

WHAT CAN WE SEE?

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MISSISSIPPI



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WHAT CAN WE SEE AT TISHOMINGO STATE PARK?



SWINGING BRIDGE OVER BEAR CREEK



PIONEER CABIN



13 MILES OF NATURE TRAILS



PARK ENTRANCE & CONCRETE BEAR



600 SPECIES OF FLOWERING PLANTS



TOWERING CANYON WALLS



NATIVE STONE ROCKWORK



TISHOMINGO STATE PARK WINS NATIONAL AWARDS

TISHOMINGO STATE PARK WAS HONORED BY RESERVE AMERICA AS ONE OF THE NATION'S "TOP 25 KID FRIENDLY PARKS" ALONG WITH RECEIVING ELEVEN OTHER AWARDS.

RESERVE AMERICA, ONE OF THE LARGEST PROVIDERS OF CAMPGROUND RESERVATION SERVICES, PRODUCES THIS LIST ANNUALLY TO ASSIST OUTDOOR ENTHUSIASTS IN PLANNING CAMPING TRIPS AND FAMILY OUTINGS. TO DETERMINE THE TOP CAMPGROUNDS AND LOCATIONS, OVER 3,000 PARKS WERE EVALUATED.

TISHOMINGO STATE PARK RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING AWARDS:

- TOP 100 FAMILY CAMPGROUNDS;
- TOP 25 CANOEING SPOTS;
- TOP 25 BIRDWATCHING SPOTS;
- TOP 25 EDUCATIONAL & HISTORICAL FACILITIES;
- TOP 50 FISHING SPOTS;
- TOP 50 HIKING TRAILS;
- TOP 25 KID FRIENDLY PARKS;
- TOP 25 ROMANTIC SPOTS;
- TOP 50 SCENIC VIEWS;
- TOP 25 TOURS AND EVENTS;
- TOP 25 AMAZING LOCATIONS; AND
- TOP 25 UNIQUE CABINS.



ROCKY SHOALS ON BEAR CREEK

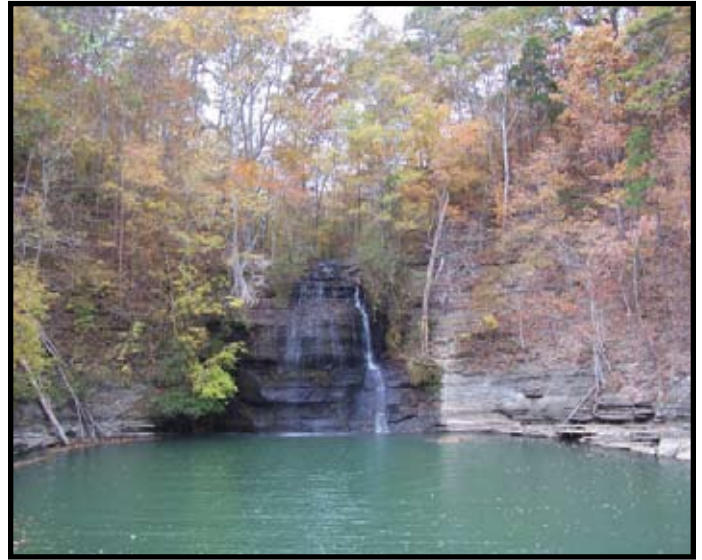


VOTED THE MOST POPULAR OUTDOOR RECREATION DESTINATION IN THE STATE IN 2016, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK MADE MISSISSIPPI MAGAZINE'S "M" LIST AS ONE OF THE "BEST PARKS IN MISSISSIPPI" AND IS RATED AS THE "BEST HIKING TRAIL IN MISSISSIPPI".

WHAT CAN WE SEE AT J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK?



BOATS, BOATS, & MORE BOATS



COOPER FALLS (BY BOAT ONLY)



FLOWERING SHRUBS & TREES



SECLUDED COVES & CAMPING AREAS



ROCKY BEACHES AND ROCK OUTCROPS



MARINA IN A COVE



**J. P. COLEMAN'S HOTEL OVERLOOKS
THE SPARKLING WATERS OF 43,000
ACRE PICKWICK LAKE**

J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK WINS NATIONAL AWARDS

**J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK WAS HONORED BY
RESERVE AMERICA AS ONE OF THE NATIONS
"TOP 25 WATER RECREATION PARKS" ALONG
WITH RECEIVING EIGHT OTHER AWARDS.**

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**J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK HAS
RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING AWARDS:**

- **TOP 25 AMAZING LOCATIONS;**
- **TOP 25 KID FRIENDLY PARKS;**
- **TOP 25 BIRD WATCHING SPOTS;**
- **TOP 25 UNIQUE CABINS;**
- **TOP 25 WATER RECREATION PARKS;**
- **TOP 25 ROMANTIC SPOTS;**
- **TOP 50 FISHING SPOTS;**
- **TOP 50 SCENIC VIEW; AND**
- **TOP 100 FAMILY CAMPGROUNDS.**



SUNRISE OVER PICKWICK LAKE



ROCKY STREAMS AND FALL COLOR



PICKWICK LAKE IN FALL

Retirement in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, USA

There are hundreds of primary and secondary homes on the scenic hills overlooking 600 miles of shoreline. There are several residential resorts and developments on or near the water. Pickwick Pines Resort has been rated as one of the top retirement and vacation resorts in the Southeast. Grand Harbor has a ten-story condominium overlooking the pristine waters of Pickwick Lake, complimented with a full-service marina and other recreational facilities. Shiloh Falls and Pickwick Landing State Park both offer championship golf courses. A number of other residential developments are also located in the area, several built around private lakes and marinas. Tishomingo County offers over 800 residential lots for you to consider.

Home construction costs are substantially below the national average. A typical three bedroom ranch style home can be purchased or built in the \$85,000 to \$160,000 range, depending on size, location and amenities.

Taxes are among the lowest in the nation. Real estate taxes on a typical three bedroom ranch style residence are approximately \$300 per year (minus exemptions for those age 65 or older and the disabled).

Retirees do not pay state income tax on qualified retirement income. Social security is not taxed, regardless of total income. Qualified retirement income includes IRA's, 401/403's, Keogh's, public and private pension funds, and interest income from federal securities and obligations of Mississippi and its political subdivisions. The state's income tax rates are 3% on the first \$5,000, 4% on the second \$5,000, and 5% above \$10,000. The standard deduction is \$2,300 for singles and \$4,600 for married couples filing jointly and/or as head of household. The same itemized deductions for the federal income tax apply with the exception of the state income tax deduction. Single taxpayers may claim a \$6,000 exemption while joint applicants can claim \$12,000. \$1,500 is allowed for each additional exemption for dependents or for those 65 and older.

A homestead real estate tax credit of \$240 applies to residential property used as the principle residence. Persons age 65 and older, or persons who are disabled, qualify for a property tax exemption up to \$70,000 of the market value on homestead property. Any value over \$70,000 is taxed the same as other property.

Vehicles are assessed at 30% of market value. Automobile license tags for new vehicles rarely cost more than \$300 per year. This tax is reduced by a percentage assigned each year by the state legislature.

The state sales tax rate is 7% for most goods and services. There is no local sales tax except for a 2% tourism or hotel/motel tax. Prescription drugs, motor fuels, health care services, residential utilities, and newspapers are not subject to sales taxes.

Tishomingo County has the highest percentage of retirees in the state. The crime rate is among the lowest in the USA. The largest rural healthcare system in the USA has an acute care facility in the community. Several long-term care facilities are also located in the community. The community is within 35 to 90 minutes driving time of world class medical facilities, shopping, educational facilities, and cultural amenities in Memphis, Jackson, Tupelo, Florence, and Huntsville. The local school system is rated among the top 5% in the state with the majority of students scoring above the national average on the ACT.

WHAT CAN WE SEE ON THE NATCHEZ TRACE?



NATCHEZ TRACE PARKWAY



CAVE SPRING



TISHOMINGO STATE PARK



TENN-TOM WATERWAY OVERLOOK



BAY SPRINGS LOCK & DAM



TISHOMINGO MURAL

WHAT CAN WE SEE IN DOWNTOWN IUKA?



DOWNTOWN IUKA JAY BIRD PARK



IUKA COVERED BRIDGE



MINERAL SPRINGS PARK



IUKA PIONEER CABIN



IUKA WEDDING CHAPEL



OLD COURTHOUSE MUSEUM



ANTIQUE FIRE TRUCK & RAILROAD CABOOSE



BATTLE OF IUKA DRIVING TOUR



AMERICA'S ONLY APRON MUSEUM



OAK GROVE CEMETERY



BATTLE OF IUKA MURAL

WHAT CAN WE SEE AT BAY SPRINGS LAKE?



VISITORS CENTER & MUSEUM



PIONEER CABIN



BAY SPRINGS LAKE LOCK & DAM



BAY SPRINGS BEACH & PARK



BAY SPRINGS MARINA



WALKING PATH

WHAT CAN WE SEE AT PICKWICK LAKE?



GRAND HARBOR MARINA & CONDOS



AQUA YACHT HARBOR



UNION HARBOR MARINA



HOMES ON PICKWICK LAKE



COOPER FALLS (BY BOAT ONLY)



FISHING ON PICKWICK LAKE

WHAT CAN WE SEE IN BELMONT?



BELMONT HOTEL



BELMONT CHILDREN'S VILLAGE



BELMONT RAILROAD DEPOT



BARGAIN CAPITAL TOUR



MAC MCANALLY MUSIC TRAIL MARKER



SHOOK PARK PAVILION

WHAT CAN WE SEE AT WOODALL MOUNTAIN?



WOODALL MOUNTAIN FROM BURNSVILLE



VIEW FROM THE TOP



ROAD TO THE TOP



HIGHEST POINT IN MISSISSIPPI AT 806'



VISITOR'S REGISTER



ENTRANCE SIGN

TISHOMINGO COUNTY RESTAURANTS

Belmont-Golden-Dennis:

Belmont Restaurant, 15 Third Street--662-479-5030
Costa Oaxaquena, 118 Main Street--662-454-7373
Dennis Cafe, 730 Highway 25--662-279-7557
Dixie Queen, 380 Highway 25--662-454-1166
Golden Mini Mart Deli, 216 Front Street--662-454-0012
Hometown Pizza, 7 Yarber Street--662-454-0202
Kelly's Kitchen, 15 Third Street--662-479-5070
Ole Country Store Deli, 120 Highway 25--662-454-7920
Piggly Wiggly Deli, 326 Second Street--662-454-7163
Higginbottom's Restaurant, 751 Hwy. 25--662-454-3771
Sonic Drive In, 291 Second Street--662-454-3070
Sparks Drive In, 609 Second Street--662-454-7816
Subway Sandwiches, 361 Second Street--662-454-3228
The Lunchbox, 195 Second Street--662-424-2067
The Q, 219 Second Street--662-454-9500
Thomas's Fish Place, 126 Second Street--662-454-7188

Burnsville:

72 Express Deli, 281-B Highway 72--662-427-9600
El Corral, 345 Highway 72--662-279-6991
Hometown Pizza, 343 Highway 72--662-424-3111
Ramjets Diner, 290 Highway 72--662-427-0030
Waterway Grill, 314 Highway 72--662-427-0904

Iuka:

Aqua Yacht Harbor Grill, 3832 Highway 25--662-424-0254
Bi An Garden, 405 Battleground Drive--662-593-5085
BJ's Corner Cafe, 802 Constitution Drive--662-424-0038
Bread & Butter, 100 Front Street--662-740-8899
Country Squire, 459 Highway 172--662-423-9984
Crossroads One Stop, 3394 Highway 25--662-423-6555
Donna's Italian Beef, 509 Constitution Dr--662-423-3326
El Picante, 1727 West Quitman Street--662-423-7224
El Picante 2, 1103 Battleground Drive--662-423-3708
Express Stop Deli, 1716 Battleground Dr--662-423-2664
Farmhouse Restaurant, 1308 Battleground--662-593-5015
Front Street Snack Bar, 108 West Front St--662-423-2494
Hardees, 1610 First American Drive--662-423-1008
Heavenly Yogurt, 115 South Fulton Street--662-423-3730
Hometown Pizza, 621 Battleground Drive--662-593-3036
Jack's, 1711 Battleground Drive--662-423-2429
Lil' Smokies, 1209 West Quitman Street--662-424-0268
McDonald's, 1712 Battleground Dr--662-424-9588
Piggly Wiggly Deli, 627 Battleground Drive--662-423-3651
Sante Fe Mexican, 707 Battleground Drive--662-593-5040
Sonic Drive In, 1660 West Quitman Street--662-423-9100
Sprint Mart Deli, 1000 West Quitman St--662-423-9827
Subway, 509 Battleground Drive--662-423-0088 (moving)
Taste Buds, 1530 Constitution Drive--662-279-6470

Tishomingo-Paden:

Inez's Drive In, 1502 Highway 25--662-438-6486
Martyville, Highway 25 North--662-438-6987
Rooster's, 3460 Mississippi Avenue, Paden--662-438-6591
T & M's Country Kitchen, 1253 Main Street--662-423-8712
Viva la Casita, 1228 Highway 25--662-438-7042

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TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, USA: OUTDOOR RECREATION CAPITAL OF THE MID-SOUTH

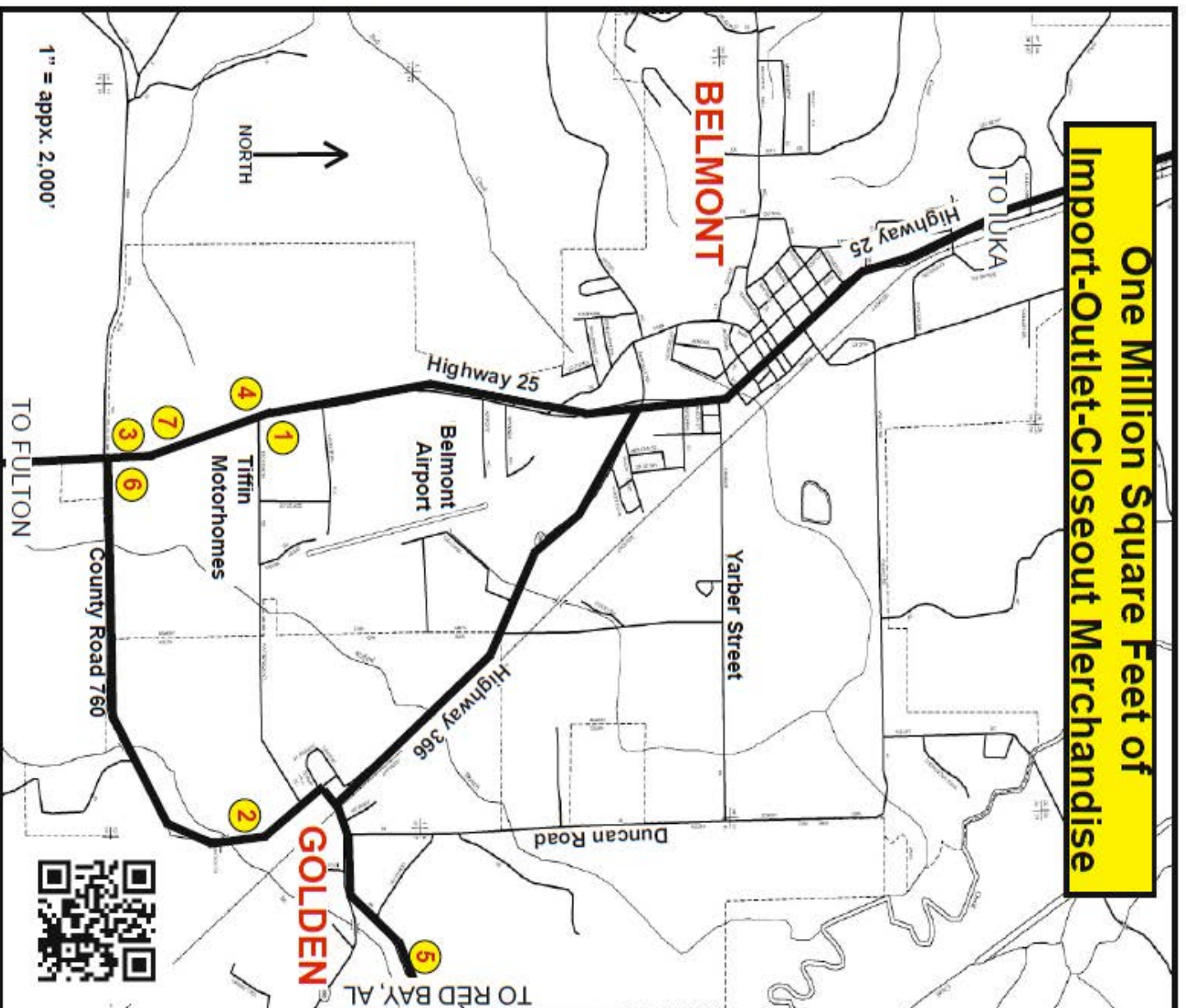
- IUKA COVERED BRIDGE
- MINERAL SPRINGS PARK
- IUKA PIONEER CABIN
- J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK
- COOPER FALLS
- TISHOMINGO STATE PARK
- BEAR CREEK SCENIC STREAM
- PICKWICK LAKE--43,000 ACRES
- BAY SPRINGS LAKE--6,600 ACRES
- TENNESSEE-TOMBIGBEE WATERWAY
- CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP RETREAT AT CROWS NECK
- CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOR WEDDING CHAPEL
- SCENIC DOWNTOWN IUKA
- OAK GROVE CEMETERY
- BATTLE OF IUKA DRIVING TOUR
- APRON MUSEUM
- OLD COURTHOUSE MUSEUM
- WOODALL MOUNTAIN
- GRAND HARBOR MARINA & CONDOS
- AQUA YACHT HARBOR & RESORT
- EASTPORT MARINA & RESORT
- UNION HARBOR MARINA & RESORT
- MILL CREEK MARINA & RESORT
- J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK MARINA
- BAY SPRINGS MARINA
- GOAT ISLAND RV PARK
- PINEY GROVE CAMPGROUND
- BAY SPRINGS LAKE MUSEUM, VISITOR CENTER, BEACH, & PIONEER CABIN
- NATCHEZ TRACE PARKWAY
- CAVE SPRING
- BEAR CREEK INDIAN MOUND
- BARGAIN CAPITAL OF THE SOUTH TOUR--BELMONT & GOLDEN
- BURNSVILLE ONE ROOM SCHOOL
- IUKA DRIVE-IN THEATER
- PICKWICK PINES RESORT
- NUMEROUS BOAT RAMPS
- 77,000 ACRES OF WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AND HUNTING AREAS



Numbers are shown on the map at right

1. **Baymont Show Room.** 10 Industrial Road. 662-454-9356. Furniture, mattresses, household accessories. Open 8 AM to 4 PM. Monday thru Friday. <http://baymontshowroom.com>.
2. **Harris Sales.** 103 Highway 366. 662-454-7433. Silk flowers and home decor. Open 8 AM to 4:30 PM. Monday thru Friday.
3. **M&W Sales.** 135 Highway 25 South. 662-454-9419. Furniture, mattresses, home decor. www.mwsalesinc.com.
4. **Southeast Surplus.** 139 Highway 25 South. 662-454-7484. Auto, truck, & RV supplies and tools. Open 8 AM to 5 PM Monday thru Friday.
5. **Silver Dollar Sales.** 120A Highway 366. 662-454-3642. Groceries, sundries, large selection of household appliances. Open 8 AM to 6 PM. Monday thru Saturday. www.silverdollarsales.com.
6. **Tool Mart, Inc.** 134 Highway 25 South. 662-454-9400. Tools, wedding supplies, home decor, picture frames, candles, baby & adult gifts, toys, books, etc. Open 8 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday thru Friday. www.toolmartinc.com.
7. **Wood Sales.** 132 Highway 25 South. 662-454-9237. Utility vehicles, yard & garden equipment, engines, toys, hand and power tools, air compressors, etc. Open 8 AM to 5 PM Monday thru Friday.

One Million Square Feet of Import-Outlet-Closeout Merchandise



TISHOMINGO COUNTY BARGAIN TOUR



TISHOMINGO COUNTY SPECIAL EVENTS

CALL FOR DATES & TIMES OR CHECK THE WEB SITE AT WWW.TISHOMINGOFUNHERE.ORG

- JANUARY--FIRST DAY HIKE, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK, 662-438-6914
- MARCH--CRAFTS IN THE PARK, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- MARCH--FISHING TOURNAMENTS, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- APRIL--EASTER EGG HUNT, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK, 662-438-6914
- APRIL--EASTER EGG HUNT, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- APRIL--HOLLIS LONG ARCHIE LEE MEMORIAL OLE' TYME MUSIC GATHERING, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK, 662-438-6914
- JAYBIRD MARKET, JAYBIRD PARK, DOWNTOWN IUKA, 662-279-4116
- APRIL--RENAISSANCE DAY, OLD TISHOMINGO COUNTY COURTHOUSE MUSEUM, 662-423-3500
- APRIL--FISHING TOURNAMENTS, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- MAY--FISHING TOURNAMENTS, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-427-6515
- MAY--SMOKIN' ON THE WATERWAY BBQ COOKOFF, BURNSVILLE, 662-427-9526
- MAY--NATIVE AMERICAN CUSTOMS & TRADITIONS FESTIVAL, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK, 662-438-6914
- MAY--KIDS TO PARKS DAY, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK, 662-438-6914
- JUNE--NATIONAL TRAILS DAY, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK, 662-438-6914
- JUNE--FISHING TOURNAMENTS, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- JUNE--MOTORCYCLE POKER RUN, BURNSVILLE, 662-427-9526
- JULY--TISHOMINGO STREET DANCE, TISHOMINGO, 662-438-6402
- JULY--FIREWORKS & MOVIE IN THE PARK, BELMONT, 662-454-3381
- JULY--FISHING TOURNAMENTS, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- AUGUST--DULCIMER FESTIVAL, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- AUGUST--IUKA HERITAGE FESTIVAL AND CAR & TRACTOR SHOW, IUKA 662-423-8421
- SEPTEMBER--BEAR CREEK FESTIVAL & CAR SHOW, BELMONT, 662-454-3381
- SEPTEMBER--WATERWAY FESTIVAL & CAR SHOW, BURNSVILLE, 662-427-9526
- SEPTEMBER--FISHING TOURNAMENTS, J. P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- OCTOBER--TRASH & TREASURES ALONG THE TENN-TOM WATERWAY, COUNTY- WIDE, TISHOMINGO COUNTY TOURISM COUNCIL, 662-423-0051
- OCTOBER--FALL FLING FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK, 662-438-6914
- OCTOBER--HALLOWEEN IN THE PARK, J.P. COLEMAN STATE PARK, 662-423-6515
- NOVEMBER--JAYBIRD MARKET, DOWNTOWN IUKA, 662-279-4116
- NOVEMBER--CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE, DOWNTOWN IUKA
- NOVEMBER--IDEA JAYBIRD PARK CHRISTMAS MARKET, 9 AM TO 3 PM, 662-279-4116
- DECEMBER--CHRISTMAS PARADES--IUKA, BELMONT, BURNSVILLE & TISHOMINGO
- DECEMBER--SANTA IN THE PARK, TISHOMINGO STATE PARK, 662-438-6914
- DECEMBER--BREAKFAST WITH SANTA, BELMONT HOTEL, 662-454-7948
- DECEMBER--DICKENS CHRISTMAS, DOWNTOWN IUKA, 6 PM

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