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Free and Low Cost Adventures in Branson 2026

All dates and times are subject to change.

Please check ahead of time to make sure your destination is open.

- 1. Alexander Park.** Free. 901 Hawthorn Street, Branson. Open 6:00am - 11:00pm. This 6.9 acre park features a playground, horseshoe pits, 2 youth baseball / softball fields, covered pavilions and public restrooms.
- 2. Branson Art Murals.** Free. Take a selfie with all of Branson's art murals.
 - Explore Branson Postcard - Corner of Main and Sycamore St. - On side of Cadwell's Downtown Flea Market
 - Aquarium at the Boardwalk - 2700 W. 76 Country Blvd. - Northwest corner of the Aquarium
 - Star Spangled Banner Bicentennial - 215 W. Main St. - West side of Liberty Utilities
 - Pizza by the Slice - 482 Branson Landing Blvd. Ste 103 - Inside Pizza by the Slice.
 - Downtown Branson 1913 - 112 S. Commercial St. - Alleyway wall on the north-facing side of 1 Oak Antiques & Home Décor
 - Nature Scene - Business 65 just north of the intersection at Pacific Street. West side of the road
 - Yolo Rolled Ice Cream - 2005 W. 76 Country Blvd. - Inside YOLO
 - Murals at Branson Landing - 100 Branson Landing Blvd., Branson Landing Parking Garage - one on each of the 4 levels.
- 3. Branson Boardgame Cafe.** \$5 per person. 103 S. Business Hwy 65, Branson. You can play board games all day / evening. Their library has over 1,000 games in various categories as well as jigsaw puzzles so there is something for everyone. You can enjoy cappuccinos, lattes, deli sandwiches, and snacks while playing the games. Open Mon, Tue, Thu 2:00pm - 11:00pm; Fri - Sun 11:00am - 11:00pm
- 4. Branson Centennial Museum.** Free. Donations appreciated. 120 S. Commercial St., Branson. Open Mon - Sat 10:00am - 4:00pm. The Branson Centennial Museum has rotating exhibits featuring Branson's first 100 years.
- 5. Branson Farmer's Market.** Free. Branson Landing - 100 Branson Landing Blvd., Branson. South end near Bass Pro Shops and the bridge. Open Tue 2:30pm - 6:30pm May - Oct.
- 6. Branson Landing Riverwalk and Fountain Show.** Free. 100 Branson Landing, Branson. Walking path along Lake Taneycomo from Bass Pro parking lot to Branson North Park. The lakefront, 2 mile trail is level and paved. You'll see boat docks, ducks and geese. In the middle of the trail is Branson Landings Fire and Water Fountain Show. Shows are hourly every day between 12:00pm - 9:00pm. You will be amazed by the dazzling interplay of water fountains shooting 120-foot geysers and fire cannons blasting, all choreographed to lights and music.
- 7. Branson Landing Live Concerts & Special Events.** Free. 100 Branson Landing, Branson. The Branson Landing also offers a variety of live concerts and special events throughout the year. For a list of bands, events, dates and times visit <http://www.bransonlanding.com/events>
- 8. Branson RecPlex Park/ Recreation Center/ Outdoor Swimming Pool/ Walking Trail.** Prices vary. 1501 Branson Hills Pkwy, Branson. **Park Area** - open 6:00am - 11:00pm and features 2 playgrounds (1 fully inclusive), picnic area and covered pavilions. **Recreation Center** - open Mon - Fri 8:00am - 8:00pm, Sat 8:00am - 6:00pm, Sun 12:00pm - 6:00pm (Open Gym hours vary). Features 2 gyms, indoor track and basketball courts (\$3 per person, per day). **CoxHealth Fitness Center** - open Mon - Thu 7:00am - 8:00pm, Fri 7:00am - 6:00pm, Sat 8:00am - 2:00pm (\$10 per person, per day). **Large outdoor swimming pool** - open Tue - Thu 12:00pm - 6:00pm, Fri - Sat 12:00pm - 7:00pm, Sun 12:00pm - 6:00pm Memorial Day - Labor Day with zero depth entry, concessions, sun shades, diving boards and 2 water slides (\$7.00 per person, per day). **Walking Trail** - one mile asphalt walking trail around the entire complex.
- 9. College of the Ozarks.** The majority of exhibits are free. 100 Opportunity Ave, Point Lookout, MO. Most locations are open Mon - Fri 9:00am - 5:00pm. The college has many points of interest including Gaetz Tractor Museum, Edwards Mill, Patriots Park, McDade Orchid Collection and Hoge Greenhouse, Williams Memorial Chapel, Point Lookout scenic overlook, Ralph Foster Museum (small charge for adults) (more information below), The "Lest We Forget" 9/11 Memorial, Scripture Garden, Stained Glass and Candle Shop, Lake Honor and the Keeter Center Hotel and Restaurant.
- 10. Crafts and More:** Free. **Apple Tree Mall** 1830 W 76 Country Blvd., Branson. Open 8:00am - 10:00pm. **Branson Craft Mall** 694 State Highway 165, Branson. Open Tue - Sat 9:00am - 8:00pm, Open Sun & Mon 9:00am - 5:00pm. **Country Barn** 3396 State Highway 265, Branson. Open Mon - Sat 9:00am - 5:00pm Mar - Dec. **Coffelt Country Craft Village** 673 State Highway 165, Branson. Open 9:00am - 5:00pm **Whitney's World of Crafts** 3506 Shepherd of the Hills Expressway, Branson. Open Sun - Thu 9:00am - 7:00pm; Fri & Sat 9:00am - 8:00pm
- 11. Creation Experience Museum.** Free. 4180 US-65, Walnut Shade, MO. Open Wed - Sat 10:00am - 5:00pm Mar 4 - Dec 19. Find the biblical truth about the dinosaurs. Guided tours, from Adam and Eve through the life of Christ, over 500 artifacts, a short video and hands on activities.
- 12. Dewey Short Visitor Center.** Free. 4500 Missouri State Highway 165, Branson. Open 9:00am - 4:00pm Mar 3 - May 23 Tue - Sat, May 24 - Sep 12 Sun - Sat and Sep 13 - Nov 28 Tue - Sat. The new visitor center opened Apr 27, 2012 and has been called the "crown jewel" of Table Rock Lake. Exhibits at the visitor center include a state-of-the-art interactive map of Table Rock Lake and beautiful artistic wall murals. There is a 75 seat theatre showing a 22-minute film on the making of the Dam, showing each half hour.
- 13. Distilleries.** Free. **Copper Run Distillery.** 14720 Business 13, Branson West. Open 12:00pm - 5:00pm Tue - Sat. Free Tours and Tasting. **Missouri Ridge Distillery.** 7000 State Highway 248, Branson. Open 11:00am - 6:00pm Tue - Sat. Free Tasting. **Smith Creek Distillery (2 locations)** 300 Tanger Blvd. Ste. #232, Branson (Inside Tanger Outlet Mall). Open 10:00am - 7:00pm Mon - Thu, 10:00am - 8:00pm Fri - Sat, 10:00am - 6:00pm Sun. 100 Branson Landing Blvd. Ste. #1209 (Inside Branson Landing). Open 10:00am - 7:00pm daily.

- 14. Eiserman Park / Walking Path.** Free. 201 Compton Drive, Branson. Open 6:00am - 10:00pm. Located next to the Branson Community Center and features a pavilion, swing area, youth fishing ponds, a 9 hole disc golf course and 3 dedicated pickleball courts. Restrooms are available during the hours of operation at the Community Center.
- 15. Horse Walk.** Free. 1525 West 76 Country Blvd., Branson. At the Dolly Parton's Stampede Dinner Theatre where you can walk along the side of the theatre and see their many show horses. Available 24 hours a day except during show times. Open Feb 27 - Jan 2, 2027.
- 16. Lakeside Forest Wilderness Area.** Free. 412 Owen Lane, Branson. Open 7:00am - 8:00pm summer (5:00pm winter). Hiking trails featuring waterfall and cave, public restrooms, picnic tables, scenic observation deck. Consists of 5 trails ranging from easy to difficult. The Bluff Trail involves a strenuous one hour hike which includes 315 stone steps to the bottom and a difficult return climb. Total of 5.3 miles. Unpaved.
- 17. Lake Taneycomo.** Free. Located at the Branson Landing, Lake Taneycomo is a colder body of water, ideal for trout fishing. You can fish off the docks, feed the ducks and stroll through the park. (Must have a Missouri fishing license and trout stamp to fish.)
- 18. Moonshine Beach.** \$5 per car. 3778 South State Highway 165, Branson. Open 9:00am - 8:00pm, May 15 - Sep 15. Sand beach, picnic tables, beach volleyball, boat launching ramp, flush toilets, covered pavilion and playground.
- 19. Ralph Foster Museum at College of the Ozarks:** The Ralph Foster Museum has a wide variety of exhibits including: the Original Beverly Hillbillies Truck used in the television series, Native American Artifacts, cameo collection, doll collection, memorabilia from country musicians, Rose O'Neill exhibit including her creation the Kewpie Doll, a 1931 Rolls Royce, paintings, textiles, quilts, firearm collection, North American and African Animals, an exhibit devoted to military conflicts in the 20th century, bird, butterfly and moth collection, polar and Kodiak bears, a full size moose, history of the Ozarks region, including Branson and lots more.
- 20. Ruth and Paul Henning Conservation Area.** Free. 4106 MO-376, Branson. Open Oct 15 - Mar 15 8:00am - 5:30pm; Mar 16 - Oct 14 8:00am - 7:30pm. Scenic overlook, viewing tower, bird watching, exhibits and displays. Five different trails rated moderate to difficult. Total of 5.6 miles. Both paved and unpaved.
- 21. Scenic Overlook.** Free. State Highway 165, Branson. Overlooks Branson area and Table Rock Dam. Renovated in 2024 with a rebuilt fence, ADA accessibility and better pedestrian safety.
- 22. Shepherd of the Hills Fish Hatchery.** Free. 483 Hatchery Rd., Branson. Open 9:00am - 5:00pm Tue - Sat. Renovated in 2024. The new facility is more than 2 1/2 times the size of the old visitor center and now features a 7500-gallon aquarium, new exhibits focusing on local wildlife and habitats, a new multipurpose room and a newly produced video on how the trout are raised at the hatchery. Food for the trout can be purchased from quarter machines.
- 23. Song of Hope Museum.** Free. 673 Historic Hwy 165, Branson. Open 4:00pm - 8:00pm Wed - Mon. The museum offers attendees a glimpse into the productions and entertainers who molded the live music capital of the world into the destination it is today.
- 24. Stockstill Park / Walking Path / Dog Park.** Free. 524 Stockstill Lane, Branson. Open 6:00am - 11:00pm. Playgrounds, walking paths, skate park, Roark Creek, tennis courts, pickleball courts, covered pavilions, picnic tables, benches and public restrooms. Consists of 2 trails totaling 1.5 miles. Paved.
- 25. Sunday Gospel.** Free. 3090 Shepherd of the Hills Expy., Branson. - Hamners' Variety Theatre. [Branson Gospel Sundays](#). 10:00am all year. Donations appreciated. Non-denominational worship and gospel services.
- 26. Sunset Park.** Free. 869 Sunset Lane, Branson. Open 6:00am - 10:00pm. Walking path, benches and Frisbee (disc) golf course. 6/10 of a mile. Paved.
- 27. Table Rock Lake -** Free. With more than 750 miles of shoreline and approximately 43,000 acres of surface area (depending on water level), visitors are able to enjoy a variety of activities on the lake year round including swimming, boating, water sports, parasailing, kayaking and fishing. It is Missouri's deepest (200ft) and clearest reservoir making it a nationally renowned fishing spot for Kentucky spotted bass, white bass, crappie, large bluegill and catfish of all sizes.
- 28. Table Rock Lakeshore Trail.** Free. Goes from Dewey Short Visitors Center (4600 Missouri State Highway 165) to State Park Marina. 2.25 miles. Paved and ADA accessible.
- 29. Taneycomo Path.** Free. Goes from Sunset Park and travels along Lake Taneycomo to the Branson Landing River walk .75 miles paved.
- 30. Trolley Ride.** Free. Runs between Historic Downtown Branson and Branson Landing, 10:00am - 5:00pm Jan - Feb weekends only, 9:00am - 6:00pm Mar - Dec 7 days a week except Thanksgiving and Christmas. The trolley runs on a constant loop with 12 stops between Historic Downtown Branson and the Branson Landing with pick-up about every 20-30 minutes.
- 31. Veteran's Memorial Garden.** Free. 1107 W. Main St., Branson. Open 8:00am - 8:00pm. A gathering place for anyone who wants to remember those who sacrificed so much and to celebrate the lives of the fathers, mothers, sons and daughters who so gallantly served to protect our great nation.
- 32. Waterfall Trail.** Free. Located at the northwest corner of Shepherd of the Hills Expressway and Roark Valley Road. Hike to a waterfall. 1 1/3 mile round trip. Unpaved.
- 33. White River Valley Trail.** Free. Located across the highway from Showboat Branson Belle parking lot. Hiking and mountain biking. Elevation gain of 394 ft. Consists of 4 different trails totaling 11.75 miles. Unpaved.