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the QUEEN CITY



FINDLAY MARKET



CINCINNATI ART MUSEUM



KROHN CONSERVATORY



KINGS ISLAND

# Area Points of Interest

## Cincinnati Museum Center at Union Terminal

[CincyMuseum.org](http://CincyMuseum.org)

1301 Western Avenue • Cincinnati

Monday–Saturday 10am to 5pm, Sunday 11am to 6pm

The Museum Center is currently under renovation. Only the Children’s Museum and special exhibition gallery are open during the renovation, so check the website for open exhibits before planning a visit.

## Findlay Market

[FindlayMarket.org](http://FindlayMarket.org)

1801 Race Street • Cincinnati

Tuesday–Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday 8am to 6pm, Sunday 10am to 4pm

Findlay Market is Ohio’s oldest continuously operated public market, welcoming more than a million visitors a year. Located just blocks from downtown, Findlay Market remains the bustling center of farm fresh, locally sourced, artisanal and specialty foods. Findlay Market is home to more than 40 indoor merchants selling meat, fish, poultry, produce, flowers, cheese, deli, and ethnic foods. On weekends from April through November the Market also hosts a thriving farmers market, dozens of outdoor vendors, numerous street performers, and lots of special events.

## Cincinnati Art Museum

[CincinnatiArtMuseum.org](http://CincinnatiArtMuseum.org)

953 Eden Park Drive • Cincinnati

Tuesday–Sunday 11am to 5pm

Located in scenic Eden Park, the Cincinnati Art Museum features a diverse, encyclopedic art collection of more than 67,000 works spanning 6,000 years. In addition to displaying its own broad collection, the museum also hosts several national and international traveling exhibitions each year.

## Krohn Conservatory

[CincinnatiParks.com/krohn](http://CincinnatiParks.com/krohn)

1501 Eden Park Drive in Eden Park • Cincinnati

Tuesday–Sunday 10am to 5pm

A showcase of more than 3,500 plant species from around the world on permanent display in the Palm, Tropical, Desert, and Orchid houses.

## Kings Island Amusement Park

[VisitKingsIsland.com](http://VisitKingsIsland.com)

6300 Kings Island Drive • Mason, Ohio

Hours vary from day to day (Summer 2018 schedule not yet released)

Kings Island is a 364-acre amusement park, including 15 roller coasters, a kid’s area, and a water park. Located 24 miles north-east of Cincinnati in Mason, Ohio.

## ENTERTAINMENT JUNCTION



### Entertainment Junction

[EnterTrainmentJunction.com](http://EnterTrainmentJunction.com)

7379 Squire Court • West Chester, Ohio

Monday–Saturday 10am to 6pm, Sunday noon to 6pm

Home of the world’s largest indoor model train display and the A-Maze-N Funhouse.

### Underground Railroad Museum/Freedom Center

[FreedomCenter.org](http://FreedomCenter.org)

50 East Freedom Way • Cincinnati

Tuesday–Saturday 11am to 5pm

The National Underground Railroad Freedom Center is a museum of conscience, an education center, a convener of dialogue, and a beacon of light for inclusive freedom around the globe. Located in downtown Cincinnati, it is just a few steps from the banks of the Ohio River, the great natural barrier that separated the slave states of the South from the free states of the North prior to the Civil War.

## UNDERGROUND RAILROAD MUSEUM



### Jungle Jim’s International Market

[JungleJims.com](http://JungleJims.com)

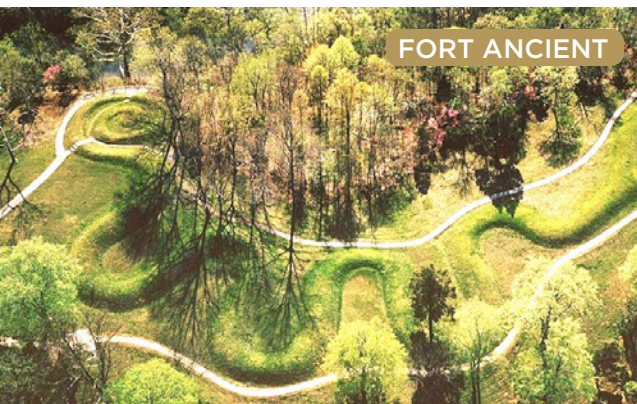
4450 Eastgate South Drive • Cincinnati

Daily 8am to 10pm

Jungle Jim’s has 200,000 square feet of shopping space, with over 180,000 products. In addition to grocery items, you’ll find gift shops, boutiques, and restaurants.



## FORT ANCIENT



**Fort Ancient** (prehistoric native American burial grounds)

[FortAncient.org](http://FortAncient.org)

6123 St. Rt. 350 • Oregonia, Ohio

Tuesday–Saturday 10am to 5pm, Sunday noon to 5pm

Fort Ancient is an American Indian hilltop enclosure built nearly 2,000 years ago, situated on a terrace overlooking the Little Miami River. Archaeological excavations have revealed 18,000 feet of well-preserved earthen embankment walls, which enclose ceremonial space.

### Heritage Village Museum

[HeritageVillageCincinnati.org](http://HeritageVillageCincinnati.org)

11450 Lebanon Road • Sharonville, Ohio (inside Sharon Woods Park)

Wednesday–Saturday 10am to 5pm, Sunday 1 to 5pm

At Heritage Village Museum, you will experience the rural simplicity of a small-town life as it was in Ohio during the 1800s.



### Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Gardens

[CincinnatiZoo.org](http://CincinnatiZoo.org)

3400 Vine Street • Cincinnati

Daily 10am to 6pm

The Zoological Society of Cincinnati was founded in 1873 and officially opened its doors in 1875, making the Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden the second oldest zoo in the United States.





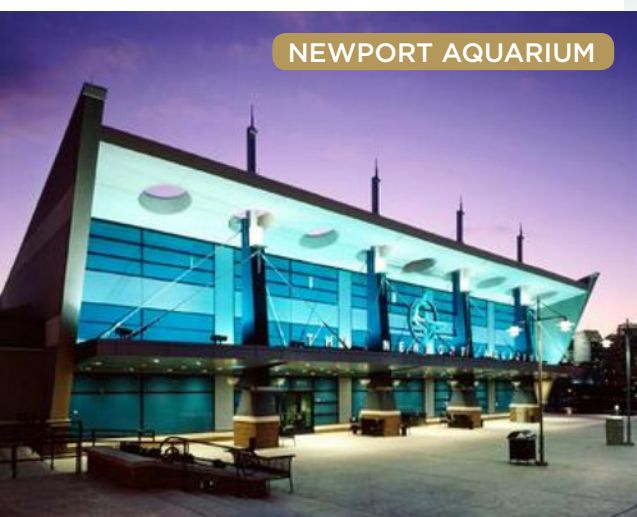
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MUSEUM OF ART

**Taft Museum of Art**  
[TaftMuseum.org](http://TaftMuseum.org)

316 Pike Street • Cincinnati

Wednesday–Friday 11am to 4pm, Saturday and Sunday 11am to 5pm

The Taft Museum of Art is one of the finest small art museums in America. A National Historic Landmark built in 1820, the Taft is home to an extensive art collection that includes European and American master paintings, Chinese porcelains, and European decorative arts.



NEWPORT AQUARIUM

**Newport Aquarium/Newport on the Levee—shops, restaurants**

[NewportOnTheLevee.com/newport-aquarium#general](http://NewportOnTheLevee.com/newport-aquarium#general)

1 Levee Way • Newport, Kentucky

Daily 9am to 7 pm

Newport Aquarium showcases thousands of animals from around the world in a million gallons of water. Newport on the Levee is an outdoor mall with shops, restaurants, and a movie theater.



LOVELAND CASTLE

**Chateau LaRoche–Loveland Castle**  
[LovelandCastle.com](http://LovelandCastle.com)

12025 Shore Drive • Loveland, Ohio

11am to 5pm

Château Laroche, also known as the Loveland Castle, is a museum on the banks of the Little Miami River north of Loveland, Ohio, United States. A folly of a historical European castle, construction began in the 1920s.

**Newport Kentucky Gangster Tour**

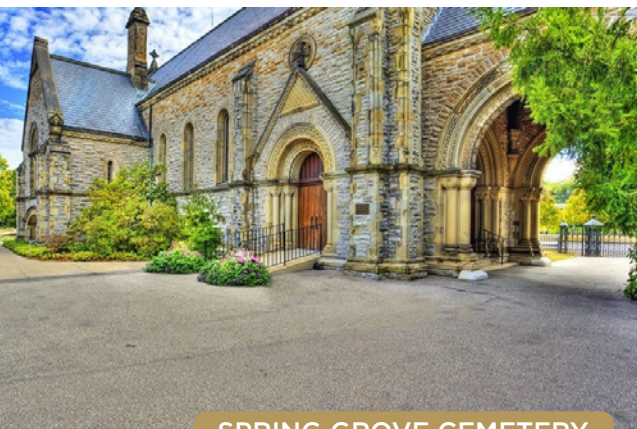
[AmericanLegacyTours.com/newport-gangster-tour](http://AmericanLegacyTours.com/newport-gangster-tour)

18 E 5th Street • Newport, Kentucky (Gangsters Dueling Piano Bar)

Saturday 5pm

Explore the streets where the mob made their millions, gamblers lost their lives, and ladies of the night earned their reputations.

Join tour guides for a raucous, high energy presentation inside an old casino to explain the historic significance of Newport, and discover how this little town gave birth to the modern-day gaming industry.



SPRING GROVE CEMETERY

**Famous Spring Grove Cemetery—tours**

[SpringGrove.org/events/tours.aspx](http://SpringGrove.org/events/tours.aspx)

4521 Spring Grove Avenue • Cincinnati

Public tour times may be found on their website's events page.

Spring Grove Cemetery is a National Historic Landmark and one of America's loveliest rural garden cemeteries and a unique Cincinnati cultural resource. Its 733 acres offer the public a magnificent arboretum, open air museum, and tranquil sanctuary just minutes away from downtown Cincinnati. To experience Spring Grove's art, history, architecture, and horticulture in person. The Spring Grove Heritage Foundation sponsors public and private walking/tram/bus tours.

