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April 28-30, 2023

Registration LIVE February 1st

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45 years separates the Boy Scouts of America and Abraham Lincoln, yet Lincoln lived each day in the spirit of the Scout Law.

Join us at the 2023 Lincoln Pilgrimage weekend and share the life and legacy of Abraham Lincoln.

This year's patch is the sixth in the series of twelve depicting Lincoln and the Scout Law. This year's patch theme...

*A Scout is
Friendly*

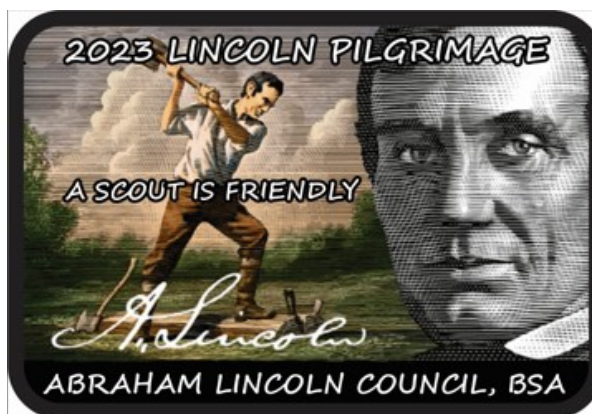




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Pilgrimage History

The first Boy Scout Lincoln Pilgrimage was held in Fort Wayne, Indiana at the encouragement of the Lincoln Life Insurance Corporation in 1934. The first Abraham Lincoln Council Pilgrimage was held in 1946.

At its start the Lincoln Pilgrimage consisted of a march from the Old Illinois State Capitol and ended at Lincoln's Tomb in Oak Ridge Cemetery, where a commemorative program was held. Today's Lincoln Pilgrimage Route has been reversed, with Scouts leaving Oak Ridge Cemetery and marching with flags flying through Springfield to the Old State Capitol. The weekend itself has grown to include many activities and adventures.



The Lincoln Trail hike was started in 1926, and is the first historic trail to be recognized by the National Council, BSA. R. Allan Stephens, a local attorney and past Council President, is credited with starting the trail, which follows the very footsteps of Abraham Lincoln and his regular journey from New Salem to Springfield.

The modern Lincoln Trail starts at Lincoln's New Salem State Historic Site and travels through the roughly 19 miles of countryside reaching its official end at Stuart Park.

Stuart Park is also closely connected to Lincoln and Scouting. Robert A. Stuart Sr., for whom the park is named, is the great grandson of John Stuart who loaned law books to a young Abraham Lincoln which he read while walking to and from Springfield. John Stuart, who was also a cousin of Mary Todd, later hired Lincoln to work at his practice. This practice still exists today, and Past Council President and Distinguished Eagle Scout Robert A. Stuart Jr. continues the close ties between the Abraham Lincoln Council, the Stuart Family, and President Lincoln Himself.



Since its creation many hundred-thousands of miles have been hiked on the Lincoln Trail, and endless memories made in Springfield. The Abraham Lincoln Council Invites YOU to join us as we continue to honor our 16th President!



Registration

Registration for the 2023 Lincoln Pilgrimage must be done online @ <https://www.alincolnbsa.org/lincolnpilgrimage> or QR code below. The deadline for registration is April 21, 2023.

There are three packages to purchase from and each comes with up to four a la carte options. Your packages purchased will be available for pickup in the following locations; The “**Legacy**” package can be picked up at your campsite; the “**Footsteps**” package can be picked up on Saturday at the Lincoln Trail check-in station in New Salem State Park or Camp Illinek; the “**Pilgrimage**” package will be available at 8:00 AM at the Check-in Station and trading post close to Lincoln’s Tomb; “A la Carte” items can be picked up at New Salem State Park, Camp Illinek or on Sunday at the Lincoln Tomb. If you order from our online Trading post only and do not go through the registration system the same options will be available with the addition of shipping.

We have changed our registration software since last years Pilgrimage, and as such some packages and options have changed.

If you have any questions please contact our office at 217-529-2727 or askabe@scouting.org



*Refund Policy

All registrations and purchases are considered non-refundable. Requests for refunds should be submitted in writing no later than April 1st, and sent to askabe@scouting.org.



Registration Packages

* Indicates you can only pick one if this is selected

Lincoln's Legacy

The full weekend experience! Immerse yourself in *Lincoln's Legacy* and the history

Package Includes (\$65 value)

- Sunday Program and March
 - 2 Nights of Camping
- Commemorative Ballcap
(first 500 total packages)

And two A la carte Options below:

- Lincoln Trail Hike year 1,2,3 or 4 *
- Presidential Museum Quest and Admission
 - Museum Trail
- Advanced Oak Ridge Cemetery Trail
 - Heritage Trail 1,2,3 or 4
 - Lincoln's New Salem Experience
 - Trails of New Salem
- Lincoln's Bicycle Trail (with mile options)
If going over 25 miles *

\$50

Lincoln's Footsteps

Saturday Only Option: Taking a *Walk in Lincoln's Footsteps* is the ideal package for those that wish to hike the Lincoln Trail or other A la Carte option just on Saturday.

Package Includes (\$55 Value)

- Commemorative Ballcap
(first 500 total packages)

And two A la carte Options below:

- Lincoln Trail Hike on Saturday *
 - Museum Trail
 - Oak Ridge Cemetery Trail
 - Heritage Trail
 - Lincolns New Salem Experience
- Presidential Museum Quest and Admission
 - Trails of New Salem
- Lincoln's Bicycle Trail (with mile options)
 - If going over 25 miles *

. \$40

Pilgrimage Package

Sunday Only Option: Come on out Sunday for the laying of wreaths on Lincoln's Tomb, and War memorials. After that we have a distinguished speaker share the benefits that Scouting values, Abraham Lincoln's legacy and then we will march downtown to the Old State Capital building to cap off the day.

Package Includes (\$35 Value)

- Sunday Program and March
 - Commemorative Ballcap
(first 500 total packages)
- Highlight or Introductory Oak Ridge Cemetery Trail

\$30



Additional Registration Options

All events can be registered for individually. The deadline for online registration is midnight on Sunday, April 21, 2023. Pre Orders for online trading post during registration closes March 19, 2023.

Patches will be available at the Sunday Trading Post at Oak Ridge Cemetery.

Lincoln Pilgrimage Sunday Program & March*	\$6
Lincoln's New Salem Experience*	\$6
Trails of New Salem*	\$6
Lincoln Trail Hike*	\$6
Museum Trail*	\$6
Oak Ridge Cemetery Trail*	\$6
Heritage Trail*	\$6
Lincoln's Bicycle Trail*	\$6
Presidential Museum and Admission Pre-order Only*	
Youth or Adult	\$10
Camping (Pre-registration).	
Friday	\$5
Saturday	\$5

*Fees include program materials and recognition items.

Register online at
<https://www.alincolnbsa.org/lincolnpilgrimage>



2023 Trading Post Highlighted Items

Many trading post items will be available for sale during the pilgrimage. An online trading post is available to pre-order highlighted item for each Scout and Adult while registering online. Others can go to our online trading post via the pilgrimage page on our website or the trading posts at the event . Note that the end of the Lincoln Trail Hike will have a Trading Post and the Order of the Arrow will have food for sale for those hungry hikers!

New Salem Trading Post
& Camp Illinek (new)
Friday 4:00-10:00
Saturday 9:00-2:00



2023 Commemorative Ballcap

The first 500 package orders will receive and available for pre-order online
\$20.00 (limited supply during event)

Lincoln Tomb Trading Post
Sunday 9:00-12:00

Commemorative Sweatshirts

\$30.00 (limited supply during event, order to guarantee getting one) (\$2.00 More for 3x-5x)



ALC Nalgene

Stay hydrated and show off your ALC pride.
\$15.00 Available on site



Commemorative Coin

Only 50 Available
\$10.00



Lincoln Trail Commemorative Items

Lincoln Trail 5x, 10x & 15x Repeat Patches \$6.00

Pilgrimage T-shirts

Show off your Pilgrimage pride with
\$20.00 each Available on site (\$2.00 3x-5x)



The Trading Post with online registration closes on March 19 at 11:59 PM for preorders.

More items will be available at the Pilgrimage Trading Post online and at the event. Note that if you attend Presidential Museum outside of Pilgrimage weekend—the patch can be purchased at Scout Office for \$6.00 each.



Lincoln Pilgrimage

For more than 75 years, Scouts have been gathering at the final resting place of our 16th President, and making the march between his Tomb and the Old State Capitol. All the events of the Lincoln Pilgrimage Weekend culminate with this grand showcase of citizenship. All participants in the weekend are asked to join us for these programs.

War Memorial Program

Join us at the south west corner of the cemetery as Scouts honor those who served. This brief memorial highlights the connection between President Lincoln and honoring Veterans as Scouts place wreaths of honor and enjoy a reading of the Gettysburg Address.



Ceremonies at Lincoln's Tomb

The pinnacle of the Pilgrimage weekend, the formal ceremonies at Lincoln's Tomb start with a ceremonial wreath laying by Scouts inside the Tomb. Immediately following is an inspiring program put on by our local Scouts, and a message of tribute to Mr. Lincoln by distinguished guests.

The Scouts March to the Old State Capitol

A visually stunning experience as a column of Scouts, led by the Eagle Honor Guard, parade through the city on a route very similar to the first pilgrimage in 1946.



Schedule of Events

- 9:00 AM—Registration Opens
- 10:45 AM—War Memorial Program
- 12:00 PM—Assembly at the Tomb
- 12:15 PM—Wreath Laying Ceremony
- 12:20 PM—Program at the Tomb
- 12:45 PM—Scouts March

Parking & Transportation tip

Units can stage their vehicles downtown on Sunday. Parking is typically available in the Horace Mann parking lot directly behind the Presidential Museum. If you drop your Scouts off with adult supervision at Oak Ridge Cemetery and then stage your vehicles downtown, you will be able to leave for home at the conclusion of the march.

Guests are asked to remember that Oak Ridge is an active cemetery, and the Abraham Lincoln Council does not have control over the facility. As such, Scouts are asked to avoid certain parking areas to allow the general public access. Please refer volunteer staff when arriving but parking is not permitted in the parking lot behind the Tomb

Key Note Speaker

Details coming Soon



The Lincoln Trail

Walk where Lincoln walked on the Lincoln Trail, the first historical trail recognized by the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

The Lincoln Trail is a strenuous 19-mile hike and hikers under the age of 11 are not allowed.

All hikers can start on the trail as early as 6 a.m. and must be on the trail by 9:15 a.m. on Saturday. Completion time varies depending on start time and speed. Ideally all hikers will be at station 4 by 3:00 PM, and off the trail no later than 4:00 p.m.

The Lincoln Trail is a full day event for hikers, however parents, siblings, and Scouts who will not be hiking have ample time to visit some of the other sites and activities while hikers are on the trail.

Lincoln Trail Hiking Guidelines

- BSA Youth protection policies require at least two adult leaders for each group hiking.
- For hiker safety, support vehicles must use alternate roads to reach the rest stations.
- Groups must stay together as a group when hiking.
- All unit leaders must register at the beginning of the trail.
- All leaders must check in at the different stations along the way. Scouts without adult supervision will not be allowed to continue.
- Observe safe-hiking rules at all times. Groups must walk facing traffic and allow traffic to pass. Be alert to traffic at all times.
- Leave the animals alone along the trail.
- Leave No Trace, and pack your trash.
- Respect private property.
- All units must provide their own transportation back to where they are camping.
- Bicycles, roller blades, and runners are not allowed on the trail.
- Abraham Lincoln Council personnel will be monitoring the trail to ensure that the safety guidelines are being followed. Patches may not be awarded to hikers who blatantly disobey these guidelines.
- Port-a-pots are at each check-in station

In the event of inclement weather, the Abraham Lincoln Council, local sheriff's office, and/or their representatives reserve the right to halt the hike of the Lincoln Trail. You will be asked to return to New Salem or be instructed to proceed to a designated safe area, stop, and wait for your transportation.



The Lincoln Trail

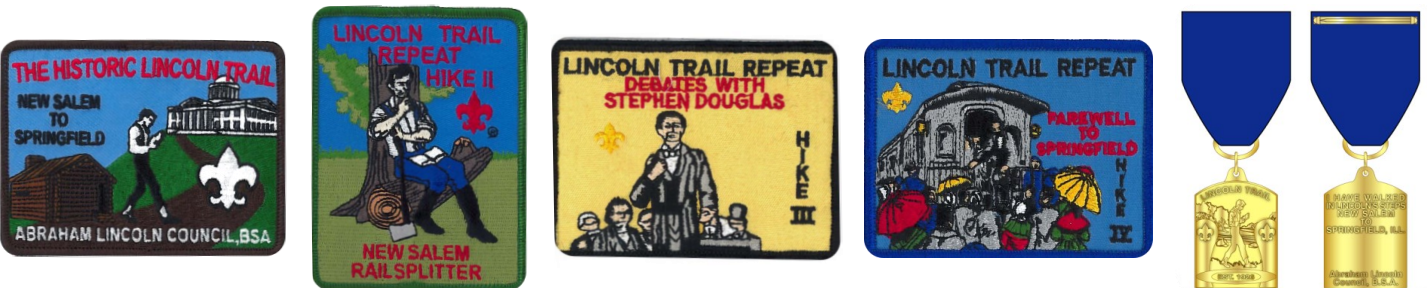
What to pack for the Trail:

- Sturdy Shoes
- Hiking socks (bring extra for the hike)
- Liner socks
- Lunch/Snacks
- Sufficient Water
- Sun and/or Rain protection
- Trash bag
- First Aid kit w/moleskin

There may be concessions available for purchase at the end of the trail in Stuart Park. Parking is limited at Stuart Park, so please be courteous when planning return transportation.

All hikers receive their choice of Trail Patch 1-4 with their hike voucher.

A Lincoln Trail Medal can be purchased for \$7 in the trading post online or at the end of the trail.



In 2015, the Abraham Lincoln Council commemorated the 90th anniversary of the Lincoln Trail by issuing a series of commemorative patches.

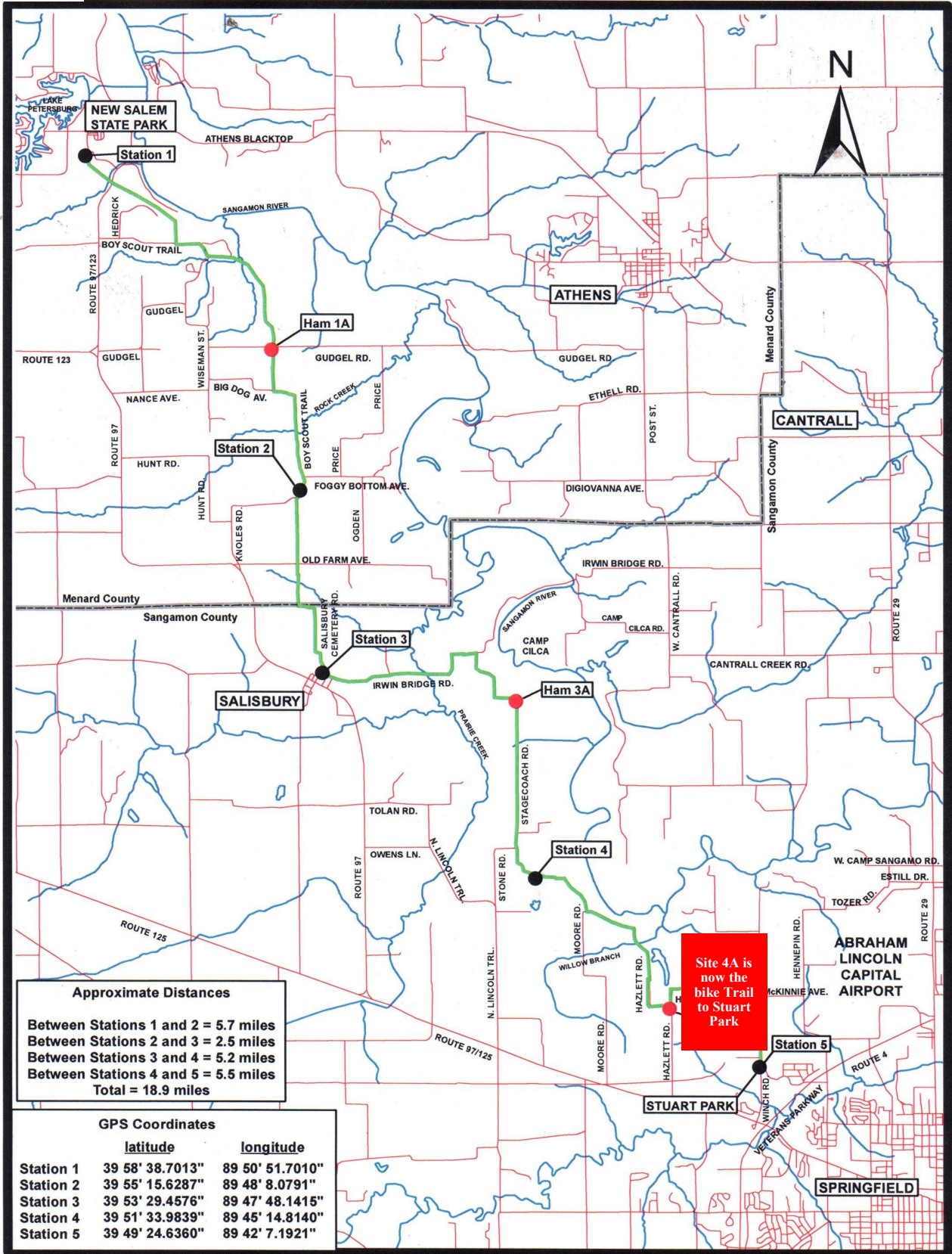
The “black’ boarder recognizes the 90th year of the trail, and the bronze, gold, and silver borders are available to recognize those who have hiked the trail 5, 10, or 15+ times.

Limited quantities of these \$6 patches remain available for purchase.





The Lincoln Trail





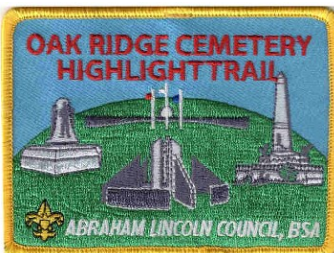
Oak Ridge Cemetery Trail

Oak Ridge Cemetery has the distinction of being the second most visited cemetery in the nation, second only to Arlington National Cemetery. In addition to being the site of the *Lincoln Pilgrimage*, The Oak Ridge Cemetery has three Trails that Scouts can complete during their visit.

Virtually every participant in the Pilgrimage will complete the Introductory Trail by visiting Mr. Lincoln's Tomb. The Intermediate Trail involves visiting the War Memorials in Oak Ridge. The Advanced Trail provides an in depth look at the cemetery, including visits to the graves of governors, poets, pioneers and other notable characters in history.

The **Introductory Trail** is a shorter trail and is ideal for those only visiting the Tomb. In about a half hour you will experience Mr. Lincoln's Tomb and the history surrounding it.

This Trail was designed for all ages, but with particular emphasis on the younger visitor. For those participating in the Lincoln Pilgrimage, this Trail is something the Scouts are encouraged to do while they are waiting for the program to begin on Sunday.



The **Highlights Trail** visits the war memorials in Oak Ridge Cemetery. It takes about 1½ hours to complete the mile long trail. The trail also familiarizes the hikers with Illinois' contribution to freedom and the memorials are lasting tributes to those who gave their lives in service to our country safeguarding the liberties we enjoy today.

This Trail was designed for older youth and adults. For those participating in the Annual Lincoln Pilgrimage, this trail can be done before the program begins with an early start.

The **Advanced Trail** takes hikers on an in-depth look at the pioneers of Illinois and Springfield who lie buried in Oak Ridge Cemetery. Allow approximately 1½ hours as you visit the "old section" of the cemetery that houses governors, poets, orphans, historical figures, Springfield notables, and Mr. Lincoln's friends and relatives. Compass headings and GPS points are included for those wishing to improve their skills or just have more fun.

For those participating in the Annual Lincoln Pilgrimage, this would be a Saturday activity or most of Sunday morning prior to the start of the Pilgrimage Program.



Each trail features a workbook, answer sheet, and map to earn the patch. To complete all three trails in one visit, allow approximately three hours.



The Heritage Trail

A trip to Springfield is hardly complete without a tour of the many historic sites in the city. The *Heritage Trail* visits numerous sites in the area with strong connections to Mr. Lincoln.

To complete the trail hikers must visit the 5 sites each year and we have recognition for up to 4 years. The trail is designed to be fully walkable with the exception of getting to the Lincoln

Site Options

Old State Capitol

1 N Old State Capitol Plaza
Springfield, IL 62701

Lincoln Tomb

1500 Monument Ave
Springfield, IL 62702

Lincoln Home

427 S 7th Street
Springfield, IL 62701

Lincoln's Family Church

Closed on Saturday—open Friday and Sunday (call to set time)

321 S Seventh Street
Springfield, IL 62701

See the Lincoln Family Pew at
First Presbyterian
217-5028-4311

Great Western Railroad Depot

930 E Monroe St
Springfield, IL 62703

Where President Elect Lincoln
departed to Washington

Illinois State Treasurer

1 E Old State Capitol Plaza
Springfield, IL 62701

Visit Mr. Lincoln's bank and
the ledger recording his
deposit

Lincoln's New Salem

15588 History Lane
Petersburg, IL 62675

Visit the recreated frontier
town

Lincoln Home Visitors Center

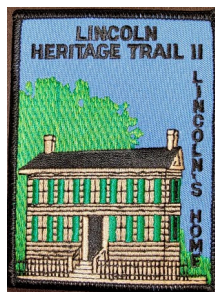
427 S 7th Street
Springfield, IL 62702

*Units need to stop by visitors
center to get time ticket to tour
the house.*

Lincoln Herndon Law Office

1 SE Old State Plaza
Springfield, IL 62701

**CLOSED IN 2023 FOR
CONSTRUCTION REPAIRS**



For days and hours of operation for the above sites, call the Springfield Convention and Visitors Bureau at (800) 545-7300 or (217) 789-2360 or check their website at www.visit-springfieldillinois.com.



New Salem Experience

Experience Lincoln's New Salem State Historic Site and the recreated frontier town. An ideal trek for Cub Scouts, a scavenger hunt guides Scouts through the site and to many of the key features. By completing the hunt, Scouts will have earned their patch.



The Trails of New Salem



Not quite ready for the Lincoln Trail? Then the *Trails of New Salem* are for you. Several miles of trails on the east side of Lincoln's New Salem can be paired with the *New Salem Experience* or done separately. These trails can be used to meet many advancement requirements for all Scouts.



The Museum Quest

Experience Lincoln's life, from triumph to tragedy through a mix of immersive displays and shows. The Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum boasts one of a kind artifacts, and the *Museum Quest* takes Scouts on a fifty question journey through the exhibits.

The Museum is open daily from 9:00 am - 5:00 pm. Last entry is 4:00 pm.

Admission to the ALPLM can be pre-purchased at a discount through either the "Lincoln Legacy" package or the A la Carte option.



SPECIAL GUEST EXHIBIT "HERE I LIVE IN ILLINOIS"

Representing diverse experiences across the prairie state, this exhibit will inspire visitors to connect through artifacts, videos, and interactive features with how people have imagined, created, and found home in Illinois.



The Museum Trail

Springfield is home to countless museums and the *Museum Trail* challenges you to visit at least five. In a true build-your-own adventure style you have full control over your trail experience. Hikers must get their passports authenticated at a minimum of five museums and submit an essay on a topic covered at one of the museums to their Unit Leader to complete the Museum Trail Patch.



Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum
112 N 6th St.
217-785-0348

Air Combat Museum,
835 S Airport Dr.
217-698-3990

The Arnold House
Lincoln Home National
Historic Site;
426 S. 7th St.
217-492-4241

The Elijah Iles House
630 S. 7th St.
217-492-5929

Grand Army of the Republic Memorial Museum
629 S 7th St.
217-522-4373

Vachel Lindsay Home
603 South Fifth Street
217-524-0901

Illinois State Military Museum
1301 N MacArthur
217-761-3910

Illinois State Museum
1 N Old State Capitol Plaza
217-782-7386

Clayville Historical Site
Illinois 125
Pleasant Plains
217-971-4276

The Old State Capitol
1 N Old State Capitol Plaza
217-785-7960

Springfield and Central Illinois African American History Museum
1440 Monument Avenue
217-391-6323
Dana-Thomas House
301 E Lawrence St
217-782-6776

Springfield and Central Illinois African American History Museum
1440 Monument Ave,
Springfield, IL 62702
217-391-6323

The Museum Trail is available year-round. Weekend hikers are encouraged to contact participating museums to confirm hours.

The Museum Trail does not include admission to the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum or admission charges that may be applicable at any other museum. Admission for the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum may be purchased under the “Lincoln Legacy” package at a discounted rate and under the a la carte option at a discounted rate, or at the museum door at FULL price.



The Lincoln Bicycle Trail

Following an abandoned segment of the St. Louis, Peoria, and North Western Railway, the Sangamon Valley Trail runs from Centennial Park in Springfield to Irwin Bridge Road in Cantrall. The Lincoln Bicycle Trail offers Scouts and leaders an opportunity to complete biking trips of varying length to fit their Pilgrimage Weekend Schedule.

The Lincoln Bicycle Trail is a self-guided program, and can be structured to fit your schedule. Starting at Centennial Park it is 6.3 miles to Stuart Park (The end point for the Lincoln Trail). From Stuart Park to Irwin Bridge Road is another 6.5 miles. The distance from Centennial Park to Irwin Bridge Road bypassing Stuart Park is approximately 11.7 miles.

Trail Guidelines

- All groups must abide by BSA Youth Protection Guidelines.
- Groups should stay together, or consider dividing into groups with similar abilities.
- All bikers must wear a properly fitted helmet.
- Follow the use guidelines set by the Springfield Park District.
- Practice proper outdoor ethics for a cycling event.
- Parking is limited along the trail. Please limit the number of vehicles.
- Bathrooms are available at Centennial Park and Stuart Park.



Download the Route:

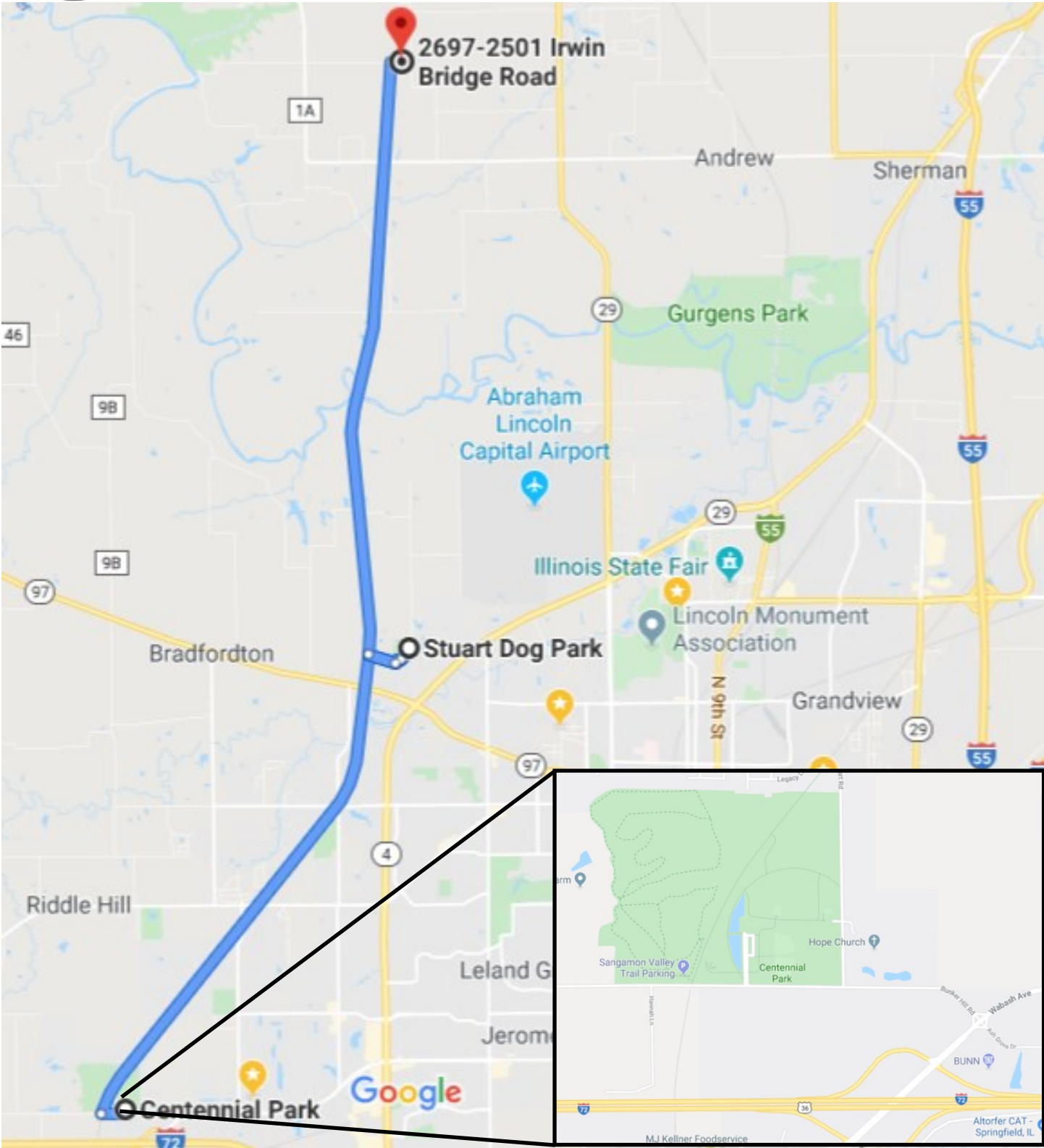
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All Riders will receive their choice of one:

- Lincoln Bicycle Trail Patch
- 25 Miler Patch for completing 1 "loop" from Centennial Park to Irwin Rd and returning to Centennial Park (including spur to Stuart Park)
- 50 Miler Patch for completing 2 "loops" from Centennial Park to Irwin Rd and returning to Centennial Park (Including spur to Stuart Park)



The Lincoln Bicycle Trail





Camp at Camp Illenek

6610 Iron Bridge Road
Chatham, IL 62629

Spend your evenings at the Abraham Lincoln Council's very own Camp Illenek. Nestled on the south-western corner of Lake Springfield, the camp is easily accessible from Interstate 55 and offers easy access to the many attractions in Springfield.

Camp Illenek Features

- Two shower houses
- Emergency storm shelters
- Secure parking
- Standard BSA Camp amenities



Camp Illenek has limited capacity and spaces are only held for paid reservations.

Check in at Camp Illenek begins at 4:00 p.m.

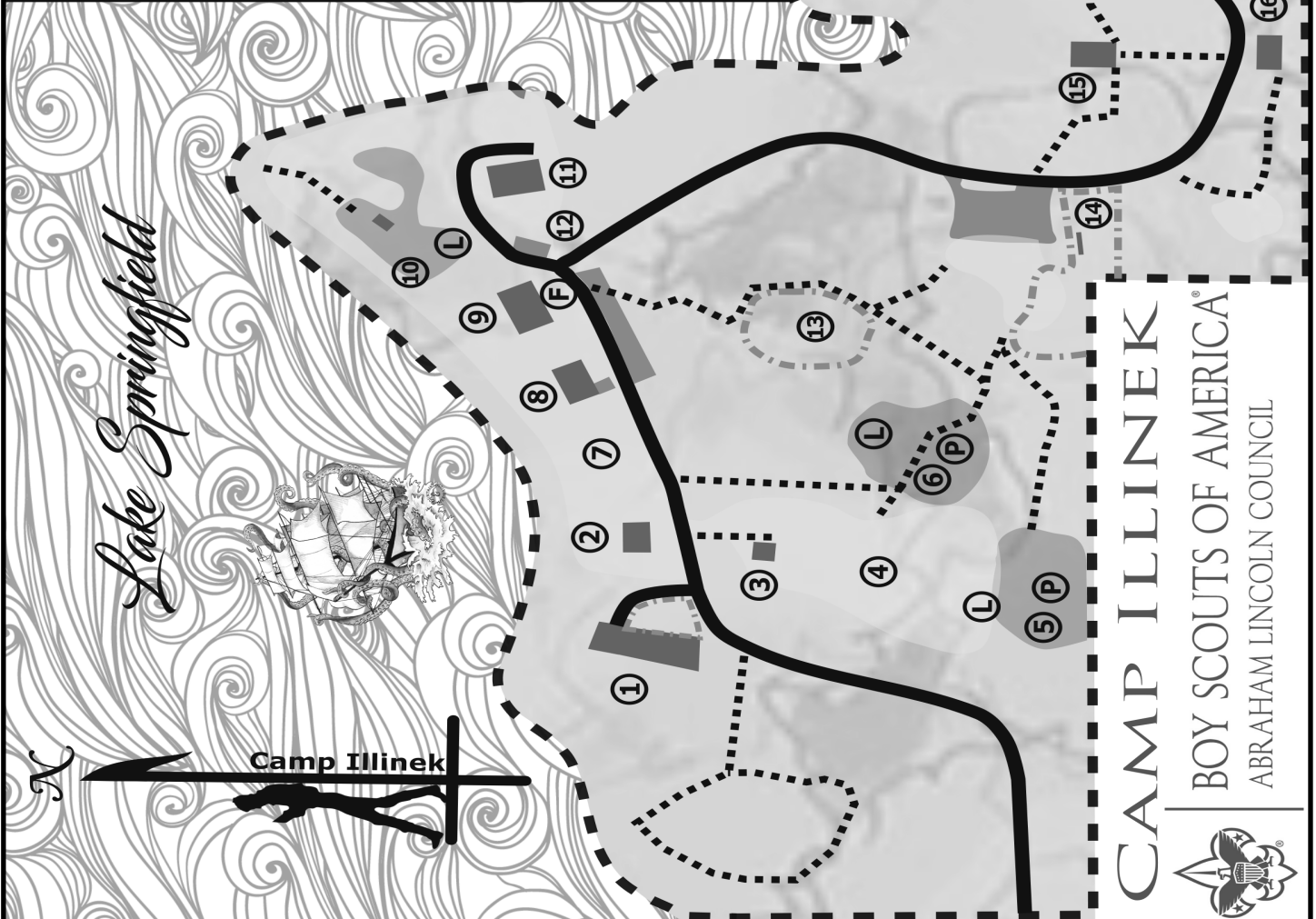
- All campers should check in at the Campmaster Lodge as you enter camp. This includes late arrivals.
- Camp fires are only permitted in pre-existing fire rings or raised fire pits.
All fires must be fully extinguished before leaving the site.
- Firewood is not available for purchase.
- Trailers and cars must remain on roads and in designated parking areas.
- Dumpsters are available for trash. Bring your own trash bags.
- No access to campsites for trailers
- Limit 600 campers
- Portable fire pits may be needed for some areas. No fires without a firepit.



Camping at Camp Illinek

Legend

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|--|----------------------|--|-------------------------|
| | Property Line | | Friendship Circle |
| | Drivable Roadway | | Campmaster Cabin |
| | Trail | | Booth Lodge |
| | Restricted Area | | Pioneer Point |
| | Building | | Sailing Training Center |
| | Parking | | Dumpsters |
| | Campsite | | Archery Range |
| | Open Space | | BB Range |
| | Pavilion | | Activity Building |
| | Latrine | | Rotary Lodge |
| | Flag Pole | | Lyman Grove |
| | Maintenance | | East Showerhouse |
| | Caretakers Residence | | Firebowl |
| | West Showerhouse | | Eagles Nest |
| | Activity Field | | Compass Course |
| | Pine Woods | | Bunker Hill |
| | Indian Village | | |



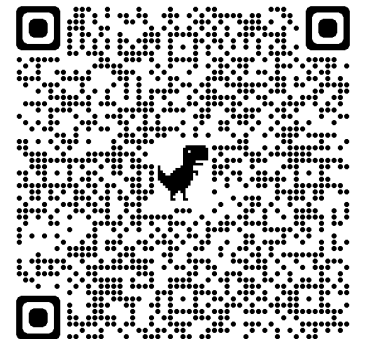
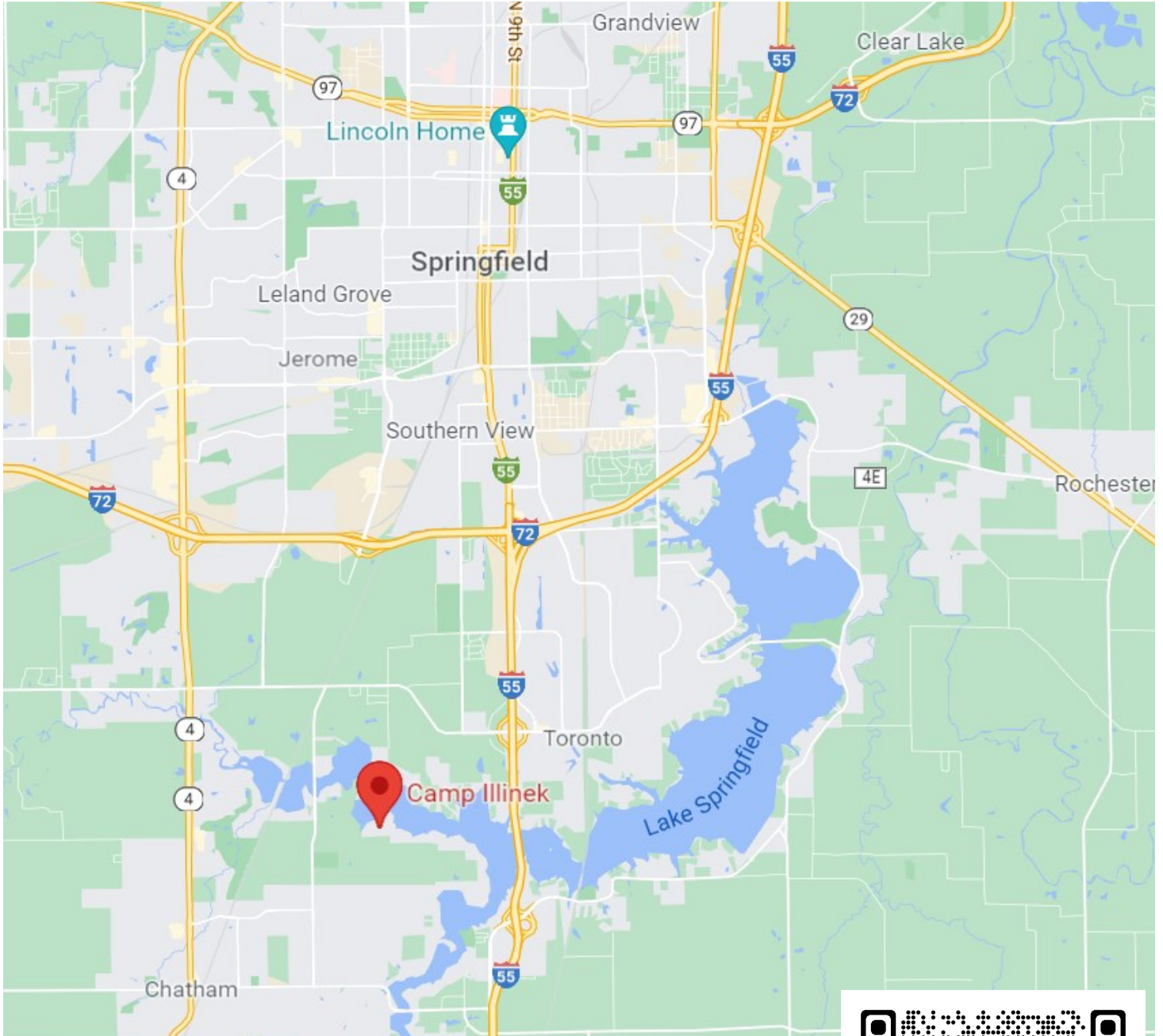
CAMP ILLINEK
 BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA®
 ABRAHAM LINCOLN COUNCIL





Camping at Camp Illinek

6610 Iron Bridge Road
Chatham, IL 62629



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Camping at New Salem

Lincoln's New Salem State Historic Site

15588 History Ln

Petersburg, IL 62675

Hang your hat just off the trail head for the Lincoln Trail and set up camp in the group camping area at the Historic Site. This location is ideal for those looking at an early start on the trail or a leisurely stroll into the site itself.

Arrival

- Check in begins at **12:00 PM on Friday** at the Visitor's Center
- Upon arrival an adult from your group will be asked to go check in your unit.
 1. **All vehicles must first go to parking lot with their trailer while leader is checking the unit in.**
 2. Please bring the following when checking in:
 - License plate information for all the vehicles
 - Cell phone number for at least one adult leader
 3. **To help with congestion in the camp site area: Only the vehicle pulling the Troop trailer will be allowed in the one-way loop. Please load any addition equipment into the pulling vehicle or trailer in the main parking lot before entering the road into the one-way loop.**

General Information

The Scout Oath and Law are the primary rules for any Scout outing, but particularly here in the historic site. Cooperation and a good Scouting spirit will make everyone's experience a good one and assure that we are welcomed back in the future.

- Please respect the property. Scouts may not visit the Historic Village after 4:00 p.m., nor should they trespass on private property bordering the site.
- We do not have access to the Kelso Hollow (outdoor theatre) and ask that your scouts do not enter it.
- Trenching, ground fires, driving off the roads and other potentially property damaging activities are not allowed. Bring your own firewood, use raised pits (bring your own and clean up after yourself) or existing rings, and of course, do not cut live trees. Also, do not leave the firewood you bring at the site.
- Roads through the campground are narrow. For everyone's benefit, including that of emergency vehicles, **Roads are one way.**



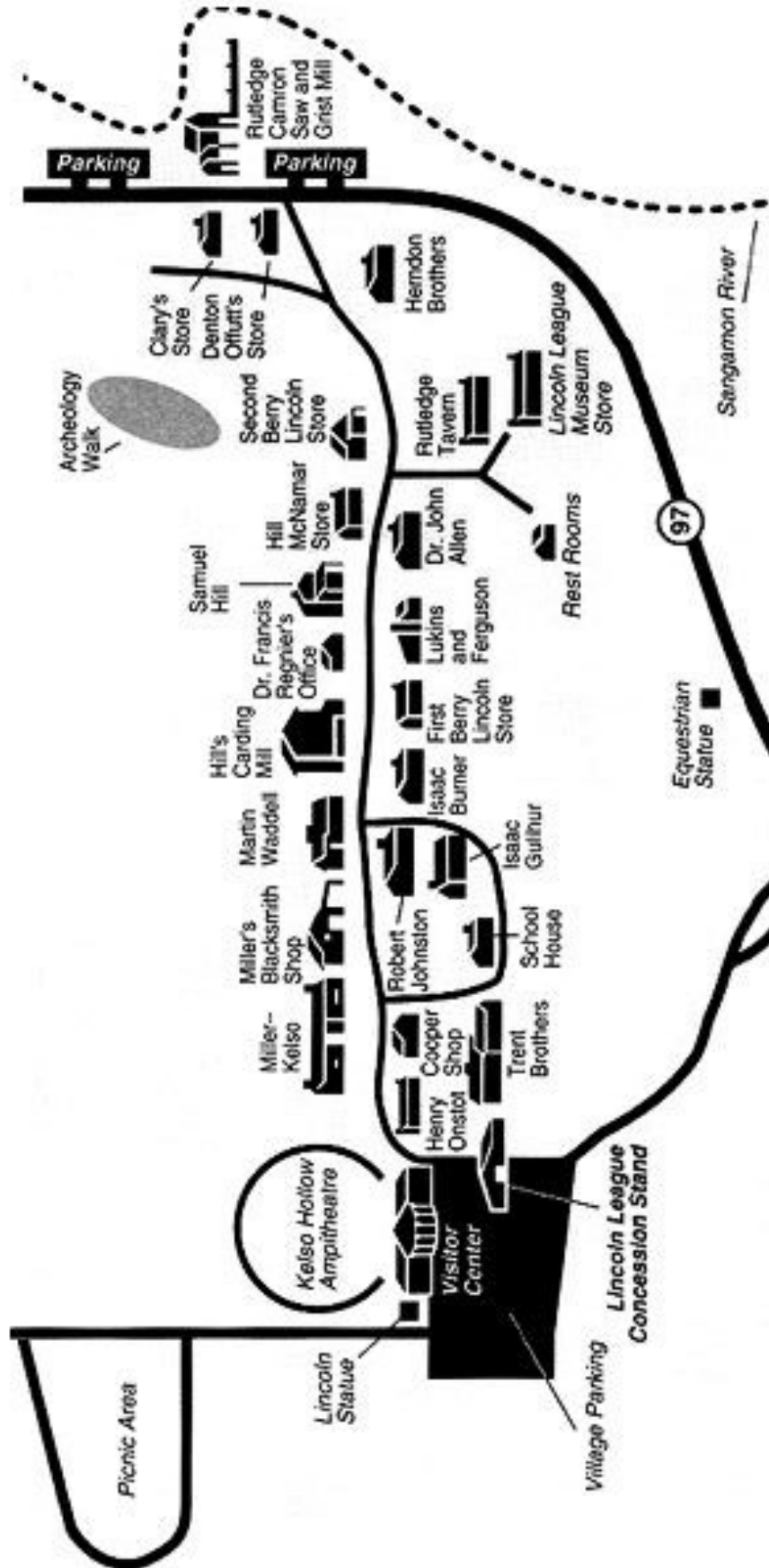
Camping at New Salem

Trailers must be parked in the designated parking area after unloading. Cars must be placed in the designated parking lot immediately upon arrival. ONLY ONE VEHICLE PER UNIT IS ALLOWED IN CAMPING AREA AT A TIME FROM EACH UNIT.

- Restrooms are open 24 hours a day at the campground
- Campground shower facilities may only be used under adult supervision.
- The pavilion in the campground area is common property and can be used by all campers
- Due to the limited number of picnic tables, please only have one per site.
- No hammocks.
- Emergency First Aid can be found at the Visitor's Center or the staff campsite.
- Lost and Found will be at the Visitor's Center.
- Please remember a **Scout is clean**. Help us leave New Salem better than we arrived. If you see any trash or litter please pick it up and place it in a trash can.
- Trash - there will be dumpsters for trash. Please bring your own bags.
- **Tornado Shelter: Kelso Hollow Amphitheater and the Visitor's Center; Evacuation procedures will be under the direction of the site coordinators, if necessary.**
- Enjoy your weekend and be safe. We look forward to having you back next year.



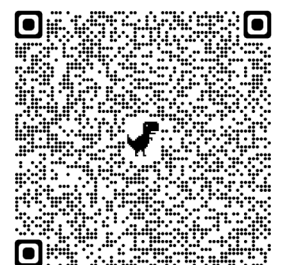
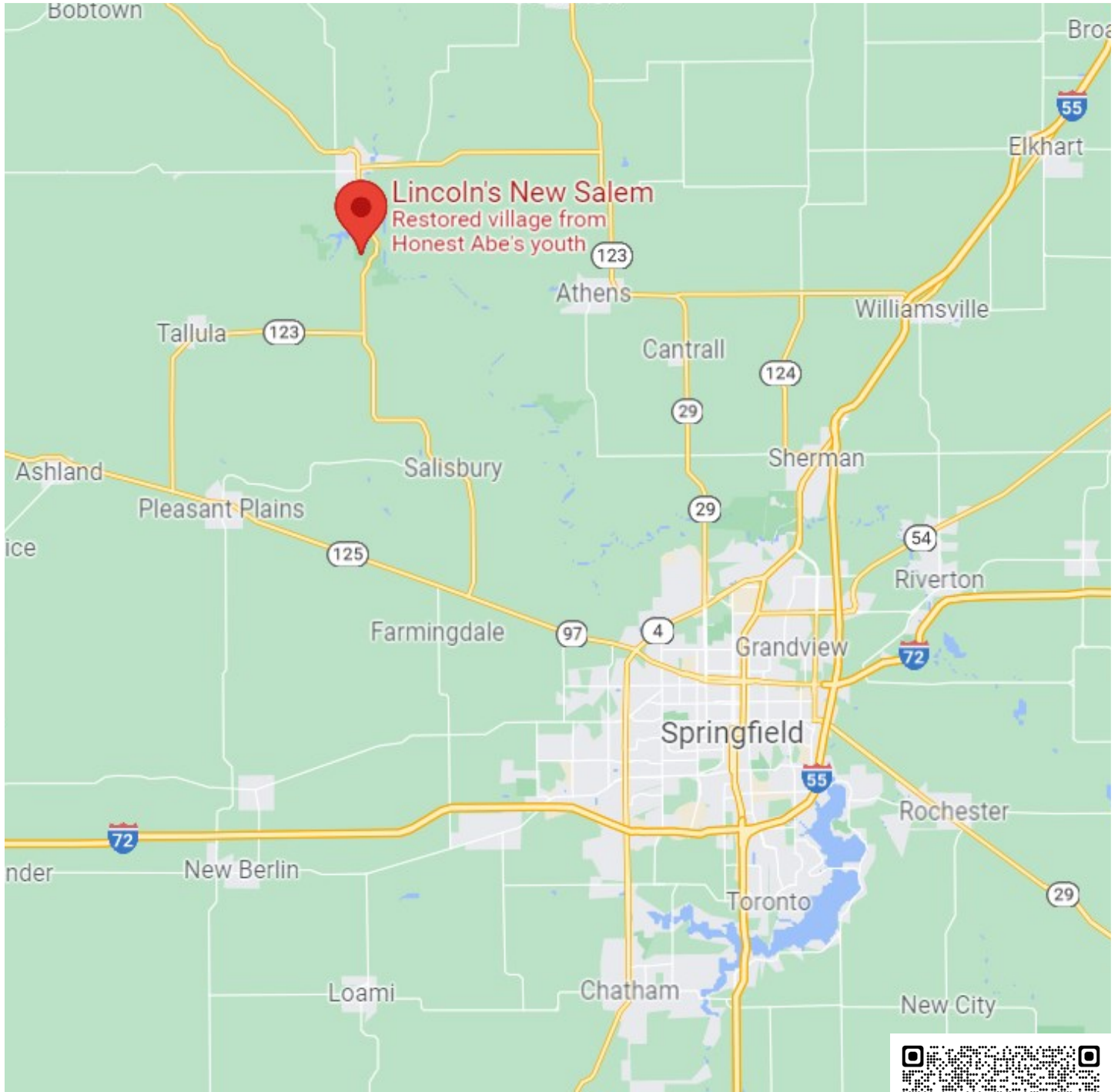
Camping at New Salem





Camping at New Salem

Lincoln's New Salem State Historic Site
15588 History Ln



<https://goo.gl/maps/equQgZVhbdYSxLdrg>



Medical Care

In the event that medical care is needed, Springfield is home to two high quality hospitals:

Memorial Medical Center
701 North First Street

St. John's Hospital
800 E Carpenter

There are also numerous walk in clinics for minor injuries:

Prompt Care Main
1025 South 6th Street
Springfield, IL 62703
217-528-7541
Open: 8am-8pm

Prompt Care West
4525 Wabash Ave Suite D,
Springfield, IL 62711
(217) 528-7541
Open: 8am-8pm

Memorial Express Care
2950 S. Sixth Street
Springfield, IL 62703
217-588-2600
Open: 8am-8pm

HSHS Priority Care
1836 Macarthur Blvd
Springfield, IL 62704
217-789-1403
Open: 9am-8pm

Memorial
101 East Plummer
Chatham, IL 62629
217-588-2600
Open: 8am-8pm

Memorial ExpressCare
3132 Old Jacksonville Rd
Springfield, IL 62704
217-588-2600
Open: 8am-8pm

Laundry



Landmark Laundry
217-632-3302
206 N 5th St. in Petersburg
(Near New Salem)

Crystal Cleaners
217-529-1890
2301 Stevenson Dr.
in Springfield

**Sangamon Electrolux Express
Coin Laundry**
312-835-5066
1941 E. Sangamon
in Springfield

Fast Track Laundry Center
217-544-5058
801 S. Grand Avenue East
In Springfield

Lucky Lady
217-522-9986
1056 E. Stanford Avenue
In Springfield

New Generation Laundry
200 W. Walnut Street
In Chatham
(Near Camp Illinek)



Churches

The following churches are in reasonable distance to the State Fairgrounds or Oak Ridge or offer services that may be convenient for those participating in the Pilgrimage: Contact Church for most up-to-date times.

Eastview Baptist Church
2277 E. Black Ave.
Springfield, IL

Central Presbyterian Church
210 West Douglas
Petersburg, IL

Korean Presbyterian
2501 E. Sangamon Ave.
Springfield, IL 62702

St. John's Lutheran Church, ELCA
2477 W. Washington St.
Springfield, IL

St. Joseph Catholic Church
700 E. Spruce St.
Chatham, IL

**Cathedral Church of St. Paul
(Episcopal)**
815 S. 2nd St.
Springfield, IL 627004

Laurel United Methodist Church
631 South Grand Ave West
Springfield, IL

Chatham Baptist Church
1500 E. Walnut St.
Chatham, IL

Swaminarayan Gurukul Hindu Temple
3150 Chatham Rd
Springfield, IL 62704

St Peter Catholic Church
711 S 6th Street.,
Petersburg, IL

Temple B'Rith Sholom
1004 S 4th St #1
Springfield, IL 62703

Church of Christ
701 S. 12th Street in
Petersburg, IL

**Chanmayay Satipatthana Vihata
Buddhist Temple**
525 Bruns Ln
Springfield, IL 62702

St. Aloysius Catholic Church
2000 E Sangamon Ave.
Springfield, IL

Islamic Society of Springfield
3000 Stanton St
Springfield, IL 62703

Groceries



There are many grocery stores in the area, but these are the closest to our camping facilities.

Petersburg County Market
500 E Sangamon St.
Petersburg, IL 62675

Meijer
4200 Conestoga Dr.
Springfield, IL 62711