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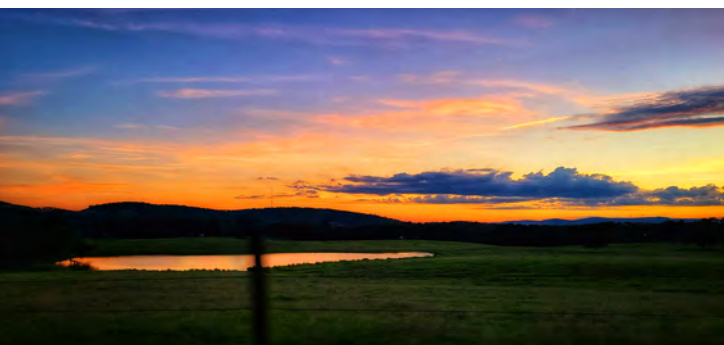
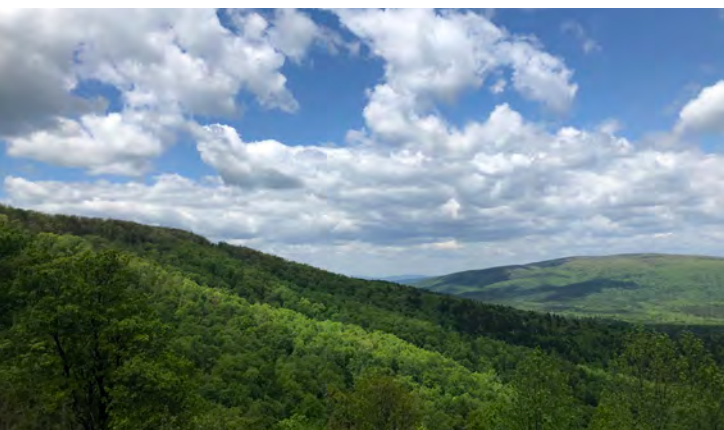
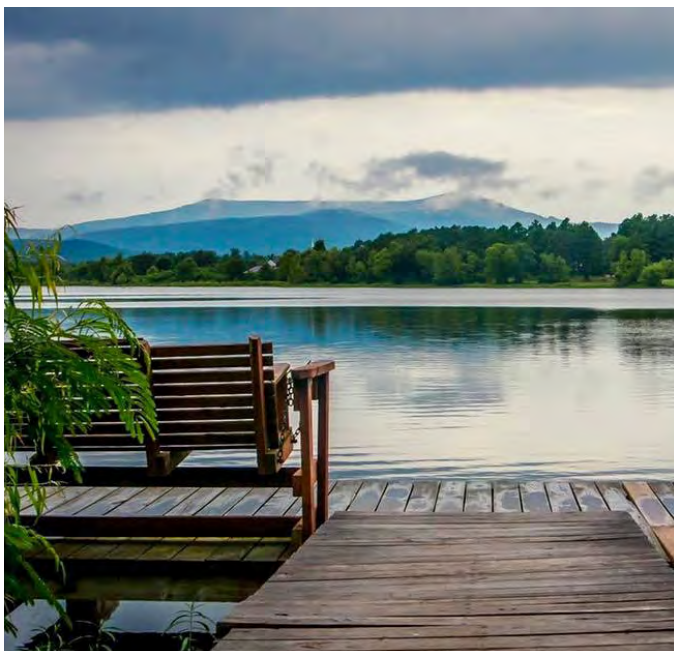


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The Ouachita Mountains!

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Attractions



TALIMENA NATIONAL SCENIC BYWAY



Particularly popular during the Autumn season for its brilliant colors, the drive is enjoyed by thousands each

year. Mena serves as the gateway to the scenic byway. It is a gorgeous 54 mile route which spans one of the highest mountain ranges between the Appalachians and the Rockies. The drive offers lodging, picnicking, camping and trails, and the journey all begins in beautiful downtown Mena.

OUACHITA NATIONAL FOREST

Mena is your basecamp for the splendor of the Ouachitas! The Ouachita National Forest is a vast 1.8 million acre mountainous forest and is



the South's largest. The Ouachita Mountains are the only mountain range running east to west in the continental United States. The forest is noted for its picturesque scenery, clear lakes and rivers, waterfalls, natural springs, untouched wilderness and abundant wildlife.



QUEEN WILHELMINA STATE PARK

Located along the Talimena drive just 13 miles northwest of downtown is Mena's crown jewel. Also known as "The Castle in the Sky", Queen Wilhelmina State Park offers spectacular panoramic views, and true to its name, makes guests feel like visiting royalty!



From atop Arkansas' second tallest peak, visitors can enjoy a meal along with a majestic view from the Queen's Restaurant in the newly remodeled Queen Wilhelmina State Park Lodge. Call 800-264-2477 for reservations.

COSSATOT RIVER STATE PARK



Just south of Mena is Arkansas' newest State Park. The park includes 11 miles of one of the most rugged and spectacular river corridors in the central United States.

With over 5,302 acres of rugged wooded slopes, trails, outstanding geological features, cascading water and Class III, IV, and even Class V rapids, the Cossatot is a favorite with skilled canoeists, rafters and kayakers. The challenging waters of the Cossatot is not recommended for beginners.

AUBREY D. TAPLEY PARK



The sports complex includes facilities for soccer, baseball and softball. Facilities also include walking/bike trails, 2 playgrounds, and food concessions with pavilion.

The complex is

a popular site for events such as the 4th of July Celebration and also many tournaments throughout the year. (See page 25 for more pictures and information.) For more information call 479-216-8171.

HISTORIC JANSSEN PARK

This is no ordinary community park! This brilliant 10 acre park is host to an 1851 log cabin rumored to have been used as a hideout by the notorious Jesse James, besides being used as



a hospital, post office, and city hall during its lifetime. The park also contains 2 spring fed ponds, 2 Mountain Howitzer Cannons, a bronze boy and girl fountain purchased in 1914 among other interesting artifacts. No wonder it is listed on the National Register of Historic Places! Janssen Park is a favorite among the locals and vacationers alike.

MENA DEPOT



Reminiscent of 'days gone by', you can almost hear the conductor shouting "All Aboard." The Depot serves as the focal point and most recognizable building in Mena. Built in 1920, the beautifully restored

train depot greets visitors as they travel U.S. Highway 71. It serves as a museum housing local history, artifacts and art, as well as, the Chamber of Commerce and a 1939 restored Dodge police car, fondly referred to by locals as "Flossie." This building houses the Mena Advertising & Promotion office, the Mena Polk County Chamber of Commerce, and the Tourist Information Center.

WOLF PEN GAP - ATV & MOUNTAIN BIKING



Hugely popular with ATV riders is the Wolf Pen Gap Trails. The system offers 41 miles of looping trails that are connected to accommodate riders who want to vary the length of their trips. The trails feature high mountain vistas and an abandoned mine

shaft. Trails range from easy to most difficult and wind through some of the most rugged and secluded areas of the Ouachita National Forest. Open seasonally.

LITTLE MISSOURI FALLS

Little Missouri Falls is a stair step fall in a deep gorge that attracts photographers and visitors. The falls can be reached by an all-weather gravel road, and there is a parking area with restrooms and a paved trail leading to observation sites. Picnic tables and barbecue grills are available for visitors.



BOARD CAMP CRYSTAL MINE



Board Camp Crystal Mine is a day use camp, with an actual native, untapped crystal mine and public dig site. The surface is literally scattered with sparkling quartz crystals of various shapes and sizes. Everyone can find crystals to take home with them!

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A hand holding a large, clear quartz crystal specimen, similar to the one in the previous image, positioned on the right side of the advertisement.

MOUNTAIN GLORY STATION



Panoramic beauty will surround you atop Rich Mountain as you board one of the area's top attractions! The flowers, foliage, wildlife, and clean mountain air will bring you back to us time and again. For seasonal hours of operation

and availability call 479-394-2863 as you plan your vacation in our beautiful Ouachita Mountains!

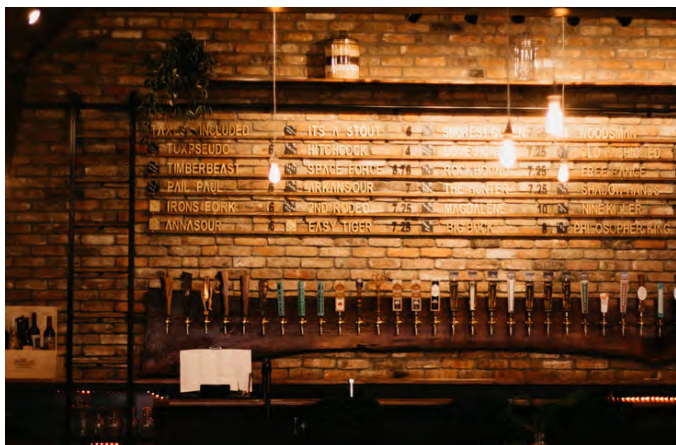
ANTIQUING & SHOPPING

Search for the perfect souvenir or your piece of history at one of Mena's many unique antique dealers or flea markets. Where "old" is "new". Explore the fine workmanship of these treasures crafted with such precision! Also enjoy boutique shopping at one of our downtown shops.



MENA YOUR PLACE TO SHOP





MENA ARTS DISTRICT



North Mena Street is quickly becoming a hub for the arts in the Ouachitas. Browse the unique art at the Mena Art Gallery and American Artisans; create your own art at Chameleon Arts; and the catch a live show at the Ouachita Little Theatre. Go to www.VisitMena.com for more information about arts in Mena.

Mountain Adventures



RIVERS



Mena boasts five rivers that flow through the surrounding area: the Ouachita, Cossatot, Caddo, Little Missouri, and Mountain Fork rivers. These rivers offer an abundance of fun and relaxation. The natural beauty of our rivers offer

guests opportunities to fish, float, swim, canoe, kayak, camp or take pictures. A number of cabin rentals and lodges offer spectacular views and direct access to the rivers and ATV trails. For more information click our "Stay" button at VisitMena.com.

LAKES



Lakes offer a variety of recreational activities year round. So whether your idea of the perfect vacation is boating, fishing, camping, swimming, skiing, or personal water craft, we have a lake in our area that is guaranteed to float

your boat! Seven lakes are within 45 minutes, or less, from Mena. They include: Lake Wilhelmina, Gillham Lake, Shady Lake, Irons Fork Lake, and Mena Lake in Polk County. Outside the County we have DeQueen Lake and Arkansas' largest lake, Lake Ouachita.

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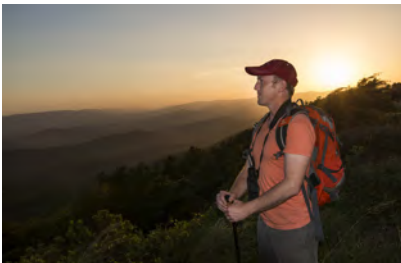
CANOEING / KAYAKING



Defined by the Natural Park Service as “probably the most challenging whitewater rafting float in Arkansas”, the Cossatot’s waters are not for the casual paddler. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

says “It is the most difficult whitewater stream in the state of Arkansas.” The river’s characteristics give it Class IV/V ratings and it’s easy to see why the Indian word Cossatot means “Skull Crusher”. The Cossatot River is still crushing things today, but mostly the canoes, ice chests and egos of over-confident paddlers. The stream heads up in rugged Ouachita Mountain country just southeast of Mena. It flows in a southerly direction for about 26 miles before its current ceases at Gillham Lake. Late winter to early spring is peak whitewater season for the river. No outfitter is on site so be sure to pack your own gear. For river stage information from Hwy 246 access, call 870-387-3141.

HIKING



The incredible scenery and terrain of the area offers great hiking opportunities. Caney Creek, Athens - Big Brushy, Billy Creek, Wolf Pen Gap and the longest in the state of Arkansas, Ouachita National Recreation Trail. Many trails start in or near

Mena. For maps of local trails, go to VisitMena.com.



FISHING



With the area's abundant lakes, rivers, and streams, you're guaranteed to get hooked on a Ouachita vacation. Bass fishing can be enjoyed most months of the year and in all the area's lakes

and rivers. Our waters offer a variety of the bass species. Other catches may include crappie, perch, and on the Little Missouri River, cool season trout fishing.

CYCLING



Whether you're searching for a phat tire trail, a nice scenic road ride or maybe just wanting to cruise around town, you've just discovered why Mena is popular among cyclists!

We are host to such cycling events as the Ouachita Challenge and Wheel A' Mena Bike Tour. We invite you to come and explore our trails and highways...we guarantee you'll be back to visit us time and again. Be sure and bring your friends!



MENA YOUR PLACE FOR RELAXATION

FALL FOLIAGE



Autumn's changing colors bring the Ouachitas to life! Thousands make the journey here each year to witness the beauty up close. Local and national artists have used our splendid backdrop as the focus of paintings and

photography. Whether you're traveling down an old country road, the middle of our historic downtown, or a scenic mountainous route, you'll be in awe of the bonanza of colors our deciduous trees turn in the Fall season. Peak foliage occurs during late October and early November, but can vary from year to year. For optimum viewing of the color change, it is best to call 479-394-8355 for a current "report of the colors". We encourage you to be prepared with plenty of memory or film for your camera as the photo opportunities are plentiful!

GOLF



While enjoying the beautiful Ouachita Mountains be sure and plan a day or two on the Ouachita Golf Course. You are sure to have a "ball". Golf carts are available. Ouachita Golf Course is located just off Hwy 88 E (479-394-5382).

MENA YOUR PLACE FOR ADVENTURES



SHADY LAKE



You can find one of the jewels of Arkansas in South Central Polk County. Shady Lake is a scenic 25-acre lake in a remote mountain setting.

The Civilian Conservation Corps developed the Shady Lake Recreation Area

in 1937. The Shady Lake Trail traverses Saline River and passes the historic Shady Lake Dam. It continues along the eastern edge of the campground. The trail is ideal for day hiking. Mountain bikers may also use the trail.

This lake is a favorite attraction for visitors and locals alike. So, if you are looking for a unique, historical, secluded and beautiful place for some great outdoor recreation, Shady Lake is a perfect destination.

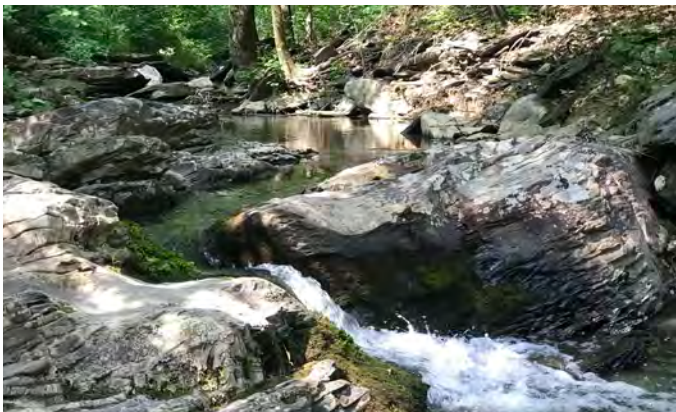
BARD SPRINGS



In South Eastern Polk County is the beautiful Bard Springs! Settled deep in the Ouachita National Forest, Bard Springs is a small campground with Adirondack-type shelters on a small scenic stream. The recreation area provides a good site for a base camp for

hikers in the Caney Creek Wilderness.

The National Registry of Historic Places names several structures within this complex as historic. The historic structures include the bathhouse, two dams and a picnic shelter. The area serves as an enjoyable swimming, picnicking and camping facility.



Calendar of Events

MARCH

Talimena 13.1 Half Marathon - Janssen Park

MAY

Memorial Weekend - Queen Wilhelmina State Park

JUNE

Lum & Abner 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament - Mena Armory

Lum & Abner Softball Tournament - Aubrey D. Tapley Park

Lum & Abner Festival - Janssen Park

Lum & Abner Car Show - Janssen Park

Lum & Abner 5K Run/Walk - Janssen Park

Peak to Peak Poker Run - Queen Wilhelmina State Park

JULY

Mena A & P's 4th of July Fireworks Celebration -
Aubrey D. Tapley Park

Vandervoort 4th of July Celebration - Vandervoort, AR

Annual Butterfly Count - Queen Wilhelmina State Park

Small Works Competition - Mena Art Gallery

AUGUST

Queen Wilhelmina Rod Run - QWSP and Downtown Mena

Ouachita Expression Art Show - Mena Art Gallery

Polk County Rodeo - Polk County Fairgrounds

SEPTEMBER

Ham Fest - QWSP

Polk County Fair & Livestock Show - Polk County Fairgrounds

Rich Mountain Rendevous - Queen Wilhelmina State Park

OCTOBER

Art of Heartland National Painting Competition - Mena Art
Gallery

CMA "Changing of the Colors" Rally - CMA Iron Mountain

Cossatot Half-Marathon Trail Race - Cossatot River State Park

Wheel A'Mena Tour to the Top - Janssen Park to QWSP

NOVEMBER

Ouachita Arts Celebration & Fall Craft & Market Festival - Polk
County Fairgrounds

Fall Foliage - Talimena National Scenic Byway & Mena

DECEMBER

Mena Christmas Parade - Downtown Mena

Mena A & P's Christmas Festival - Live Music! Fireworks! Official
Lighting of Janssen Park!

KCS Holiday Express Train - Mena Depot

Santa's Outback Barn - Janssen Park

Community Nativity Festival - First Presbyterian Church

Annual Holiday Play - Ouachita Little Theatre

Flame On - CMA Iron Mountain

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Festivals and Events



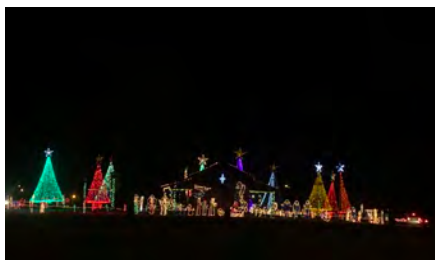
LUM & ABNER FESTIVAL



Calling all the young and young at heart! Join us the first weekend in June for Mena's signature event that has something for every age group! Events include arts and crafts, food, car show, live entertainment all weekend, Kiddie Korner, 5K Run/Walk, 3

on 3 basketball tournament, baby crawl'n' contest, fishing derbies, Lumberjack Show, Outlaw Gunfighters and much more!

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL, FIREWORKS & PARADE



Come experience an explosion of Christmas cheer! The largest evening parade of the year sets the stage for a spectacular fireworks show. After the fireworks light the night sky, thousands of Christmas

lights illuminate the winter wonderland of Janssen Park. Visit our downtown merchants to select the perfect Christmas gift, enjoy our live Christmas concert, and shop for a locally made craft. Top off a wonderful winter evening with a special Christmas play performed by local actors at the Ouachita Little Theatre.



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WHEEL A' MENA TOUR TO THE TOP



The Wheel A' Mena Bicycle Tour is staged in downtown Mena.

Two tour distances are offered of either a 70 mile route or a 30 mile route. This ride provides some of the best scenic views in Arkansas with much of the ride being high atop

the Ouachita Mountains on the Talimena Scenic Drive. The ride also proves to be quite a challenge. Each route takes you through the Queen Wilhelmina State Park.

TALIMENA 13.1 RUN & RELAY



This race, formerly called the Rich Mountain Classic, was first run in 1986 and continued through 1990. This half marathon is held in March and begins in

Janssen Park in beautiful downtown Mena, follows Talimena Scenic Byway and ends at Queen Wilhelmina State Park. The Byway is called "scenic" for a reason as the drive from Mena to the State Park and Lodge is beautiful with many breathtaking views and overlooks.

4TH OF JULY FIREWORKS CELEBRATION

Celebrate America with a fantastic fireworks display at Tapley Park presented by the Mena Advertising & Promotion Commission. In addition to the fireworks, there is live entertainment, great food, and activities for children of all ages. Everyone is invited to come enjoy a family friendly night of entertainment to celebrate America and Independence Day! Be sure to bring your lawn chairs.



QUEEN WILHELMINA ROD RUN



One of the region's top events, this car show draws around 200 top restored classic cars, street rods and muscle cars and is a long standing tradition for car buffs. Cars are

displayed at Queen Wilhelmina State Park by day and downtown Mena at night. Downtown concerts, street dances, are also part of the very popular weekend. The Queen Wilhelmina Rod Run is held annually in late August.

POLK COUNTY FAIR & LIVESTOCK SHOW



Enjoy one of the county's largest events in early September, located at the Polk County Fairgrounds. This event includes a growing midway full of all your favorite rides and terrific food. Stop by and visit the Commercial

Building showcasing many of the local businesses. Other displayed items are local students' art work, fabulous photography, and many will be competing with their home grown vegetables, flowers, jams, and more. Support local FFA organizations and students at the Livestock Show.



MENA YOUR PLACE TO GET-A-WAY

OUACHITA ARTS CELEBRATION



In the fall of the year, when the leaves begin to change, artists come from deep in the Ouachita Mountains to share their unique works of art in the Mena Arts District. Come enjoy and celebrate the

talents of many local artists from our area.

POLK COUNTY RODEO



Located at the Polk County Fairgrounds in early August, exciting rodeo events include bull riding, bucking horses, team roping, barrel racing, calf scrambles, muttin' bustin', and more at one

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1. Plentiful outdoor recreation opportunities such as fishing, hiking, ATViing, etc.
2. Pleasant weather that allows you to experience all 4 seasons, but none too extreme.
3. Top notch educational community with strong public school system and community college.
4. An expansive medical community and facilities.
5. Strong spiritual based community offering many different denominational churches.
6. Low cost of living.
7. Cultural attractions & events such as art, theater and local museums.
8. Affordable housing and real estate.
9. Many civic clubs and organizations that allow you the opportunity to get involved and/or volunteer.
10. Low crime rate.





HELPFUL PHONE NUMBERS

CITY OF MENA

Advertising & Promotion	Municipal Airport: 479-394-4077
Commission: 479-394-8355	Parks Maintenance: 479-394-8309
Animal Control: 479-394-8399	Post Office: 479-394-2884
City Clerk/Treasurer: 479-394-8150	Street Department: 479-394-8315
City Hall : 479-394-4585	Swimming Pool: 479-394-8315
Code Enforcement: 479-394-7436	US Forest Service, Mena
Mena Police Dept: 479-394-1212	District Office: 479-394-2382

POLK COUNTY

Circuit Clerk: 479-394-8100	Juvenile Intake: 479-394-8145
Circuit Judge: 479-394-8107	Juvenile Provation:
County Clerk: 479-394-8123	479-394-8146
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District Court Clerk:	479-394-6114
479-394-3271	Public Defender:
Health Dept: 479-394-2707	479-394-5353
Housing Authority:	Sheriff's Dept: 479-394-2511
479-394-1565	Tax Assessor: 479-394-8121
In-Home Services:	Tax Collector: 479-394-8111
479-394-3433	Treasurer: 479-394-8150
County Judge: 479-394-8133	Veteran's Svc: 479-394-8147

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AR Game & Fish Commission: 479-394-2441
Dept. of Child Support Enforcement: 479-394-6339
Dept. of Community Punishment: 479-394-4107
Dept. of Human Services: 479-394-3100
Dept. of Workforce Services: 479-394-3060
Highway Department: 479-394-3612
Revenue Department: 479-394-2333

UTILITIES

AT&T: 800-288-2020
Centerpoint Energy: 800-922-7552
Mena Water Utilities: 479-394-2761
Rich Mountain Electric Co-Op: 479-394-4140
Southwestern Electric Power Co: 888-216-3523
Velocity Broadband: 479-234-4066
Vyve Broadband: 855-367-8983



Places to Eat

American Artisans	615 Mena St	479-394-1112
Baskin Robbins	901 Hwy 71 N	479-394-0363
Branding Iron Steakhouse & BBQ	623 Sherwood Ave..	479-437-3240
Chicollo's Food Emporium	1308 Hwy 71 N	479-234-8236
Chiquita's Mexican Restaurant	703 Hwy 71 N	479-394-6201
Chopping Block Steakhouse & Seafood		
	1156 Hwy 71 S	479-394-6410
Cocina Flores	Hwy 71 & Eagle Gap Avenue.....	870-584-8266
The Corner	1100 Hwy 71 N.....	479-394-1120
Country Express	1146 Hwy 71 S.....	479-394-7310
Donut Palace	1321 Hwy 71 S.....	479-243-4564
Fully Baked Cakery	1110 Hwy 71 S	479-385-5165
IDC BBQ	414 Mena St.....	479-216-2127
James' Supersave Deli	707 7th Street.....	479-394-7257
Kentucky Fried Chicken/KFC	403 Hwy 71 N	479-394-5482
Kess' Korner	1513 Reeves Avenue.....	479-243-4574
LaVilla Mexican Restaurant	1100 Hwy 71 N	479-243-0822
Little Italy II	1411 Hwy 71 N	479-385-9618
McDonald's	709 Hwy 71 N.....	479-394-1131
Mena Short Stop	420 Hwy 71 S.....	479-243-0776
Myers' Cruzer's Drive In	409 Hwy 71 N	479-394-5550
New China Restaurant	601 Hwy 71 N.....	479-394-5534
Northside Super Stop	809 Hwy 71 N	479-394-1130
The Ouachitas	821 Mena Street	479-234-7305
Ouachita Nutrition	811 Mena Street	479-234-3085
Papa's Mexican Cafe	1506 Hwy 71 S.....	479-394-6521
Pizza Hut	703 Hwy 71 N	479-394-5952
Reiki Hibachi Sushi	410 Sherwood Avenue.....	870-490-0351
Sassafras Bakehouse	207 Mena Street	
Sherwood Bistro	517 Sherwood Avenue.....	479-394-2385
Simple Simon's Pizza	106 N Morrow Street	479-394-0300
Skyline Cafe	618 Mena Street	479-394-5152
Sonic Drive In	1001 Hwy 71 N.....	479-437-3001
Southside General Store	1502 Hwy 71 S.....	479-394-6028
Subway	1325 Hwy 71 S.....	479-394-2510
Suzy Q's Sweet Creams & Coffee	601 Mena Street.....	479-216-6770
Taco Bell	403 Hwy 71 N.....	479-394-5482
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Wendy's	901 Hwy 71 N.....	479-394-1572

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HOTELS & MOTELS

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Ozark Inn 2102 Hwy 71 S	479-394-1100
Queen Wilhelmina Lodge Hwy 88 W	800-264-2477
Sun Country Inn 1309 Hwy 71 N	877-394-7477

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ABear's Den 2205 Church Avenue	479-394-8519
The Carriage House Inn 701 12th St	479-243-0957
Dogwood Place 709 Grandview Heights	479-234-2304
The Loft at the Old Bank 812 Mena St	479-385-5067
Janssen Park Place 511 9th Street	479-234-0645
Johnson Manor Bed & Breakfast 600 11th St	214-673-7764
Lottie's Loft 507 DeQueen Street	479-243-7347
Sassafras Inn 1201 Reine St S	479-234-7233
Sherwood Forest 111 Sherwood Forest Drive	479-243-7347

CABINS, CAMPSITES, RVS

Bard Springs Recreation Area FS Road 106	501-321-5202
Board Camp Campground 110 Polk Rd 62	479-243-0771
CMA Cabins & RV Camping 4278 Hwy 71 S Hatfield	870-389-6196
Cossatot River State Park Natural Area Hwy 278 W ...	870-385-2201
Polk County Fairgrounds RV Park Fairgrounds Rd	479-243-8104
Queen Wilhelmina Camping Hwy 88 W	800-264-2477
Shady Lake Recreation Area Hwy 246	479-394-2382



MENA YOUR PLACE TO EXPLORE



BUCKET LIST

Mena & The Ouachita Mountains

SO YOU WON'T MISS A THING!

- Cast a line in one of our many Lakes & Rivers
- Spend a day at one of our 2 State Parks
- Take a hike on one of our trails. We have over 150 miles of them!
- Fly through the trees on a zipline adventure
- Shop in our Historic Downtown
- Rent an ATV (or bring your own) and explore our 46.2 miles of ATV Trails
- Take in the views on the Talimena Scenic Byway
- Visit a restored 1920's train depot & museum and check out Flossie!
- Take a Historic Walking Tour
- Enjoy breakfast at one of the oldest restaurants in Arkansas



Aubrey D. Tapley Park

This sports complex is a 74 acre park which was started by the Mena Advertising and Promotion Commission in 2003. It was named Aubrey D. Tapley Park in 2009. It currently houses 5 baseball/softball fields, soccer fields, concession facilities including a pavilion, and two playgrounds. The complex is the venue for community events such as the Annual 4th of July Celebration and multiple baseball/softball and soccer tournaments each year.



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Points of Interest

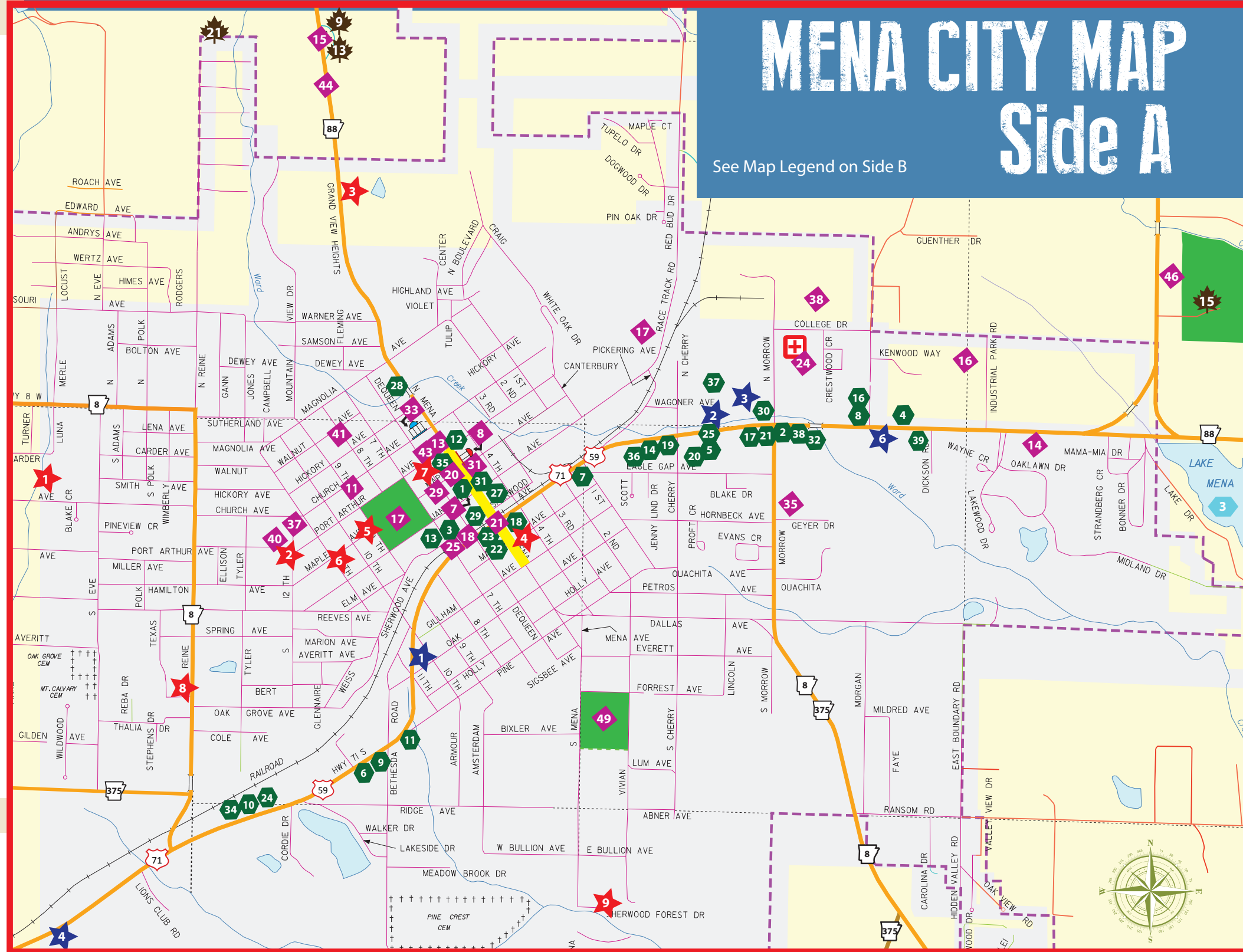
- Abernathy Springs Side B
- American Legion/Veteran's Park Side B
- Arkansas Native Plant & Wildlife Center Side B
- Bee Mountain Fire Tower (Historic) Side B
- Blue Hole Side B
- Board Camp Crystal Mine Side B
- Chameleon Arts Side A
- City Hall (Historic Old Post Office) Side A
- CMA Iron Mountain Side B
- CMA National/International Support Center Side B
- Ebenezer Monument (Historic) Side A
- Elks Lodge Side A
- Esso Gas Station (Historic) Side A
- Forest Service Ranger Station Side A
- Forest Service Visitor's Center Side A
- Industrial Park Side A
- Janssen Park (Historic) Side A
- KCS Depot Museum (Historic) & Mena Advertising & Promotion Commission Office Side A
- Lum & Abner Museum Side B
- Mena Art Gallery Side A
- Mena Commercial District (Historic) Side A
- Mena Intermountain Municipal Airport Side B
- Mena/Oden Ranger Station Side B
- Mena Regional Health System Side A
- Mena/Polk County Chamber of Commerce Side A
- Mountain Fork Bridge (Historic) Side B
- Mountain Glory Station Side B
- Municipal Aviation Complex Side B
- National Guard Armory (Historic) Side A
- Ouachita Country Club Golf Course Side B
- Ouachita Little Theatre Side A
- Pioneer Cemetery Side B
- Polk County Court House (Historic) Side A
- Polk County Fairgrounds Side B
- Post Office Side A
- Queen Wilhelmina Lodge (Historic) Side B
- Old Redman Hospital (Historic) Side A
- University of Arkansas Rich Mountain Side A
- Renegade Ranch ATV Trails Side B
- Scoggins House (Historic) Side A
- St. Agnes Catholic Church (Historic) Side A
- State Line Marker (Historic) Side B
- Studebaker Building (Historic) Side A
- Talimena National Scenic Byway Side A & B
- Tall Peak Fire Tower (Historic) Side B
- Tapley Park Side A
- Wolf Pen Gap ATV Trail System Side B
- Wonder House (Historic) Side B
- McMillan Park Side A
- The Blue Zip-Line & Farm 142 Polk Road 185 479-216-8635 Side B

Lakes

- Gillham Lake Side B
- Irons Fork Lake Side B
- Mena Lake Side A & B
- Shady Lake Side B
- Lake Wilhelmina Side B

MENA CITY MAP Side A

See Map Legend on Side B



Hotels & Motels

- Budget Inn**
1018 Hwy 71 S 479-394-2400 Side A
- Executive Inn**
704 Hwy 71 N 479-394-3710 Side A
- Ozark Inn**
Hwy 71 S 479-394-1100 Side A
- Queen Wilhelmina Lodge**
Hwy 88 W 800-264-2477 Side B
- Sun Country Inn**
Hwy 71 N 877-394-7477 Side A

Bed & Breakfasts, Inns, & Vacation rentals

- ABear's Den**
2205 Church Avenue 479-394-8519 Side A
- The Carriage House Inn**
1202 Port Arthur 479-243-0957 Side A
- Dogwood Place**
709 Grandview Heights 479-234-2304 Side A
- The Loft at the Old Bank**
812 Mena Street 479-385-5067 Side A
- Janssen Park Place**
511 9th Street 479-394-1880 Side A
- Johnson Manor B & B**
600 11th Street 214-673-7764 Side A
- Lottie's Loft**
507 DeQueen St 479-243-7347 Side A
- Sassafras Inn**
1201 Reine St. S 479-234-7233 Side A
- Sherwood Forest**
111 Sherwood Forest Dr 479-243-7347 Side A
- Stonehill Cottages**
140 Mossy Ln 479-216-7030 Side B

Resorts

- Mena Mountain Resort**
2817 Hwy 71 N 479-394-3100 Side B
- Dreamland Resort**
247 Hwy 375 E 479-216-8432 Side B

Cabins, Campsites, & RVs

- Board Camp Campground**
110 Polk Rd 62 479-243-0771
- CMA Iron Mt. Cabin & RV Camping**
4278 US Hwy 71 870-389-6196
- Cornerstone Mountain Retreat**
255 Polk 30 479-234-8245
- Cossatot River Wilderness Lodge**
479-385-1111
- Fish Net Lodge**
3544 Hwy 71 S 479-216-6987
- Heath Valley Cabins**
1210 Polk Rd 61 479-243-0911
- Karen's Country Cottage**
922 Big Fork Road 479-216-0162
- Kate's Creek Cabins**
Polk 675 479-234-3654
- Mena Mountain Top Cabins**
141 Cabins Ln 479-216-1598
- Mountain Fork River Resorts**
156 Polk 38 479-243-7103
- Polk County Fairgrounds RV Park**
Fairgrounds Rd 479-243-8104
- Renegade Ranch**
3680 Hwy 88 E 479-394-3848
- Shady Lake Recreation Area**
Hwy 246 479-394-2382
- Wolf Pen ATV Campground**
559 Polk 61 479-394-0404
- Wolf Pen Creek Cabins**
1314 Polk 61 479*394-1844

AREA MAP – Side B

State Parks

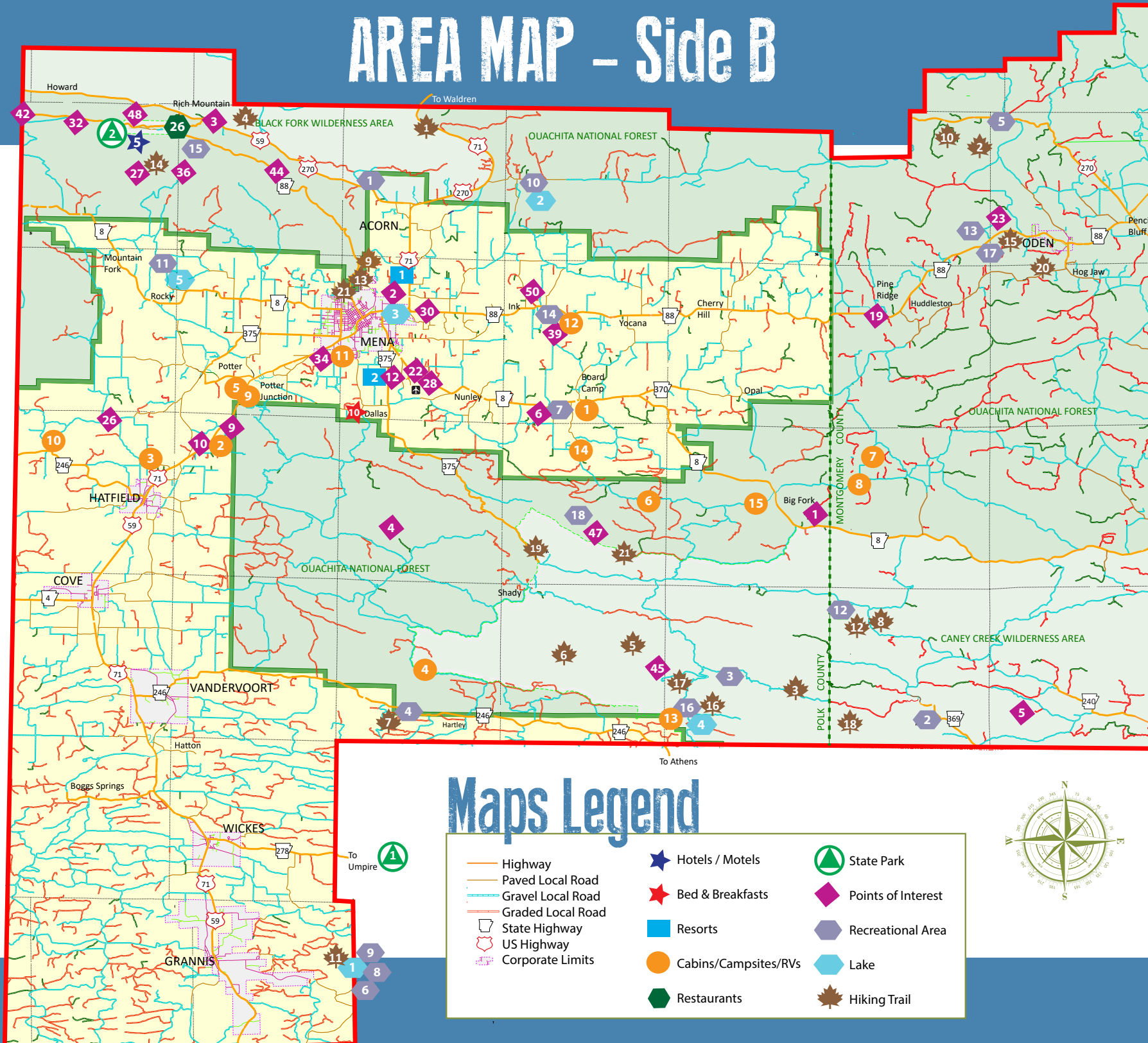
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2. Queen Wilhelmina State Park
Side B

Recreational Areas


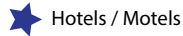


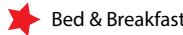


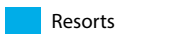
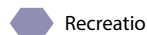
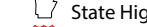
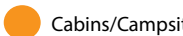

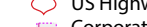




1. Acorn Shooting Range
Side B
2. Albert Pike (Day Use Only)
Side B
3. Bard Springs
Side B
4. Brushy Creek
Side B
5. Big Brushy
Side B
6. Big Coon Creek
Side B
7. Board Camp Crystal Mine
Side B
8. Coon Creek
Side B
9. Cossatot Reefs
Side B
10. Irons Fork Lake
Side B
11. Lake Wilhelmina
Side B
12. Little Missouri Falls
Side B
13. Oden Shooting Range
Side B
14. Renegade Ranch Arrowhead Field
Side B
15. Rich Mountain Lookout Tower
Highest Point in Ouachita
Mountain Range 2,681 feet
Side B
16. Shady Lake
Side B
17. Shirley Creek
Side B
18. Wolf Pen Gap
Side B

Hiking Trails

1. Ouachita National Recreational Trail
Side B
2. Big Brushy Trail Complex
Side B
3. Big Fork Trail
Side B
4. Black Fork Mountain Trial
Side B
5. Buckeye Trail
Side B
6. Caney Creek Wilderness Trail
Side B
7. Cossatot River Natural Area
Side B
 - Brushy Creek Nature Trail
 - Waterleaf Interpretive Trail
 - Harris Creek Trail
 - River Corridor Trail
8. Eagle Rock Loop
Side B
9. Earthquake Ridge
Side A
10. Fourche Mountain Trail
Side B
11. Gillham Lake Walking Trail
Side B
12. Little Missouri Trails
Side B
13. Orchard Trail
Side A & B
14. Queen Wilhelmina State Park
Side B
 - Lovers Leap Trail
 - Reservoir Trail
 - Spring Trail
15. Serendipity Trail
Side B
16. Shady Lake Trail
Side B
17. Tall Peak Trail
Side B
18. Viles Branch Equestrian Trail
Side B
19. Wolf Pen Gap Trail System
Side B
20. Womble Trail
Side B
21. Ward Lake Hiking Trail
Side A & B



Maps Legend

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|  Highway |  Hotels / Motels |  State Park |
|  Paved Local Road |  Bed & Breakfasts |  Points of Interest |
|  Gravel Local Road |  Resorts |  Recreational Area |
|  Graded Local Road |  Cabins/Campsites/RVs |  Lake |
|  State Highway |  Restaurants |  Hiking Trail |
|  US Highway | | |
|  Corporate Limits | | |



Restaurants

1. American Artisans
615 Mena St 479-394-1112
2. Baskin Robbins
901 Hwy 71 N 479-394-0363
3. Branding Iron Steakhouse & BBQ
623 Sherwood Ave
479-437-3240
4. Chicollo's Food Emporium
1308 Hwy 71 N 479-234-6201
5. Chiquita's Mexican Restaurant
703 Hwy 71 N 479-394-6201
6. Chopping Block Steakhouse & Seafood
1156 Hwy 71 S 479-394-6410
7. Cocina Flores
Hwy 71 & Eagle Gap
870-584-8266
8. The Corner
1100 Hwy 71 N 479-394-1120
9. Country Express
1146 Hwy 71 S 479-394-7310
10. Donut Palace
1321 Hwy 71 S 479-243-4564
11. Fully Baked Cakery
1110 Hwy 71 S
479-385-5165
12. IDC BBQ
414 Mena St 479-216-2127
13. James' Supersave Deli
707 7th Street 479-394-7257
14. Kentucky Fried Chicken/KFC
403 Hwy 71 N 479-394-5482
15. Kess' Korner
1513 Reeves Ave
479-243-4574
16. LaVilla Mexican Restaurant
1100 Hwy 71 N 479-243-0822
17. McDonald's
709 Hwy 71 N 479-394-1131
18. Mena Short Stop
420 Myers Hwy 71 S 479-243-0776
19. Myers' Cruzer's Drive In
409 Hwy 71 N 479-394-5550
20. New China Restaurant
601 Hwy 71 N 479-394-5534
21. Northside Super Stop
809 Hwy 71 N 479-394-1130
22. The Ouachitas
821 Mena St 479-234-7305
23. Ouachita Nutrition
811 Mena St 479-234-3085
24. Papa's Mexican Cafe
1506 Hwy 71 S 479-394-6521
25. Pizza Hut
703 Hwy 71 N 479-394-5952
26. Queen's Restaurant
(Queen Wilhelmina State Park)
Talimena Scenic Drive
479-394-2863
27. Reiki Hibachi Sushi
Hwy 71 & Eagle Ave
870-490-0351
28. Sassafras Bakehouse
207 Mena St
29. Sherwood Bistro
517 Sherwood Ave
479-394-2385
30. Simple Simon's Pizza
106 N Morrow Street
479-394-0300
31. Skyline Cafe
618 Mena Street 479-394-5152
32. Sonic Drive-In
1001 Hwy 71 N 479-437-3001
33. Southside General Store
1502 Hwy 71 S 479-394-6028
34. Subway
1425 Hwy 71 S 479-394-2510
35. Suzy Q's Sweet Creams & Coffee
601 Mena St 479-216-6770
36. Taco Bell
403 Hwy 71 N 479-394-5482
37. Walmart Deli
600 Hwy 71 N 479-394-0025
38. Wendy's
901 Hwy 71 N 479-394-1572
39. Little Italy II
1411 Hwy 71 N 479-385-9618



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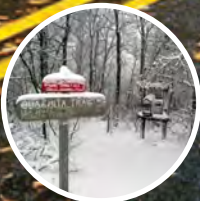
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