



Ohio's county of covered bridges invites you over for dinner and more



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Fairfield County, which boasts the most original covered bridges in Ohio, is inviting people over this coming weekend for its first Covered Bridge Festival, tours of covered bridges, and a dinner that will be served on one of them.

The area — southeast of Columbus and about a three-hour drive from Pittsburgh — is proud of its 17 old-fashioned bridges, including the 1906 Zeller-Smith Bridge at Sycamore Creek Park in Pickerington.

From 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 13, there's a catered dinner on the bridge. Tickets are \$79 via [Eventbrite](#) or by calling 1-866-334-

On Saturday and Sunday, Alley Park in nearby Lancaster will be the site of the first Covered Bridge Festival, featuring music, artisan demonstrations and food trucks.

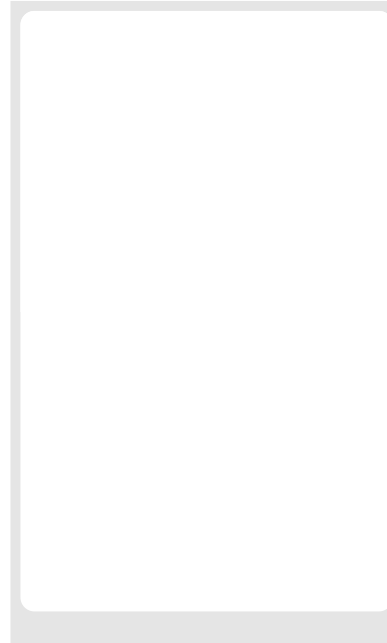
Offered at 1 p.m. each day is a \$20 “Bridges & Backroads Tour” by bus of the county and a half dozen of its bridges and other scenic beauty, including the Rock Mill grist mill. (If you’re a beer enthusiast, try to visit nearby [Rockmill Brewery](#), too.) Tickets, which include refreshments, are available at [Eventbrite](#) or by calling 1-866-334-6446 or 1-800-626-1296.

Learn more about these events and the area’s other attractions at visitfairfieldcounty.org.

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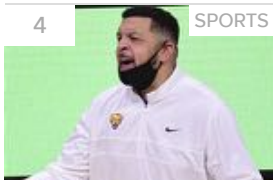
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