

TOUR INFORMATION

Thank you for planning a group tour to the Southern Museum of Civil War and Locomotive History. To make your trip more enjoyable, please find below more information about your tour, meal options and a grab bag order form.

Timeliness

If the group will not arrive on time, please contact the Ticket Office at (770) 427-2117 x3179 as soon as possible. If your group is delayed by 30 minutes or more we may have to make modifications to the tour in order to finish on time.

Group Size

There must be a minimum of 10 paid admissions to receive the discounted group rate. School groups larger than 40 students will be divided into smaller groups to allow for easier rotation through the museum. Maximum group size is 200 people.

Payment/Free Admissions

On the day of your visit, payment should be made by cash, check or credit card (Visa or MasterCard) in one lump sum. One teacher/chaperone is admitted free for each ten paid student admissions. Motorcoach and school bus drivers are admitted free. Group tour leaders are admitted free. Upon arrival, the group leader should report to the ticket booth to handle payment.

Museum Store

The museum store has a large assortment of moderately priced items that visitors may purchase as a memento of their visit. Student groups are encouraged to use the Grab Bag program. Contact Retail Services at (770) 427-2117 x3176 for more information, or fill out the form on the reverse side.

Cancellations

If a cancellation becomes necessary, please contact the museum as soon as possible. We will make every effort to schedule a new date for your group. Please contact the Group Tours Office at (770) 427-2117 x3174.

Bus Parking

Buses should park in the parking lot located directly across from the museum before disembarking passengers. Please use caution when crossing the street.

Picnics

We currently have a lawn area available for picnics. Groups are welcome to bring blankets and picnic on the lawn near the museum. The Swift Cantrell Park, established in 2007, is also nearby. For other lunch options, please see reverse side. The park serves as one of the premier recreation, relaxation and central gathering places for Kennesaw area residents.

Park hours of operation are from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. At 42 acres, the City of Kennesaw's largest community park features:

- Two colossal, state-of-the-art, age-appropriate PowerScope Plus playground structures complete with climbers, swings, bridges and play events; and an Xscape System featuring circuits, walls, climbers and rings in a contemporary design that encourages new patterns of play
- Two lighted, asphalt trails: a one mile x 12-foot-wide perimeter trail and a half-mile x 8-foot-wide inner-loop trail
- Acres of open turf for passive recreation
- Picnic pavilions and shelters
- Plaza area with park bench seating
- Two restroom buildings
- Drinking fountains
- Wi-Fi hotspot

Swift-Cantrell Park is located at 3140 Old 41 Hwy. Boxed lunches for picnics may be ordered from our caterers. Please contact the Group Tours Office at (770) 427-2117 x3174 for more information, or see the catering information on the reverse side.

Directions to Southern Museum

From I-75 Northbound or Southbound:

Take the Wade Green Road exit #273 and turn west. Wade Green Road will become Cherokee Street. The museum will be on the right hand side before the railroad tracks; the parking lot is directly across the street on the left.

From I-575 Northbound or Southbound:

Take the Chastain Road exit #3 and go west. Chastain Road becomes McCollum Parkway. Go past the airport and turn right on South Main Street (also known as Old Hwy 41). Turn right on Sardis St., turn left on Big Shanty Rd., and immediately back left onto Cherokee St. The museum parking lot will be on the left.

From US 41:

Turn on Watts Drive going east. Turn right on J. O. Stephenson Avenue. Cross the railroad tracks onto Cherokee Street. The museum parking lot will be on the right.

Buses and motor coaches should avoid the railroad crossing!

CATERED LUNCH OPTIONS

ADRIANE'S DELECTABLES

Adriane Larson, 770-529-6870

\$6.95 per person, soft drinks \$1.25 each

Fly the Coop

Roasted Chicken Salad on Fresh Croissant
Sherman's Pasta Salad
Fresh Fruit
Cannon Ball Chip Cookie

The New Union

Roast Beef, Deli Ham, Turkey, and Swiss Sub
Fresh Fruit
Tater Chips
Lee's Crème Cheese Brownie

Talking Turkey

Roasted Breast of Turkey on Soft Roll
Sherman's Pasta Salad
Fresh Fruit
Cannon Ball Chip Cookie

COCOA BEAN CAFÉ

Joe Molme, 678-231-9290 or josephmolmer@hotmail.com

Traditional Boxed Lunch

\$8.49/person

Choice of either ham & swiss on white bread, turkey & american on wheat bread, or roast beef & provolone on sourdough bread which all include lettuce & tomato, and are served with a pickle spear, a bag of chips, a cookie, and choice of beverage.

Signature Boxed Lunch

\$8.99/person

Choice of either Cocoa Bean Club (ham, turkey & bacon) with cheddar on white bread, old-fashioned BLT on sourdough bread, or homemade chicken salad on wheat bread which all include lettuce & tomato, and are served with a pickle spear, a bag of chips, a cookie, and choice of beverage.

Deluxe Wrap Boxed Lunch

\$9.49/person

Choice of either turkey & avocado wrap on spinach tortilla, grilled chipotle chicken wrap on flour tortilla, or grilled chicken caesar wrap on flour tortilla which all include lettuce, and are served with a pickle spear, potato salad, a cookie, and choice of beverage

Vegetarian Boxed Lunch

\$7.99/person

Choice of either veggie sandwich on wheat bread, black bean veggie wrap on tomato basil tortilla, or Cocoa Bean Garden Salad with house raspberry vinaigrette dressing which all include lettuce, tomato, cucumber & onion, and are served with a pickle spear, potato salad, a cookie, and choice of beverage.

LOCAL RESTAURANTS

Whistle Stop Cafe Kennesaw

2871 N Main St
Kennesaw, GA 30144
(770) 794-0101

Trackside Grill

2840 S Main St
Kennesaw, GA 30144
770-499-0874

My Country Kitchen

2740 Summers St
Kennesaw, GA 30144
(770) 423-9448

Capers On Main Restaurant & Bar

2756 S Main St NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144
(678) 594-7735

El Taco Azteca Mexican Grille

2754 S Main St NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144
(770) 919-1609

GRAB BAG ORDER FORM

Many students enjoy shopping for mementos of their field trip at the Museum Store, but time constraints can make visiting the store during the trip difficult. The Southern Museum now offers pre-packaged grab bags featuring related educational merchandise.

Participating in the grab bag program is easy!

- Teacher places order at least **1 week before** field trip by faxing this form to (770) 421-8485 or contacting Retail Services at (770) 427-2117 x3176.
- On the field trip date, simply pick up class grab bags from the Gift Shop and pay for them in **one lump sum** by cash, check, or credit card (Visa or MasterCard only). This is **separate payment from tour admission**. We respectfully request that the bags be dispersed to the students upon leaving the Museum.

* Substitutions of items may be necessary due to availability

GRAB BAG ORDER FORM

Tour Date: _____

School/Organization: _____

Contact Name: _____

Contact Number: _____

\$3.00 Grab Bags: _____ Qty

Contains: Museum Pencil, Civil War Railroad Note, Civil War Currency, Postcard of The General, Train Coloring Page & Crayons, Wooden Train Whistle*

\$5.00 Grab Bags: _____ Qty

Contains: Museum Pencil, Civil War Railroad Note, 2 pc. Civil War Currency, Postcard of The General, Train Coloring Page & Crayons, Bamboo Fife, 4 Plastic Soldiers & Trading Card, Copy of a Civil War Letter, Postcard of CW Scene or Museum*