



Meet the artists.
 ✨ *Watch them* ✨
CREATE.

One of the best features of Nashville is being able to see the artists at work as you stroll through their galleries and studios. You can talk with them and observe the care that they put into their art, whether it's painting, sculpture, ceramics, glass, jewelry, woodworking or a host of other crafts.

Even the handmade fudge, craft beers and homemade ice cream seem to taste better because of the extra care involved. Practically everything that is made in Nashville is elevated to an art form. And it not only is beautiful; it's also affordable.



See the
INSPIRATION
behind the art.

During your next trip to Nashville, make sure to leave room in your schedule for a relaxing car or bike ride along Brown County's winding roads. Or set aside time to take a hike or go horseback riding on the miles and miles of hilly trails in Brown County State Park. The entire area surrounding Nashville is full of activities to help you explore its natural beauty. It's this incredibly picturesque landscape that has provided inspiration for so many artists. Experience it; and you'll understand why we say in Brown County, *Escape Comes Naturally.*



Plan your escape today at
 BrownCounty.com
 800.753.3255

Arts Village
 BROWN COUNTY



Your guide to Nashville, Indiana,
 "the Art Colony of the Midwest"
 for over a century.



Art isn't a hobby here.
 ✨ *It's a* ✨
WAY OF LIFE.

Since the late 1800s, Nashville, Indiana's scenic beauty, remote location and down-to-earth residents have attracted artists and artisans looking for an escape from the world's distractions. That's why Nashville is still known today as the Arts Village of Brown County, just as it was a century ago.

Public Art Collections in Nashville

In addition to the dozens of artist studios in Nashville and the surrounding countryside, you'll find inspiring public art collections at the Nashville Town Hall, Brown County Courthouse, Brown County Public Library, Brown County Office Building, Artists Colony Inn, Hobnob and Nashville House.

Destinations in and Around Nashville

While you and your family are visiting Brown County, be sure to visit the T.C. Steele State Historic Site where you can tour the famous impressionistic painter's Large Studio and House of the Singing Winds. You'll also want to tour the Pioneer Village in downtown Nashville and Bill Monroe's Music Park and Campground located in nearby Bean Blossom.

For details and directions, stop by the Visitors Center located at 211 South Van Buren street in downtown Nashville where friendly, knowledgeable staff members will be happy to help you.

Wineries and Breweries

- BROWN COUNTY WINERY**
46 E MAIN ST
812.988.6144
BrownCountyWinery.com
Quality, handcrafted and locally made wines that emphasize natural flavors.
- BIG WOODS BREWING COMPANY**
60 MOLLY LN
812.988.6000
BigWoodsBeer.com
Big Woods Brewing Company creates craft beer on location and features gourmet pub grub.
- CEDAR CREEK WINERY**
38 E FRANKLIN ST
812.988.1111
CedarCreekWine.com
A winery and tasting room operated by the Elsner Family that features a wide variety of wines.
- CHATEAU THOMAS WINERY**
225 S VAN BUREN ST
812.988.8500
ChateauThomas.com
A relaxing setting that's perfect for sampling fine wines and gourmet cheeses.
- SALT CREEK WINERY**
26 HONEYSUCKLE LN
812.525.0863
SaltCreekWinery.com
Complimentary wine tasting and wine sales.

Public Art

- ABE MARTIN**
78 W FRANKLIN ST
Sculpted from wood by artist Chris Trotter.
- ALL TOGETHER NOW COACHLIGHT SQUARE, E WASHINGTON ST**
A recycled sculpture created by BETA Teen Center and local sculptor Brad Cox.
- ARTS NATURE ADVENTURE MURAL OLD SCHOOL WAY**
Coordinated by Art Alliance. Designed by Brett Volpp. Painted by local artists and students.
- BROWN COUNTY BENCH 205 LOCUST LN**
A bench of metal and stone created by Jim Connor.
- BROWN COUNTY HISTORY MURAL 133 N VAN BUREN ST**
Created in 2013 to honor Brown County's rich history.
- DANCERS 105 S VAN BUREN ST**
A gift from limestone sculptor William Galloway commemorating Nashville's 2012 Indiana State Cultural District Designation.
- HIGH LONESOME 15 S VAN BUREN ST**
A barn wood and steel sculpture depicting musical instruments by artist Michael Evans.

- SOARING 10 N VAN BUREN ST**
Built by Elderheart, with the assistance of sculptor Jim Connor. Conceptualized by Three Sixty Group of Indianapolis.

Entertainment

- BROWN COUNTY PLAYHOUSE 70 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.6555
BrownCountyPlayhouse.org
Showcasing everything from concerts and live theatre to community events and film festivals.
- OUT OF THE ORDINARY 61 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.788.9730
OutoftheO.com
A restaurant that brings entertainment including live music and dancing on select nights.
- MELCHIOR MARIONETTE THEATRE WEST SIDE OF S VAN BUREN ST**
800.849.4853 | 317.535.4853
MelchiorMarionettes.com
A small outdoor marionette theatre which offers 20-minute shows featuring handcrafted marionettes and original scripts.
- HOBNOB 17 W MAIN ST**
812.988.4114
HobnobCornerRestaurant.com
A restaurant featuring a local fingerstyle guitarist each Wednesday evening.

Studios and Galleries

- 4TH SISTER VINTAGE 213 S JEFFERSON ST**
614.638.8849
OldeMagnoliaHouseInn.com/
4th-Sister-Vintage
Utilitarian folk art in vintage and repurposed items.
- B3 GALLERY VILLAGE GREEN BUILDING, 61 W MAIN ST**
812.988.6675
A wide variety of functional and fine art, all produced by Indiana artists.
- BROWN COUNTY ART GALLERY 1 ARTIST DR**
812.988.4609
BrownCountyArtGallery.org
Brown County's original art gallery. Exhibits early art colony masters' works, and offers consigned art and works by current Gallery Association and IHA artists.
- BROWN COUNTY ART GUILD 48 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.6185
BrownCountyArtGuild.org
The Guild is rich in local history, represents award winning regional artists, and offers a gift shop with artisan wares.
- BROWN COUNTY CRAFT GALLERY 58 E MAIN ST**
812.988.7058
BrownCountyCraftGallery.com
A unique, cooperative gallery featuring the work of more than 30 area artisans.



- BROWN COUNTY POTTERY ANTIQUE ALLEY, 58 W FRANKLIN ST**
812.988.1388
Creating Brown County pottery since 1968.
- BROWN COUNTY WEAVING AND ROOTS ANTIQUE ALLEY, 96 W FRANKLIN ST**
812.988.0340
BrownCountyCraftGallery.com/SallyBaldwin
Woven scarves, shawls, capes, wraps, ponchos and jackets using mostly natural yarn.
- CLAY PURL 58 E MAIN ST**
812.988.0336
ClayPurl.com
Features its own line of hand-painted yarns and also sells handmade pottery.
- EMERALD PENCIL 23 N JEFFERSON ST**
812.988.5285
EmeraldPencil.com
Mischievous arts and decorative curiosities.

- GRASSHOPPER FLATS 145 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.4037
Custom-made jewelry and wedding rings, designed and handcrafted by Doug Stoffer.
- HOOSIER ARTIST GALLERY 45 S JEFFERSON ST**
812.988.6888
HoosierArtist.net
Contemporary and representational art plus fine crafts featuring a variety of handmade items.
- IRIS GARDEN GALLERY 79 N VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.2422
VisitBrownCounty.com
A fine art gallery since 1966.
- JOHANNA LEE BATHOLOGY 58 W MAIN ST**
812.988.9500
BathologyJohannaLee.com
All-natural, cold-pressed soaps, lotion bars, sugar scrubs, bath bombs, glycerin soaps and more.

- JULS ETC. 35 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.720.7020
Highlighting jewelry handcrafted by Rhonda Kay.
- K. BELLUM FINE LEATHER GOODS ANTIQUE ALLEY, 92 W FRANKLIN ST**
812.988.4513
KBellum.com
Plain, hand-tooled, embossed, western-style and special designer leather belts.
- LA SHA'S 60 N VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.0522
Handmade jewelry by Larry and Sharon Jenkins.
- LAWRENCE FAMILY GLASS BLOWERS 37 E FRANKLIN ST**
812.988.2600
LawrenceFamilyGlassBlowers.com
Glassblowers known for their originality, detail, quality and artistic flair!

- MOONSHINE LEATHER 38 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.1326
MoonshineLeather.com
Quality handmade leather purses, travel bags, briefcases, backpacks, leather wallets and more.
- N&R WOODWORKING ANTIQUE ALLEY, 38 S JEFFERSON ST**
812.718.6908
Specializing in custom made, handcrafted wood products.
- NASHVILLE IMAGE ANTIQUE ALLEY, 75 S JEFFERSON ST**
812.988.8292
NashvilleImage.com
Recreate the past by posing for fun vintage photos.
- NEW LEAF GALLERY 118 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.1058
AmyGreely.com
Studio art jewelry created by Amy Greely as well as gift items from other artisans.

Studios and Galleries (CONTINUED)

- PAINT BOX GALLERY ANTIQUE ALLEY, 92 W FRANKLIN ST**
812.988.6059
Features the work of a small number of regional artists who exhibit their work in a variety of styles from fine art to saw blades.
- PETER GRANTS 100 E MAIN ST**
812.988.7270
American handcrafted pottery, wood, jewelry and hardwood furniture.
- PRIMITIVES AND PINECONES 58 E MAIN ST**
812.929.0977
A quaint and unique shop of primitive, rustic and vintage décor with a focus on handmade and repurposed products.
- QUINTESSENCE GALLERY 87 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.2600
LawrenceFamilyGlassBlowers.com
A gallery featuring the highly original and detailed glassblowing of Jim and John Lawrence.
- SIMPLY 4 YOU 145 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.350.8806
Hand-painted signs, picture frames and other items. Offers custom item orders.
- SPEARS GALLERY 15 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.1287
SpearsPottery.com
A working studio and gallery featuring exquisite, functional and decorative pottery.
- STAN HAMILTON HERITAGE MALL, 41 S VAN BUREN ST**
317.442.8622
Stan-Hamilton.ArtistWebsites.com
Original Stan Hamilton paintings including custom commissions.
- SWEETWATER GALLERY 145 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.0449
SchusterGlass.com
Showcases stained glass, blown glass and items from more than 40 nationally known artists.
- THOMAS TREEHOUSE 173 S OLD SCHOOL WAY**
812.720.7077
TheThomasTreehouse.com
Original woodcarvings, paintings and other handmade items.
- THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS ANTIQUE ALLEY, 75 S JEFFERSON ST**
812.988.1724
Stone carvings, glass art creations, as well as routed and sandblasted wood signs. Accepts personal orders.
- TOUCH OF SILVER GOLD AND OLD 87 E MAIN ST**
812.988.6990
TouchOfSilverGoldAndOld.com
Albert Drake, Goldsmith/Silversmith. Handcrafting and selling jewelry in Brown County since 1972.
- TRILOGY GALLERY 120 E MAIN ST**
812.988.4030
American handcrafted pottery, wood, jewelry and hardwood furniture.
- TWISTED WICK 102 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.6123
TwistedWick.com
Hand-poured soy candles with premium fragrance oils.
- WEEDPATCH MUSIC 58 E MAIN ST**
812.988.1180
WeedpatchMusicCompany.com
One-of-a-kind locally made stringed instruments as well as affordable instruments for beginners.
- WOODEN WONDERS ANTIQUE ALLEY, 63 S JEFFERSON ST**
317.384.4091
Hand-carved art and chainsaw sculptures including the Wooden Wonders horse!
- YESTERYEAR OLD TIME PHOTO 145 S VAN BUREN ST**
812.988.7305
A Nashville tradition of visitors posing for old time photos.

