

# Lamar County, Alabama

## LANDMARKS • PLACES TO VISIT • THINGS TO DO

**Backstreet Opry** 1st Ave. NE, Courthouse Sq., Vernon, AL 35592  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.7570541, W-88.1089185)  
Telephone: (205) 695-7029  
Website: <http://www.tourwestalabama.com/attraction/back-street-opry-at-lamar-theatre/>

Saturday night music shows with as many as 25 different entertainers, professional and amateur. Country, gospel, blues, comedy. Different show every Sat. *Wheelchair Accessible.* Open Sat. 6:30-10:30.

**Bankhead National Forest** 1070 Hwy 33, Double Springs, AL 35553  
(GPS Coordinates: N34.1389313, W-87.3320236)  
Telephone: (205) 489-5111

Website: [http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/alabama/about-forest/districts/?cid=fsbdev3\\_002553](http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/alabama/about-forest/districts/?cid=fsbdev3_002553)

One of Alabama's four National Forests, covering 181,230 acres. It is home to Alabama's only National Wild and Scenic River, the Sipsey Fork.

**Clearman Farms** 2010 Wofford Road (Hwy 25), Vernon, AL, 35592  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.7570541, W-88.1089185)  
Website:

[http://www.preserveala.org/pdfs/TAX\\_CREDIT/New\\_Folder/Alabama\\_Register\\_Listings%20\\_4web\\_02\\_14.pdf](http://www.preserveala.org/pdfs/TAX_CREDIT/New_Folder/Alabama_Register_Listings%20_4web_02_14.pdf)

Created in 1872 and listed on the Alabama Register of Landmarks and Heritage on 4/1/10.

**Crooked Creek Civil War Museum** 516 CR 1127, Vinemont, AL 35179  
(GPS Coordinates: N34.223785, W-86.979111)  
Telephone: (205) 739-2741

Website: <http://alabama.travel/places-to-go/crooked-creek-civil-war-museum>

Located on a battle site where Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest and Union Colonel Abel Streight fought for several hours at crooked creek, then went on to engage in the Battles of Hog Mountain and Day's Gap in April, 1863.

Wheelchair accessible. Admission is \$5 for a complete tour of the grounds. Open daily from 9am-5pm.

**Dick Mixon Farm** 913 Glory Road, Beaverton, AL, 35544  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.9406188, W-88.0699699)

Website:

[http://www.preserveala.org/pdfs/TAX\\_CREDIT/New\\_Folder/Alabama\\_Register\\_Listings%20\\_4web\\_02\\_14.pdf](http://www.preserveala.org/pdfs/TAX_CREDIT/New_Folder/Alabama_Register_Listings%20_4web_02_14.pdf)

Created in 1899 and listed on the Alabama Register of Landmarks and Heritage on 8/5/10.

### **Dr. Thomas Bailey Woods Place**

*Located 6 mi NE Vernon, 6 mi SE Sulligent, Shiloh Com.*

Website:

[http://www.preserveala.org/pdfs/TAX\\_CREDIT/New\\_Folder/Alabama\\_Register\\_Listings%20\\_4web\\_02\\_14.pdf](http://www.preserveala.org/pdfs/TAX_CREDIT/New_Folder/Alabama_Register_Listings%20_4web_02_14.pdf)

Created in 1890 and listed on the Alabama Register of Landmarks and Heritage on 11/13/78.

**Fellowship Baptist Church Cemetery** Fellowship Rd., Sulligent, AL 35586  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.9017738, W-88.1344776)

Website: <http://lamarkin.com/cemeteries/fellowship.html>

**George Bell Stadium** P.O. Box 1349, Vernon, AL 35592 (GPS Coordinates: N33.7570541, W-88.1089185)

Website:

<http://www.ahsfhs.org/Teams2/teampage.asp?Team=Lamar%20County>

Home of the Lamar County High School Football Team.

**James Greer Bankhead House** Wolf Rd., Sulligent, AL 35586  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.8935339, W-88.1422170)

*Located on US Hwy 278 in Sulligent, AL.*

Website: [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/James\\_Greer\\_Bankhead\\_House](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/James_Greer_Bankhead_House)

This house was added to the National Register of Historic Places on February 13, 1975. It is the only site listed on the National Register in Lamar County, AL.

**Kennedy Community Center** 281 Park St Kennedy, AL 35574  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.5879863, W-87.9840359)

Telephone: (205) 596-4073

Website: <http://www.manta.com/c/mmcrk15/kennedy-community-center>

A privately held community organization in the town of Kennedy, AL.

**Lamar County Public Fishing Lake** 455 Fishing Lake Rd., Sulligent, AL 35586  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.7787396, W-88.2313999)

*Located 8 miles west of Vernon, AL, on Hwy 18 in Sulligent, AL.*

Telephone: (205) 695-8283

Website:

<http://www.outdooralabama.com/lamar-county-public-fishing-lake>

Along with fishing, Lamar County Lake has camping, picnicking and cabin rental.

Lake is open Sunrise to Sunset as follows:

February 1 – November 30: The lake is open six days a week, closed on Tuesday.

December 1 - Late February: The lake is closed.

Call to verify schedule before arrival.

**Lamarion Wildlife Management Area** 438-586 Mountain View Drive, Beaverton, AL 35544 (GPS Coordinates: N 34.001492, W-87.998642)

**Mill Creek Hunting Club** 51 Crutchfield Rd, Sulligent, AL 35586  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.9114393, W-88.0887820)

*Located between Plum Tree Rd. and Mixon Rd.*

Telephone: (205) 698-8097

A fishing, hunting, and community organization in Sulligent, AL.

**Natural Bridge of Alabama** County Rd. 314, Natural Bridge, AL 35577  
(GPS Coordinates: N34.0882339, W-87.6044464)

Telephone: (205) 486-5330

Website: <http://www.naturalbridgeala.com/>

Natural Bridge Park features hiking trails and unspoiled natural beauty for nature enthusiasts. The town of Natural Bridge was first incorporated in 1914 and reincorporated in 1997.

**Quail Valley Hunting Preserve** 3161 Aberdeen Rd., Vernon, AL 35592  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.7829417, W-88.1465221)

*Located 3 miles west of Vernon on Aberdeen Road.*

Telephone: (205) 695-7864 OR (205) 712-0122

Website: <http://www.quailvalleyhunting.com/>

Hunting is from October 15<sup>th</sup>-March 31<sup>st</sup>. Call ahead for scheduling times.

**Sulligent Lake** 2305 Sulligent Lake Rd, Sulligent, AL 35586  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.8678861, W-88.1761451)

*Located 3.3 miles from Sulligent, AL.*

Telephone: (205) 698-7108

This public lake is a reservoir. A fishing license is required, fishing rules and regulations as specified by Alabama Fish & Wildlife.

**The Ogden House** County Road 49, Beaverton, AL 35544  
(GPS Coordinates: N33.9, W-88.002219)

*This is a private residence- drive by only.*

Website: <http://greggreen2.blogspot.com/2009/12/historic-home-ogden-house.html>

Built in 1888, this was the first house constructed within the original city limits of Sulligent after incorporation. This building is listed on the Alabama Register of Landmarks and Heritage.

• LIBRARY AND WEBSITES •

**Mary Wallace Cobb Memorial Library**

44425 Highway 17, Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-6123

**Millport Public Library**

920 Black St, Millport, AL 35576  
(205) 662-4286

**Sulligent Public Library**

514 Elm St, Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-8631

**Vernon Public Library**

44425 Hwy 17, Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-6123

**Kennedy Public Library**

17885 Hwy 96, Kennedy, AL 35574  
(205) 596-3670

**Lamar County Chamber of Commerce**

<http://www.tuscaloosachamber.com/tuscaloosa/lamar.php>

• EMERGENCY CONTACTS (always dial 911 in case of emergency)•

**Lamar County Sherriff's Office** (205) 695-7470

**Lamar County EMA** (205) 695-7105

**Whatley Health Services in Vernon** (205) 695-0450

**Lamar Regional Health Center** (205) 698-7111

**City of Vernon Police Department** (205) 695-7022

**Kennedy Fire Department** (205) 596-3670

**Millport Fire Department** (205) 662-4996

**Sulligent Volunteer Fire Department** (205) 698-0434

**Vernon Fire Department** (205) 695-6999

**Beaverton Volunteer Fire Department** (205) 698-8101

• LODGING •

**Sulligent Lake** 2305 Sulligent Lake Rd., Sulligent, AL (205) 698-7108

**Country Squire Motel** 4555 Hwy 278, Sulligent, AL (205) 698-9912

**Twin Gables Inn** 371 Aberdeen Rd., Vernon, AL (205) 695-8817

**Vernon Motel** 44554 Hwy 17, Vernon, AL (205) 695-9800

**Willow Bend Bed & Breakfast** 599 Nebo Rd., Sulligent, AL (205) 695-6743

• DINING OPPORTUNITIES •

**Happy Days Café**

525 Front St.  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-8832

**Jack's Hamburgers**

44745 Hwy 17  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-6597

**Max's Fried Chicken**

9373 Hwy 18  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-9101

**Mike's One Stop**

14025 Highway 96  
Millport, AL 35576  
(205) 662-3837

**Pheb's Deli**

12015 Highway 96  
Millport, AL 35576  
(205) 662-8107

**Country Squire Steak & Fish House**

4541 Highway 278  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-9910

**Jack Rabbit Slims**

5531 Hwy 278  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-7220

**Jay's Country Squire Steak & Fish**

4551 Hwy 278 W  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-9910

**McDonald's**

44363 Highway 17  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-0752

**OLE Kountry Kabin**

39720 Hwy 17  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-8848

**Pizza Hut**

236 1st St NW  
(205) 695-7371  
Vernon, AL 35592

**El Mezcal Mexican Restaurant**

131 Mulberry Rd  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-0233

**Polar Bar**

54057 Hwy 17  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-9677

**The Front Porch**

4031 Hwy 278  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-1121

**Todd's Smokehouse**

9467 Hwy 18  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-8600

**Turkey Creek Inn**

4031 Hwy 278  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-0639

**Subway**

110 Columbus Ave NE  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-0045  
5673 Highway 278  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-0055

**La Casa Fiesta Restaurant**

9703 Highway 18  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-6952

**Wildfire Steak & Fish**

10686 Highway 18 Vernon,  
AL 35592  
(205) 695-9453

**Woodpecker's Steak & Fish**

309 Crosby  
Detroit, AL 35552  
(205) 273-4250

**Mill Port Food Mart**

12010 Highway 96  
Millport, AL 35576  
(205) 662-4800

**Vernon BBQ & Grill**

9703 Highway 18  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-7307

**Yellowcreek Fish & Steak House**

1822 County Rd 9  
Vernon, AL 35592  
(205) 695-9514

**Uncle Dave's**

4031 Highway 278  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-0639

**SONIC Drive-In**

44237 Hwy 17 South Vernon,  
AL 35592  
(205) 695-1806

**Lulu's Place**

487 Front St  
Sulligent, AL 35586  
(205) 698-7500

**Lumberjack Restaurant**

65461 Highway 17  
Detroit, AL 35552  
(204) 273-4485

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