

**Placemaking in
Scioto County, Ohio**

EXHIBIT FIELD GUIDE

***THIS PASSPORT
BELONGS TO:***



Custom exhibit stamps are available at host locations. Collect stamps at all locations to complete the exhibit tour!

ABOUT THE EXHIBIT:

This exhibit explores how residents of Scioto County create a sense of place in a changing environment. These nine banners showcase innovative action in Scioto County that responds to change. Join the conversation by contributing your knowledge, responses and reflections.

This exhibit is a collaboration between The Center for Folklore Studies at The Ohio State University, Shawnee State University, and community partners throughout Scioto County, including Barbara and Kevin Bradbury (Hurricane Run Farm), Andrew Carter (World Sound Entertainment, 14th Street Community Center and Watch Me Grow), Dr. Andrew Feight (Professor of History, Shawnee State University), Dr. Janet Feight (Professor of English, Shawnee State University), Charlie Haskins (Haskins House), Jody and Martin McAllister (Friends of Scioto Brush Creek), Jenny Richards (Shawnee State Park), Treva Williams (OSU Extension-Scioto County).

Visit digitalcommons.shawnee.edu/placemaking to learn more about the Placemaking in Scioto County, Ohio exhibit, accompanying programming, and to access the digital archival collection.

The Center for Folklore Studies (CFS), as part of its mission to coordinate and support folklore and cultural documentation throughout the state of Ohio, is conducting an ongoing research project focusing on Ohio communities' responses to economic, environmental and cultural change through their everyday practices and expressive culture. Since summer of 2016, CFS faculty and staff have been building relationships with core community partners in Scioto County and developing archival projects that support, document, and preserve local culture.

Visit go.osu.edu/ofc for information about the Ohio Field School!

BANNER HOST LOCATIONS

Banners from the **Placemaking in Scioto County, Ohio Exhibit** will be on display at the following locations. To view hours of operation or learn more about the location, visit their website or call.

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OSU EXTENSION – SCIOTO COUNTY

602 Seventh Street, Room Seven, Courthouse
Portsmouth, OH 45662

Website: scioto.osu.edu/home

Phone: (740) 354-7879

2

PORTSMOUTH PUBLIC LIBRARY, LUCASVILLE

103 State Route 728
Lucasville, OH 45648

Website: yourppl.org/venue/lucasville-library

Phone: (740) 259-6119

3

PORTSMOUTH PUBLIC LIBRARY, PORTSMOUTH

1220 Gallia Street
Portsmouth, OH 45662

Website: yourppl.org

Phone: (740) 354-5688

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SOUTHERN OHIO MEDICAL CENTER'S LIFE CENTER

1202 18th Street
Portsmouth, OH 45662

Website: somc.org/life

Phone: (740) 356-7650

5 NORTHWEST HIGH SCHOOL

914 Mohawk Drive
McDermott, OH 45652
Website: northwest.k12.oh.us
Phone: (740) 259-2366

**6 CLARK MEMORIAL LIBRARY,
SHAWNEE STATE UNIVERSITY**

940 Second Street
Portsmouth, OH 45662
Website: shawnee.edu/offices/library
Phone: (740) 351-3255

7 14TH STREET COMMUNITY CENTER

1222 14th Street
Portsmouth, OH 45662
Visit their Facebook page by searching
"14th Street Community Center"
Phone: (740) 353-7308

8 SHAWNEE STATE LODGE & CONFERENCE CENTER

4404B State Route 125
West Portsmouth, OH 45663
Website: shawneeparklodge.com
Phone: (740) 858-6621

9 SOUTHERN OHIO MUSEUM

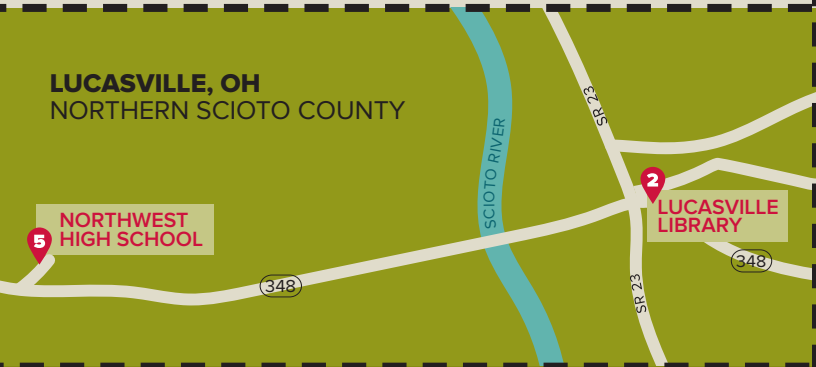
825 Gallia Street
Portsmouth, OH 45662
Website: somacc.com
Phone: (740) 354-5629

Check up on public programming date, times and locations for the exhibit at go.osu.edu/sciotoplacemaking and facebook.com/SciotoPlacemaking.

EXHIBIT LOCATION MAPS

The numbered spots correspond with which banner is housed at each location. Refer to the following pages in this field guide and online (go.osu.edu/scioto-banners) to match up the banners and their locations.

LUCASVILLE, OH NORTHERN SCIOTO COUNTY



SHAWNEE STATE PARK WESTERN SCIOTO COUNTY

PORTSMOUTH, OH
SOUTHERN SCIOTO COUNTY



**SCIOTO COUNTY
CLERK OF COURTS** 1

**SOUTHERN
OHIO MEDICAL
CENTER'S LIFE
CENTER** 4

**14TH STREET
COMMUNITY
CENTER** 7

6TH ST.

WASHINGTON ST.

CHILICOTHE ST.

GAY ST.

WALLER ST.

GALLIA ST.

**SOUTHERN
OHIO MUSEUM** 9

**PORTSMOUTH
PUBLIC LIBRARY** 3

3RD ST.

**SHAWNEE STATE CLARK
MEMORIAL LIBRARY** 5

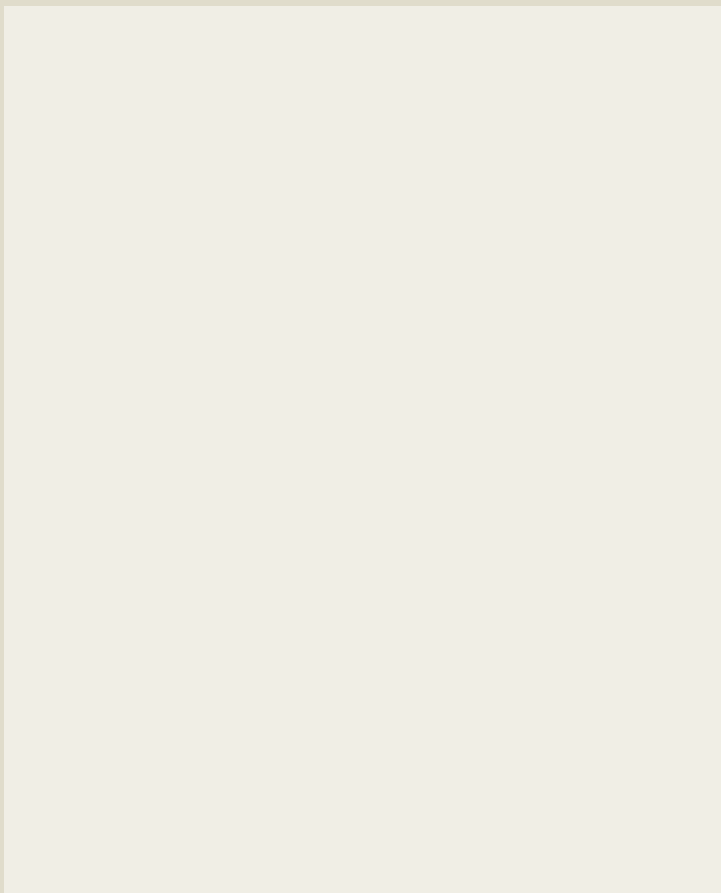


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KENTUCKY

What does your Scioto County look like? How do you engage in placemaking? Use these hashtags to share your ideas! **#sciogram**
#mysciotocounty
#digitalappalachia

Use this space to create an image of Scioto County that is meaningful to you!



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Luna Luo (L) and Molly Rideout (R), students from the 2018 Ohio Field School class, clean and sort type for their service project, which involved assisting with the restoration of Bloody Twin Press. Follow the restoration process on Instagram @BloodyTwinPress.

THE OHIO FIELD SCHOOL

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Recovery:

- It's a slow process but quitting won't speed it up.
- Live a productive & Norm
- You will fail when you

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Artwork created by
participants at ASCEND
Counseling and Recovery
Services for Whitney Folsom-
Lecouffe's art therapy class.

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**WHAT DOES RECOVERY
MEAN TO YOU?**

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Closeup of a tree in Shawnee State Forest after the 2003 ice storm. Photo courtesy of the Ohio Department of Natural Resources.

**DO YOU HAVE A DISASTER
STORY? DO YOU HAVE A STORY
OF SURVIVAL?**

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People shopping at the
Portsmouth Farmers
Market on the Roy Rogers
Esplanade.

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**HOW DO YOU GATHER
WITH OTHERS?**

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Amari (L), Roger Jones (center), and David Parker (R) in front of the 14th Street Community Center during the quadrennial North End Super Reunion that took place in summer 2017. Search for the North End Super Reunion on Facebook!

**WHAT HAVE YOU LEARNED
FROM PEOPLE OLDER AND
YOUNGER THAN YOU?**





Justin Carman (L) and Emily Harper (R), who moved from Cincinnati to Adams County (just outside the Scioto County line) to raise their family close to nature.

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**WHAT HAVE NEWCOMERS AND
RETURNERS BROUGHT TO
THIS PLACE?**

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Community activist Andrew Carter (L) poses with students from the Watch Me Grow youth homesteading program. Follow them on Facebook and Instagram @watchmegrow.

HOW DO FOLKS RESPOND TO COMMUNITY NEEDS?

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Shawnee State Park
Naturalist Jenny Richards
leads a hike with a
homeschool group to look
at mushrooms, orchids, and
snake eggs in Shawnee
State Forest. Photo Credit:
Al Momrik.



**WHAT DOES CONSERVATION
LOOK LIKE HERE?**

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Dog sculpture molded by artist Charlie Haskins out of a statue he found at a thrift store. Follow Charlie on Facebook at Charlie Haskins Custom Art!

HOW DO YOU EXPRESS YOURSELF?



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THE COLUMBUS
FOUNDATION



Portsmouth • Wheelersburg • Lucasville

Very Good things are happening here



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UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF ARTS
AND SCIENCES



Shawnee State
UNIVERSITY

Clark Memorial Library