

Touring Fayette County

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

Fayette County- Historical Arts

<http://www.tourwestalabama.com/county/fayette/>

- Breakfast at featured restaurants
 1. Charles' Cafeteria and Grill
226 AL-171
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-6883
 2. Belk Kountry Kitchen
6885 Highway 96
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-5145

- Fayette Courthouse
113 Temple Avenue N
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-4510

One of the greatest misfortunes to strike the town of Fayette was a fire that swept through the business district in 1911. The courthouse stood in ruins and several buildings were demolished. Like many other cities that have suffered devastation from fires, Fayette rebuilt and used the experience to prevent further cataclysms from happening. Within a year a new majestic courthouse was built upon the grounds of the old one while businesses returned and erected many of the buildings that still form much of central Fayette. This intense building activity created many jobs and an atmosphere of opportunity that prepared Fayette to grow.

<http://fayettecountyal.org/courthouse.html>

- Old City Cemetery
9th Street NW
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-8727

This beautifully-maintained and tranquil historic site includes graves of Confederate veterans and is documented in many historical records, including online sources.

<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~alfayett/FayetteCem.htm>

- Lunch at featured restaurants
 1. Huatulco Mexican Restaurant
1520 Temple Avenue N
Fayette, AL 35555
205-904-9721
 2. Sam's Smokehouse (Tasty BBQ)
460 Columbus Street E
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-5827

3. China Dragon
2506 Temple Avenue N
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-2868

- Fayette Art Museum
530 North Temple Avenue
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-8727

There are over 4000 pieces in the Fayette Art Museum and six folk art galleries. The Fayette Art Museum was founded in 1969 by Fayette City Council and Jack Black, who was the Museum's Director for 35 years. It began with the gift from Lois Wilson, a Fayette native, of her art collection, which ultimately totaled 2,600 pieces of her own and of other artists' work.

<http://fayetteartmuseum.vpweb.com/default.html>

- Fayette Depot Museum
202 South Temple Avenue
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-4587

Located in the restored, historic train station constructed in 1887, the Fayette Depot Museum contains a wealth of local historical artifacts – including a mint condition still! Also featured is a Civil War-era drum. The Fayette Historical Society maintains it. Open on Sundays.

- Fayette Aquatic Center
(If weather is appropriate)
218 23rd Street NE
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-2196

The Fayette Aquatic Center offers pools and waterslides for people of all ages. Amenities include free Wi-Fi, food & drinks for sale, swimming lessons, water aerobics, a lazy river and lap swimming. The Aquatic Facility at the Guthrie Smith Park features a 5,380 sq. ft. outdoor multi-purpose pool, interactive play features, multiple water slides and drop slides on a 35 ft. tower, diving board, four 25-yd. lap lanes, large teaching area, spray pad integration, umbrella tables.

<http://fayetteaquaticcenter.com/>

- Dinner at featured restaurants

1. Las Palmas Mexican Restaurant
2242 Temple Avenue N
Fayette, AL 35555
(205) 932-2535
2. Lisa's Barbeque
1636 Temple Avenue N
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-7857

- Places to stay
 1. Rose House Inn (Bed and Breakfast)
325 2nd Avenue NW
Fayette, AL 35555
205-932-7673
<http://www.rosehouseinn.net/>
 2. Dragon Inn & Suites
2448 Temple Ave N
Fayette, AL 35555
(205)270-6620
 3. Tin Top Inn & Campground
1796 County Rd 106
Fayette, AL 35555
(205) 270-8655