

Quality of Life in Noble County

“The County That Moves Mountains”

Noble County is, and will remain, a rural county in Southeast Ohio with a relaxed lifestyle and abundant recreational opportunities. The second smallest of Ohio’s 88 counties and home of Johnny Appleseed, Noble isn’t stuck in the past, but determined to continue its steady economic growth.

Recreation

- Caldwell Lake
- Noble County Recreation Area: swimming, basketball, volleyball, tennis, baseball & softball facilities
- Seneca Lake Park: 3,500 acre lake, campground, swimming beach
- Wolf Run State Park: 220 acre lake, camping, fishing, swimming beach, shelter house
- Robin’s Ridge Golf Course: 18 holes
- Whiskey Run Golf Course: 18 holes
- Revitalized downtown Caldwell
- The Wilds: 10,000 acre international center for preservation of animals from Africa, Asia and North America. Open May-October.



Places of Worship

- 39 Protestant
- 4 Catholic

Unique Community Events

- May: Demolition Derby, Noble County Fairgrounds; Traders Day & Flea Market, Reinersville; Birthday Party, Johnny Appleseed Center
- June: Art on the Square, Caldwell
- August: Noble County Fair
- September: Soakum Festival, Noble County Fairgrounds
- November: Community Christmas, Caldwell; Holiday Parade, Caldwell
- December: Courthouse Lighting, Caldwell

Historic Significance of Area

- Home of Johnny Appleseed
- Site of 1925 crash of the Shenandoah, the first rigid airship built in America
- Site of first oil well drilled in the U.S.

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