

# Events

We invite you to come home to the hills! We've got something for the whole family year round.

## April

### Mountain Mushroom Festival, Agate Hunt & Gem Show

The Mountain Mushroom Festival has grown to become one of the leading festivals in the state with vendors offering a variety of artisan crafts, entertainment, and food.

## July

### Weekend on the Water



Make a splash in our Trail Town by joining us for tubing and kayaking on the Kentucky River.

## September

### Ravenna Railroad Festival

This family- friendly festival celebrates the City of Ravenna's heritage by paying homage to the industry that brought our small town to life.

### Kickin' It On The Creek

What started as a family birthday celebration has grown in to a laid back music festival in the hills of Estill County. This crowd favorite features local and national artists.



## October

### Forest of the Undead

This family- friendly "zombie walk" at Lily Mountain is a great way to get outside and scare up some fun!

Share your adventures with us!

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## December

### Irvine-Ravenna Kiwanis Christmas Parade

Get in the holiday spirit and light up the night with our evening parade celebrating the Christmas season with local groups and businesses.

### Yuletide

For more than 15 years this Arts & Craft show has kicked off the holidays offering amazing hand-crafted gifts. It's a great chance to shop local!

## May - August

### Pickin' in the Park

Immerse yourself in our thriving local music scene during this family-friendly weekly concert series hosted by the Estill County Public Library and the City of Irvine.



## May-October

### Moonlight Market

Live music, vendors, and community organizations come together in this street fair on the First Friday of each month in Downtown Irvine.

## Boat Ramp Access

### Kentucky River Park

899 Wiseman Crossing  
72 acre park with a boat ramp suitable for canoes and kayaks.

### American Legion

730 Millers Creek  
Suitable for any light trailerable recreational boat.

### Irvine Boat Ramp

5 South Irvine Rd  
Located under the Green Bridge  
Suitable for any light trailerable recreational boat.

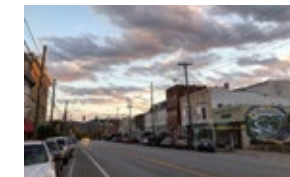
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**Irvine-Estill County Tourism Commission**

## Come home to the hills and join us where the Bluegrass Kisses the Mountains!

Estill County - home to Irvine and Ravenna - has a rich history and boasts beautiful scenery, small-town charm, and welcoming hospitality.



Nestled in the rolling foothills of the Appalachian Mountains with the Kentucky River winding throughout, Estill County offers a variety of adventure and exploration. Discover our **Twin City Trail Town**, from the banks of the **Kentucky River** to the more than 500 acres of nature at **Lily Mountain Nature Preserve**.



Look back in time at our historic **Iron Furnaces** and see the town that the railroad built in Ravenna. Downtown Irvine is home to the historic **Mack Theatre**, which is currently being restored and will be used for theatrical performances, music, and local events.

Each Spring, you can join in on the hunt for more mushrooms and agates at our **Mountain Mushroom Festival**. In the Fall, come celebrate our hard working heritage at the **Ravenna Railroad Festival**.

However you like to spend your time, come enjoy it with us and get to know the people and places that make us Kentucky's Hometown!



**On the Horizon:**  
**Estill County is the future home of the Kentucky Rail Heritage Center!**

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



Ravenna was founded by the L&N Railroad in 1915 and was known as "The Village". The Kentucky Steam Heritage Corporation has partnered with CSX, the Estill County Board of Education, and the Estill Development Alliance to develop the **Kentucky Rail Heritage Center**.

The KRHC is home to the historic C&O 2716 steam locomotive and will be a groundbreaking multi-use attraction. It will integrated the region's history, natural beauty, and culture in a vibrant 45-acre rail-centered campus.

## Attractions

- 1 **Estill County Golf Course**  
1602 Kirkland Ave  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
(606) 723-5166  
Scenic 9 hole course that is open to non-members.
- 2 **Estill County Historical & Genealogical Society and Museum**  
133 Broadway  
Irvine, KY 40336  
Saturday: 10:00am-4:00pm  
Facebook.com/echgs
- 3 **Fitchburg Furnace**  
1875 Fitchburg Rd  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
FitchburgFurnace.com  
The world's largest iron furnace of its kind.
- 4 **Future home of the Kentucky Rail Heritage Center**  
499 Kirkland Ave  
Irvine, KY 40336  
This site will feature historic engines, events, and a visitors center.  
KentuckySteam.org
- 5 **Kentucky River Recreation Park**  
899 Wiseman Crossing  
Irvine, KY 40336  
Soccer fields and canoe and kayak access to the Kentucky River.
- 6 **Kentucky Mountain Moonshine Distillery**  
465 Cow Creek Road  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
(859) 608-4100  
KentuckyMountainMoonshine.com  
500 acres of hiking, primitive camping, and tastings on Saturday, 12-6pm.
- 7 **Lily Mountain Nature Preserve**  
551 Little Rock Rd  
Irvine, Kentucky 40336  
EstillCountyKY.net/lily-mountain-nature-preserve.html  
350 acres of woodlands and hiking.

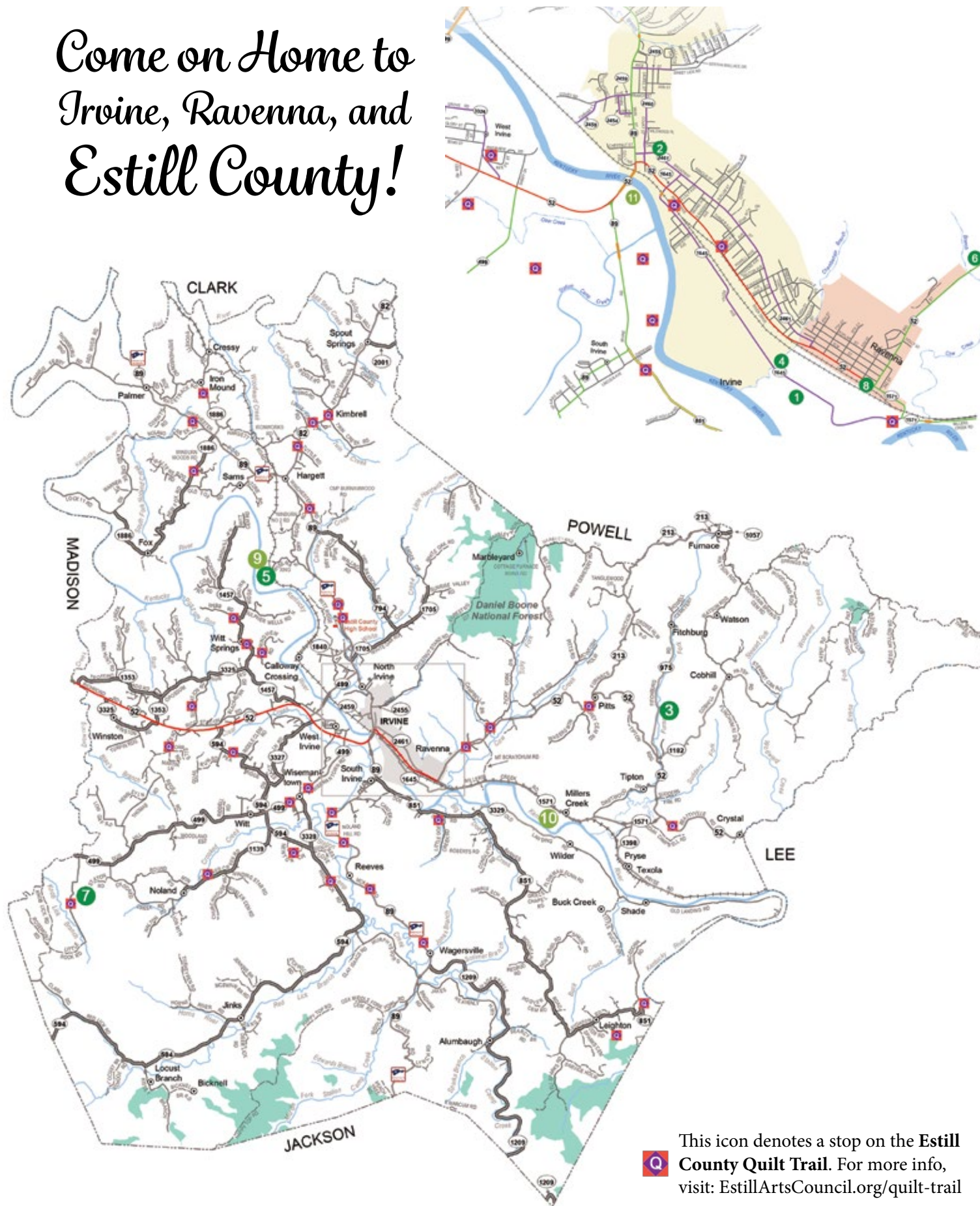
- 8 **Veteran's Memorial Park**  
621 Main St  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
Playgrounds, basketball courts, and picnic pavilions.

## Lodging

- 9 **Aldersgate Camp & Retreat Center**  
125 Aldersgate Camp  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
(606) 723-5078  
AldersgateCamp.org  
Group and Individual cottages and cabins and an RV Park.
- 10 **Cottage on the Hill at Harmony Hollow**  
Red Lick Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 643-5658  
Airbnb.com/rooms/17421662  
Full home vacation rental with scenic views of the Red Lick Valley.
- 11 **Oak Tree Inn**  
1075 Richmond Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 723-2600  
Recently renovated motel with convenient access to amenities
- 12 **Snug Hollow Farm Bed & Breakfast**  
Red Lick Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 723-4786  
SnugHollow.com  
300 acre organic farm with a Bed and Breakfast.

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# Come on Home to Irvine, Ravenna, and Estill County!



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## Dining

### Local Flair

- 13 **82 Food Mart**  
134 Spout Springs Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 723-7664  
Cold beverages, sandwiches, and snacks.
- 14 **Burger Barn**  
1375 Richmond Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 723-5944  
Burgers, ice cream, and sandwiches. Cash only.
- 15 **El Ranchito**  
539 River Dr  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 726-0428  
Mexican food and weekly lunch specials.
- 16 **Go Time**  
1402 Winchester Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 717-0104  
Cold beverages, pizza, chicken, and snacks.
- 17 **Hong Kong**  
1274 Richmond Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 726-0888  
Chinese food and buffet.
- 18 **House of 'Cue**  
77 River Dr  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 726-0717  
Smoked BBQ and a full bar.
- 19 **La Cabaña Mexican Cuisine**  
214 Main Street  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 717-0180  
A full bar and weekly trivia, Tuesdays at 7pm.
- 20 **Michael's Restaurant**  
100 3rd St  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
(606) 723-9997  
Local favorites and a daily buffet.
- 21 **Old Timer's**  
735 Main St  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
(606) 723-2723  
Country favorites.
- 22 **Ravenna Food Mart**  
314 Main Street  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
(606) 723-6333  
Cold beverages, deli, and snacks.
- 23 **Snug Hollow Farm Bed & Breakfast**  
Red Lick Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 723-4786  
SnugHollow.com  
Gourmet lunch and dinner available by reservation.
- 24 **Steam Engine Pizza Pub**  
206 Main Street  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 723-9787  
SteamEnginePizza.com  
Local hand-made pizza and beer.
- 25 **The Twin**  
63 River Dr  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 723-5623  
Sandwiches and ice cream.
- 26 **Witt's Country Market**  
4650 Richmond Rd  
Irvine, KY 40336  
(606) 726-0026  
Breakfast and lunch specials.
- 27 **Wigwam Drive-In**  
419 3rd St  
Ravenna, KY 40472  
(606) 723-3240  
Diner favorites. Cash only.

### Familiar Favorites

- Hardee's/Red Burrito
- Little Caesar's Pizza
- McDonald's
- Pizza Hut
- Subway
- Wendy's

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