



Festivals & Events

Roscoe Lions Fall Festival

September 9 - 11 @ Leland Park (Roscoe)

This annual festival features amusement rides, live music, parades and a raffle.

Greenwich Village Art Fair

September 17 - 18 @ Rockford Art Museum grounds

Original artwork by up to 155 juried artists from across the country will be on display and for sale

Oktoberfest

September 23 - 24 @ Loves Park City Hall

This annual event features live music, German food and beer, wiener dog races, and the "Bier Barrel Race."



World War II Days

September 24 - 25 @ Midway Village Museum

The event features elaborate battles complete with tanks, pyrotechnic displays and more than 1,200 re-enactors.



Cider n' Cinnamon Arts & Crafts Fair

October 1 - 2 @ Edgebrook

Vendors will be displaying a variety of art, jewelry, clothing, decor items and more.

An Apple a Day

Three great orchards call Winnebago County home and delight families with a variety of activities throughout the season. There is something magical about handpicking your own bushel of apples or simply biting into a fresh apple cider donut.

Curran's Orchard

(6385 Kilburn Ave.)

More than a dozen varieties of apples either pre-picked or you can pick them yourself!

Edwards Apple Orchard West

(8218 Cemetery Rd.)

Featuring apples, cider, pumpkins, raspberries, the dairy barn store and children's play areas.

Valley Orchard

(811 E. State St., Cherry Valley)

Over 5,000 trees with apples to pick or purchase and a store with fresh cider donuts.



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Fantastic Fall Colors

Witness the splendor of the outdoors as the leaves change colors during the transition into fall!

Anderson Japanese Gardens
(318 Spring Creek Rd.)
12 acre Japanese garden voted one of the best in North America

Forest Preserves of Winnebago County
42 forest preserves covering over 10,300 acres in the area

Rock Cut State Park
(7318 Harlem Rd.)
State park containing two lakes and spanning over 3,000 acres

Atwood Park
(2685 New Milford Rd.)
334 acres of land with woodland, prairie, river and marsh habitats

Klehm Arboretum & Botanic Garden
2715 S. Main St.)
155-acre living museum full of gardens and rare trees



•••• Fall ArtScene

October 7 - 8 @ Various locations

ArtScene brings out thousands of art lovers to galleries and studios all over town to enjoy new exhibits of original works.

Scarecrow Harvest Festival

October 8 @ Midway Village Museum

Take a ride in a horse-drawn wagon, create your own scarecrow, square dance in the historic barn, and make a harvest craft to take home.

Head of the Rock Regatta

October 9 @ Along the Rock River

The Regatta is one of the Midwest's premier rowing events with 1,700 participants. The race on the Rock River begins at Martin Park and finishes at the YMCA downtown.

Hot Diggity Dog Festival

October 16 @ Klehm Arboretum

Spend the day exploring the trails at Klehm with your pooch! Vendors will be there with pet oriented products and there will be a costume contest for the dogs.



All Hallow's Eve

October 22 @ Midway Village Museum

Bring your family to trick or treat in the safety of the charming Victorian Village! More than 20 buildings will be decorated for Halloween.

For more information about these events and locations, visit gorockford.com/fall.



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