

Historic Road Trip

In Milton, Wisconsin

Enjoy a delicious breakfast at Milton Family Restaurant, 541 Vernal Avenue, located in the original location of the wholesale company Chambers & Owen.

Spend some time shopping around Merchant Row, Milton's west-side downtown district. Stop at the Old Junction Mill, 613 W. Madison Avenue, which used to be a tobacco warehouse and later a feed mill. Currently, it houses three businesses: Red Rooster Home Furnishing & Gifts, Lillian's (clothing & accessories), and the Peddlar's Loft featuring over 45 vendors. Cranberry Cottage, 144 Merchant Row, is another unique shop on Merchant Row.

Arrange for a tour at the Milton House, a National Historic Landmark and part of the National Network to Freedom. The Milton House is the only certified Underground Railroad site in Wisconsin that you are able to tour.

After the Milton House, go to the Milton College Historic District to tour Main Hall and learn about the history of the former Milton College, which was the oldest continually operating college in Wisconsin when it closed in 1982. Stop by Goodrich Hall Antiques located in the former women's dormitory and Blackbyrd Primitives, located in Whitford Hall, the former science building.

Enjoy a light lunch at one of three unique dining opportunities all located in historic buildings around Goodrich Square, Milton's east-side downtown district: Charming B's Coffee & More (819 E. High Street), Northleaf Bistro & Market (220 S. Janesville Street), or Parkview Café (315 Parkview Drive).

After lunch, play a round of golf at Oakridge Golf Course, 1238 Bowers Lake Road, or stop by Northleaf Winery, 232 S. Janesville Street for a chocolate and wine pairing or Fermenting Cellars, 2004 W. Manogue Road, to enjoy a glass of wine.

End your Historic Road Trip at Fredrick's Supper Club, 118 Merchant Row. Enjoy the delicious food at this fine-dining establishment.

Consider extending your Historic Road Trip in Milton by staying at the Northleaf Guest House, located above Northleaf Bistro & Market. Call (608) 580-0575 for reservations.









