## Touring Hale County

Below are suggestions of day tours while staying in Hale County. Please contact the destination in advance for prices and guides.

## Hale County- Historical Outdoors

## http://www.tourwestalabama.com/county/hale/

- Breakfast at featured restaurants
  - Pam's Diner
    39616 Highway 69
    Moundville, AL 35474
    (205) 371-4300
  - McDonald's
    1401 State Street
    Greensboro, AL 36744
    (334) 624-5600
- Magnolia Grove
  1002 Hobson Street
  Greensboro, AL 36744
  334-624-8618

Nationally significant as the boyhood home of Spanish-American War hero and U.S. Congressman Richmond Pearson Hobson, Magnolia Grove is a Southern archetype of what many tourists expect to see in the Deep South. Magnolia Grove is a historic house museum located on 15 acres at the west end of Greensboro's historic district.

http://www.preserveala.org/magnoliagrove.aspx

• Safe House Museum 2401 Davis Street Greensboro, AL 334-624-2030

On the night of March 21, 1968, Martin Luther King Jr. sought refuge from the Ku Klux Klan inside a small shot gun style home in the depot neighborhood of Greensboro, Alabama. Today that house is known as The Safe House Black History Museum. It is a site of great significance to American Black History as well as the Civil Rights Movement of the 1950's and 1960's.

http://www.ruralswalabama.org/attraction/the-safe-house-black-history-museum-at-greensboro-al-recently-renovated-by-auburn-rural-studio/

 Jennings Ferry Campground 1001 Jennings Ferry Road Akron, AL 35441 877-444-6777

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers campground is situated on a peninsula separating the deep waters of the Black Warrior River to the north and a shallower lake formed by the impounded Clear Creek to the south. Jennings

Ferry has 51 sites and borders the Black Warrior River. All sites have a fire ring, a picnic table, a grill, water and 50 amp electric hookup. Jennings Ferry has a day-use area which includes a walking trail, boat ramp, a playground and bathroom facilities. <a href="http://alabamabirdingtrails.com/sites/jennings-ferry/">http://alabamabirdingtrails.com/sites/jennings-ferry/</a>

- Lunch at featured restaurants
  - Nick's Crispy Chicken
    1310 State Street
    Greensboro, AL 36744
    334-624-9000
  - China Garden
    812 Tuscaloosa Street
    Greensboro, AL 36744
    (334) 624-9008
- Moundville Archaeological Park 13075 Moundville Archaeological Park Moundville, AL 35474 205-371-2234

Called "The Big Apple of the 14th Century" by National Geographic, Moundville Archaeological Park was once the site of a powerful prehistoric community that, at its peak, was America's largest city north of Mexico. Located on the Black Warrior River, the park preserves 326 acres.

http://moundville.ua.edu/

Lions Park

Hall Street

Greensboro, AL 36744

Lions Park is the largest park in Hale County with lots to do including skate board ramps, a playground, trails and more!

http://www.ruralswalabama.org/attraction/revitalization-of-lions-park-ruralstudio-projects/

Payne Lake

County Road 71

Moundville, AL 35474

205-926-9765

Payne Lake could be described as a microcosm of the Oakmulgee National Forest, with its mixed hardwood-pine forest, cattail swamp and rolling hills in close proximity. Primitive and RV camping, swimming, biking and hiking opportunities are tucked conveniently away in the heart of the Talladega National Forest. The campground hugs the picturesque lakeshore, offering a tranquil setting, hookups, boating, swimming and bank fishing, 1.5-mile trail and two sandy beaches along with offering excellent birding along the West Alabama Birding Trail.

http://alabamabirdingtrails.com/sites/talladega-national-forest-payne-lake-recreation-area/

Dinner at featured restaurants

El Tenampa Mexican Restaurant (Best Mexican in the county)
 508 State Street
 Greensboro, AL 36744
 334-624-0515

 Turtle Creek Grill (Steak and Seafood) 13543 County Road 16 Greensboro, AL 36744 334-624-1839

- Places to stay
  - Inn Motel and Restaurant
    1302 State Street
    Greensboro, AL 36744
    (334) 624-3031
  - Muckle House
    2005 Main Street
    Greensboro< AL 36744</li>
    (334) 624-8374