

## Day One

The 34-mile Bike & Hike Trail was one of the first "rails to trails" conversions in the country in the **Metro Parks, Serving Summit County**. It follows the course of the old Akron, Bedford & Cleveland (ABC) Railroad, which was the longest electric railroad of its kind when it was built in 1895. Until service was discontinued in 1932, riders could travel for 50 cents from Akron to Cleveland's Public Square in about 2.5 hours. Today, east of Route 91 in Munroe Falls, the Bike & Hike Trail parallels a scenic section of the Cuyahoga River where great blue herons, Canada geese and a variety of ducks can be seen. A small pond along the north side of the trail annually hosts a chorus of spring peepers. South of Boston Mills Road in Boston Heights, the Sharon Conglomerate rock walls of the Boston Ledges rise along the trail. Farther north, the trail travels along Brandywine Road. A parking area adjacent to the bridge over I-271 offers rest and a view of Brandywine Falls which, at 75 feet, is one of the highest waterfalls in Ohio.

975 Treaty Line Road, Akron, 44313 • 330.867.5511 • <http://www.summitmetroparks.org/>

**Copley Greens Golf**, 9 hole executive golf course with 3 par fours and 6 par threes. Very well groomed with water and undulations which make the course challenging and fun.

2266 Jacoby Road, Copley, 44321 • 330.864.3111

**Downview Sports Center** is a golf and family entertainment center complete with driving range, an 18-hole miniature golf course, batting cages, and a skate park! Downview offers 32 driving range tees, 15 covered tees and 10 heated tees, when needed. Hours are seasonal.

1617 Bailey Road, Cuyahoga Falls, 44221 • 330.971.8418

<http://cfo.cityofcf.com/web/parks-and-recreation/downview-sports-center>

**Fun-n-Stuff Sports & Amusement Complex** is offering "year-round amusement," this park runs the gamut on fun. Laser tag, miniature golf, bumper boats, go-karts, batting cages, bowling and the recent addition of Crazy Cars will keep everyone busy for hours.

661 Highland Road, Macedonia, 44056 • 330.467.0820

<http://www.fun-n-stuff.com/>

Enjoy lunch or dinner in **Peninsula**. Charmingly trapped in time, this village gets its name from the sharp bend of the Cuyahoga River. With restaurants, unique shops, the Towpath Trail and a Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad train station, the town is the perfect place for a full day of fun.

<http://www.explorepenninsula.com/>

Rest your feet at one of **Summit County's hotel properties**. Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before embarking on your next day adventures.

<http://www.visitakron-summit.org/visitors/stay>

# BIKE, GOLF, CLIMB & BOWL



## Day Two

Tour the Portage Lakes or Ohio and Erie Canal by kayak with **Muddyfoot Kayak Tours** on these beginner and family-friendly tours. Instruction and all the necessary gear are provided. Tours run 2–3 hours on average and can be customized to all skills levels and interests.

Akron, OH 44319 • 330.776.8065

**Kendall Cliffs** is the only professionally-designed and built rock gym in Ohio. Their Nicros designed gym has a combination of textured plywood and “natural” rock surfaces. They have 7,000 square feet of climbing surface with a peak height of 35 feet. The most unique feature of the facility is a 35-foot high arch traversing the span of the building. They offer top roping and lead climbing to keep even the most advanced climbers challenged. Their large rock bouldering cave is perfect for training.

60 Kendall Park Road, Peninsula, 44264 • 330.655.5489 • [www.kendallcliffs.com](http://www.kendallcliffs.com)

With 260 acres, **Hudson Springs Park** offers a delightful day of outdoor fun. Surrounding a beautiful 50-acre lake is a two-mile walkway that lends itself to excellent fishing, plus there is a playground and a children’s hedge maze. If you like disc golf, there is a great course where you can refine your hobby.

7095 Stow Road, Hudson, 44224 • 330.653.5201 <http://www.hudson.oh.us/facilities.aspx?RID=4&Page=detail>

Along the Cleveland-Akron run of the **Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad** — you can bike one way and ride the Scenic Rail back the other for \$3! It’s a great way to explore the National Park! When you’re ready to ride the rails - head to one of the Boarding Stations. We suggest arriving about 10 minutes ahead of schedule. Wave BOTH arms to let the engineer know you’d like to board. Bike Aboard! The crew loads up your bikes & you’re on your way.

2325 Stine Road, Peninsula, 44264 • 800.468.4070 • [www.cvsr.com](http://www.cvsr.com)

For more information and itinerary ideas regarding things to do and see in Summit County, please visit [www.visitakron-summit.org](http://www.visitakron-summit.org).