) or you can bring your own from the nearby market. The couple operated a successful crowd funding campaign to help fund their dream. So, what's with the name? Zero Day is a term used by those hiking the Appalachian Trail for the days you take a break and do nothing. You log zero miles that day. It's typically reserved for a worthwhile city or town. The couple wanted their spot to be worthy of a Zeroday.



## Pennsylvania National Fire Museum (30 min – 1 hr)

### MEDIA PASS

John Wagner, 2<sup>nd</sup> VP at 717-232-8915, JCW37@aol.com  
1820 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102-1501  
Tel: 717-232-8915  
Web: www.pnfm.org

Mon – Closed, Tue-Sat 10am-4pm, Sun 1-4pm.

The National Fire Museum, located in an 1899 Victorian Fire House, features displays from the Hand and Horse-drawn era to motorized apparatus from 1911 through 1947. Learn the interesting facts about this service and how things we take for granted today like fire alarms and hydrants evolved over the years. Includes fire safety education for children and an operational Gamewell Alarm Room that dates to the 1800's. TripAdvisor ranked this #14 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA" (2018).



## Midstate Distillery

### ON YOUR OWN

Dan Healy & Brian Myers, Owners  
Dan@MidstateDistillery.com and Brian@MidstateDistillery.com  
1817 North Cameron Street, Harrisburg, PA 17103  
Tel: 717-745-5040  
Email: Info@MidstateDistillery.com  
Web: www.MidstateDistillery.com

Fri 4pm-10pm, Sat Noon-10pm, Sun 11am-4pm, Mon-Thur - Closed.

Opened in Harrisburg in January 2016 by brother-in-laws Dan Healy and Brian Myers, this new attraction will have the distinction of being the first distillery in Harrisburg since Prohibition. Midstate produces small batches of Shaky Jake's Rum (a super smooth with a hint of vanilla and a sweet finish) and Pennsylvucky Moonshine with plans to make Iron & Ice Vodka. Visitors can stop in for cocktails, take a tour, shop in the retail store and purchase bottles to take home. Midstate joins a growing list of distilleries now operating in this region of Pennsylvania including The Tattered Flag Brewery & Still Works in Middletown, Thistle Finch Distillery in Lancaster, Old Republic Distillery in York County, and Hidden Still Spirits in Lebanon.



## Fort Hunter Mansion & Park Tour (1 hr)

### MEDIA PASS (SEASONAL)

Michelle Hornberger, Events Manager  
5300 North Front Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110  
Tel: 717-599-5751

Email: [mhornberger@dauphinc.org](mailto:mhornberger@dauphinc.org)

Web: [www.FortHunter.org](http://www.FortHunter.org)

8am–Dusk. Mansion closed for season Dec. 23 thru April 30.

Mansion Tours: Mon–Closed, Tue–Sat 10am–4:30pm, Sun Noon–4:30pm.  
Experience life in Victorian times with professionally guided tours of Fort Hunter Mansion and connect to the natural beauty at the 40-acres park along the scenic Susquehanna River. Experience bygone days when everything was homemade and learn how the upper class lived in Harrisburg dating back to 1725. This site includes 10 structures listed on the National Register of Historic Places and remnants of the old Pennsylvania Canal Trail with a free walking tour brochure, museum shop, and picnic areas. TripAdvisor ranked this #3 for “Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA” (2018).



## MIDDLETOWN (HARRISBURG)

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### Tattered Flag Brewery & Still Works

#### ON YOUR OWN

Owners: Pat Devlin, Matt Fritz, Tony DeLellis, and Ben Ramsay  
1 South Union Street, Middletown, PA 17057  
Tel: 717-616-8799

Email: [TatteredFlagbsw@gmail.com](mailto:TatteredFlagbsw@gmail.com)

Web: [www.TatteredFlagbsw.com](http://www.TatteredFlagbsw.com)

Mon–Thur 7am–10pm, Fri & Sat 7am–Midnight, Sun 10am–8pm.

This combo craft brewery & distillery has been an idea in the minds of Pat Devlin, Matt Fritz, Tony DeLellis, and Ben Ramsay since the group graduated high school together in 2000. For the name, the owners believed that a tattered flag is not just a worn piece of cloth... but a symbol of experience and character. Threadbare and frayed, a tattered flag still represents the ideals and beliefs of those who stand behind it, constantly seeking excellence, success, and the achievement of those goals with honor. Tattered Flag is a veteran-owned operation, and therefore the owners live by the character they identify in a worn flag as they strive to give back to the surrounding communities by producing a high-quality product locally and providing local patrons and first-time visitors with a warm and welcoming experience.



## ACTIVITIES (Harrisburg)

### Biking - Capital Area Greenbelt & Mountain Biking Trails

#### ON YOUR OWN\*

\*Guide may be available based on schedule if requested in advance.

Scott Shepler at 717-236-0261 or [ScottShepler2207@gmail.com](mailto:ScottShepler2207@gmail.com);

and Dick Norford at 717-460-4684 or [RNorford@aol.com](mailto:RNorford@aol.com)

PO Box 15405, Harrisburg, PA 1710 5-5405

Tel: 717-921-4733 (GREEN)

Email: [CAGA@caga.org](mailto:CAGA@caga.org)

Web: [www.caga.org](http://www.caga.org)

MAP: [www.caga.org/the-trail/](http://www.caga.org/the-trail/)

Facebook: Capital Area Greenbelt Association

The Greenbelt is a 20-mile multi-surface recreational trail that loops in and around the City of Harrisburg. The surfaces vary from on-road sections and dedicated paved paths to gravel sections for bikers, walkers, and non-motorized activities. In 2016, a 10-mile section of mountain biking single track was also added to the trail network. The entire loop connects several points of interest including **Reservoir Park** and the **National Civil War Museum, Wildwood Park, PA Farm Show Complex & Expo Center, City Island, and Riverfront Park** which runs along the **Susquehanna River**. Featured stops include the **Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial, PA Holocaust Memorial, and Five Senses Garden**. Guided biking or walking tours can be arranged for groups of 4 or more by contacting Scott Shepler at 717-236-0261 or [scottshepler2207@gmail.com](mailto:scottshepler2207@gmail.com).



### Bike Share – Harrisburg

#### ON YOUR OWN

Bikes can be rented at 10 [Zagster](#) docking stations located throughout Harrisburg for \$2 per hour for up to 10 hours. Those who keep the bikes for more than 24 hours will be charged a \$50 overtime fee. Ninety-three percent of proceeds are earmarked for "[Communities In Schools Pennsylvania](#)," a nonprofit organization which serves local students and their families.



### Walking, Biking & Bird Watching - Wildwood Park

#### ON YOUR OWN

Wildwood Park is located on the outskirts of downtown Harrisburg with 229-acres reserved for countless species of flora and fauna with a 90-acre freshwater wetland at its hub. A popular three-mile paved trail encircles the park with offshoots and boardwalks for a total of six miles of trails. Olewine Nature Center, located within the park, features engaging exhibits on environmental education. Established in 1901, during the City Beautiful Movement, Wildwood was part of a nationwide effort to improve urban life. In 1976, the Dauphin County Commissioners assumed ownership of the property and is now managed by Dauphin County Parks and Recreation Department. Wildwood Park is one of Pennsylvania's premier centers for environmental studies, educational opportunities, and outdoor recreation, and remains a cherished retreat for nature lovers, bird watchers & exercise enthusiasts. TripAdvisor users ranked this #4 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg, PA" (2018).

### Kayaking - Susquehanna River

#### MEDIA PASS

We have two outfitters who provide kayaking and canoe rentals and guide services. If you would like to spend a half-day on the river we can assist you with planning the outing.

#### Blue Mountain Outfitters

103 South State Road, Marysville, PA 17053

Tel: 717-957-2413

Email: [bluemountain@comcast.net](mailto:bluemountain@comcast.net)

Web: [www.bluemountainoutfitters.net](http://www.bluemountainoutfitters.net)

#### Susquehanna Outfitters

333 South Front Street, Wormleysburg, PA 17043

Tel: 717-503-0066

Email: [Steveo@SusquehannaOutfitters.com](mailto:Steveo@SusquehannaOutfitters.com)

Web: [www.susquehannaoutfitters.com](http://www.susquehannaoutfitters.com)

Hours: Tue-Sun 10am-6pm



## ACTIVITIES (Harrisburg) - continued

### Outside the Box Escape Room in Harrisburg

#### ON YOUR OWN

717 North 2nd Street Harrisburg, PA 17102

Tel: 717-856-9076

Email: [info@outsidetheboxescaperoom.com](mailto:info@outsidetheboxescaperoom.com)

Web: [www.outsidetheboxescaperoom.com](http://www.outsidetheboxescaperoom.com)

Central Pennsylvania's premiere live escape room complex where visitors have 60-minutes to crack codes, find hidden clues, and work collaboratively to navigate through professionally designed escape rooms. With five games, three floors, and over 4,000 square-feet filled with puzzles, gadgets, and props imported from around the globe you are in for an unforgettable experience at the largest escape complex in the area. Ask about the Corporate & Team Building opportunities which can accommodate 40 guests.



### Racing - Autobahn Indoor Speedway - New Indoor Go-Kart Racing

#### MEDIA PASS

Jeff Witmer, GM – [Jeff.Witmer@AutobahnSpeed.com](mailto:Jeff.Witmer@AutobahnSpeed.com) or 717-695-4000

Sean Maher, Director of Sales & Marketing

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1001 Bosler Ave, Lemoyne, PA 17043

Web: [www.autobahnspeed.com](http://www.autobahnspeed.com)

Tel: 717-695-4000

Hours: Mon-Thur 11am-10pm, Fri 11am-Midnight,

Sat 10am-Midnight, Sun 10am-10pm.

Speed-lovers need to try the newest attraction taking over the Harrisburg, PA area; European style indoor go-karting. The 40,000-square-foot state-of-the-art facility is the largest completely indoor karting facility in Pennsylvania. This means perfect racing conditions every day. Satisfy your "need for speed" in one of our unique, high speed electric Italian pro-karts. These F1-inspired karts reach speeds of up to 50 mph and the new upscale facility has the latest technology to make your experience fun. TripAdvisor ranked this #4 for "Top Things to do in Lemoyne, PA" (2018).



### Horseback Riding at Ironstone Ranch

#### ADVANCE RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

Gail Shane, DOS & Marketing at [GShane@IronStoneRanch.com](mailto:GShane@IronStoneRanch.com)

1 Hollinger Lane Elizabethtown PA 17022

Tel: 717-413-2660

Days of Operation: Tuesday thru Saturday. Sun & Mon – Closed.

For ages 6+ and Weight Limit per rider of 250lbs. This ranch provides gentle, well-mannered horses and experienced equestrian guides to navigate you through our 275 acres of trails with back woods, pastures, wildlife, beautiful flowering trees and gracefully flowing streams. Reservations are required in advance and specific dates or times may not be available for media based on availability.



### Harvesting at Strites Orchard

#### ON YOUR OWN (SEASONAL)

Stephanie Pomraning

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Twitter: [@StritesOrchard](https://twitter.com/StritesOrchard)

Hours: See web site for seasonal hours.

Strites' Orchard Farm Market and Bakery is a fourth-generation family-owned and operated 300-acre sustainably grown fruit and vegetable farm. The Strite family has been farming in the Harrisburg area since 1843 and the first fruit trees and vegetables were planted by Joseph C. Strite in 1914. The farm began participating in the Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) in 2011 which allows them to deliver produce throughout the greater Harrisburg area to participating members.



## Fishing - Susquehanna River

### ADVANCE RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

We can hook you up (pun) with a local expert fishing guide who can show you all of the hot spots for smallmouth and largemouth walleye, panfish, musky, and catfish along a 100-mile stretch of the Susquehanna River and Lake Marburg. The guides we use from Koinonia Guides and Susquehanna Smallmouth Guides are licensed and insured and can take you on their crafts for personalized full-day and half-day fishing trips.

#### Susquehanna Smallmouth Guide Service

Guide: George DeFrehn (pictured right)  
Web: [www.susquehannasmallmouthguides.com](http://www.susquehannasmallmouthguides.com)  
Tel: 717-503-1333 or [gdefrehn@yahoo.com](mailto:gdefrehn@yahoo.com)

#### Koinonia Guides

Guide: Rod Bates  
Email: [koinoniagdesvc@aol.com](mailto:koinoniagdesvc@aol.com)  
Tel: 717-805-7082



## Hiking – Appalachian Trail

### ON YOUR OWN

The Susquehanna Appalachian Trail Club (SATC)  
Trail Master: Jeff Buehler  
Email: [ATHikerJB@aol.com](mailto:ATHikerJB@aol.com)  
Tel: 717-657-8281  
Interactive Map: [www.appalachiantrail.org/home/explore-the-trail](http://www.appalachiantrail.org/home/explore-the-trail)  
The SATC offers over 100 group hikes each year with a hike leader.  
See recommended Appalachian Trail hikes at [www.satc-hike.org/hikemap.html](http://www.satc-hike.org/hikemap.html)



# HERSHEY

Overview: Today the town of Hershey is a year-round, world class travel destination with an amusement park, exclusive resort properties, family attractions and amenities. In 1906, Milton S. Hershey opened Hershey Park as a place where his chocolate factory workers and their families could relax and be entertained. Surrounded by some of America's most productive dairy farms, the world's first modern chocolate factory and model town became a real community. Today the chocolate empire supports the Milton S. Hershey School, a cost-free, private, coeducational boarding school for more than 2,000 students in pre-kindergarten through 12th grade from income-eligible families across the U.S. The school was established by Milton and Catherine Hershey in 1909 to provide a positive, structured home life year-round to help children gain the skills to be successful in all aspects of life.

## ATTRACTIONS (Hershey)

### Indian Echo Caverns (aka: Echo Dell) (45 min)

#### HARD TICKETS ISSUED BY VHH

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SF@IndianEchoCaverns.com  
368 Middletown Road, Hummelstown, PA 17036-8815  
Tel: 717-566-8131

Web: [www.indianechocaverns.com](http://www.indianechocaverns.com)

Hours: Vary by Season.

Labor Day to Memorial Day: 10am-4pm

Memorial Day to Labor Day: 9am-6pm

Visitors to Echo Dell & Indian Echo Caverns will experience the 440 million-year-old caverns that are always at 52 degrees. This underground labyrinth of tunnels, lakes, and rock formations including the "Indian Ballroom" can be explored in a 45-minute-long tour. Hear the fascinating legend of William Wilson, "The Pennsylvania Hermit" who lived in the caverns for 19 years from 1802-1821. Then explore the other areas and activities offered at this family-friendly attraction just outside of the town of Hershey. TripAdvisor ranked this #1 for "Top Things to do in Hummelstown, PA" (2018).



### AACA Museum – Antique Auto Museum in Hershey (1 hr)

#### MEDIA PASS

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Nuria Guarneschelli, Group Tour Coordinator at  
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161 Museum Drive, Hershey, PA 17033-2462  
Tel: (717) 566-7100

Twitter: @AACA\_Museum

Web: [www.aacamuseum.org](http://www.aacamuseum.org)

Hours: Open daily, year-round from 9am-5pm.

Cruise through time with antique automobiles, buses, motorcycles and memorabilia in a themed setting that travels from New York to San Francisco over eight decades. Changing exhibits and events always provide something new to see and do-fun for all ages. The Antique Automobile Club of America is A World Class Automobile Experience, in association with the Smithsonian Institution.



## Hershey's® Chocolate World Attraction (30 min – 4hrs)

### MEDIA PASS\*

Todd Kohr, Marketing & PR Manager at cell 717-303-9530, TkKohr@Hersheys.com

251 Park Boulevard, Hershey, PA 17033

Tel: 717-534-4900

Twitter: @chocolateworld

Web: www.hersheys.com/chocolateworld

Hours: Check Web site for times. Varies by month & season.

Hershey's Chocolate World is considered the most-visited corporate visitors center in the world with 3 million guests annually. In Dec. 2016, the attraction welcomed the 100-Millionth guest since opening on June 30, 1973. Guests treat themselves to an assortment of one-of-a-kind experiences and discover the wonders of chocolate. In 2016, the FREE Chocolate Tour Ride was completely revamped with new animation, simulations and colorful characters. In 2015, Hershey's Chocolate Tasting Experience was enhanced with new technology allowing greater crowd interaction. In 2013, Hershey's Great Chocolate Factory Mystery 4D movie debuted. In 2010, the Create Your Own Candy Bar opened. From HERSHEY'S Chocolate World, you can also pick up the Hershey Trolley Works™ to tour the town and learn the inspiring story of the place made famous by Milton S. Hershey and his milk chocolate bar and other famous candy confections.

#### \*TICKETED ACTIVITIES BELOW MUST BE SCHEDULED IN ADVANCE.....

- ✓ Hershey's Chocolate Tour Ride – FREE (15min)
- ✓ [Create Your Own Candy Bar](#) (45min) – **TICKET REQUIRED.**
- ✓ [Chocolate Tasting Experience](#) (30min) – **TICKET REQUIRED.**
- ✓ [Chocolate Mystery 4D Movie](#) (30min) – **TICKET REQUIRED.**
- ✓ [Hershey Trolley Works Tour](#) (See details below.) – **TICKET REQUIRED.**
- ✓ Shopping – On Your Own (30min)

## Hershey Trolley Works Tour at Chocolate World® - (1.5hrs)

251 Park Boulevard, Hershey, PA 17033

Tel: 717-534-4900

Twitter: @chocolateworld

Web: www.hersheys.com/chocolateworld

Hours: Check Web site for times. Varies by month & season.

Enjoy an in-depth and entertaining exploration of the history & heritage of the town built on chocolate and learn of the inspiring story behind its founder Milton Hershey from a cast of characters aboard an old-fashioned (but comfortable) trolley that departs daily from Chocolate World. Other seasonally themed tours include: **Summer Trolley** from Memorial Day to Labor Day; **Trick or Treat Trolley** during Halloween in Hershey; **Holly Jolly Trolley** with caroling, stories, and even a special visit from a certain jolly, old elf; and **Sweet Lights Trolley** taking riders through *HERSHEY SWEET LIGHTS*, a magical holiday light display with carols, *HERSHEY'S KISSES*, and creative commentary to entertain the whole family. Find more details on times, prices, and seasonal themed tours [HERE](#).

## The Hershey Story, Museum on Chocolate Avenue (1-2 hrs w/ Activities)

### MEDIA PASS

*A Hershey Entertainment & Resorts Attraction*

Anthony Haubert, PR Specialist, M.S. Hershey Foundation

Cell: 717-230-9160 or ATHaubert@mshersheyfoundation.org

63 W. Chocolate Avenue, Hershey, PA 17033-1502

Tel: 717-534-3439

Twitter: @TheHersheyStory

Web: www.hersheystory.org

Hours: Open Daily 9am – 7pm.

Learn how Milton Hershey went from bankruptcy to brilliance, transforming chocolate from a luxury to an everyday treat. See how he invented the community of Hershey and why did he give away his fortune...twice? Experience a hands-on "Chocolate Lab" class and sample warm drinking chocolate at the "[Countries of Origin Chocolate Tasting](#)." The Chocolate Lab may not always be available based upon time of visit.

#### ACTIVITIES & TIME REQUIREMENTS:.....

- ✓ Museum Self-Guided Tour (45min) – **MEDIA PASS**
- ✓ [Countries of Origin Chocolate Tasting](#) (15min) – **TICKET REQUIRED.**
- ✓ [Chocolate Lab](#) (1hr) – **TICKET & RESERVATIONS REQUIRED.**



## Hershey Gardens & Tropical Butterfly Atrium at the Conservatory (1.5 hrs)

### MEDIA PASS

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170 Hotel Road, Hershey, PA 17033-9507  
Tel: 717-534-3492 // www.hersheygardens.org  
Video: [Watch it](#)  
Twitter: @HersheyGardens

#### Garden Hours vary by season

Jan. 1-31	9am-4pm
Feb. 1 – May 25	9am-5pm
May 26-Sept. 3	9am-6pm
Sept. 4 – Dec. 31	9am-5pm

Closed on Thanksgiving & Christmas Day, Open 9am-3pm Christmas Eve.

Originally founded by Milton S. Hershey as a formal 3 ½ acre rose garden, Hershey Gardens has grown to reach 23 acres with more than 30,000 tulips in the spring and more than 5,000 roses every summer.

This botanical oasis is filled with 11 magnificent themed gardens, colorful seasonal displays, a children's garden with chocolate-scented, named & colored flora, and a new 16,000-square-foot conservatory with a rare year-round North American and tropical butterfly atrium that opened in July 2016.

The new [Milton & Catherine Hershey Conservatory at Hershey Gardens](#), inspired by one of the conservatories built by Milton and Catherine Hershey in the early 1900's, now serves as the new picturesque entrance to Hershey Gardens with a Welcome Pavilion, an Educational/Horticultural Wing, and one of only 25 year-round tropical butterfly atriums in the U.S.



## Hersheypark® & ZooAmerica (2 hrs – Full Day)

### HARD TICKETS ISSUED BY VHH

A Hershey Entertainment & Resorts Attraction  
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100 West Hersheypark Drive, Hershey, PA 17033  
Media Website: <http://stories.hersheypa.com>  
Tel: 717-534-3900  
SEASONAL: Check Web site for dates & times. Varies by month & season.

#### Hersheypark® (2 hrs – Full Day)

Tel: 800-HERSHEY  
Consumer Website: [www.Hersheypark.com](http://www.Hersheypark.com)  
Email: [Info@HersheyPA.com](mailto:Info@HersheyPA.com)

In 1907, Milton Hershey opened "Hershey Park" as a place where his chocolate factory's workers and their families could relax and be entertained. What began with a single pavilion and landscaped green space has grown into one of the nation's best-loved amusement parks. At the heart of it all now is exactly as it was then – family.



#### ZooAmerica® North American Wildlife Park (2 - 4 hrs)

Email: [ZooAmerica@HersheyPA.com](mailto:ZooAmerica@HersheyPA.com)  
Consumer Website: [www.zooamerica.com](http://www.zooamerica.com)  
Instagram: [zooamerica](https://www.instagram.com/zooamerica)  
Hours vary by season.

What began as Milton Hershey's private collection of animals around 1905 eventually opened to the public in 1910 as Hershey Zoo. Today, ZooAmerica is a year-round walk-through attraction adjacent to Hersheypark® encompassing 11-acre with more than 200 animals from five regions of North America including black bear, bison and mountain lions. ZooAmerica prides itself on following a mission of education and conservation and offers several educational programs for students and groups such as a Behind-the-Scenes Tour; After-Hours Tour; and Creatures of the Night. Admission to the zoo is included with the purchase of a ticket to Hersheypark.



## Troegs Brewery (1-2 hrs w/ meal)

### ON YOUR OWN

### BREWERY TOUR SCHEDULED IN ADVANCE.

Christie Yurkovic, Tour Supervisor at [CYurkovic@Troegs.com](mailto:CYurkovic@Troegs.com)  
Ed Yashinsky, Brewery Manager, 717-580-0114, [Edy@Troegs.com](mailto:Edy@Troegs.com)  
200 East Hersheypark Drive, Hershey, PA 17033  
Tasting Room Hours: Sun-Wed: 11am-9pm//Thur-Sat: 11am-10pm  
Tel: 717-534-1297

Twitter: @TroegsBeer

Web: [www.Troegs.com](http://www.Troegs.com)

Hours: Sun – Wed 11am-9pm, Thur-Sat 11am-10pm.

Back in 2010, brothers Chris & John Trogner were sketching a vision for their new brewery on the back of a napkin. In 2011, that vision became the 90,000 sq-ft Tröegs Brewery in Hershey with a 5,000 sq-ft Tasting Room, open brewhouse, and General Store. The brothers' napkin also included an important yet unrealized vision - a space dedicated to wood-aging, a sanctuary for strong ageable ales, a home for wild yeast & bacteria, and a wide-open canvas for creative cellaring, where a new series of PA wild ales would be brewed with fruit & microflora from their own backyard. In July 2016, their "wood-aging dream space" dubbed The Splinter Cellar opened with three 20-foot-tall "foeders" (Dutch for large oak tank) handcrafted by the 200-year-old Italian barrel manufacturer Giobatta & Piero Garbellotto using dozens of staves of Italian, Hungarian & French oak air-dried for three years to mellow any harsh flavors.



**MUST TRY:** Foodies should try "The Snack Bar" experience for gourmet popcorn piled high and one of the most unique menus in the region.

**Troegs is one of 10 breweries in the region. For more information on the Craft Brewing Country see [www.HersheyHarrisburgBeer.com](http://www.HersheyHarrisburgBeer.com).**

## Hollywood Casino at Penn National Race Course (1-5 hrs)

### ON YOUR OWN

777 Hollywood Blvd., Grantville, PA 17028

Tel: 717-469-2211

Email: [club.hollywood@pngaming.com](mailto:club.hollywood@pngaming.com)

Web: [www.hollywoodpnrc.com](http://www.hollywoodpnrc.com)

Twitter: @HollywoodPenn

Hours: Open 24 hours per day & 7 days per week.

Live horse racing Wed-Sat post time 6pm.

Central Pennsylvania's premier casino and horse racing track, located between Hershey and Harrisburg, features over 50 of the most action filled table games; more than 2,450 hot slots; and exciting live and simulcast thoroughbred horse racing year-round. In addition to live entertainment, the casino features a variety of restaurants ranging from elegant fine dining at the [Final Cut Steakhouse](#) and great casual fare at the [Mountainview Terrace Lounge](#) overlooking the track; to the [Skybox Sports Bar](#) and [Epic Buffet](#). Guests must be 21 or older to enter the casino.



## ACTIVITIES (Hershey)

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### Adventure Sports In Hershey (2 hrs)

#### MEDIA PASS

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Tel: 717-533-7479

Email: [Fun@AdventureHershey.com](mailto:Fun@AdventureHershey.com)

Web: [www.AdventureHershey.com](http://www.AdventureHershey.com)

Hours: Vary by date & month. Check web site.

A family entertainment center located on 10-acres just outside of Hershey with go-karts, mini-golf, bumper boats, batting cages, arcade, outdoor laser tag, driving range, and food. Seasonally open spring and fall with limited attractions open throughout winter.



### Cocoa Kayaks of Hershey (2–2.5 hrs)

#### ADVANCE RESERVATIONS REQUIRED (SEASONAL)

Ben & Debra Miller, Owners

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Boathouse Park, Hershey, PA 17033

Tel: 717-756-5766

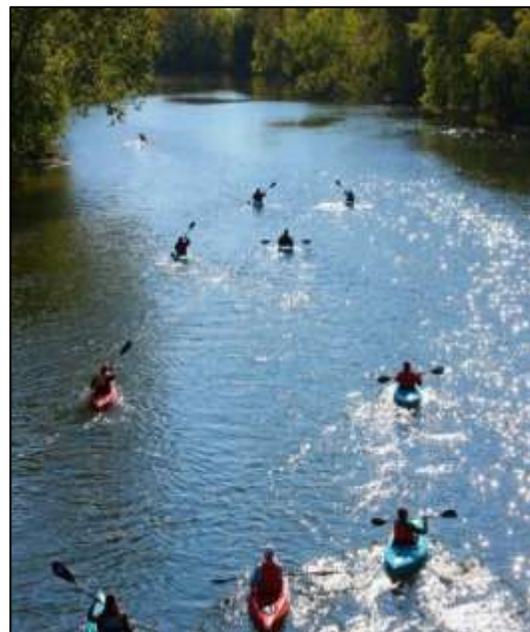
Email: [BenEMiller@CocoaKayak.com](mailto:BenEMiller@CocoaKayak.com)

Web: [www.CocoaKayak.com](http://www.CocoaKayak.com)

Twitter: [@CocoaKayak](https://twitter.com/CocoaKayak)

Hours: Reservations must be made in advance.

Just minutes from Hersheypark, this outfitter offers access to the pristine tree-lined Swatara Creek with 60-miles of gentle waters running from Pine Grove to the Susquehanna River in Middletown. Many of the float trips will take you along the remains of the historic Union Canal; and while you are never far from civilization it won't feel like it as the sounds of cars disappear and the wildlife comes out to play. Cocoa Kayak can arrange for custom shuttle service from nearby hotels, points of interest, and other venues through special package pricing which can also include add-ons such as a visit to Indian Echo Cavern or an interactive educational experience helping to harvest crops at nearby Caring Acre Farm that provides fresh produce for a local food pantry. Reservations for any kayaking trip must be made in advance and there are multiple trip options on their web site including both guided and unguided options with a 2-hour minimum for individuals and groups. Owners Ben & Debra strive to provide a safe, memorable, quality outdoor experiences while also promoting an active lifestyle. They believe in leaving a low ecological footprint and encourage guests to be responsible stewards of the watershed and natural areas they will encounter on their paddle adventure.



# UNIQUE OUT-OF-AREA ATTRACTIONS

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The following attractions are listed by designated directional areas outside of the region. These attractions are possibly too far outside of our immediate area to be included in a day of site visits. However, they should be considered if they are along your route to/from our region. We can help you coordinate visits with the attractions listed below as they are active Partners with our organization. Drive times are included with each listed based on distance from Harrisburg, PA.

## North of Harrisburg

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These are best visited on your way to/from the region if your point of origin is north of Harrisburg.

### Lake Tobias Wildlife Park & Safari Tour

#### MEDIA PASS (SEASONAL)

(22 miles north of Harrisburg) // Activity Time: 1.5 hrs

Jan Tobias-Kieffer, Owner & Director of PR & Advertising

Jan@LakeTobias.com or cell: 717-903-8103

760 Tobias Road, Halifax, PA 17032

Tel: 717-362-9126

Web: [www.LakeTobias.com](http://www.LakeTobias.com)

Seasonal: Open May thru Oct.

Hours: Vary by date & month. Check web site.

Since 1965 the family-owned and operated Lake Tobias Wildlife Park has captivated visitors with a safari experience in Central PA where the animals reach out and touch you sitting in a modified roofless school bus. Lake Tobias has roughly 500 exotic animals and birds on their 150-acre property with educational programs, petting zoo area, and food. You simply can't get any closer to some of these majestic animals like elk, bulls and deer. Here, feeding is believing!



## Northeast of Harrisburg

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These are best visited on your way to/from the region if your point of origin is northeast of Harrisburg.

### Pioneer Tunnel Coal Mine & Narrow-Gauge Railroad

#### MEDIA PASS (SEASONAL)

(60 miles northeast of Harrisburg) // Activity Time: 1 hr

Kathy Lattis, Manager

19<sup>th</sup> & Oak Streets, Ashland, PA 17921

Tel: 570-875-3850

Email: [AshPA@ptd.net](mailto:AshPA@ptd.net)

Web: <http://www.visithersheyharrisburg.org/listings/pioneer-tunnel-coal-mine/312/>

Hours: Open April 1 thru Oct 31.

Go deep into coal country – literally; on a guided tour of a real anthracite coal mine that closed in 1931. Open coal cars carry guests 1,800 feet deep into Mahanoy Mountain where they learn from experienced guides who were at one-time miners themselves. Bring a jacket or sweater for the 35-minute tour as the temperature underground is a constant 52 degrees. Above ground guests can experience a scenic train ride on an old-fashioned narrow-gauge steam locomotive named the Henry Clay. This is a steam saddle tank engine once used to haul coal cars and is referred to as a “lokie” or small locomotive even though it weighs 30 tons.

### Yeungling Brewery

#### ON YOUR OWN

(56 miles northeast of Harrisburg) // Activity Time: 1-2 hrs

5th & Mahantongo Streets, Pottsville, PA 17901

Tel: 570-622-4142

Tour Info: 570-628-4890 or [giftshop@yuengling.com](mailto:giftshop@yuengling.com)

Tours last approximately one hour and fifteen minutes. All ages are welcome. A valid ID is required to sample Yuengling products at the end of the tour. There is soda available for those under the age of 21 and visitors who prefer non-alcoholic beverages. All tour visitors must wear completely closed shoes. No sandals, flip flops, clogs, Crocs, anything with openings around your foot is unacceptable, must be a completely closed shoe.

## Northwest of Harrisburg

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### Box Huckleberry Site – One of the Oldest Living Organisms in the World

#### ON YOUR OWN

(25 miles northwest of Harrisburg) // Activity Time: 1 hr

Located within 10-acre Tuscarora State Forest in Perry County, the Box Huckleberry site is one of the few localities where the unusual box huckleberry plant is found. Box huckleberry is one of the oldest living organisms in the world. This particular colony of box huckleberry is over 1,000 years old according to the PA Department of Conservation and Natural Resources. The site includes 27 interpretive stations along a trail in addition to the low growth of the box huckleberry. This site could connect nicely for stories including hiking, biking, and wineries in the area. It's recognized by the National Park Service which could be another hook with the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on August 25, 2016.

#### See more on this plant and site at the following sites:

Sholl Box Huckleberry Natural Area: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hoverter\\_and\\_Sholl\\_Box\\_Huckleberry\\_Natural\\_Area](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hoverter_and_Sholl_Box_Huckleberry_Natural_Area)

Box Huckleberry (Gaylussacia brachycera): [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gaylussacia\\_brachycera](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gaylussacia_brachycera)

National Park Service Centennial: <http://www.nationalparks.org/our-work/celebrating-100-years-service>

## Southeast of Harrisburg

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These are best visited on your way to/from the region if your point of origin is southeast of Harrisburg.

### Turkey Hill Experience

#### MEDIA PASS

(37 miles) // Activity Time: 1 hr

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Bob Adams, GM, 717-684-0134 x100, Robert.Adams@TurkeyHill.com  
301 Linden Street, Columbia, PA 17512  
Tel: 844.847.4884 or 717-684-0134  
Email: [www.TurkeyHillExperience.com](http://www.TurkeyHillExperience.com)  
Twitter: @TurkeyHillDairy  
Hours: Open Daily 9:30am-5pm.

Come learn how our ice cream is made, sit in one of old-fashioned milk trucks, create your own virtual ice cream flavor and star in your own Turkey Hill commercial. Milk mechanical cows and learn about the people and culture of Turkey Hill. Discovery and delight abound for the whole family. Enjoy plenty of free samples of ice cream and ice tea and try The Turkey Hill Taste Lab that was new in 2014.



## Southwest of Harrisburg

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These are best visited on your way to/from the region if your point of origin is southwest of Harrisburg.

### Roundtop Mountain Resort

#### MEDIA PASS

(16 miles south of Harrisburg) // Activity Time: 1-4 hrs  
Lutricia Eberly, Director of Sales & Events, cell: 717-515-6167,  
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Chris Dudding, Marketing Director, 717-586-7344,  
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925 Roundtop Road, Lewisberry, PA 17339  
Tel: 717-432-9631

Web: [www.skiroundtop.com](http://www.skiroundtop.com)

Twitter: @RoundtopMtnRsr

Hours: Seasonal Hours Vary – check web site.

Roundtop Mountain Resort offers unique year-round fun in a picturesque mountain setting.

**The Winter Season** (Nov-March) brings skiing, snowboarding & tubing on 20 trails with a 600ft vertical drop, 100% snowmaking capabilities, and night skiing on 95% of the terrain, 7-nights a week.

**Summer Season** (May-Sept) welcomes the Mountain Adventures Program with OGO Balls, zip lines, bumper boats and a huge maze. A Vertical Trek, for 10 yrs-old & up, includes 10 zip lines flying guests up to 400-feet through the mountainside canopy at up to 40-feet in the air.



**Year-Round Activities** include 10 Paintball Fields, facilitated team-building, and special programs & rates for Group & Corporate Events.

## East of Harrisburg

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These are best visited on your way to/from the region if your point of origin is east of Harrisburg.

### The Amish Experience at Plain & Fancy Farm

#### MEDIA PASS

(50 miles east of Harrisburg) // Activity Time: 1-2 hrs

Clinton Martin, Vice President - [clinton@amishexperience.com](mailto:clinton@amishexperience.com)

3121 Old Philadelphia Pike, Bird in Hand, PA 17505 (Lancaster County)

Tel: (717) 768-8400 x217

Web: [www.visithersheyharrisburg.org/listings/the-amish-experience/1796/](http://www.visithersheyharrisburg.org/listings/the-amish-experience/1796/)

Hours: Open Daily 9:30am-5pm.



Photo from [AmishExperience.com](http://AmishExperience.com)

In the heart of Lancaster's Amish Country, surrounded by Amish farms between the villages of Bird-in-Hand and Intercourse, you'll find the Amish Experience at Plain & Fancy Farm. For over 50 years the Amish Experience has remained the definitive interpretive center for guided tours of the Amish Farmlands, tours of Lancaster County's only officially designated "Heritage Site" Amish House & One-Room School, and the spectacular Amish Experience Theater F/X production of "Jacob's Choice."

## West of Harrisburg

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These are best visited on your way to/from the region if your point of origin is west of Harrisburg.

### Appalachian Trail - Museum & Famous Stops for Hikers

#### ON YOUR OWN

**The Appalachian Trail Museum & Pine Grove General Store** – The museum opened in June 2010 in a historic building that served as a grist mill over two hundred year ago. Across the road is the Pine Grove general store, a famed spot for those hiking the Appalachian Trail. This is the place for hikers to celebrate reaching the midpoint of the 2,200-mile trail that stretches from Maine to Georgia by attempting to eat a ½ gallon of ice cream in one sitting.

**Hawk Rock Scenic Overlook** - There are 28-miles of this National Scenic Trail that cross through the Hershey & Harrisburg Region. One of the best ways to experience a section of this famous trail completed in 1937 is to embark on a 30-minute hike to Hawk Rock Overlook in the town of Duncannon.

**Duncannon, PA** – this is an official Appalachian Trail Community that loves being a part of this National Treasure. Every June the town celebrates their place on the historic trail with the "Appalachian Trail Festival."

**Appalachian Trail Festival** – this small family-friendly festival in Duncannon, PA provides novice hikers with a unique opportunity to learn about one of PA's greatest assets that often goes under-appreciated. This festival is a wonderful way to learn about the Appalachian Trail and other outdoor opportunities in Central PA. The event includes free admission, organized hikes, outdoor activities, live music, special exhibits, free presentations, and vendors.

**The Doyle Hotel** is the no-frills hostel in the center of the tiny town of Duncannon that has become a highly anticipated oasis for the long-haul hikers who post photos and letters on the walls from their time on the trail.

## West of Harrisburg (continued)

These are best visited on your way to/from the region if your point of origin is west of Harrisburg.

### U.S. Army Heritage & Education Center

#### MEDIA PASS

(22 miles west of Harrisburg) // Activity Time: 1-2 hrs

Mike Perry, Executive Director, AHCF – Mperry@ArmyHeritage.org or 717-258-1102

950 Soldiers Drive, Carlisle, PA 17013

Tel: (717) 245-3972

Web: <http://www.carlisle.army.mil/ahec/index.cfm>

Hours: Visitor & Education Center – Mon-Sat 10am-5pm; Sun Noon-5pm.

Army Heritage Trail – Buildings on the trail are open Mon-Sat 10am-4pm; Sun 12:30pm-4:30pm.

Visitors are welcome to walk the 1-mile trail from dawn to dusk.

This is the premier facility for historical research on U.S. Army history dedicated to "Telling the Army story...one Soldier at a time." The expansive campus includes the Visitor & Education Center, the U.S. Army War College Library, U.S. Army Military History Institute, and Army Heritage Trail. The Center includes interpretive and interactive exhibits and the research library & archive. The Visitor & Education Center is dedicated to educating visitors about the culture and experiences of American soldiers featuring special exhibits, an interpretive gallery, museum store, cafe, and multipurpose rooms for events, lectures and workshops. The main gallery features the exhibit, "The Soldier Experience," highlighting the history of the U.S. Army from the Spanish-American War to current missions as well as a changing gallery. The Army Heritage Trail is a mile-long walking path connecting military history through interactive and full-scale military exhibits including a Cobra helicopter, Civil War encampment cabins, WWI trench system and more. The trail is open dawn to dusk every day; exhibits on the trail are open during normal business hours, weather permitting.



# WINE & CRAFT BEER COUNTRY

## ON YOUR OWN or WINE TOUR UPON REQUEST

Exploring our Wine & Craft Beer Country can be ON YOUR OWN or the bureau can arrange for an escorted tour with driver with advance notice. Please note, you may be included on an existing tour that is offered by the limousine company or other members of the media visiting at this time may also be added to your tour group.

### ABOUT HERSHEY HARRISBURG WINE COUNTRY

Web: [www.hersheyharrisburgwinecountry.com](http://www.hersheyharrisburgwinecountry.com)

Twitter: @HersheyHbgWines

FB: HersheyHarrisburgWineCountry

As you explore the Hershey Harrisburg Wine Country, you will enjoy breathtaking views from the 15 award-winning, family-owned wineries situated in the heart of Central Pennsylvania's beautiful rolling hills. These wineries have perfected a wide variety of handcrafted white, red and blush wines for the enjoyment of any palate and are conveniently surrounded by first-rate attractions and world-renowned restaurants and hotels. Those involved in the creation of the HHWC which began in spring 2012 envisioned creating a visitor experience that is just as personal as the handcrafted wines that guests will encounter along the way.



1. Armstrong Valley Vineyard and Winery
2. Broad Mountain Vineyard
3. Buddy Boy Winery and Vineyard
4. Cassel Vineyards of Hershey
5. Cullari Vineyards & Winery
6. J&P Winery
7. The Vineyard at Grandview
8. The Winery at Hunters Valley
9. Moon Dancer Vineyard and Winery
10. Mount Hope Estate & Winery
11. Nissley Vineyards and Winery Estate
12. Royal Oaks Vineyard & Winery
13. Spring Gate Vineyard & Brewery
14. The Vineyard at Hershey
15. West Hanover Winery

### ABOUT HERSHEY HARRISBURG CRAFT BEER COUNTRY

Web: [www.HersheyHarrisburgBeer.com](http://www.HersheyHarrisburgBeer.com)

Twitter: @HersheyHbgBeer

FB: HersheyHarrisburgCraftBeerCountry

Pennsylvania's Hershey & Harrisburg Region is your destination to experience the art of craft beer at its finest. A band of brewers came together in September 2013 to showcase some of the finest handcrafted beer in Pennsylvania. These independent craft breweries have perfected a vast selection of unique handcrafted brews for the enjoyment of any palate and are conveniently surrounded by first-rate attractions and world-renowned restaurants and hotels. Get ready to explore the region and meet the brewers who are passionate in their pursuit of perfection.



1. Al's of Hampden/Pizza Boy Brewing Company
2. Appalachian Brewing Company
3. Bube's Brewery
4. Lancaster Brewing Company
5. Market Cross Pub & Brewery
6. Millbock Brewing Company
7. Saint Boniface Craft Brewing Company
8. Snitz Creek Brewery
9. Spring Gate Brewery & Vineyard
10. The Brewery at Hershey
11. Troegs Brewing Company
12. Zeroday Brewing Company

## WINE & BEER COUNTRY SOUTHERN ROUTE:

Vineyards & Breweries Listed in order: Estimate approximately 45 minutes at each.

### Nissley Vineyard & Winery

Judith Nissley, Owner/Operator  
Tel: 717-426-3514 or Judith@NissleyWine.com  
140 Vintage Drive, Bainbridge, PA 17502  
Tel: 800-522-2387  
Web: www.NissleyWine.com  
Hours: Mon-Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 1-4pm.

The Nissley family has been happily growing grapes and busily making estate bottled wines since 1978. They welcome visitors to take a self-guided tour through the actual wine production area and sample their wide selection of wines. The wines are made from vinifera, French-hybrid or Native American grapes as well as cherries, raspberries and apples. The Nissley is known not only for their quality wines, but also for their *Music in the Vineyards* series of romantic summer lawn concerts. Adjoining the lawn is an 18<sup>th</sup> century mill and its companion bridge that inspired the distinctive stone arch design of the winery and provides a quiet spot to enjoy a bottle of chilled Nissley wine.



### Bube's Brewery

Sam Allen, GM & President  
717-653-2056 or Samuel.Allen@BubesBrewery.com  
102 N. Market St. Mount Joy, Pa. 17552  
Tel: 717-653-2056  
Web: www.BubesBrewery.com  
Hours: Open Daily 11am-2am.

One of the most unique and historic locations in the HH Craft Beer Country, Bube's Brewery is an active brewery, restaurant, hotel, and nightclub in the only remaining intact 19th century brewing complex in the United States. Their brewers create a changing variety of carefully crafted lagers and ales including one based on the beer their historic brewery would have made in the 1870's.



### The Vineyard at Grandview

Marilyn Kennel, Marketing & Promotions, 717-653-4825  
Marilyn@TheVineyardAtGrandview.com  
Fran Kratz, Marketing & Promotions  
Fran@TheVineyardAtGrandview.com  
1489 Grandview Road, Mount Joy, PA 17552  
Tel: 717-653-4825  
Email: fran@thevineyardatgrandview.com  
Web: www.thevineyardatgrandview.com  
Twitter: @VineyardAtGrand

Hours: Thur & Fri Noon-9pm, Sat-Mon Noon-5pm, Tue & Wed – Closed.  
The Vineyard at Grandview is a family-owned vineyard located amid the rolling hills of northeast Lancaster County. The Kennel family has been growing premium vinifera grapes - Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Chardonnay and more, since 2009. Guests are welcomed in a warm and friendly tasting room overlooking more than 5-acres of meticulously groomed vines. This is a tasteful stop if you prefer full-bodied and savory reds, fresh and crisp whites or if you have a sweeter palate. Tastings and tours available.



### The Vineyard & Brewery at Hershey

Jason Reimer, Co-Owner/President  
Jason@VineyardAtHershey.com or 717-386-0665  
Mike Wilson, PR/Social Media, Michael.R.Wilson@live.com  
598 Schoolhouse Road, Middletown, PA 17057  
Tel: 717-944-1569 // Email: info@vineyardathershey.com  
Web: www.vineyardathershey.com  
Twitter: @VineyardHershey & @BreweryHershey  
Hours: Sun-Thur 11am-6pm, Fri & Sat 11am-8pm

The Vineyard at Hershey was founded on the principle that enjoying a bottle of wine is meant to be a shared experience with family and friends. From whimsical and refreshing whites to bold and flavorful reds, we handcraft every bottle of wine for your enjoyment. We invite you to savor our locally produced artisan wines nestled amidst our picture-perfect setting in the Hershey area.



## Tattered Flag Brewery and Still Works

Owners: Pat Devlin, Matt Fritz, Tony DeLellis, and Ben Ramsay  
1 South Union Street, Middletown, PA 17057  
Tel: 717-616-8799 // Email: TatteredFlagbsw@gmail.com  
Web: [www.TatteredFlagbsw.com](http://www.TatteredFlagbsw.com)

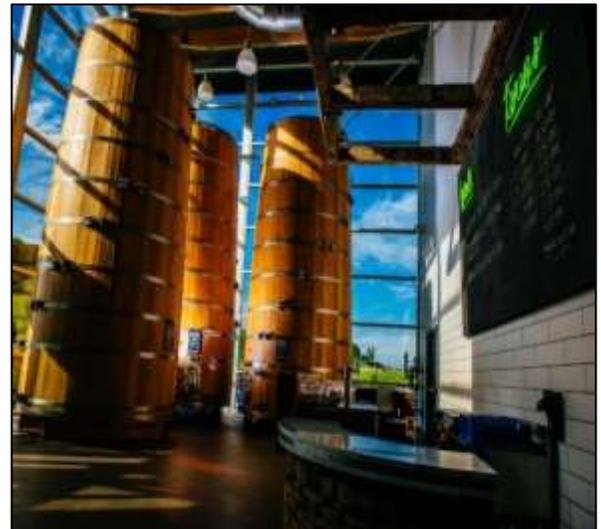
Hours: Mon-Thur 7am-10pm, Fri & Sat 7am-Midnight, Sun 10am-8pm.  
This combo craft brewery & distillery has been an idea in the minds of Pat Devlin, Matt Fritz, Tony DeLellis, and Ben Ramsay since the group graduated high school together in 2000. For the name, the owners believed that a tattered flag is not just a worn piece of cloth... but a symbol of experience and character. Threadbare and frayed, a tattered flag still represents the ideals and beliefs of those who stand behind it, constantly seeking excellence, success, and the achievement of those goals with honor. Tattered Flag is a veteran-owned operation, and therefore the owners live by the character they identify in a worn flag as they strive to give back to the surrounding communities by producing a high-quality product locally and providing local patrons and first-time visitors with a warm and welcoming experience.



## Troegs Brewery

Christie Yurkovic, Tour Supervisor at [CYurkovic@Troegs.com](mailto:CYurkovic@Troegs.com)  
Ed Yashinsky, Brewery Manager, 717-580-0114, [Edy@Troegs.com](mailto:Edy@Troegs.com)  
200 East Hersheypark Drive, Hershey, PA 17033  
Tasting Room Hours: Sun-Wed: 11am-9pm//Thur-Sat: 11am-10pm  
Tel: 717-534-1297 // [www.Troegs.com](http://www.Troegs.com) // Twitter: @TroegsBeer  
Hours: Sun – Wed 11am-9pm, Thur-Sat 11am-10pm.

Back in 2010, brothers Chris & John Troegner were sketching a vision for their new brewery on the back of a napkin. In 2011, that vision became the 90,000 sq-ft Tröegs Brewery in Hershey with a 5,000 sq-ft Tasting Room, open brewhouse, and General Store. The brothers' napkin also included an important yet unrealized vision - a space dedicated to wood-aging, a sanctuary for strong ageable ales, a home for wild yeast & bacteria, and a wide-open canvas for creative cellaring, where a new series of PA wild ales would be brewed with fruit & microflora from their own backyard. In July 2016, their "wood-aging dream space" dubbed The Splinter Cellar opened with three 20-foot-tall "foeders" (Dutch for large oak tank) handcrafted by the 200-year-old Italian barrel manufacturer Giobatta & Piero Garbellotto using dozens of staves of Italian, Hungarian & French oak air-dried for three years to mellow any harsh flavors.



## Cassel Vineyards of Hershey

Craig Cassel, Owner, [CasselVineyards@gmail.com](mailto:CasselVineyards@gmail.com)  
or Chris Cassel, Owner, 717-583-0449  
80 Shetland Drive, Hummelstown, PA 17036  
Tel: 717-533-2008 // Email: [CasselVineyards@gmail.com](mailto:CasselVineyards@gmail.com)  
Web: <http://casselvineyards.com/index.html>  
Twitter: @CasselVineyards

Hours: Thur 3-7pm, Fri & Sat Noon-8:30pm, Sun Noon-6pm,  
Mon-Wed - Closed

Cassel Vineyards is located just two miles west of Hersheypark off Route 39 on Shetland Drive. The vineyards and winery are part of the 135-acre Cassel family farm operated by five generations since 1903. The five-acre vineyard managed and operated by Cassel brothers Craig & Chris and their wives Becky & Jody includes six varieties of grapes: Chambourcin, Cabernet Franc, Chardonnay, Vidal Blanc, Concord, and Niagara. The vineyard is just one facet of the Cassel farm which is also home to Cassel Brookside Stables and a thoroughbred racehorse facility and broodmare foaling center. There are also many unique sights to see beyond the horses, including the surrounding open country landscape, free roaming peacocks, and guineas.



## Spring Gate Vineyard

Rebecca Kline at [RebeccaK@SchoffStall.com](mailto:RebeccaK@SchoffStall.com) or  
Diane Schoffstall at 717-884-8048, [Diane@Schoffstall.com](mailto:Diane@Schoffstall.com)  
5790 Devonshire Road, Harrisburg, PA 17112  
Tel: 717-884-8048 // Email: [springgatevineyard@gmail.com](mailto:springgatevineyard@gmail.com)  
Web: [www.springgatevineyard.com](http://www.springgatevineyard.com)  
Twitter: @SpringGateWine

Hours: Tue-Thur Noon-10pm, Fri & Sat Noon-11pm, Sun 11am-9pm.  
This family-owned vineyard just opened in spring 2014 and is located on 60-acres of former farmland outside of Harrisburg that dates back to pre-Revolutionary war. In 2010, the Schoffstall family began growing grapes on the farm – Noiret, Merlot, and Vidal Blanc, to name a few; and have a sister vineyard in Northern Virginia that was established in 2003. Guests can relax and enjoy a tasting of the wines in their warm & welcoming tasting room or easily retreat to a scenic outdoor setting overlooking beautiful fields and streams.



## Appalachian Brewing Company

50 North Cameron Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101  
Tel: 717-221-1080 // Web: [www.abcbrew.com](http://www.abcbrew.com)  
Twitter: @ABCbrew

Hours: Sun-Thur 11am-11pm, Fri & Sat 11am-Midnight.  
Closed New Year's Day, Easter Sunday, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas.  
The Appalachian Brewing Company is the most unique brewpub and banquet facility in Central Pennsylvania. Throughout the brewpub, brick walls, wooden beams, hardwood floors and ceilings provide warmth rivaled only by the fare itself. ABC serves fresh innovative cuisine to match their tremendous handcrafted ales and lagers. They also brew their own craft sodas. Take a fun and informative brewery tour every Saturday afternoon at 1pm. The free tour will take you step-by-step through the entire beer and soda brewing process. Because tour space is limited, please plan to arrive at least 10 minutes prior to tour time to reserve your spot. Soda tastings will be provided at the end of the tour, beer tastings to those with valid ID. TripAdvisor users ranked this #11 for "Top Things to do in Harrisburg" (2016).



## Midstate Distillery

Dan Healy & Brian Myers, Owners  
[Dan@MidstateDistillery.com](mailto:Dan@MidstateDistillery.com) and [Brian@MidstateDistillery.com](mailto:Brian@MidstateDistillery.com)  
1817 North Cameron Street, Harrisburg, PA 17103  
Tel: 717-745-5040  
Email: [Info@MidstateDistillery.com](mailto:Info@MidstateDistillery.com)  
Web: [www.MidstateDistillery.com](http://www.MidstateDistillery.com)

Hours: Fri 4pm-10pm, Sat Noon-10pm, Sun 11am-4pm, Mon-Thur - Closed.

Opened in Harrisburg in January 2016 by brother-in-laws Dan Healy and Brian Myers, this new attraction will have the distinction of being the first distillery in Harrisburg since Prohibition. Midstate produces small batches of Shaky Jake's Rum (a super smooth with a hint of vanilla and a sweet finish) and Pennsylvucky Moonshine with plans to make Iron & Ice Vodka. Visitors can stop in for cocktails, take a tour, shop in the retail store and purchase bottles to take home. Midstate joins a growing list of distilleries now operating in this region of Pennsylvania including The Tattered Flag Brewery & Still Works in Middletown, Thistle Finch Distillery in Lancaster, Old Republic Distillery in York County, and Hidden Still Spirits in Lebanon.



## Zeroday Brewing Company

Theo and Brandalynn Armstrong, Owners  
Emails: brandalynn@zerodaybrewing.com or  
theo@zerodaybrewing.com

250 Reily Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102

Tel: (717) 745-6218 // [www.zerodaybrewing.com](http://www.zerodaybrewing.com)

Twitter: @ZerodayBrewing or #FindYourZeroday

Hours: Tue-Thur 4-11pm, Fri 4pm-Midnight, Sat Noon-Midnight,  
Sun Noon-8pm, Mon-Closed.

Zeroday Brewing Co. opened in April 2015 as a 7-barrel craft brewery and 60-seat tasting room located in the Midtown district of Harrisburg. Owners Theo and Brandalynn Armstrong are the heart & soul of the story that specializes in clean, balanced ales and lagers. Zeroday is not a full restaurant, but it offers a fun snack menu with items like the Large Ass Pretzel (seriously bigger than your face) or you can bring your own from the nearby market. The owners operated a successful crowd funding campaign to launch their dream. What's with the name? Zero Day is a term used by those hiking the Appalachian Trail for days you take a break and do nothing. You log zero miles. It's typically reserved for a worthwhile city or town. This spot is certainly worthy of a Zeroday.



## The Millworks – Restaurant + Brewery + Artist Studios

Matt Sarver, Operations Manager

Matt@MillworksHarrisburg.com or cell: 484-682-9813

340 Verbeke Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102

Tel: 717-695-4888 // [www.MillworksHarrisburg.com](http://www.MillworksHarrisburg.com)

Twitter: @MillWorksHBG // [Watch Video](#)

Hours: Mon-Closed, Tue-Thur 11:30am-10pm, Fri & Sat 11:30am-Midnight, Sun 10am-10pm.

Lunch: Mon-Closed, Tue-Sat 11:30am-4pm,

Dinner: Tue-Thur 4pm-9pm, Fri & Sat 4pm-10pm, Sun 4pm-9pm

Brunch: Sun 10am-2pm.

The unique 24,000-square-foot mixed-use venue opened in March 2015 and quickly earned the recognition of “New Tourism Business of the Year 2015” from the Hershey Harrisburg Regional Visitors Bureau with its combination of restaurant, biergarten, and artist studios.

The 160-seat restaurant began by focusing on authentic and sustainable food sourced from local growers and producers, many located next door in the Broad Street Market. The restaurant offers a full-service bar featuring draft and bottled microbrews, craft beers, and nano-brews from local breweries, plus a full menu of spirits and artisan cocktails. Thirty-five (35) [regional artists](#) have studios located inside the Millworks' building, allowing customers the opportunity to watch sculptors, painters, and others from the restaurant and biergarten.

Open houses on weekends allow customers to walk through the studios, engaging with the artists and seeing their craft performed in person. With a full stage and sound system, the Millworks also hosts [events](#) including live music by local & touring bands and singer songwriters.

In Fall 2016 developer Joshua Kesler expanded to include an in-house [brewery](#) and completed the 165-seat rooftop biergarten, the largest in the city, with aerial view of Harrisburg's Midtown neighborhood.

The facility will be named as a National Park Service Registry of Historic Places and the architecture & design includes repurposed lumber for furnishings & interior construction, lighting from the Broad Street Market from 1920's, a portion of a Pennsylvania railroad car on display in the dining area, and the wood-fired oven constructed of bricks from an 1830's farmhouse in nearby Perry County.



## WINE & BEER COUNTRY NORTHERN ROUTE:

Vineyards/Breweries in order: Estimate approximately 45 minutes at each.

### Market Cross Pub

Ashleigh Goss, Daughter of the Owners JoAnne & Jeff Goss

113 North Hanover Street Carlisle, PA 17013

Tel: 717-258-1234 // Email: ashleighgoss@gmail.com

Web: www.marketcrosspub.com

Hours: Mon&Tue 11am-11pm, Wed & Thur 11am-Midnight, Fri&Sat 11am-1am.

The English lineage of the owners JoAnne & Jeff Goss and their affinity for the communal nature of English pubs is expressed throughout the Market Cross Pub & Brewery. Established in Carlisle, Pennsylvania in 1994, this local establishment was named for a monument that remains a main gathering point in Carlisle, England since it was erected in 1682. The owners welcome you to partake in a "taste of their English heritage" with a sampling of the all-natural, unfiltered brews, handcrafted through a 10-Barrel Peter Austin English-style Brewing System.



### Al's of Hampden/Pizza Boy Brewing Company

2240 Millennium Way, Enola, PA 17025

Tel: 717-728-3840 // Email: Info@PizzaBoyBrewing.com

Web: https://pizzaboybrewing.com

Hours: Mon-Thur 11am-10pm, Fri & Sat 11am-11pm, Sun 11am-9pm.

The owner Al basically loves his family and two other things... Pizza and Beer. So, he put them all together in one place in 2013 after operating a successful locally-loved pizza place and dabbling with homebrewing since 2002. Today, the 10,000-square-foot facility is home to Pizza Boy Brewing and Al's of Hampden pizza joint that offers guests a fun family atmosphere with over 100 beers on tap with great food and all-weather outdoor seating.



### Buddy Boy Vineyard & Winery

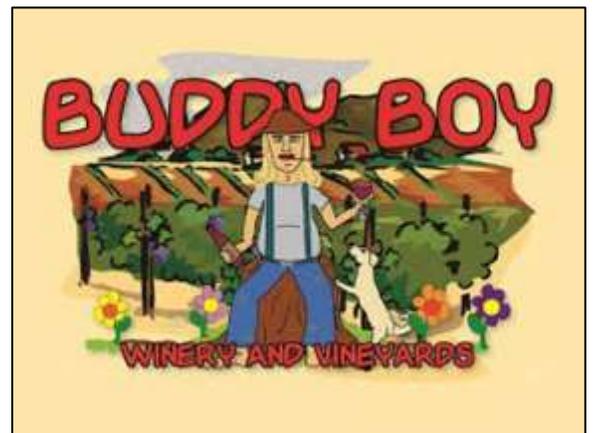
111 Barnett Drive, Duncannon, PA, 17020

Tel: 717-834-5606 // Email: contactus@buddyboywinery.com

Web: www.buddyboywinery.com

Hours: Wed-Fri 10am-7pm, Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 11am-5pm, Mon-Tue – Closed.

Sit a spell and chat with the owner and namesake of this charming winery – "Buddy Boy" and you'll quickly realize this character is ready for his own reality TV show. The new winery sits among the beautiful country setting of Perry County, just 2.5 miles off of routes 11/15 south of Duncannon. The land has been in the owner's family since 1964 when it started out as an apple orchard and is now the vineyard. Buddy Boy has grown many different kinds of grapes in the rich Appalachia mountain soil; and they pride themselves on keeping the great grape flavor in their wines. They have dry and sweet wines along with some fruit wines. You won't be disappointed you took the country lane to this unique and welcoming winery. And be sure you get your photo with Buddy Boy before you wander off down the road.



### The Winery at Hunters Valley (45 min)

Jamie Williams, Owner

3 Orchard Road, Liverpool, PA 17045

Tel: 717-444-7211 // Email: info@huntersvalleywines.com

Web: www.huntersvalleywines.com

Hours: Sun-Thur 10am-6pm, Fri & Sat 10am-8pm.

Sitting atop a hillside in Perry County, this vineyard provides a picture-perfect setting of the Susquehanna River and surrounding river valley year-round. The Winery at Hunters Valley combines the charm and style of small town living and wine with bold beautiful taste at a price that anyone can afford. The winery's enclosed pavilion is a beautiful venue for weddings, receptions and reunions and the porch and acres of open lawn invite picnics with chilled wine.



## Armstrong Valley Vineyard & Winery (45 min)

212 Rutter Road, Halifax, PA 17032

Tel: 717-896-7700 // Email: info@armstrongvalleywinery.com

Web: www.armstrongvalleywinery.com

Hours: Mon-Thur Noon-6pm, Fri Noon-10pm, Sat 11am-9pm, Sun Noon-5pm.

From the outside of the beautifully reclaimed 200-year old bank barn to the wine inside the bottles at Armstrong Valley Winery, it's easy to see the owners know the art of detail. The winery and vineyard sit on 100-acres of farmland first established in 1769 by Robert Armstrong, namesake for the valley in which the winery is located and the creek that runs through the property. If the dry white wines and oak-aged red wines (Chardonnay, Riesling, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Pinot Noir) win your hearts; the semi-sweet and sweet wines (Vidal blanc, Niagara, Traminette, Concord and Rose' blends) will win your heart and mind, and the sweet fruit wines (apple, cherry, red raspberry, strawberry, peach, mixed berry) will win a place in your wine rack.



## TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

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### AMTRAK – Keystone Service

4th & Chestnut Streets, Harrisburg, PA 17101

Tel: 1-800-USA-RAIL // www.amtrak.com

Amtrak's Keystone Service connects New York, Philadelphia and New Jersey to the Harrisburg Station located just a few blocks from the downtown. Grab a cab or shuttle and be at your hotel in minutes. Tip: Check Amtrak's *Trips by Train* program to see what kind of packages and deals apply to trips in our region.

### Harrisburg International Airport – (MDT)

Scott Miller, Deputy Director of Marketing & PR - scottm@saraa.org or 717-554-3691

1 Terminal Dr., Suite 300, Middletown, PA 17057

Tel: 717-948-3900 // www.flyhia.com

HIA is served by AirCanada, Allegiant Airlines, American Airlines, Delta, United and US Airways which offer daily flights to and from 12 nonstop destinations. Rental cars are available onsite with excellent highway access to all points throughout south central Pennsylvania.

### UBER

1875 Connecticut Ave, NW, Suite 300

Washington, DC 20009

Web: www.Uber.com // Email: miriam@uber.com // Twitter: @Uber

For riders, Uber is a convenient, inexpensive and safe taxi service. You can hire a private driver to pick you up and take you to your destination with the tap of a button on your phone - and they'll be there in minutes. Not only is it an on-demand car service, but you can see exactly where the driver is when they're coming to pick you up.

### Keystone Taxi – 717-234-4400

You may need to call for a cab – if not easily available downtown that evening.

Keystone Taxi – 717-234-4400. Approximately \$30 + tip back to hotel.

### Premiere #1 Limousine Service

2000 Vine Street, Middletown, PA 17057

Tel: 717-616-8997

Web: www.premiere1limousine.com // Email: jonathans@premiere1limousine.com // Twitter: @Premiere1Limo

Premiere #1 Limousine Service has provided luxury transportation services in Central PA for 13 years. In March 2009, a new owner acquired the business and has since expanded the fleet to include a Tesla Model S Luxury Sedan; S and E class Mercedes; SUVs; passenger vans; corporate limousines; minibuses and luxury motor coaches. The company was named a Top 50 Growing Companies by Central Penn Business Journal in 2014 and has been the official transportation partner for Hershey Harrisburg Wine & Craft Beer Countries since 2012.

### Enterprise Rent-A-Car

Rental locations at the following locations in the Hershey & Harrisburg Region.

1. Harrisburg Near Train Station
2. Harrisburg Near Train Station
3. Between Harrisburg & Hershey
4. At Hershey Lodge
5. At Harrisburg International Airport

Tel: 717-238-7541

Tel: 717-232-0163

Tel: 717-564-9444

Tel: 717-533-3099

Tel: 717-948-5171

601 S. Cameron Street, Harrisburg, PA 17104

2221 Forster Street, Harrisburg, PA 17103

2552 Paxton Street, Harrisburg, PA 17111

325 University Drive, Hershey, PA 17033

2 Terminal Drive, Middletown, PA 17057