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Mahoning County offers plenty of attractions, outdoor recreation, arts and culture, wineries and special events that you'll love. We've put together some suggested itineraries to help you plan your visit to Youngstown. Before heading out, be sure to check venue hours as some change seasonally. Contact us for additional information, we'd love to help you plan a memorable experience.

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THE BEST OF Y-TOWN WEEKEND

Any visit to Youngstown should include stops at the places that really make Youngstown shine: **The Butler Institute of American Art**, **Mill Creek MetroParks** (including **Fellows Riverside Gardens** and **Lanterman's Mill**), **OH WOW! Children's Center** if you're with the kids or **Hollywood Gaming at Mahoning Valley Race Course** if it's a grown-up getaway. Always check the schedules at **CovelliCentre.com** or **StambaughAuditorium.com**, and plan your visit around a great concert or special event!



Exploration



HISTORY & HERITAGE

Our history is tied to the steel industry. Learn about the steelworkers and the wealth the industry brought to our area by visiting **The Steel Museum** and the **Arms Family Museum**. Enjoy lunch downtown at **Overture** and peek inside adjacent **DeYor Performing Arts Center**, a theater built by Youngstown natives, The Warner Brothers. Learn more about local history at the **Tyler History Center** just

across the street. Find the Mill Creek Furnace next to Pioneer Pavilion in **Mill Creek Park**. This blast furnace, the first within the city limits, marked the beginning of the iron and steel industry in the Mahoning Valley. There are over 200 Ohio historical markers in our area. Visit remarkableohio.org and search Mahoning County to begin your hunt.



INSTAGRAM GOLD

Find Instagram gold spots to document your YO Tour on social media! A few local favorites include the overlooks at **Fellows Riverside Gardens** and **Lanterman's Mill** (get a selfie under "umbrella rock" on the trail near the Mill). Take mouthwatering photos of ice cream at one of several **Handel's Homemade Ice Cream & Yogurt**. Feature your wine selection on a scenic patio at one of our **seven local wineries**. Photobomb the steelworkers sculpture at **Youngstown Historical Center of Industry & Labor (The Steel Museum)**, Pete the Penguin on the **YSU Campus** or the Indian sculpture outside **The Butler Institute of American Art** (just don't get too close!). Share your visit with us! Post and share using **#VisitYoungstown**.



ALL ABOUT THE OUTDOORS

Hike through 45 miles of trails in **Mill Creek MetroParks**, then rent a kayak or pedal boat. Hit **Lake Milton State Park** to explore a mountain bike trail, paddleboard, rent a pontoon or just relax on the beach. Bike the **Mill Creek Bikeway** or plan a round of golf - we've got fantastic courses! Maybe disc golf is more your speed? We have courses in **Boardman**, **Austintown** and **Wick Parks**.

QUALITY TIME WITH THE GRANDKIDS

OH WOW! Children's Center is not to be missed for hands on EDUtainment the kids will love. Burn off some energy at **Extreme Air Trampoline Park**. Drive go-karts, hit the batting cages or play mini-golf at **Sports World**. Try **Quaker Steak & Lube** for dinner—kids of all ages love this car-themed restaurant. Visit **Mill Creek MetroParks** to hike or discover **Lanterman's Mill**. Visit the animals at the **MetroParks Farm** in Canfield or at **Noah's Lost Ark Exotic Animal Sanctuary** in Berlin Center.



And don't leave town without tasting the best ice cream in the USA—**Handel's Homemade Ice Cream and Yogurt**.



LOCAL & FRESH

Plan your visit during a **Youngstown Flea** weekend, held monthly (Apr-Oct) next to the **Covelli Centre** in downtown Youngstown. It's a "Market for Makers" with wonderful local artisans displaying their wares, plus vintage and antique merchandise. Food trucks and curated music make for a fun atmosphere. After treasure hunting at The Flea, head to **White House Fruit Farm**, one of Ohio's best farm markets with delicious local produce and Ohio-made products. Enjoy **Magic Tree Pub & Eatery's** local farm-to-table menu or discover options at youngstownlive.com/dine/local-flavor.

WINERY WEEKEND

Mahoning County is now home to seven wineries! Plan a weekend to explore them all and sample some new favorite varietals. Visit youngstownlive.com/visit/wineries for details.

Travel our **Wines of the Valley Wine Trail!** Visit participating wineries to sample and sip. Get additional information at winesofthevalley.com.



SHOP & SAMPLE

Shop **Mr. Darby's Emporium** with 25,000 square feet of antiques and vintage/repurposed items, then stop by **The Amish Market**, Ohio's first indoor Amish market. Sample Youngstown originals: **Gorant Chocolatier**, **Classic Bakery** offering sweets for over 50 years and **Butter Maid Bakery** for the world's best homemade kolachi. Looking for a special bottle of wine or hard to find craft beer? The selection at **Vintage Estate Wine & Beer** will amaze you.





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