

**Governor Duncan Mansion**

Open Memorial Day to Labor Day, Wednesday & Saturday 1 to 4 p.m. Visit the home of Joseph Duncan, Illinois Governor from 1834-1838. The mansion served as the official residence of the governor during that time.



**Strawn Art Gallery**

Open September to May, Tuesday - Saturday 4 to 6 p.m. & Sunday 1 to 3 p.m. Visit this beautiful historic structure featuring monthly changing art exhibits and permanent collections.

**Woodlawn Farm, Underground Railroad Site**

Open Memorial Day to Labor Day, Wednesday, Saturday, & Sunday 1 to 4 p.m. or by appointment. The showcase homestead of our Underground Railroad network is a living history museum. Former slaves were ushered through this home on their way to freedom.



**Looking For Lincoln, Voices of Jacksonville Audio Tour**

See the actual places and hear the real stories of Lincoln as his associates knew him while in Jacksonville. Stop by the JACVB office to pick up a map and an audio CD to follow the tour. [lincolninjacksonville.com](http://lincolninjacksonville.com)

**Walking Tours**

Various Locations. Historic Jacksonville Walking Tour Maps are available on the JACVB website.



**First Friday Jacksonville**

Downtown galleries, shops, and restaurants open their doors for artists, musicians, and visitors. This festive evening is held on the first Friday of select months starting at 5 pm throughout Downtown Jacksonville.



- 1 Best Western**  
1709 West Morton  
217.245.4500
- 2 Blessings on State Bed & Breakfast**  
1109 West State  
217.245.1013
- 3 Buena Vista Resort**  
1630 US Highway 67  
217.243.3290
- 4 Hampton Inn by Hilton**  
1725 West Morton  
217.291.0415
- 5 Knights Inn & Suites**  
1111 East Morton  
217.245.2187
- 6 Star Lite Motel**  
1910 West Morton  
217.245.7184
- 7 Super 8 Motel**  
1003 West Morton  
217.479.0303



For more information or a complete listing of events, special rates, and hotel deals, contact:



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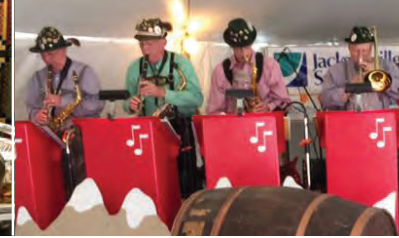


YOUR GUIDE FOR A YEAR OF FUN!



More local attractions and a regularly updated schedule of area events are available at [www.jacksonvilleil.org](http://www.jacksonvilleil.org)

Jacksonville events are subject to change.  
Please call ahead for specific information.



## May 11

### 4th Annual Central Illinois Truck Show

*Morgan County Fairgrounds.* Judged truck show with many classes and events. Fun day featuring drag races, burnout contests and more! 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## May 19

### NSRA Safety Appreciation Day

*Hardee's Parking Lot.* 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Games and free safety inspections.

### Cruise-In

*Hardee's Parking Lot.* 4 to 8 p.m.

## June 7 & 8

### Hampton Inn Shootout

*MacMurray College.* Open to junior high, junior varsity, and varsity boys basketball teams from around the area.

## June 8

### 23rd Annual Downtown Plaza Car Show

*Downtown Square.* 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Judged car show.

### 5th Annual Spring Cruise-In

*Hardee's Parking Lot.* 5 to 9 p.m.

## June 26-28

### Jacksonville Passavant/FCA Shootout

*MacMurray College.* One of the largest basketball tournaments in the state for junior high, junior varsity, and varsity boys and girls teams.

## July 4

### 4th of July Celebration & Parade

*Nichols Park.* A full day of celebrations featuring kids' events, live entertainment, fireworks, and more.

## July 9-14

### Morgan County Fair

*Morgan County Fairgrounds.* Carnival, food, talent show, pageant, livestock, tractor pulls, and live entertainment Friday night by LANCO and Saturday night by Chase Rice.

## July 25 & 26

### Kiwanis Memorial Youth Golf Tournament

*The Links & Nichols Park Golf Courses.* This free tournament for junior golfers attracts over 350 players each year.

## July 26 & 27

### 15th Annual River Country Quilt Show

*Jacksonville High School.* Display your quilt or come see some of Central Illinois' beautiful quilts as well as antique quilts bed turning and area vendors.

## August 1

### DAR Annual Ice Cream Social

*Governor Duncan Mansion Lawn.* Delicious desserts and big band entertainment.

## August 3

### Midwest Makers & Artisan Market

*Central Park Downtown Jacksonville.* 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sponsored by Jacksonville Main Street.

### Jacksonville Main Street Craft Brew Fest

*Central Park Downtown Jacksonville.* 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.



### Jacksonville Main Street

### FREE Downtown Concert Series

#### Central Park in Downtown Jacksonville

Every Friday from 6 to 9 p.m. May 31 - August 2 (excluding July 5 & 12).

Jacksonville Main Street will bring a variety of genres for all to enjoy including country, rock, bluegrass, folk, blues, and more! Concert guests are encouraged to bring picnic dinners, chairs, and their dancing shoes. Food trucks and a beer tent will be open from 6 to 9 p.m.

## August 31 – September 2

### 21st Annual Prairieland Chautauqua

*Location to be determined.* Modeled after traditional Chautauquas.

## September 21

### 35th Annual Car Show

*Community Park.* 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

### 35th Annual Fall Cruise Nite

*Headquartered at Hardee's Parking Lot.* 5 to 9 p.m. Cruise on Morton Avenue.

### Oktoberfest

*Morgan County Fairgrounds.* Sponsored by the Jacksonville Rotary Club.

## September 27-29

### 50th Annual Prairie Land Heritage Museum Fall Festival & Steam Show Days

*Prairie Land.* See horse powered equipment, antique tractors, gas and steam engines, demonstrations on bailing, blacksmithing, and more.

## October 26

### Jacksonville Main Street's Pumpkin Festival

*Central Park Downtown Jacksonville.* 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

## November 22-24

### Pathway Services Festival of Trees

*Pathway Services Unlimited.* Featuring designer trees and wreaths.

## December 3

### Governor Duncan Association Holiday Gala

*Hamilton's 110 North East.* Lovely evening with a delicious dinner and entertainment.

## December 8

### 36th Annual Holiday Home Tour & Tea

Visit beautifully decorated homes sponsored by the International Pilot Club of Jacksonville.