

VISIT DOTHAN OFFICIAL VISITORS GUIDE

WELCOME TO DOTHAN

Deep in Alabama sits Dothan, the We hope that while you are city center for the Wiregrass Area, here, you'll discover what makes which encompasses southeast Dothan special - our people. We Alabama, panhandle Florida, and asked a few of them to help us southwest Georgia. Named after a explain what is so great about our grass that once grew wild among city. Meet Dothan's Taste Makers, the pines, the Wiregrass is now Story Shapers, Cool Creators, and home to a modern city decorated Team Players over the next few by museums, arts, festivals, sports, pages, and see if you can spot and an emerging culinary scene. them while you visit Dothan! FOR LET US ?? GO TO DOTHAN

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TASTE MAKERS



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APLIN BROTHERSAplin Farms







DONNA BALZARATTIPoplar Head Farmers Market



LATASHA HYATT Carver Museum



SHARON O'MARA All Zones Fast Pitch Academy



CHRIS LUNA USA BMX



TASTE MAKERS

Taste Makers define the flavor of the Wiregrass and set the tone for culinary excellence. They know how to give your taste buds the gift of down home cooking or a savory cup of fresh, local coffee. They start their days before the sun comes up and they don't rest their eyes until the last customer has been served. Their friendly smiles with a simple "How are you?," will make you feel like family.

THE GIFT OF DOWN HOME COOKING



RAFFAELE CLEMENTE

Dante's Pizza

f DantesDothan

therealdantespizza

Everything began in 1985 when I came to the US and Wiregrass Commons Mall opened. We were in the food court. The name Dante's came from the father of the Italian language. It's not a franchise, it's a family-owned restaurant with all family recipes. Dothan is amazing and keeps growing. I've spent more time here than in my own country. We are here because of Dothan, the city, and the people.

Visitor Musts:

- · Dothan Area Botanical Gardens
- · The National Peanut Festival
- · Visit the fields where we produce peanuts and cotton, a major part of the economy of Dothan



BRIAN WALKER

Circle City Brewing

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I grew up near here and after working in craft beer for 10 years in New York City, I knew I always wanted to come home. We got in at the forefront of a continuing movement of bringing back food, arts and culture to downtown Dothan. Great people made these towns what they were before we were here. We should all do our part to continue that and pass on history to the next generation. We honor our history through the names of our beers. For example, our black IPA is named Alcazar after what this building was originally, the Alcazar Silent Movie Theater. Everything we have on tap is our own, and we also offer a full spirits menu, pizzas, flatbreads, dips, salads, wings and burgers.

Visitor Musts:

- · Walk around downtown
- Porter Hardware Museum

EAT DOWNTOWN



Mural City Coffee Company is a local favorite whose building is on the National Register of Historic Places. Safe to say it's steeped in history!

AMERICAN DELI

386 N. Oates St. 334.446.4572 / americandeli.com Burgers, fish, gyros, wings, you name it

BASKETCASE CAFE

228 S. Oates St.

334.671.1117 / basketcasecafeandcatering.com Soups and sandwiches in a casual atmosphere

BELLA'S FINE DINING

111 W. Troy St.

334.699.3448 / bellasfinedining.com Italian cuisine in a white tablecloth experience

BIRD & BEAN COFFEE

144 N. Foster St.

334.340.3160 / birdandbeancoffee.com Fresh roasted coffee, teas, and baked goods

CAPTAIN HOOK'S FISH & CHICKEN

520 N. Oates St.

334.699.1444

Large portions of chicken and seafood

CIRCLE CITY BREWING

135 N. Foster St.

334.446.5498 / Open for lunch Thur.-Sat. Craft beer, craft cocktails, hearty bites

DIABLO'S SOUTHWEST GRILL

131 N. Foster St.

334.305.0280 / diablossouthwestgrill.com Southwestern food in a casual atmosphere

FIRESTONE WOOD FIRED PIZZA & GRILL

250 S. Oates St.

334.446.6248 / woodfireddothan.com Pizza, pasta, and cocktails

KBC ON FOSTER

151 N. Foster St.

334.446.0885 / eatkbc.com Seasonal and delicious from Top Chef winner Kelsey Barnard Clark

MURAL CITY COFFEE COMPANY

192 S. Foster St.

334.446.3867 / muralcityroasters.com Specialty coffee and luxury tea

EAT LOCAL

ANNIE PEARL'S HOME COOKING

4930 Highway 52

334.793.3000/anniepearlsdothan.com Country buffet with all the fixings

ANN'S OYSTER BAR 1155 Reeves St.

334.794.2879

Oysters on the half shell and awesome chili dogs

BARBERITO'S

100 Apple Ave. #6 334.446.6450/ barberitos.com Handcrafted southwestern flavor

THE BEAN BRO

2627 US 231 6135 Fortner St.

@_thebeanbro_/ thebeanbro.com
Coffee & donut shop

BISHOP'S HOMESTYLE COOKING

4143 W. Main St. 334.699.8646

Homestyle cooking with a daily changing menu

BLUE PLATE

3850 W. Main St 1975 Ross Clark Circle 334.702.7100 / 334.673.2583

blueplaterestaurant.com
Two locations of biscuits & cornbread

BOSSMAN'S SEAFOOD

1879 South St. Andrews Street 334.792.4880 Fresh seafood

CACTUS FLOWER CAFE

5412 Montgomery Hwy 334.984.0717

California-style Mexican cuisine

THE CELLAR

1481 Westgate Pkwy Suite #1 334.712.0622 / cellardothan.com Dothan's finest selection of steaks, wines, and gourmet foods

CHINA WOK 1640 Ross Clark Circle 4650 W. Main St.

334.792.6777/334.792.8877 chinawokdothan.com Chinese Take-Out

CONESTOGA STEAKHOUSE

3549 Montgomery Hwy

334.794.4445/conestogasteak.com Voted #1 Steak by Alabama Cattlemen's Association

COOKIE'S CORNER CAFE

201 6th Ave 334.678.8242

Local café serving southern soul food for over 20 years

DAKOTA COFFEE WORKS

4440 W. Main St. #6

334.699.2555 / dakotacoffee.club 2191 E. Main St. #1

334.479.0934 / dakotacoffee.club High quality roasted coffee, sandwiches, & breakfast

DANTE'S PIZZA

4177 Montgomery Hwy

334.792.7160 / dantespizza.net Delicious and authentic Italian food. Pizza by the slice, made to order calzones, pasta, and more!

DAVID'S CATFISH HOUSE

1708 Westgate Pkwy

334.699.3474 davidscatfishhousedothan.com

Farm raised catfish, hand-cut steaks, fresh Gulf seafood and burgers

DICKEY'S BBO PIT

2115 E. Main St.

3835 W. Main St. 334.446.0136 / dickeys.com Texas-style BBQ made fresh

DIXIE CURB MARKET

312 E Powell St.

334.793.6985 Down home family restaurant



Authentic Italian cuisine with an elegant white tablecloth atmosphere, Bella's is both a treat for the eyes and the tastebuds!

EAT LOCAL



Interested in something with a little flair? Dothan is no stranger to topnotch sushi and hibachi cuisine.

DOBB'S FAMOUS BBQ

2636 S. Oates St. 334.794.5195 The oldest BBQ restaurant in AL

EVE'S GARDEN

2323 W. Main Street, Ste. 105 334.699.1414 Beautifully prepared seasonal raw foods

FATBACK'S

3850 W. Main St. 334.479.0073 BBQ with a twist

GOLDFINGERS

3656 Montgomery Hwy 1604 Ross Clark Circle 5540 W. Main St. 334.673.4653/334.702.4653/334.793.4653 trygoldfingers.com Dothan's favorite chicken fingers

GUTHRIE'S CHICKEN 189 John D. Odom Rd.

334.673.4999
The original chicken finger restaurant

HANGAR 38

3120 Ross Clark Circle 334.699.6350 Family entertainment center & sports bar

HONEY'S HOTDOGS

4554 Fortner St. 334.673.7642 / honeyshotdogs.com No frills hot dog joint

HOT'S DELI

180 Westgate Pkwy 334.671.5550 / hotsdeli.com Healthy options & fast service

HUNT'S SEAFOOD RESTAURANT & OYSTER BAR

177 Campbellton Hwy 334.794.5193/ seafoodsteakoystersdothan.com A classic local favorite

KINZA JAPANESE

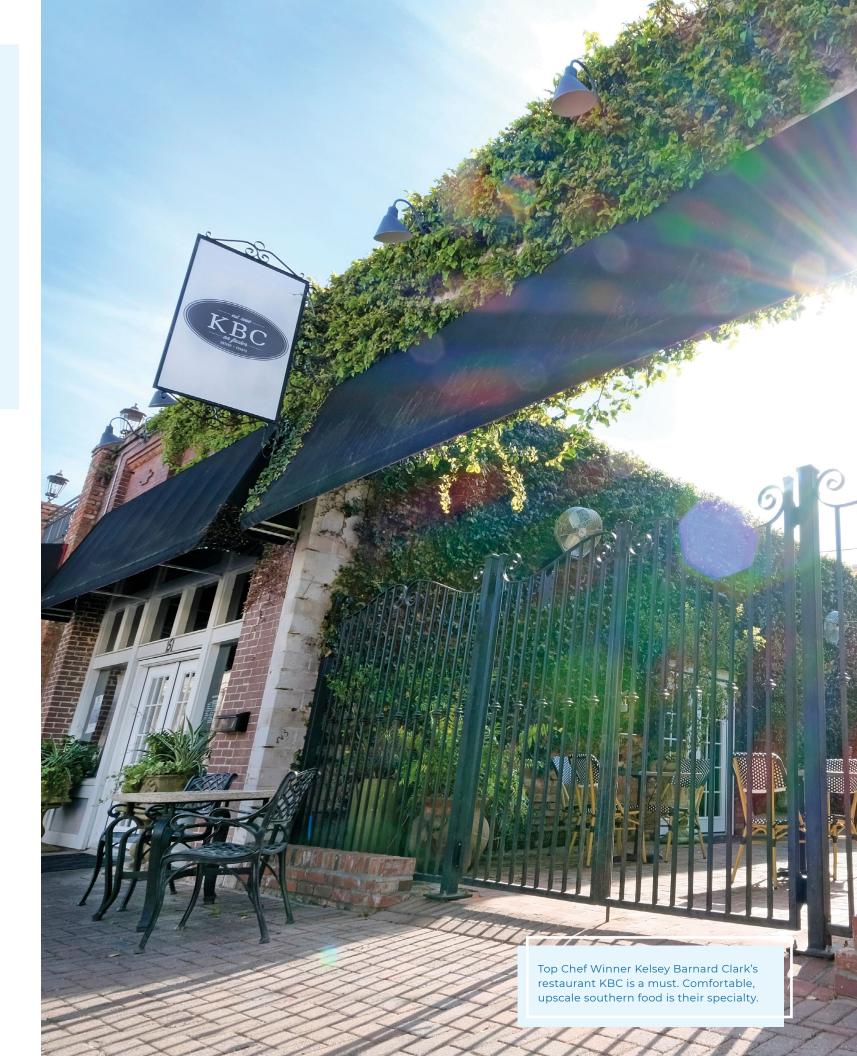
1640 Ross Clark Circle 334.671.2084 Sushi & Japanese Cuisine

KYOTO SUSHI

4177 Montgomery Hwy 334.699.1078 / dothankyoto.com Sushi and hibachi

LA BAMBA

3039 Ross Clark Circle 334.712.4574/ labambamexicafe.com Traditional Mexican cantina



EAT LOCAL



Only the freshest, tastiest oysters are served at Hunt's and Ann's Oyster Bar!

LA PARILLA

4771 Montgomery Hwy 334.671.7090 / laparilla.com Upscale Mexican tastes

LARRY'S REAL PIT BBO

1036 Ross Clark Circle 3115 Ross Clark Circle 334.794.5854/334.792.5211 Two locations of smoky pit BBQ

MAMA ROSA'S

3074 Ross Clark Circle 334.794.2252 Pizza, pasta, and subs

THE MEXICAN CONNECTION

5630 W. Main St. #6 334.793.2496 mexicanconnectiondothan.com Specializes in great handmade Mexican food

MIKATA JAPANESE STEAKHOUSE & SUSHI

4600 Montgomery Hwy 334.673.9966/mikatarestaurant.com Traditional hibachi

MR. COFFEE BEAN

1550 Westgate Pkwy #1 334.446.5763/themrcoffeebean.com Locally roasted coffee with cinnamon rolls as big as your head

MY PIE PIZZA

3835 W Main St 334.305.0100/pizzayourway.com Pies that are built to order

NAMASTE INDIAN CUISINE

4650 W. Main St. 334.803.0470 Indian flavors fused in the essense of culture

OISHI 3522 Ross Clark Circle 334.446.0402 Sushi and hibachi

THE OLD MILL

2557 Murphy Mill Rd. 334.794.8530 / oldmilldothan.com A Dothan staple for steak & seafood

OOKA SUSHI

4863 Montgomery Hwy 334.792.8080 Authentic Japanese dishes

PHO SAIGON 4887 Montgomery Hwy Ste. 1 334.479.0357

PIG OUT BBO 3033 Reeves St.

Authentic Vietnamese cuisine

334.678.9399 Voted best ribs in Dothan

P.S. TACO COMPANY

105 Apple Ave. #3 334.791.7716 Classic Latin cuisine

RAY'S RESTAURANT

1740 S. Oates St. 334.794.4625/ravsdothan.com Hot breakfast and lunch with the locals

RED ELEPHANT PIZZA & GRILL

3108 Ross Clark Circle 334.673.7492/redelephantpizza.com Family-friendly classics

RICHIE B'S 3590 Ross Clark Circle 334.446.3369

New York style sandwiches & pizza

RIVER NILE CAFE

1369 Headland Ave. 334.702.9111 5540 W. Main St. Suite #1 334.699.1099 Soups, salads, and sandwiches

ROCK N ROLL SUSHI

103 Apple Drive 334.596.5659 / rnrsushi.com A new twist on sushi

EAT LOCAL

RODEO

2240 Ross Clark Circle 4650 W. Main St. 3251 Montgomery Hwy 334.677.6677/334.671.2326/334.792.2161 Dothan's favorite Tex-Mex

SEASONS RESTAURANT

2005 S. Brannon Stand Road 334,479,0070 Classic fare of salads, seafood, & steak

SISTER SOUL EXPRESS

3549 Napier Field Road 1970 Reeves St. Suite 201 334.873.4030 Southern country cooking

SMOKEY JOE'S BBQ 2031 S. Brannon Stand Rd. 334.678.8116/smokeyjoesdothan.com A family favorite BBQ joint

STUCKEY'S DINER RESTAURANT & VENUE

220 East Powell Street 334.350.2550 Southern style, homecooked, soul food

TAJ INDIAN & GREEK RESTAURANT

2920 Ross Clark Circle 334.699.3200 / tajdothan.com Indian and Middle Eastern Cuisine

TAQUERIA MARISCOS EL TORITO 145 Westgate Parkway 334.803.0090 Authentic Mexican food & seafood

THAI HOUSE 4177 Montgomery Hwy. 334.699.2064 Traditional Thai food in an elegant atmosphere

THINGS & WINGS 2312 S. Oates St. 334.671.9464 4650 W. Main St. 334.673.9464 4630 Montgomery Hwy 334.678.9464 Wings any way you like

THREESIXTY KITCHEN + BAR

2740 Ross Clark Circle 334.699.1400 / threesixtykitchenbar.com Located inside the Double Tree and offers a fusion of global and southern dishes

THE TOASTED YOLK

3070 Ross Clark Circle 334.479.8762 / thetoastedyolk.com Dothan's newest brunch spot

TODD FARMS

19326 US HWY 431 S. 334.693.2004 / toddfarms.com Breakfast & lunch using real cane syrup from the farm

TOP THAI

105 S. Woodburn Drive 334.678.6838 Thai favorites and sushi

WALDO'S CHICKEN & BEER

4700 W. Main St. 334.828.7121 Hot chicken, cold beer, & frozen margaritas

WHARF CASUAL SEAFOOD

3835 W. Main St. Ste. 2 334.479.0962 Bringing the coast to Dothan. Seafood served all your favorite ways!

WILD HONEY

102 Central Park Avenue Ste. 4 334.305.1659 / drinkwildhonev.com Coffee shop

ZACK'S FAMILY RESTAURANT

160 W Slocomb St., Slocomb, AL 334.673.9225 / zacksfamilyrestaurant.com Voted best meat-n-three in Alabama



BARS & PUBS

COWBOYS

4657 S. Oates St.

334.793.6937/ cowboysofdothan.com Live music and line dancing

CRAZY MONKEY

2855 Ross Clark Circle Ste 116

334.803.0356

Bar & grill

D ROADHOUSE BAR & GRILL 4636 S Oates St.

334.446.4691

Taste of Americana

FOLKLORE BREWING & MEADERY

Blue Moon Cafe Inside 153 Mary Lou Lane

334.702.2337/ folklorebrewingandmeadery.com Dothan's own microbrewery

KEEL & CO DISTILLING COMPANY

115 W. Church St., Headland

334.798.4907 / keelandcodistilling.com The area's only whiskey distillery

HOULIGAN'S IRISH PUB

3611 Montgomery Hwy

334.671.8822

The quintessential dive bar

J'S LANDING 768 N. Oates St.

334.446.1034

Karaoke bar serving domestics,

cocktails, & shots

JAKE'S BAR & GRILL 2195 Ross Clark Circle

334.794.8711

Inside the Clarion Inn & Suites

KT'S TAVERN & PIZZA

168 S. Foster St.
Pizza and ice cold beer

MEL'S HIDEAWAY 3505-6 Montgomery Hwy

334.446.4300

Karaoke bar with live music serving domestics, cocktails, and shots

CIRCLE CITY BREWING

135 N. Foster St.

334.446.5498

Craft beer, cocktails, & hearty bites

RAIN DOTHAN

145 South St. Andrews

334.447.3477/ raindothan.com

Dothan's nightlife hangout & event venue

RECOVERY ROOM BAR

2155 E. Main St. #6

334.446.0297

The feel better bar

ROB & DAVE'S ARCADE

182 S. Foster St.

Local barcade

THE THIRSTY PIG

257 S. St. Andrews St.

334.718.2416 / 334.701.0725

beathirstypig.com

Craft beer tap room

THE UPTOWN JAZZ CLUB

160 S. St. Andrews St.

334547.0171

Enjoy smooth jazz while sipping a craft cocktail

in our relaxed atmosphere

UNCLE BOB'S BAR & GRILL

2109 Ross Clark Circle

334.678.2627

All the games, great food, and a full bar

FOOD TRUCKS

A & B'S HIT N RUN @aandbshitnrun

Ballpark food- but better!

A TASTE OF LOUISIANA

@atasteoflouisiana Cajun and Creole

CATERING QUEENS, LLC

@cateringqueensllc

Wings, fish baskets, burgers, and more

THE CORNDOG MAN

@TheCornDogManDothan

The best corn dogs in the world

CUBANO'S ON THE GO

@cubanos.on.the.go

The only place for real Cuban style food

DOTHAN ICE CREAM

@dothanicecream

Hand dipped ice cream, handcrafted ice pops

EARNIE'S FOOD TRUCK

@EarniesCatering

Smash burgers, Grandma's Chili Dog, and wings

FAVO RHETT EATZ

@favo-rhett-eatz

BBQ, nachos, fajitas, and loaded potatoes

HARD TIMES BBQ

@HardTimesBBQ

BBQ food truck

HIGH WIRED COFFEE ROASTERS

@HighWiredRoasters

Fresh air-roasted coffee

J'S SHACK

@JShackAlabama

Philly cheesesteaks and fries

KC KREATIVE CATERING

@kckreativecatering

Full service catering

KURBSIDE SNACKS

@kurbsidesnacks

Burgers, nachos, and sweet treats

MAMA T'S FOOD TRUCK

@MamaTs

Soul food, Philly cheesesteaks, wings, Carribean

MR. COFFEE BEAN

@mrcoffeebean

Locally roasted coffee and sweet treats

MR. EVERYTHANGZ GRILL

@mreverythangz

Where they serve a little of everythang

MURAL CITY COFFEE TRUCK

@muralcitycoffeeco

Bring the baristas & coffee to you

O'TASTE & SEE FOOD TRUCK

@otaste-see-food-truck

Good food for a healthy soul

PECKHAM'S FOOD TRUCK

@PeckhamsFoodTruck

Sandwiches and tacos

QUIKEATZ

@quikeatzfoodtruck

Vet owned with great food & customer service

RAY'S RESTAURANT

@raysrestaurant

A breakfast spread that would make granny proud

RICHIE B'S PIZZA

@richie-bs-pizza

Pizza & NY style sandwiches

THE ROLLIN' TRAPP @TheRollinTrapp

Soul food

SAYIT HOTDOGS & MORE

@sayit_hotdogs_and_more

The best designer dogs in town

TASTE OF TEXAS TAMALES

@Taste-of-Texas-Tamales

Homemade tamales

TIKIZ OF THE WIREGRASS

@tikizofthewiregrass

Bringing sweets to the streets

THE NAKED BONE

@thenakedbone

Wings, pulled pork, burgers, you name it!

TIN PIG BBQ

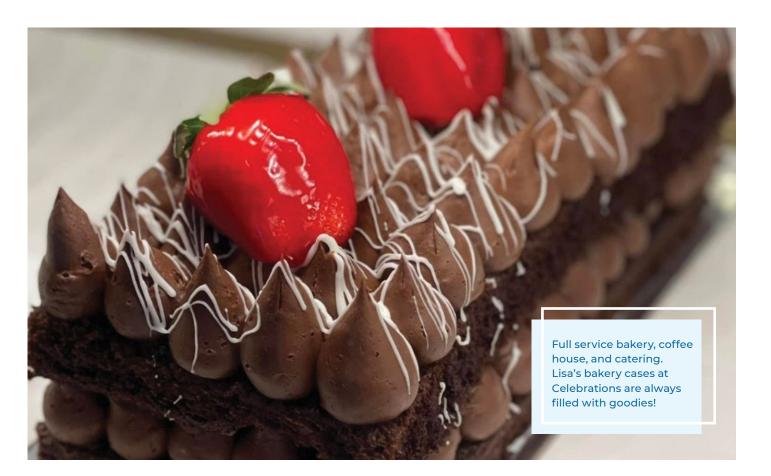
@tin-pig-bbq

Downhome bbq

WOK N SOUL

@wok-n-soul

A tasty twist on traditional comfort food



SWEET TREATS

CELEBRATIONS BY LISA

560 Westgate Pkwy STE 1

334.701.0162

Full service bakery, coffee house, and catering. Lisa's bakery cases are always filled with goodies!

CRUMBL COOKIES

4887 Montgomery Hwy

334.325.0220

Cookie flavors change each week to keep your tastebuds on their toes

DESSERTS BY JOLANDO

545 W. Main St.

334.446.0099

Known for old-fashioned homemade and contemporary cake. Also pies, cookies, and many sweet treats

LOYLESS DONUTS

3148 Ross Clark Circle

334.792.3133

Made fresh daily, handmade donuts and fritters

M.Y. CAKES & PASTRIES

3074 Ross Clark Circle Suite 4

334.790.6191

Custom cakes and pastries

ROLEN'S BAKERY

1628 Montgomery Hwy

334.792.8641

Known for their petit fours, cookies, cupcakes, and cakes

SIMPLY CAKES BAKERY & EATERY 7985 US-84

334.692.3748 / simplycakesbakerydothan.com Southern style speciality cakes and treats

SWEET & SASSY

143 Westgate Pkwy #1

334.792.1650 / sweetandsassydothan.com Classic American baked goods



Story Shapers hold the heritage of the Wiregrass near and dear to their hearts. They can tell you the history of every mural in town, what each historic building once was, and the importance of preserving what our ancestors set out to accomplish. Story Shapers immerse themselves in education and are always looking for ways to share their story with the masses.

THE HERITAGE OF THE WIREGRASS 99



SANDY HODGE

Shute Pecan

f ShutePecanCompany

shutepecan

My family opened the business in 1929 and began as a grocery store, but with the beginning of the Depression and bartering, pecans won out. What was Shute Grocery became Shute Pecan. It's cool that generationally we've adapted and made it what it needed to be. Starting with my granddad who changed it, we continue to adapt as the times and things change, so we can still be a part of this community. Because of this, we are a part of Dothan history. 93 years and counting!

Visitor Musts:

- Local southern food like KBC, Firestone Wood Fired Grill, and Sister Soul
- · Take pictures of the Peanuts Around Town
- · Check out the murals for a fun history lesson



APLIN BROTHERS

Aplin Farms

f AplinFarms

The family has been in the produce business since 1952. My granddaddy started growing tomatoes. As things have evolved, we began to grow other fruit and vegetables. As of now, we grow over 200 varieties of fruits and vegetables here on the farm and 90% of what we grow, we allow you to pick. We focus on being a destination. We had, as of last year, around 40,000 people here on the farm, throughout the year, with 30,000 coming during October for pumpkin season.

Visitor Musts:

 Visit other local farms, like Corn Dodgers in Headland and see what an impact agriculture has on our community

MUSEUMS & MONUMENTS

E.R. PORTER HARDWARE MUSEUM

136 E. Main St.

334.699.8118 / dothandowntown.org

Before closing its doors in 2014, E.R. Porter Hardware was the longest running hardware store in the state of Alabama. The store has been preserved just as it was when they closed business on that day, and stands as a living museum for "the way things used to be." The story goes that Dothan was built with materials purchased at Porter Hardware. This attraction is unique to Dothan and is full of stories about our little corner of the world.

Group tours available on request

GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER INTERPRETIVE MUSEUM

305 N. Foster St.

334.712.0933 / gwcarvermuseum.com

Located in the original Greyhound bus station in Downtown Dothan, the George Washington Carver Museum is dedicated to honoring the contributions of African-Americans to arts and sciences. The Carver is home to one-of-a-kind personal items from Dr. Carver and his laboratory. There he developed over 300 uses for peanuts in food, industrial, and commercial products, as well as promoting soil rotation, which saved the Wiregrass area from economic ruin in the age of the boll weevil. The Carver hosts annual Black History Month events, as well as educational activities year round.

Group tours available on request

LANDMARK PARK

430 Landmark Dr.

334.794.3452 / landmarkparkdothan.com

Landmark Park is a 135-acre park built to preserve the natural and cultural heritage of southeast Alabama's Wiregrass Region. At Landmark Park, you'll find a living 1890's farmstead, complete with farmhouse, farm animals, smokehouse, cane mill, and blacksmith. Drift back in time through the old general store, one-room schoolhouse, and Victorian-era church. Take a stroll on the elevated boardwalk and visit the interpretive center, which includes daily planeterium shows. Landmark Park also hosts annual events, summer camps, and traveling exhibits.

Group tours available on request

MURALS OF THE WIREGRASS

Downtown Dothan

muralcityartwalk.com

What better way to celebrate our area's rich history in agriculture, music, movies, and peanuts than by painting it on the sides of our most historic buildings in Downtown Dothan? Beginning with the Peanut Mural on the side of Liddon Furniture in the Dothan Civic Center parking lot, these murals have been a loved attraction in Dothan for years. The best way to tour the murals is walking the downtown streets on a beautiful southern day. Maps are available in Porter Hardware, at the Visit Dothan Visitors Center, and on the next page in this Visitors Guide.

Self-guided tours

WIREGRASS MUSEUM OF ART

126 Museum Ave

334.794.3871 / wiregrassmuseum.org

Housed in the original water and electric plant for the City of Dothan, the Wiregrass Museum of Art has been collecting and exhibiting contemporary art since 1988. Explore 18,000 square feet of carefully curated visual arts, with a focus on Alabama artists. Exhibits rotate frequently, and WMA hosts annual events, wine experiences, Art After Hours, film screenings in the adjacent green space, art camps, educational tours, and their annual Yard Party for Art in August. It's never the same experience twice at the Wiregrass Museum of Art!

Group tours available on request

MONUMENTS & MARKERS

Due to Dothan's rich history, there are multiple locations listed on the National Historic Register, as well as monuments erected to important historical events.

Joseph Monument - 126 Museum Ave.

The World's Smallest City Block - N. College St.

Cherry Street AME Church - 308 N. Cherry St.

Howell School - 408 E. Newton St.

Federal Building & US Courthouse - 100 W. Troy Street









Top Left: Landmark Park · **Top Right:** The Naming of Dothan Monument · **Middle Left:** George Washington Carver Interpretive Museum · **Bottom:** Wiregrass Museum of Art



MURALS OF THE WIREGRASS

WHY MURALS?

In 1992, most of the shops and businesses had moved out of Downtown Dothan in favor of Ross Clark Circle's busy traffic. While business migration is not a bad thing, it left downtown quiet. A small group of citizens created the Wiregrass Festival of Murals Board and began the process of bringing downtown back to its beautiful aesthetic on the historic buildings left vacant.

It was only natural that the first mural would be the Salute to the Peanut Industry, painted on the side of Liddon Furniture, one of the original downtown stores owned by the Liddon family since 1929. The mural features the progression of the peanut industry in the Wiregrass area, beginning with Dr. George Washington Carver at the very first National Peanut Festival, followed by the "old way" of peanut farming to the "new way" with modern farming equipment, to the present-day National Peanut Festival, held every year in November.

The mural was a hit. People were coming back downtown to see the art that seemed to be alive on the side of an old brick building. With that same enthusiasm, the Wiregrass Festival of Murals Board commissioned more murals - hometown legend and Hollywood actor Johnny Mack Brown, Creek Indian Chief Eufaula, early settlers, industries like mules, turpentine, railroad, and cotton, and Tribute To Tuskegee Airman Sherman Rose.

As of this publication, there are nineteen murals total, including a hidden mural inside the Dothan Opera House. The murals cover an eight-block pathway through Downtown Dothan, and travelers come from all over to see the Mural City of Alabama. More murals are being planned, with the most recent painting a depiction of Wildlife in the Wiregrass wrapping the corner of Bob Woodall Air Care Systems on North Foster Street.

WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO SEE THE MURALS?

By walking, of course! Take advantage of Dothan's beautiful weather by parking your car on St. Andrews or Foster Street and follow the map on the next page. Choose to see only a few or adventure out to see them all! Each mural is painstakingly detailed by the talented artists who painted them. The murals are the perfect way to learn Dothan's history and to experience Downtown Dothan.





Above: Sherman Rose & the Tuskegee Airmen · Left: Women of the Wiregrass

W. Burdeshaw St. Z College Carver ` The Plant Museum E. Adams St. E. Troy St. Wiregrass The Grand ' **World's Smallest** Museum **City Block** of Art Joseph **Civic Center Monument Opera House** B The Depot E. Main St. E.R. Porter G Hardware Museum E. Crawford St. ATTRACTION

MURAL MAP

A. SALUTE TO THE PEANUT INDUSTRY

251 E. Main St.

A timeline from Dr. Carver's lab to modern-day harvesting of the wiregrass area's cash crop.

B. DESOTO'S JOURNEY THROUGH THE WIREGRASS REGION

251 E. Main St.

Hernando Desoto's exploration party traveled on the east side of the wiregrass in 1540.

C. THE ABDUCTION OF ELIZABETH STEWART DILL

206 E. Main St.

A Creek Indian attack on a supply boat and the subsequent abduction of Elizabeth Stewart Dill.

D. CAMP RECOVERY

124 S. St. Andrews St.

An army rehabilitation camp near the Chattahoochee River and Fort Scott for the War of 1812.

E. MULES IN THE WIREGRASS

148 S. St. Andrews St.

How the use of mules instead of oxen improved the farming and logging industries in the area.

F. FORT SCOTT: PROTECTOR OF THE WIREGRASS

184 S. St. Andrews St.

Fort Scott was poised at the Flint River, and housed future presidents Andrew Jackson and Zachary Taylor.

G. JOHNNY MACK BROWN

111 S. St. Andrews St.

"The Singing Cowboy" Johnny Mack Brown was a Dothan native before appearing on the Hollywood big screen.

H. CHIEF EUFAULA: CREEK INDIAN REMOVAL

113 S. St. Andrews St.

Chief Eufaula lobbied in the Alabama statehouse before leading the last of the Lower Creeks to a reservation in Oklahoma during the Indian Removal Act.

I. THE DOTHAN RIOT

115 S. St. Andrews St.

In October of 1889, just after Dothan was incorporated, a riot erupted at the public well and bell tower over a tax levied on commercial drays.

J. TRIBUTE TO SHERMAN ROSE

100 N. St. Andrews St.

Sherman Rose was one of the first students and first instructors of the Tuskeegee Institute's civilian pilot training program for African-American pilots.

K. DOTHAN OPERA HOUSE

115 N. Andrews St. (Inside)

A tribute to the famed celebrities who performed on the Dothan Opera House stage.

L. SALUTE TO FT. RUCKER

137 N. St. Andrews St.

Home to Army Aviation that began as a training camp for soldiers in WWII.

M. THE STEAMBOAT ERA

248 N. Foster St.

How the steamboat contributed to the success of the Wiregrass area prior to the railroad in 1889.

N. CHERRY STREET A.M.E. CHURCH

301 N. Foster St.

The oldest African Methodist Episcopal Church in Alabama.

O. WIREGRASS MUSIC

306 N. Foster St.

A three-part mural chronicling contemporary and country music artists with ties to the Wiregrass area.

P. EARLY COMMERCE IN THE WIREGRASS

100 N. St. Andrews St.

A four-part mural depicting early industries in the Wiregrass area - turpentine, logging, cotton, and railroad.

Q. DANCING DAVE

308 N. Foster St.

A tribute to a Dothan legend, Dancing Dave, who would dance in the National Peanut Festival parade annually.

R. DR. CARVER

305 N. Foster St. (Inside)

A mural dedicated to Dr. Carver and his contributions. Located inside the original Greyhound bus station waiting area.

S. WILDLIFE IN THE WIREGRASS

412 N. Foster (Backside)

Depicting the natural wildlife and game found in the Wiregrass area.

T. WOMEN OF THE WIREGRASS

126 N. St. Andrews St.

A tribute to the women who molded and shaped Dothan and the Wiregrass area.

U. HONORING WIREGRASS VETERANS

170 East Main Street

Based on an actual photo of the parade down Foster St. celebrating the end of WWII.

ATTRACTIONS

ADVENTURELAND THEME PARK

3738 W. Main St.

334.793.9100 / adventurelandthemepark.com Spend a fun afternoon with the family at Adventureland Theme Park playing 18 holes of mini golf, go-karts, bumper boats, arcade, and batting cages.

ARMY AVIATION MUSEUM

6000 Novosel St, Fort Rucker, AL 36362

334.598.2508 / armyaviationmuseum.org Explore the history of Army Aviation, including 160 military aircraft and the largest collection of military helicopters in the world.

AXTION AIR

3525 Ross Clark Circle

334.446.5175 / axtionair.com

Over 50,000 square feet of trampolines, foam pits, dodgeball, basketball, rock walls, extreme ninja course, and batting cages. Waiver required to jump.

DOTHAN AREA BOTANICAL GARDENS

5130 Headland Ave

334.793.3224 / dabg.com

Dothan's Botanical Gardens is the place to see the very best of nature and the beauty of the early southern garden. Regular daily admission \$5 for adults age 16 and above. Free to visitors age 15 and below and garden members.

ESCAPE DOTHAN

3759 Ross Clark Circle

334.446.7135 / escapedothan.com

Dothan's only escape game with four rooms to choose from. Can you beat the clock? Reservations are required.

FUN ZONE

465 Westgate Parkway

334.678.7529 / funzoneskatecenterdothan.com Dothan's safe and high-energy place for children to roller skate, ride bumper cars, play in the arcade and soft-play gym, and more. Open for groups and birthday parties!

HANGAR 38

3120 Ross Clark Circle

334.699.6350

Bowling, arcade, full-service restaurant and bar- a winning combo for a family-friendly outing!

KISS MY AXE

256 Foster St

334.699.5629

A fun place to toss some axes and grab a tasty beverage.

TODD SYRUP FARM

19326 US Hwy 431 S.

334.693.2004 / toddfarms.com

Visit Todd Syrup Farm for an education in how real cane syrup is made in the sugar cane fields next to its General Store and Cafe. Todd Farms also has an RV Park, Living Museum of farm equipment, and syrups for purchase.

WATER WORLD

401 Recreation Rd.

334.615.3750 / waterworlddothan.com From the Rip Tide Wave Pool, The Great White Water Slide, Kids Cove, The Twister Slides, and The Storm Bowl- Dothan's Most Exciting Beach has something for the entire family! Also check out the arcade, gift shop, cabanas, and grill.

XTREME AIR

441 Nypro Lane

 $334.797. {\tt JUMP/xtremeairtrampolinepark.com}$

The largest super tramp arena in the US also includes an arcade, zip line, inflatable park, and virtual reality arcade. Waiver required to jump.

MOVIE THEATERS

AMC Dothan Pavilion 12

4883 Montgomery Hwy / 334.836.0814 amctheatres.com

AMC Classic 6

209 Executive Park / 334.793.2222

amctheatres.com

Star-Lite Drive-In

14200 US-84, Newton, AL 36352 / 334.692.3890 vipdrivein.com

BOWLING

Dothan Lanes

5727 Montgomery Hwy / 334.983.1585

Patricia Lanes

2208 Ross Clark Circle / 334,794,6636



Explore and see that Dothan is brimming with activities for the entire family!



Water World has been a long-time family favorite to beat the summer heat. Stop by and splash awhile!



PEANUTS AROUND TOWN

WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL WITH PEANUTS IN DOTHAN ANYWAY?

Peanuts haven't always ruled the soil in our part of the world. At one time, it was all about King Cotton. Unfortunately by the 1920s, the boll weevil had taken over most of the cotton fields in the South, and farmers were left with destroyed fields and empty pockets heading into the Great Depression.

Enter Dr. George Washington Carver who, during his time as a professor of agriculture at Tuskeegee University, had discovered over 300 uses for the peanut. He found that peanuts were not just tasty, but their oils were conducive to cooking, cosmetics, and pharmaceuticals. He also introduced field rotation to area farmers, showing that fields can be exhausted by continual planting. Luckily for the Wiregrass, the sandy soil on the farm lands was the perfect growing environment for shallow peanut plants.

Peanuts quickly revitalized farming around Dothan, and in present-day, 50% of the world's peanuts are grown within a 100-mile radius of Dothan. If you're eating a jar of peanut butter, chances are that you are consuming peanuts grown by Dothan area farmers. And no, peanuts are not a nut! They are members of the legume family, more related to the pea than the nut.

In the end, we have the boll weevil to thank for our booming agricultural economy in Dothan. So much so that our neighbors to the east in Enterprise raised a statue in honor of the boll weevil in the center of their downtown. But mostly, we have Dr. Carver to thank, which is why you'll find him forever honored on murals and in museums in Dothan.

WHAT ABOUT THE PEANUT STATUES ALL AROUND TOWN?

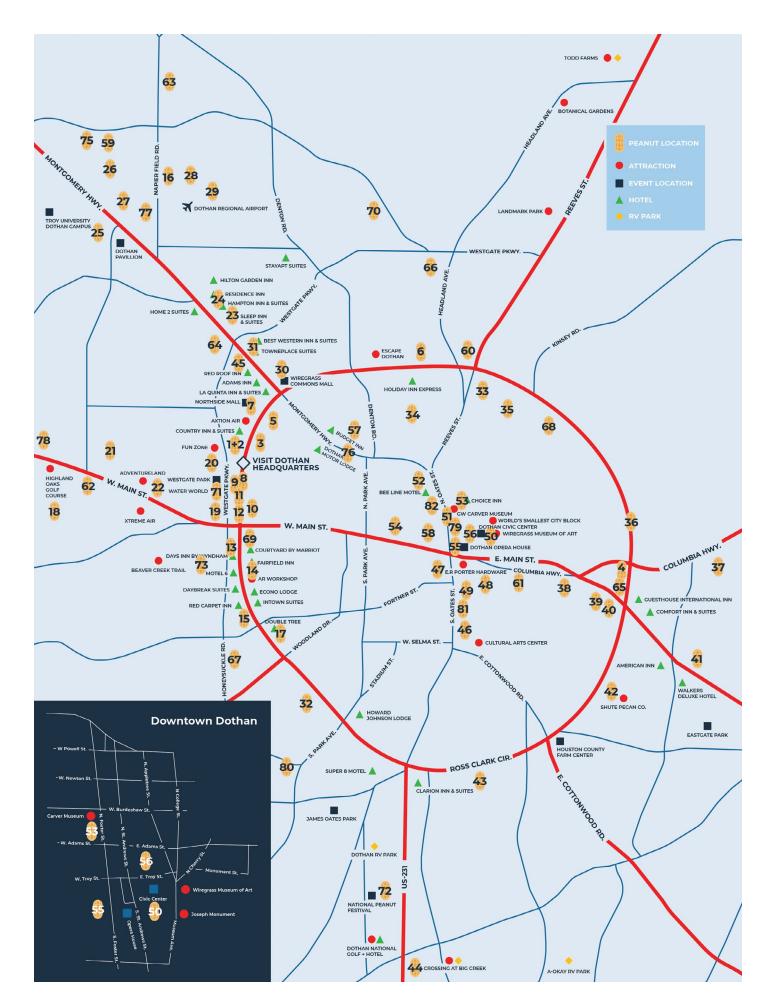
What began as a fundraiser for the revitalization of Downtown Dothan has morphed into a city-wide public art project. Businesses purchase fiberglass peanut statues from locally owned Replica Plastics, and design them with significance to their business. You'll find Dothan legends, kangaroos, armadillos, chefs, superheroes, doctors, dogs, and even a giant chicken. As of this publication, there are 82 Peanuts Around Town, and more are being added daily. We dare you to find a more unique city signature than the Dothan Peanuts Around Town.

You'll need a vehicle for this scavenger hunt as the peanuts spread (pun intended) all over town. Take the map on the next page and see if you can find them all! This is a great activity to learn your way around Dothan or to get the kids out of the house on a school holiday.



Remember to tag **#VisitDothan** when posting peanuts to social media!

Left: Alabama Farmer's Federation/Alfa Insurance Peanut "Farmer George"



PEANUT MAP

1. Original Gold Peanut

Visit Dothan Visitors Center 3311 Ross Clark Circle

2. The Elvis Nut Visit Dothan Visitors Center

3311 Ross Clark Circle 3. Chef Elri

Golden Corral 3340 Ross Clark Circle

4. Farmer George Alabama Farmers Federation 1038 Ross Clark Circle

5. Mr. Clean Blue Water Car Wash 3406 Ross Clark Circle

6. Hollis & Spann Hollis & Spann 116 Loftin Road

7. Mr. Fix It Home Depot (Inside) 3489 Ross Clark Circle

8. Captain Cash Ameris Bank 3299 Ross Clark Circle

9. Penny & Charlie Our New Baby 3119 Ross Clark Circle

10. Tropical Smoothie Tropical Smoothie 3230 Ross Clark Circle

11. Military Nuts **Tuffy Automotive** 3109 Ross Clark Circle

12. Mr. Trawick Friend Bank 3105 Ross Clark Circle

13. Krispy Kreme 3095 Ross Clark Circle

14. Bro Fit Culture 2970 Ross Clark Circle

15. Noki Nut 2927 Ross Clark Circle

16. Coke-A-Nut Coca-Cola Bottling Company

3936 Napier Field Road 17. Mr. Bright Side Carmax 2756 Ross Clark Circle

18. Henry Ironshanks

Highland Oaks Golf Course 904 Royal Pkwy 19. Dr. Bob & It's Not

Easy Being Green Southern Regional Veterinary Specialist & Emergency Services 301 Westgate Parkway

20. Westgate Library Westgate Library 535 Recreation Road

21. Dothan Pediatric Nut Dothan Pediatric Clinic 126 Clinic Drive

22. Classic Peanut

Synovus Bank 2680 West Main Street

23. Andy Armadillo Texas Roadhouse 3730 Montgomery Hwy

24. Percy Peanut 4116 Montgomery Hwy

25. State Trooper Alabama State Trooper's Office 5775 Montgomery Hwy

26. Tip The Peanut Mark Dunning Industries 100 Race Track Road

27. Mellow Johnny Oncology Supply 2801 Horace Shepard Drive

28. CAE CAE 391 Art Morris Drive

29. CJ Commercial Jet 171 Jet Services Way

30. Beau Mcgillicuty Safelite Auto Glass 3765 Ross Clark Circle

31. Gone Shopping Wiregrass Commons Mall (Inside) 900 Commons Drive

32. Ace the Toolman Ace Hardware 2541 Ross Clark Circle

33. The Peanut Producer Alabama Peanut Producers 1810 Reeves Street

34. Mac Safety Midsouth Paving 381 Twitchell Road

35. Angel Peanut Ingram Memoria 2360 N. Range Street

36. Wayne Farms Wayne Farms 808 Ross Clark Circle

37. Key Firehose Key Firehose Corporation (Incida) 2926 Columbia Hwy

38. Peanut In The Tub Lewis-Smith Supply 1306 Columbia Hwy

39. Rehab Nuts Encompass Health Rehabilitation 1736 E. Main Street

40. Health Nut Southeast Health (7th Floor) 1108 Ross Clark Circle

41. Dr. Shelly Peanut 445 Health Sciences Blvd

42. Shute Peanut Shute Pecan Co. (Inside) 1475 Ross Clark Circle

43. Road Warrior Dothan Powersports (Inside) 2003 Ross Clark Circle

44. AL. Welcome Center Alabama Welcome Center

45. Berkshire Hathaway Berkshire Hathaway Home Services 101 Executive Park Drive

46. Handy Nut Brackin Wholesale 725 S. Oates Street

15121 Hwy 231 S

47. Together Forever 228 S. Oates Street

48. Nuts About Safety Dothan Fire Department 600 Columbia Hwy

49. Rock Bottom Auto Rock Bottom Auto 463 S. Oates Street

50. Kiss Goodbye **To Cancer Dothan Civic Center** 111 N. St. Andrews Street

51. Media Nut Scenic Communications 416 N. Oates Street

52. Main Library **Dothan-Houston County** Library 445 N. Oates Street

53. Mahogany Peanut **GW Carver Museum** 305 N. Foster Street

54. Ruby Nell DSI Security 600 W. Adams Street

55. Top Chef KBC On Foster 151 N. Foster Street

56. Dothan Police Department **Dothan Police Department** 210 N. St. Andrews Street

57. Ads Security Ads Security 2363 Montgomery Hwy

58. Medi-Caren Healthcare Resources Center 335 W Main Street

59. Jimmy P Florida Certified Sign Erectors 2824 Horace Shepard Dr.

60. Rural King Rural King 2185 Reeves Street

61. White Owl Swedish Match (In Fence) 700 Columbia Highway

62. Percy & Nell 5855 W Main Street 63. Hugo

Wallace Community College 1141 Wallace Drive / Cunningham Hall

Pinch a Penny (Inside) 1435 Westgate Pkwy

65. Mr. Cow Chick-fil-A East 1905 E Main Street

66. Pepi Peanut Pepi Foods 165 Technology Drive

67. "Ed"ucation and Penelope

Dothan City Schools 1665 Honeysuckle Road

68. Rocky Fortis College 200 Vulcan Way

69. Annie Yolk Toasted Yolk 3070 Ross Clark Circle

70. Bruce The Peanut **Dunbarton Corporation** 1101 Technology Drive

71. Water D. RopletteWater World Water Tower 401 Recreation Road

72. USA Peanut National Peanut Festival 5622 Hwy 231 S

73. Skippy Legbetter Ledbetter Prostetics & Orthotics 186Belmont Drive

74. Big Frank 5873 Old Webb Road

Sunset Memorial Park 1700 Barrington Road

76. Ralph & Marty Tabor Pest Control 2043 Montgomery Hwy

77. Coco GlassStream Power Boats 3122 Oxmoor Ind. Blvd.

78. Westwood Pet Care Westwood Pet Care 5650 W. Main St.

79. Mr. Deli American Deli 386 North Oates St.

80. Nutpolean D. Sparks Dothan Utilities 200 Kilgore Dr.

81. Nuts About Spay & Neuter Wiregrass Spay & Neuter Alliance 570 S. Foster St.

82. Moma Tina Moma Tina's Mission House 605 N. Alice Street

ANNUAL EVENTS

SPRING

MARDI GRAS PARADE

Late February

Dothan's Mardi Gras parade stretches through the historic Garden District before making its way down Foster Street each year.



SPRING FARM DAY

Mid-March

Turn back the clock over 100 years and experience living history demonstrations of blacksmithing, plowing with mules, quilting and other traditional activities.



THE LOOP

April

One-day music & art festival in downtown Dothan. Stroll down Foster Street and shop local artists and vendors while enjoying live music.





SCARECROWS IN THE GARDEN

Late September

Take a stroll through the Dothan Area Botanical Gardens and admire dozens of themed scacrecrows set up throughout the grounds. It's the perfect kick-off to spooky season!



SOUTHERN FALL ON FOSTER

Late October

No tricks- only treats! Live music, local vendors, and food trucks line Foster Street for a fun fall street festival. It's also the perfect time to shop local for the upcoming Christmas season!



NATIONAL PEANUT FESTIVAL

Early November

Join the USA's largest peanut themed celebration. The festival spans ten days each November and includes a vast range of events, attractions & concerts that draw fairgoers of all ages.



TRI-STATE EXPO: A JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION & PARADE

Mid-June

Educate. Liberate. Celebrate. Help honor African Americans who were liberated from slavery in the United States through Dothan's annual parade.



FIREWORKS AT THE FAIRGROUNDS

Early July

Spend your Fourth of July at the National Peanut Festival Fairgrounds. Celebrate under the stars listening to live music with a spectacular fireworks display to end the evening.



YARD PARTY FOR ART

Mid-August

The HOTTEST party of the year has to be The Wiregrass Museum of Art's annual Yard Party for Art. A one-night music and art festival, held on the lawn of the museum.



ICE & LIGHTS

November-January

Come downtown to skate, spin, and twirl your way into the Christmas season! Ice & Lights is sure to be a new family favorite.



THE NUTCRACKER

Early December

Experience the wonder and joy of the Holiday season as SEADAC brings to life the story of The Nutcracker ballet.



DOWNTOWN DOTHAN CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Mid-December

Just walking through Downtown Dothan can help get you in the Christmas spirit at the Downtown Christmas Festival. Talk with Santa before Christmas, shop local, and much more.

COOL CREATORS

Cool Creators provide an artistic outlet to the hustle and bustle of everyday life. A trip to the Wiregrass Museum of Art or an afternoon of a curated DIY project can provide the relaxation needed to escape reality. Cool Creators encourage you to take time for yourself and rejuvenate your mental state with a fresh, new perspective.

REJUVENATE YOUR MENTAL STATE 99



DONNA BALZARATTI

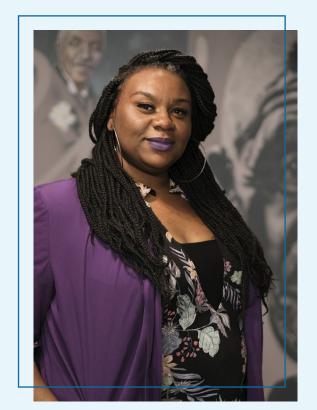
Poplar Head Farmers Market

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I've had the Basketcase for 34 years and took over the Poplar Head Farmers Market about 13 years ago. We keep improving on it every year. We are the 3rd or 4th most productive market in Alabama, making us one of the 35 gold seal markets in the state. I'm trying to provide the most opportunities for our farmers. In the future, via our website, we'll put city and country in communication by connecting local restaurants with area farmers for a true farm to table experience.

Visitor Musts:

 Peanuts Around Town- Stop by the Visitors Center and grab a map!



LATASHA HYATT

The Carver Museum

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The Carver, in my opinion, means expression for everybody, but mainly the African American community. The Carver also means connection, a place where everybody brings something different to the table. The agricultural piece is where my heart is and that's what Mr. Carver was about. When we talk about sustainability, having access to better food sources, I'm interested in how we can make that for ourselves in Dothan. That is my goal working here at the Carver and I'm thankful for this opportunity.

Visitor Musts:

- Drive the rural, dirt roads
- Eat good local food
- Walk around and enjoy downtown at night for a good energy vibe

ARTS & CULTURE

ALABAMA DANCE WORKS 1077 W. Main St.

334.699.5044 / aldanceworks.com Dothan's only professional dance company performs multiple shows per year, including their much anticipated Halloween and Christmas performances.

For show and ticket information, visit aldanceworks.com

THE CROSSING AT BIG CREEK 11295 US Hwy 231 S

334.803.8138 / thecrossingbigcreek.com
The Crossing at Big Creek is where the fun happens.
Enjoy a game of bingo, then head to the Yellow Rose
Theater for comedy shows and karaoke nights.

CULTURAL ART CENTER

909 S. St. Andrews St.

334.699.2787 / the cultural arts center.org
The Cultural Arts Center is dedicated to connecting the arts to the community through theatre, classes, and performances.

For classes, calendars, and programs, visit thecultural artscenter.org

DOTHAN CIVIC CENTER & OPERA HOUSE

115 N. St. Andrews St.

334.615.3170 / dothanciviccenter.org
The Dothan Civic Center and Opera House are Dothan's largest entertainment venues, bringing various live shows, concerts, and comedians to the area.

Visit dothanciviccenter.org for shows & ticket information.

LIVE AT THE OPERA

facebook.com/liveattheoperainc @liveattheoperainc

Live at the Opera produces live music at the Dothan Opera House several times per year. Names have included John Paul White and Billy Strings.

Tickets sold at etix.com

THE NATURE GALLERY 156 N. Foster Street

334.671.2050 / naturegalleryart.com

Daily yoga classes in an inspiring environment of art and meditation. Private classes and massage therapy are available by appointment.

For class times, visit naturegalleryart.com

THE PLANT

308 N. St. Andrews St.

334.673.4318 / theplantdothan.com

As the newest music venue in town, The Plant has booked acts like Aaron Lewis, Riley Green, Drivin N Cryin, Cody Johnson, and Drake White.

For upcoming shows and ticket information, visit theplantdothan.com

SOUTHEAST ALABAMA COMMUNITY THEATER

334.794.0400 / seact.com

Dothan's supremely talented citizens join together to make Southeast Alabama Community Theatre, or SEACT. Performing five shows each season, SEACT has been entertaining Dothan for years.

Visit seact.com for shows and ticket information.

SOUTHEAST ALABAMA DANCE COMPANY

334.702.7139 / southeastalabamadancecompany.org Southeast Alabama Dance Company, or SEADAC, is the premier dance company for dance students. SEADAC performs three shows per year, including an annual performance of The Nutcracker in December.

Visit southeastalabamadancecompany.org for shows and ticket information.

TRI-STATE COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

334.699.2787 / tristatecommunityorchestra.org
Tri-State Community Orchestra is a collection of local
musicians who perform multiple shows per year. Catch
them at the Dothan Opera House, Landmark Park, or
the Cultural Arts Center.

Visit tristatecommunityorchestra.org for shows and ticket information.







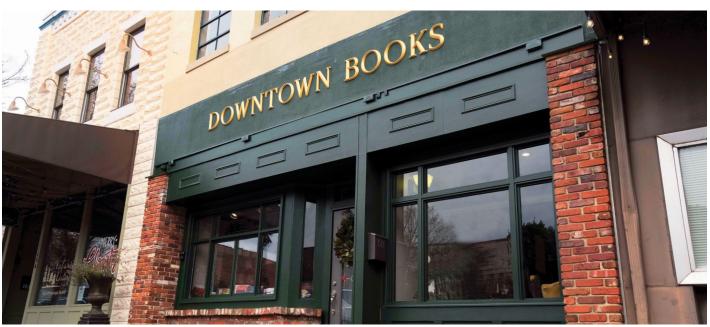
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DOWNTOWN







Top Left: Naomi & Olive · **Top Right:** Honey Bee Tees · **Bottom:** Downtown Books

- 1. GW Carver Museum
- 2. The Plant
- 3. US Courthouse
- 4. Kiss My Axe
- 5. Dothan Police Station
- 6. World's Smallest City Block
- 7. Bella's Fine Dining
- 8. Wadlington Park
- 9. Houston County Courthouse
- 10. KBC
- 11. Circle City Brewing
- 12. Diablo's
- 13. Alpine Dreams
- 14. The Grand

- 15. Honey Bee Tees 16. The Nature Gallery
- 17. Downtown Books
- 18. Good News Shop
- 19. Bird & Bean Coffee Shop
- 20. Naomi & Olive
- 21. Porter Park
- 22. Dothan Opera House
- 23. Cashwell's Photo Bar
- 24. Dothan City Hall
- 25. Dothan Civic Center
- 26. Liddon Furniture
- 27. Poplar Head Park
- 28. Wiregrass Museum of Art

- 29. Joseph Monument 30. KT's Tavern
- 31. Rob & Dave's Arcade
- 32. Mural City Coffee Company
- 33. E.R. Porter Hardware
- 34. The Uptown Jazz Club
- 35. Blondie's Hair Salon
- 36. Rain
- 37. Metro Music
- 38. Snobs Salon
- 39. Basketcase Cafe
- 40. Firestone Pizza & Grill

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41. The Thirsty Pig

SHOPPING

SHOPPING CENTERS

DOTHAN PAVILLION

4601 Montgomery Hwy

Stores: Target, Dick's Sporting Goods, Kohl's, Barnes & Noble, Best Buy, Lowes, Michaels, Bath and Body Works

Restaurants: Moe's Southwestern Grill, La Parilla, Coldstone Creamery, Pho Saigon, Ooka Sushi

NORTHSIDE PLAZA

3489 Ross Clark Circle

Home Depot, 2nd & Charles, Publix, Hobby Lobby, Axtion Air, Eagle Eye Outfitters, Panera, Chipotle

SHOPS ON THE CIRCLE

3500 Ross Clark Circle

Old Navy, PetSmart, Office Max, TJMaxx, Shoe Carnival, Big Lots, 5 Below

WIREGRASS COMMONS MALL

900 Commons Drive

334.792.7734 / shopwiregrasscommonsmall.com Anchored by Belk, Dillard's, JC Penney, and Burlington Coat Factory, Wiregrass Commons Mall has been a fixture for over 30 years. Stop for lunch in the food court, take a ride on the carousel. Annual events, craft shows, Easter Bunny, and Santa are also on the schedule.

ANTIQUE STORES

ANTIQUE ATTIC

5037 Fortner Street 334.792.5040 / antiqueatticdothan.com

BACKYARD TREASURES

2331 Ross Clark Circle 334.678.1423 / facebook.com/backyardtreasures

COTTAGE ANTIQUES

2187 S. Brannon Stand Rd. 334.618.9752 / cottageantiquesdothan.com

DOTHAN MERCANTILE

1524 S. Oates St. (334) 446-0749 / dothanmercantile.com

HAPPY CHICK & FRIENDS

4240 Reeves St.

334.618.7994 / facebook.com/happychickfriends

HIGHLANDS ANTIQUE MALL

7329 W. Main St.

334.692.5493 / highlandsantiquemallal.com

LANEY BUGS ANTIQUES

5944 E. Cottonwood Rd.

334.797.7568 / laney-bugs-antiques.business.site

MOLLYWOOD IMPORTS

5595 Hwy 231 S.

334.678.9508 / mollywoodimports.com

OLD SOUTH ANTIQUE MALL

1861 Reeves St.

334.794.7568 / oldsouthantiquemalldothan.com

BOUTIQUES & LOCAL FAVORITES

APLIN FARMS

2729 N. County Road 49
334.726.5104 / facebook.com/AplinFarms

DOTHAN NURSERIES

1300 Montgomery Hwy 334.794.6774 / dothannurseries.com

EAGLE EYE OUTFITTERS

3535 Ross Clark Circle

334.673.2878 / shopeagleeye.com

EAST RIVER TRADING

1369 Headland Ave.

334.714.3674 / eastrivertrading.com

SOLE PLAY

102 Central Park Ave. Suite 1 334.446.7777

THE FRECKLED FROG

1400 Westgate Pkwy.

334.671.2034 / facebook.com/thefreckledfrog

FROU FROU FROCKS

2355 Hartford Hwy. 334.792.8282

HISSYFITS BOUTIQUE

560 Westgate Pkwy #6 334.677.1558 Change of address coming soon

HONEY BEE TEES

158 N. Foster St. 334.446.0675 / honeybeetees.com

MCNEILL FARMS PEANUTS

546 Taylor Road 334.792.6761

NAOMI & OLIVE

140 N. Foster St. 334.792.4006 / naomiandolive.com

NUTS TO GO

105 Apple Ave / 334.792.6887

THE PEANUT GALLERIE

102 S Cherokee Ave.

334.699.5040 / thepeanutgallerie.com

THE RAQ

1861 W Main St. #1

SADIE GRAE BOUTIQUE

1910 Ross Clark Circle Suite 2 / 334.479.8548

SHUTE PECAN CO

1475 Ross Clark Circle 334.793.7336 / shutepecan.com

SOMETHING SPECIAL BOUTIQUE & GIFTS

2934 Ross Clark Circle / 334.678.7465

THE RUSTIC BARN

1675 E. Malvern Rd. 334.500.2039 / rusticbarninc.com

THE VELVET PEACH

102 S Cherokee Ave

The Peanut Gallerie is the perfect boutique for fine art and unique gifts for any occation. They even offer creative classes so grab your purse and paintbrush!



TEAM PLAYERS

Team Players show up and show out. They possess a determination like none other and strive to be the best. Whether on the softball field or bike trail, you can find them pushing themselves to the next level. They want to assist others in achieving goals once thought unattainable. Team Players support others and offer the confidence they need to compete at their best.

STRIVE TO BE THE BEST ??



SHARON O'MARA

All Zones Fast Pitch Academy

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I came here in 2008 from Australia and was the pitching coach at Troy until 2014 when I set up All Zones Fast Pitch Academy. We offer lessons in all aspects of the game for ages 7 through college. Last year, I helped bring the Australian National Softball team to Dothan to host a clinic for local softball players and play a game with Wiregrass All-Stars before Australia competed in the World Games. Around 2500 people came to the game and we raised around \$3,000 for local animal shelters. The Australian team was blown away by the hospitality of the South and would love to return to Dothan in the near future.

Visitor Musts:

- Westgate & James Oates are second to none athletic facilities!
- Check out the trampoline parks for the kids to stretch their legs



CHRIS LUNA

USA BMX

f USABMX

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What makes Dothan special to me is the people there, the Southern hospitality. That's what people from all over the country enjoy when they come to Dothan, Alabama, the red carpet is rolled out and they're treated great, everywhere they go. BMX is one of those events where when people go, they want to go back and word spreads because of how well they're treated while they're in Dothan. Our first time in Dothan in 2016, we had 500 riders, and our last time in Dothan we had over 1100 new riders. We look forward to many more years to come.

Visitor Must:

· Hunt's Seafood Restaurant & Oyster Bar

LIVE MUSIC

COWBOYS

- f cowboysofdothan
- · Largest honky-tonk this side of the Mississippi
- · Legendary quarter beer night Thursdays 7-9pm
- · Indoor seating only
- · Has hosted famous names such as Hank Williams Jr., Billy Ray Cyrus, Merle Haggard, Alabama, and many more

CIRCLE CITY BREWING

- f circlecitybrewingco
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- The building was originally the Alcazar Silent Movie Theater
- Indoor seating only
- · Craft beer, full spirits menu, pizzas, flatbreads, dips, salads, wings and burgers
- · Trivia Tuesdays are a local favorite

THE THIRSTY PIG

- f beathirstypig
- thirstypigbeer
- · Indoor/outdoor seating with classic food truck fare available
- · Regularly hosts tap takeovers and trivia nights
- \cdot Great patio seating complete with stage, string lights, and a mural, of course



FOLKLORE BREWING

FOLKLORE BREWING & MEADERY

- FolkloreBrewing
- folklorebrewing
- · Folklore became the first "packaging brewery" in Dothan since the Prohibition era
- · Backwoods southern speakeasy vibe with indoor/outdoor seating (dogs are welcome!)
- · Over 14 varieties of beer and 8 or more house-made meads

LIVE MUSIC

KEEL & CO DISTILLING

- KeelandCoDistilling
- keelcodistilling
- · Micro distillery specializing in bourbon whiskey, moonshine, rum, vodka, and gin
- · Indoor/outdoor seating available
- · Tasting room with samples available so you can try before you buy!



THE RECOVERY ROOM BAR

- f recoveryroomdothan
- \cdot "A feel better bar" that caters to Dothan's large medical community
- · Signature medical-themed cocktail menu
- · Indoor/outdoor seating complete with pool table and patio space
- · Great variety of local musicians in rotation

RAIN

- f raindothan
- · Indoor/outdoor seating with covered patio and outdoor stage
- · Signature cocktails that change monthly
- patio for a slower pace

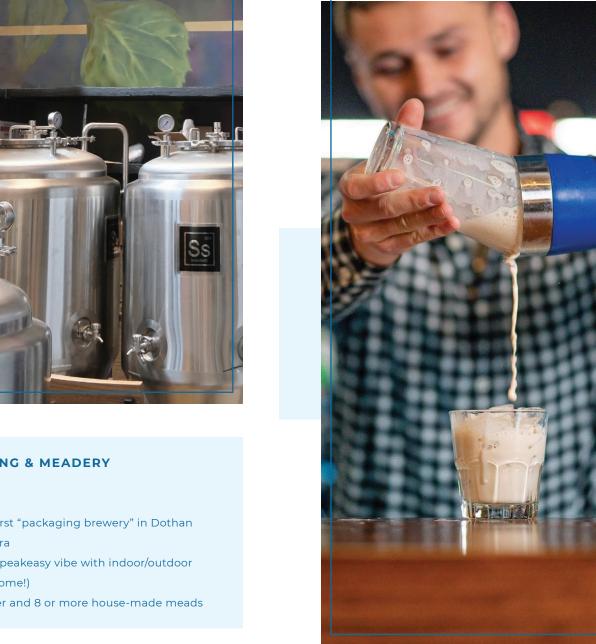


- dothanrain

- · Stay inside for classic nightclub vibes or take it outside to the



- KTs-Tavern
- · Classic pizza and beer joint with specialty seasonal menu items like the alligator po boy and slow braised short rib
- · Indoor/outdoor seating with large outdoor patio
- · Famous Sunday Brunch with unique curated menu that changes regularly (must be 19+)



YOUR SOUTHERN SPORTS DESTINATION





Dothan is south Alabama's premier sports destination. Our venues regularly host national events for **USTA**, **USA BMX**, **PGA**, **LPGA** as well as **Dixie Youth Baseball and Softball**. No matter your sport of choice, we have the right space for you. Choose from 47 professional grade tennis courts, 31 baseball and softball fields, multiple soccer fields for all ages, a competition archery range, a killer BMX track, multiple disc golf courses, and so much more.

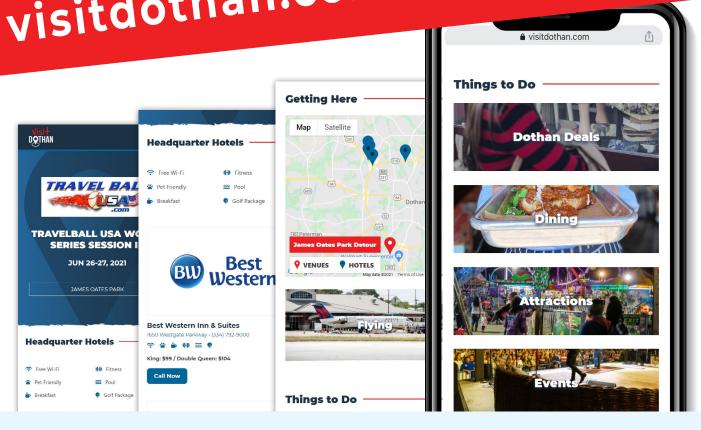


CHOOSE YOUR ADVENTURE

IN TOWN FOR A TOURNAMENT?

PLAN YOUR STAY & FIND YOUR DOTHAN DEALS!

visitdothan.com/tournaments



STAY CONNECTED!

Sign-Up for our Email Newsletter to receive updates on Dothan tournaments and events.



DOUG TEW COMMUNITY CENTER

300 Garland St. 334.615.3720

The Doug Tew Community Center is located on 15 acres of land and includes a recreation center, five ball fields, a swimming pool, and a playground/picnic area. The recreation center includes a gymnasium, auditorium, kitchen, two club rooms, lobby, offices, and restrooms. Three Dixie Youth baseball fields and one Dixie Boys Ozone Field are located in the athletic complex. A cabana, located between the baseball fields, houses a concession stand, picnic area, restrooms, and press box. Closest to the community center is a girls' softball field.

EASTGATE PARK

1949 Sanitary Dairy Rd. 334.615.3730

Eastgate Park is a 200-acre park on the east side of town. At Eastgate Park, you can play volleyball in the sand court, walk on the 2-mile trail and boardwalk, and catch-and-release fish in the fishing ponds. Eastgate also offers a disc golf course and archery range. Eastgate's fenced dog park is open during sunlight hours for dogs to roam off the leash. Plenty of green space is available for picnics and quiet days in nature.

Sports / Activities: Baseball, Leisure Volleyball, Disc Golf, Archery, Fishing, Walking, Dog Park

JAMES OATES PARK

300 Taylor Rd. 334.615.3772

Dothan's newest park is James Oates Park, hosting softball and baseball on premier AstroTurf fields. James Oates Park is a tournament favorite for regional and national baseball and softball tournaments, and families participating in tournaments enjoy the playground and walking trails in between games.

Sports / Activities: Baseball & Softball

RIP HEWES ATHLETIC COMPLEX 1701 Stadium St.

334.673.4803

Constructed in 1963, Rip Hewes Athletic Complex includes a 10,000 seat football stadium, six tennis courts, two softball fields, and one baseball field. Renovated in 2022, including a new AstroTurf playing surface. The stadium is used for football games and community events, like "Movies Under the Stars".

WESTGATE PARK

501 Recreation Rd. 334.615.3760

Dothan's largest recreational park is Westgate Park. At Westgate Park, you can play softball, baseball, soccer, and tennis, race BMX bikes, or walk and run the 3.3 mile nature trail followed by a quick workout at the Outdoor Fitness Gym. Westgate also has a recreation center with a gym, fitness center, swimming pool, and wellness pool. Westgate also is home to Miracle Field, an allabilities baseball field for the Miracle League. This park also features Water World, an exiciting waterpark with tons of new slides!

Sports / Activities: Baseball, Softball, Soccer, Football, Tennis, Miracle League Baseball, BMX, Swimming, Walking, Running, Trail Biking, Fitness, Kickball

GOLF

HIGHLAND OAKS

904 Royal Pkwy / 334.712.2820 rtjgolf.com/highlandoaks A Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail Course. 3 Nine Hole courses and a Short Course

DOTHAN NATIONAL GOLF COURSE

7410 US Hwy 231 S. / 334.677.3326 dothannationalgolfclubandhotel.com 18 hole course & Top Tracer Driving Range

DOTHAN DRIVING RANGE & GOLF SHOP

7600 US 84W / 334.500.0630 Full service learning, practice, & club repair facility

ROUNDABOUT PLANTATION

321 Roundabout Dr. / 334.793.3300 18 hole course

SILVER WINGS GOLF CLUB

20067 Combat Rd, Fort Rucker, AL 36362. / 334.255.0089 27-hole championship facility with one of the most challenging layouts in the region.



Eastgate's dog park is a favorite among our 4 footed locals!

PLAYGROUNDS

MIRACLE PLAYGROUND

501 Recreation Ave. An all-abilities inclusive playground at Westgate Park

KIWANIS PARK

900 Deerpath Rd. Playground for big and little with picnic pavilion

EASTGATE PARK

1949 Sanitary Dairy Rd. Two playgrounds

JAMES OATES PARK

300 Taylor Rd.
Playground with picnic pavilion

RAVENWOOD SPORTING CLAYS

10671 US Hwy 431, Newville 334.648.1440

Try your hand at skeet-shooting at Ravenwood Sporting Clays, a 43-acre course through a naturally wooded area. Guns available for rent at Ravenwood, or you can bring your own.

Westgate Tennis Center is one of the finest modern facilities in the United States. The facility addresses the highest standards of play and the greatest comfort for spectators. Several national, sectional, state, local, adult, and junior tournaments are hosted here throughout the year. The Center features 20 Har-Tru courts.





OUTDOOR FITNESS

BEAVER CREEK TRAIL

384 Narcisse Dr. 334.615.3700

Dothan boasts the only urban Forever Wild Land Trust trail in Alabama. Winding fourteen miles on the west side of town, Beaver Creek Trail has trails varied on experience and multiple elevations for walking, hiking, and trail biking, including a pump track. Beaver Creek has three trailheads and is marked for safety and navigation. Maps are available on-site.

Open daily during sunlight hours.

CIRCLE CITY BMX TRACK

501 Recreation Rd.

334.615.3760 / circlecitybmxracing.com

Inside Westgate Park is Circle City BMX, a track sanctioned by USA BMX. 1147 feet of racing surface with open practice schedule.

See website for practice schedule and fees.

EASTGATE PARK

1949 Sanitary Dairy Rd. 334.615.3730

Eastgate Park is home to a 2-mile walking trail with boardwalk around its 200 acres of park and nature.

Open daily during sunlight hours.

OUTDOOR FITNESS COURT

501 Recreation Rd. 334.615.3760

Westgate Park was selected as one of 100 public parks across the nation to install an outdoor fitness court. This fitness court is free to use, and includes equipment, instructions and an app to download for instruction and pre-planned workouts.

Open daily during sunlight hours.

WESTGATE PARK

501 Recreation Rd. 334.615.3760

Westgate Park boasts 3.3 miles of both nature and paved trails for walking, running, and biking. Wind your way around Dothan's largest park on this low-elevation trail that is marked for safety. This park is home to the outdoor fitness center.

Open daily during sunlight hours.



Above: Westgate Park Tennis Center • **Left:** Circle City BMX Track



COME BACK SWINGING

Dothan couldn't be more excited to welcome back The National Clay Court Championships July 9-16. One hundred ninety-two of the nation's top-rated 14-year-old boys will compete in both singles and doubles play. This year's field is expected to attract players from all over the country with most players ranking within the top 200 nationally!

HOW TO GET HERE

DISTANCE FROM **MAJOR CITIES**

Birmingham - 200 Mi

Huntsville - 300 Mi

Montgomery - 100 Mi

Mobile - 190 Mi

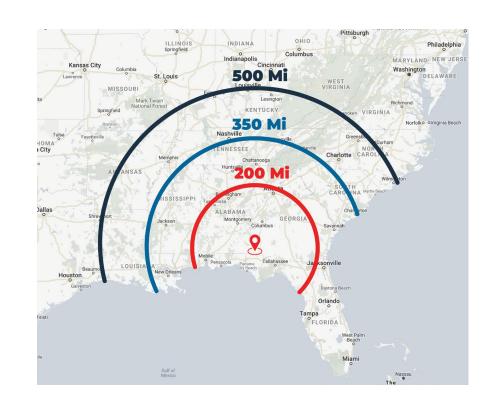
Panama City Beach - 90 Mi

Tuscaloosa - 200 Mi

MAJOR HIGHWAYS

US 231 US 84

US 431 AL 52



ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS

- Parking Lot- 207 N St. Andrews St.
- Bondy's Nissan- 3693 West Main St.
- Winn Dixie- 1511 Ross Clark Circle

- TownePlace Suites- 201 Retail Dr.
- Bondy's Ford Lincoln- 3615 Ross Clark Circle
- Mercedes Dothan- 2309 Ross Clark Circle





WHERE TO STAY

Breakfast

Pool

In House Restaurant • EV Charging Station

ADAMS INN

3145 Montgomery Hwy 334.793.4557

AMERICAN INN

3118 E. Main St. 334.793.4688

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2841 Ross Clark Circle 334.793.2550

wyndhamhotels.com

BEE LINE MOTEL

733 N. Oates St. 334.794.8631

BEST WESTERN INN & SUITES

1650 Westgate Pkwy 334.792.9000 / 800.WESTERN bestwestern.com/dothaninnandsuites

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BUDGET INN

1964 Montgomery Hwy 334.305.0331

CHOICE INN

314 N. Foster St. 334.792.1123

CLARION INN & SUITES

2195 Ross Clark Circle 334.794.8711 choicehotels.com/hotel/AL376

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COMFORT INN & SUITES

2227 E. Main St. 334.792.7788 / 800.CHOICE choicehotels.com/hotel/AL370

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3465 Ross Clark Circle 334.479.8900 choicehotels.com

COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT

3040 Ross Clark Circle 334.671.3000 marriott.com/dhncy

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2155 Montgomery Hwy 334.793.1237

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dothannationalgolfclubandhotel.com

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2910 Ross Clark Circle 334.673.8000 / 800.424.6423 choicehotels.com/hotel/AL007

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1075 Ross Clark Circle 334.793.2525 / 800.21.GUEST guesthouseintl.com

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171 Hospitality Lane 334.671.7676 / 877.STAY.HGI dothan.hgi.com

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4090 Ross Clark Circle 334.699.6868 / 800.HOLIDAY hiexpress.com/dothannorth

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HOME2 SUITES BY HILTON

5005 Montgomery Hwy 334.873.4840 home2suites.hilton.com

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WHERE TO STAY

HOWARD JOHNSON LODGE

2244 Ross Clark Circle 334.792.3339 / 800.446.4656 hojo.com



INTOWN SUITES

2880 Ross Clark Circle 334.673.2557 / 800.553.9338 intownsuites.com



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3593 Ross Clark Circle 334.793.9090 / 800.474.7298 laquintadothan.com



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11295 US Hwy 231 S. 334.316.9300 magnoliacreeklodge.com

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2907 Ross Clark Circle 334.793.6013 / 800.466.8356 motel6.com



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3285 Montgomery Hwy 334.793.4376 redroof.com



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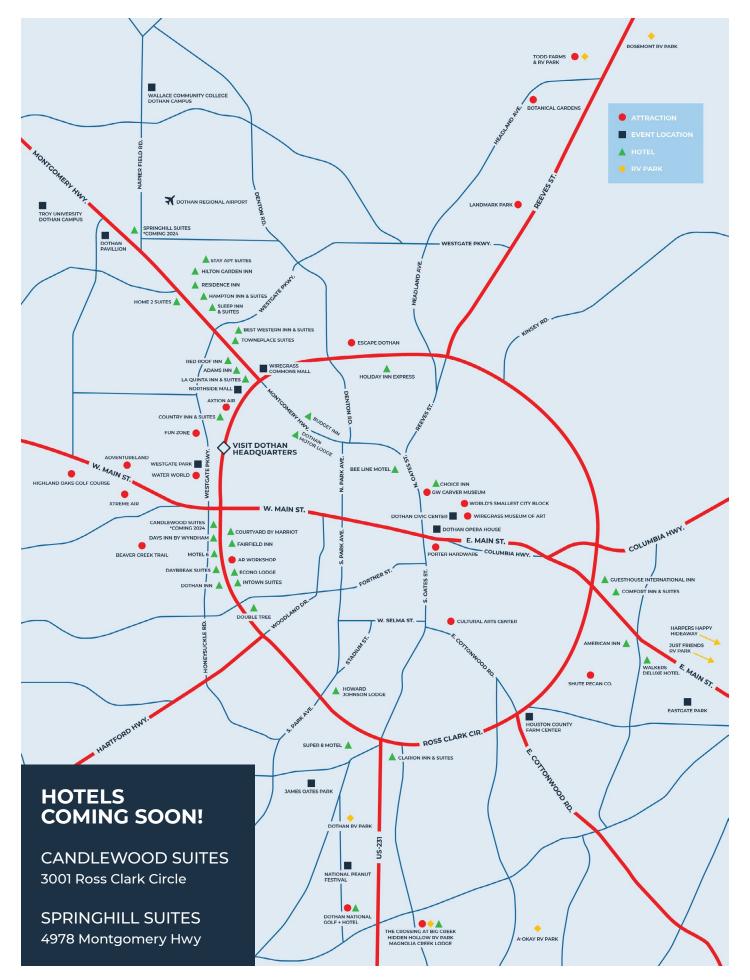
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