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Rock County History



Located in South Central Wisconsin, Rock County is named after a large rock in the Rock River and is one of the oldest counties in the state. Native Americans along with early settlers from New England and Europe shaped the area's history. In 1835 the first settlement was made and Rock County was officially founded in 1839 with Janesville selected as the county seat. Settlers began to farm and establish manufacturing centers by utilizing the river to power mills. The mills provided paper, flour, beer, fabrics and various products, and enabled Rock County's economy to become stable and diversified. By 1900 its population had reached 51,203 and the area continued to grow and develop. Today Rock County is home to approximately 160,155 residents.

Rock County Communities

CITIES:

BELOIT – pop. 36,120
EDGERTON – pop. 5,278
EVANSVILLE – pop. 4,974
JANESVILLE (COUNTY SEAT) – pop. 62,522
MILTON – pop. 5,564

VILLAGES:

CLINTON – pop. 3,155
FOOTVILLE – pop. 744
ORFORDVILLE – pop. 1,370

TOWNS:

AVON – pop. 643

BELOIT – pop. 7,466
BRADFORD – pop. 1,040
CENTER – pop. 1,135
CLINTON – pop. 1,059
FULTON – pop. 3,294
HARMONY – pop. 2,587
JANESVILLE – pop. 3,495
JOHNSTOWN – pop. 852
LA PRAIRIE – pop. 956
LIMA – pop. 1,312
MAGNOLIA – pop. 900
MILTON – pop. 3,022
NEWARK – pop. 1,625
PLYMOUTH – pop. 1,407

**POR-
TER** –

pop. 1,014
ROCK – pop. 3,293
SPRING VALLEY – pop. 875
TURTLE – pop. 2,437
UNION – pop. 2,086

**Populations are approximate.*

BELOIT

During the 1800's, Native Americans of the Winnebago tribe lived where the Rock River and Turtle Creek joined. In 1832, a French fur trapper by the name of Joseph Thiebault arrived and began trading with the Indians. In 1836, Caleb Blodgett, a New York native, purchased land from Thiebault which became Beloit. The name Beloit is believed to be a French word meaning "handsome ground" and was spelled after "Detroit," which many settlers saw as a city of progress, growth and trade. Beloit was incorporated as a village in 1836 and as a city in 1856. Today Beloit is home to approximately 36,120 residents.

CLINTON

Settlements were established in 1837 as pioneers were drawn to the area for its lush soil, ample timber and abundant streams. In 1842 Clinton was organized, held its first town meeting and a year later, five sectors of present day Turtle were appropriated to it. The post office was then founded and named "Ogden." The area was known as Ogden until 1864 when it was changed back to Clinton. Today Clinton is home to approximately 3,155 residents.

EDGERTON

Attracted by the plentiful berries, wildlife, rich soil and traversable waterways, Indians were the first to settle Edgerton. Pioneers began arriving in the 1840's and the William Bliven family established the first homestead. In 1853 the railroad arrived and the city was named after Benjamin Edgerton, a railroad engineer who worked on the project, in 1859. Edgerton had become "The Tobacco Capital of the World" by 1900 as there were over 50 tobacco warehouses within the city. Today Edgerton is home to approximately 5,278 residents.

EVANSVILLE

As the Indians left the area in 1836, settlers began arriving from the east coast. Evansville was originally called "The Grove" because of the dense forests and was first platted in 1855. As the railroad arrived in 1863, the community was stabilized by planned growth. Farming and manufacturing led the industry and in 1896 Evansville was incorporated. Today Evansville is home to approximately 4,974 residents.

Rock County Communities

FOOTVILLE

Ezra Foot arrived in 1843 from Connecticut and moved his family to the area in 1845. The community was named in his honor as Foot played an integral role in shaping its history. In 1848 he assisted in writing Wisconsin's Constitution, served as State Senator and was part of the Rock County Agricultural Society, who established the first Rock County Fair in 1851. To aid in the growth of the town, Foot assisted with the arrival of the railroad. Due to the fertile soil, agriculture remained a staple throughout Footville as many farmers were involved in the dairy business. In 1931, Footville was the first to have a lighted baseball field in the country. Today Footville is home to approximately 744 residents.

JANESVILLE (COUNTY SEAT)

Attracted to the fertile soil and ample timber, the first settlers arrived in 1835 and established a post office. As the post office was named Janesville, the area was recognized as such. Using the power of the river, manufacturing led Janesville's industry. Farmers began to utilize the fertile soil to produce a variety of crops. As the railroad arrived, the area began to flourish. Throughout the years, the original natural beauty that appealed to the first settlers has been preserved. Over 2,000 acres of parks lie within the city, giving Janesville the name "Wisconsin's Park Place." Today Janesville is home to approximately 62,522 residents.

MILTON

Settlement began by 1840 and Milton was known as "Prairie du Lac." When the post office was established in 1839, Prairie du Lac was too similar to already established Prairie du Sac, so a town meeting was held. A settler coined the phrase "Paradise Lost" and Milton was named after the poet John Milton, the author of "Paradise Lost." By the 1850's West Milton, a second community one mile west was established. As the railroads crossed, West Milton was changed to Milton Junction and the two communities existed independently until 1967. The community is now widely recognized for the Milton House, one of Wisconsin's only National Historic Landmarks and a documented stop on the Underground Railroad. Today Milton is home to approximately 5,564 residents.

ORFORDVILLE

Because settlers could not agree on a proper town name, J.T. Dodge, the area surveyor, suggested "Orford," after a town in New Hampshire. The post office and railroad station were also named Orford until there was too much postal and travel confusion with the Wisconsin city Oxford. Orford was then renamed Orfordville. The area was part of Spring Valley Township until 1900 when residents requested incorporation. After an election, Orfordville was officially a village and had to split all equipment and debts with Spring Valley. Today Orfordville is home to approximately 1,370 residents.



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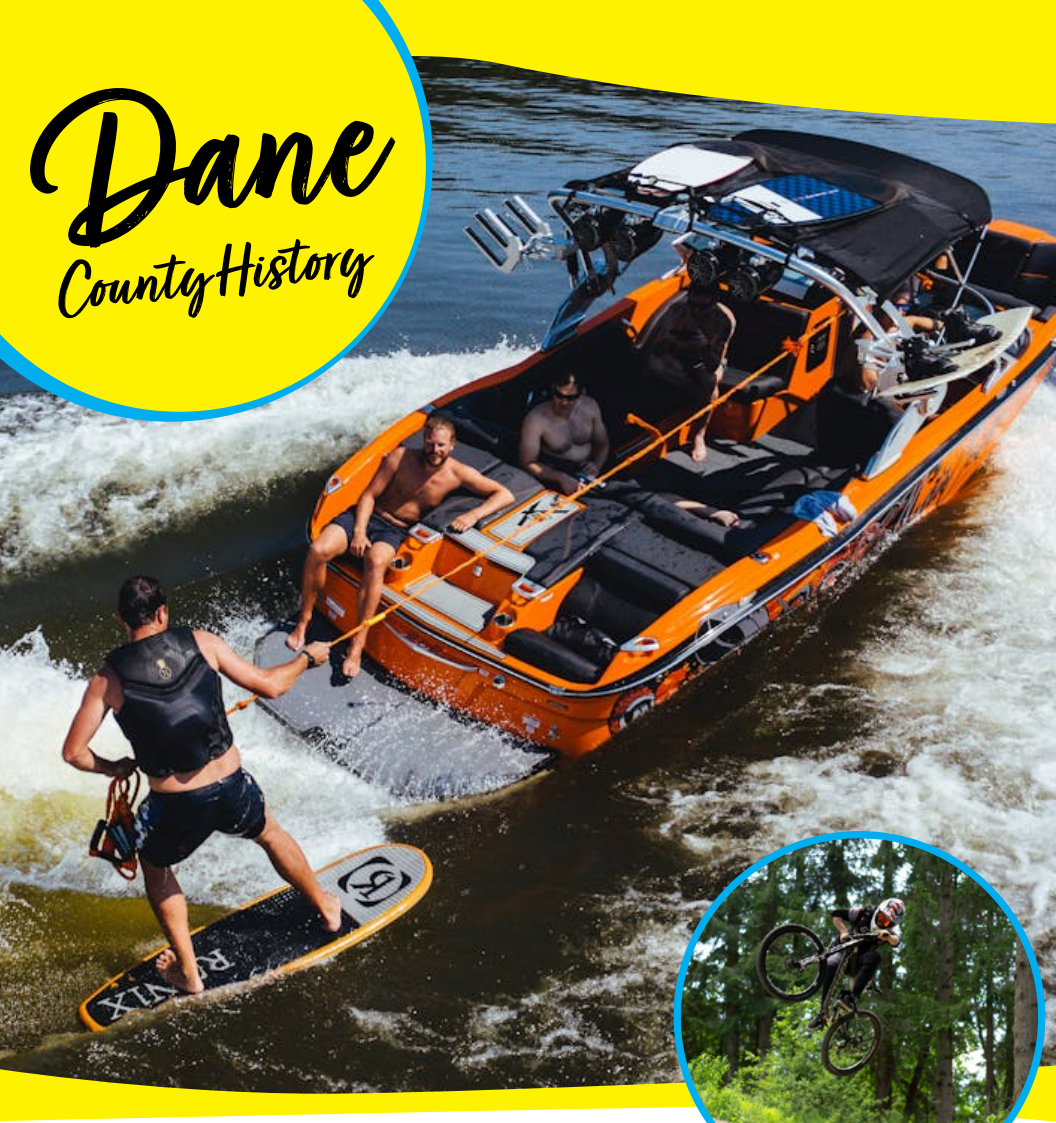
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Dane County was established in 1836 as a territorial county and named in honor of Nathan Dane, a lawyer and politician who assisted with the formation of the state of Wisconsin. Fertile soil, ample prairie and access to water made Dane County an ideal area for settlement. Communities were established and the area began to grow as the railroad arrived. Madison was then selected as the county seat and capital of Wisconsin. The first state capitol building was constructed in 1838 and the first county courthouse was built in 1849. By 1900 the population of Dane County had reached 69,435 and almost doubled by 1930 with 112,737 residents. Industry began to include manufacturing, education and agriculture and Dane County continued to prosper. Today Dane County is home to approximately 482,705 residents.

Dane County Communities

CITIES:

FITCHBURG – pop. 25,260
MADISON (COUNTY SEAT) – pop. 258,054
MIDDLETON – pop. 17,442
MONONA – pop. 7,533
STOUGHTON – pop. 12,611
SUN PRAIRIE – pop. 29,441
VERONA – pop. 10,620

VILLAGES:

BELLEVILLE – pop. 2,385
BLACK EARTH – pop. 1,338
BLUE MOUNDS – pop. 855
BROOKLYN – pop. 1,401
CAMBRIDGE – pop. 1,457
COTTAGE GROVE – pop. 6,248
CROSS PLAINS – pop. 3,538
DANE – pop. 995
DEERFIELD – pop. 2,319
DEFOREST – pop. 8,936
MAPLE BLUFF – pop. 1,313
MARSHALL – pop. 3,862
MAZOMANIE – pop. 1,652
MCFARLAND – pop. 7,808

MOUNT HOREB – pop. 7,009

OREGON – pop. 9,231
ROCKDALE – pop. 214
SHOREWOOD HILLS – pop. 1,565
WAUNAKEE – pop. 12,097
WINDSOR – pop. 5,286

TOWNS:

ALBION – pop. 1,823
BERRY – pop. 1,084
BLACK EARTH – pop. 449
BLOOMING GROVE – pop. 1,768
BLUE MOUNDS – pop. 842
BRISTOL – pop. 2,698
BURKE – pop. 3,284
CHRISTIANA – pop. 1,313
COTTAGE GROVE – pop. 3,839
CROSS PLAINS – pop. 1,419
DANE – pop. 968
DEERFIELD – pop. 1,470
DUNKIRK – pop. 2,053
DUNN – pop. 5,270
MADISON – pop. 6,279
MAZOMANIE – pop. 1,185

MEDINA – pop. 1,235
MIDDLETON – pop. 5,877
MONTROSE – pop. 1,134
OREGON – pop. 3,184
PERRY – pop. 670
PLEASANT SPRINGS – pop. 3,053
PRIMROSE – pop. 731
ROXBURY – pop. 1,700
RUTLAND – pop. 1,887
SPRINGDALE – pop. 1,530
SPRINGFIELD – pop. 2,762
SUN PRAIRIE – pop. 2,308
VERMONT – pop. 839
VERONA – pop. 2,153
VIENNA – pop. 1,294
WESTPORT – pop. 3,586
YORK – pop. 703

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Dane County Communities

BELLEVILLE

Belleville, French for “beautiful village,” was first settled in 1838 by Daniel Webster. A grist mill, dam and sawmill were built along the Sugar River in 1845 by John Frederick and the settlement began to grow. Frederick and John Mitchell platted Belleville in 1850 and named the community in honor of their hometown of Belleville, Ontario. Today Belleville is home to approximately 2,385 residents.

BURKE

Settled in the mid 1800s, Burke was named in honor of Edmund Burke, an Irish politician and Whig party member. By 2036, Burke is expected to merge with Sun Prairie, DeForest and Madison. Today Burke is home to approximately 3,284 residents.

COTTAGE GROVE

Cottage Grove was surveyed in 1834 and grew as a stagecoach stop. Early industry was dominated by agriculture and as the railroad was constructed in 1881, Cottage Grove became a shipping center for farm products. In 1924 the community was incorporated and the development of businesses continued. Today Cottage Grove is home to approximately 6,248 residents.

CROSS PLAINS

Cross Plains was founded in 1847 and as railroad lines were established, settlers began to arrive. A lumberyard, churches, schools, saloons, specialty shops and a post office were built by 1880. In 1920 the nearby communities of Foxville and Christina merged with Cross Plains which was then incorporated into a village. Today Cross Plains is home to approximately 3,538 residents.

DEERFIELD

Named in honor of the abundant wildlife, Deerfield was settled in the mid 1800s. As the railroad was established, settlement grew and businesses were established. In 1891 Deerfield was incorporated into a village and development continued. Today Deerfield is home to approximately 2,319 residents.

DEFOREST

DeForest was named in honor of its early settler Isaac DeForest who arrived to the area in 1854. The community was platted in 1856 and a post office was soon established. As the railroad arrived in 1872, DeForest continued to grow as businesses were founded. Today DeForest is home to approximately 8,936 residents.

DUNN

Settled in the 1840s, Dunn was named in honor of Chief Justice Charles Dunn of the Territorial Supreme Court. Originally part of Madison and Pleasant Springs, Dunn became a separate town in 1848. Due to the fertile soil and ample prairie, early industry was dominated by agriculture. Today Dunn is home to approximately 5,270 residents.

FITCHBURG

Once part of Rome, Oregon and Dunn, Fitchburg was first settled by the Vroman brothers in 1839. In 1847 the settlement separated and was named Greenfield after the fertile lands found throughout the area. Due to another community named Greenfield, Greenfield was renamed Fitchburg to avoid postal confusion. Fitchburg grew quickly as a railroad and stagecoach stop and by 1900, mills, lumber yards, creameries, general stores and specialty shops were thriving. Today Fitchburg is home to approximately 25,260 residents.

MADISON (COUNTY SEAT)

Founded in 1836 by Federal Judge James Duane Doty, the community was named in honor of President James Madison. With heavy promotion, Doty successfully petitioned the territorial legislature to secure Madison as the state capital of Wisconsin and the seat of Dane County. In 1846 Madison incorporated as a village and as a city in 1856. As the railroad arrived, Madison developed dramatically and by 1900 its population had reached over 10,000. Due to its prime location, Madison has since become an educational, political and manufacturing center. Today Madison is home to approximately 258,054 residents.

MARSHALL

First settled in 1837 along the Mauneshia River, Marshall was originally recognized as Bird's Ruins. Renamed Hanchettsville in 1849, the community began to grow as rail lines were built through the area. The settlement was again renamed Marshall in 1861 in honor of Samuel Marshall, a real estate broker. Marshall was incorporated as a village in 1905 and the area continued to grow. Today Marshall is home to approximately 3,862 residents.

MCFARLAND

McFarland was established and named after William H. McFarland in 1856. Due to its proximity to Lake Waubesa, the area attracted many settlers. Ice and fish were harvested and shipped to Chicago. As the railroad arrived McFarland continued to develop and the area became a bedroom community for nearby Madison. Today McFarland is home to approximately 7,808 residents.



Dane County Communities

MIDDLETON

First surveyed by W.B. Slaughter in 1836, the site for Middleton was originally selected to be the state capital of Wisconsin. As the railroad was built, settlement grew near the depot station and the community of Middleton was established and named after a city in Vermont. Middleton developed quickly and by 1900 a variety of businesses including an opera house were established. In 1905 Middleton was incorporated and the community continued to progress. Today Middleton is home to approximately 17,442 residents.

MONONA

Monona was settled in the late 1800s by farmers working the prairies. As development of nearby communities increased, Monona became a popular area for summer homes which became permanent residences. In 1938 Monona was incorporated and the area began to grow dramatically. Today Monona is home to approximately 7,533 residents.

MOUNT HOREB

Once called Horeb's Corners, Mount Horeb was settled in the mid 1800s. George Wright served as the area's first postmaster and chose the name "Mount Horeb" from a scripture passage in 1861. The first general store was established by George Barrows in 1866 and the railroad arrived in 1881, attracting residents. Mount Horeb has since become a popular tourist area and is widely recognized as the Troll Capital of the World. Today Mount Horeb is home to approximately 7,009 residents.

OREGON

First recognized as Rome Corners, Oregon was settled by Bartlet Runey in 1841. Incorporation followed in 1881 and as the railroad arrived, Rome Corners was changed to Oregon in honor of early railway maps that marked the area as such. By 1900 businesses were booming and Oregon continued to thrive. It is now widely recognized as the "Horse Capital of Wisconsin" due to the many horse stables and farms found within the community. Today Oregon is home to approximately 9,231 residents.

PLEASANT SPRINGS

Pleasant Springs was settled in 1848 and named after the many natural springs located in the area. Summer homes were located along the shores of Lake Kegonsa and soon permanent residences took their place. A post office, general stores and specialty shops were established and the area began to grow. Today Pleasant Springs is home to approximately 3,053 residents.

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DEER

Archery and Crossbow

Sept. 13 – Jan. 4, 2026

Archery and Crossbow *Metro Sub-units only*

Sept. 13 – Jan. 31, 2026

Gun hunt for hunters with disabilities: This is not a statewide season. ~ Oct. 4 – 12

Youth deer hunt ~ Oct. 11 – 12

Gun ~ Nov. 22 – 30

Muzzleloader ~ Dec. 1 – 10

December 4-day antlerless hunt ~

Dec. 11 – 14

Antlerless-only Holiday Hunt ~

Dec. 24 – Jan. 1, 2026*

*Only in valid farmland units. Please see deer regulations booklet for valid units.

BEAR

Zones A, B, D: where dogs are permitted

Sept. 3 – 9

with aid of dogs only

Sept. 10 – 30

with aid of dogs

with aid of bait

with all other legal methods

Oct. 1 – 7

with aid of bait

with all other legal methods not using dogs

Zones C, E, F: where dogs are not permitted

Sept. 3 – Oct. 7

with aid of bait

with all other legal methods not using dogs

SMALL MAMMALS

Cottontail rabbit

Northern zone ~ Sept. 13 – Feb. 28, 2026

Southern zone ~ Oct. 18 (9 a.m.) – Feb. 28, 2026

Milwaukee County ~ Year-round

Squirrels (gray and fox)

Statewide ~ Sept. 13 – Feb. 28, 2026

GAME BIRDS

Crow

Statewide Nov. 22 – March 25, 2026

Pheasant

Statewide ~ Oct. 18 (9 a.m.) – Jan. 4, 2025

Bobwhite quail

Statewide ~ Oct. 18 (9 a.m.) – Dec. 10

Ruffed grouse

Zone A ~ Sept. 13 – Jan. 4, 2026

Zone B ~ Oct. 18 – Dec. 8

Sharp-tailed grouse ~ Season is under review.

Hungarian partridge

Statewide ~ Oct. 18 (9 a.m.) – Jan. 4, 2025

(Closed in Clark, Marathon and Taylor counties)

FURBEARERS

Coyote

Hunting ~ Year-round

Trapping ~ Oct. 18 – Feb. 15, 2026

Fox, red and gray

Hunting & Trapping ~ Oct. 18 – Feb. 15, 2026

Beaver

Trapping

Zone A (northwest) Nov. 1 – April 30, 2026

Zone B (northeast) Nov. 1 – April 30, 2026

Zone C (south) Nov. 1 – March 31, 2026

Zone D (Mississippi River) Dec. 8 – March 15, 2026

Muskrat & Mink

Trapping

Northern Zone Oct. 18 – April 15, 2026

Central Zone Oct. 25 – March 22, 2026

Southern Zone Nov. 1 – March 15, 2026

Mississippi River zone Nov. 10 – March 8, 2026

Bobcat

Trapping

North & South zones, Period 1, Oct. 18 – Dec. 25

North & South zones, Period 2, Dec. 26 – Jan. 31, 2026

Fisher

Trapping

North and South Zones Oct. 18 – Jan. 4, 2026

Otter

Trapping

North zone Nov. 1 – April 30, 2026

South zone Nov. 1 – March 31, 2026

Raccoon

Trapping

Resident Oct. 18 – Feb. 15, 2026

Nonresident Nov. 1 – Feb. 15, 2026

Opossum, skunk, weasel, snowshoe hare and woodchuck ~ No season limits, bag limits, size limits or possession limits, but a license is required.

WILD TURKEY

2025 Youth turkey hunt ~ April 12 – 13

Spring 2025

Period A April 16 – 22

Period B April 23 – 29

Period C April 30– May 6

Period D May 7–13

Period E May 14– 20

Period F May 21 – 27

Fall 2025

Statewide Sept. 13 – Nov. 21

Zones 1 - 5 ~ Nov. 22 – Jan. 4, 2026



**For the latest season dates. Check the WI DNR website, <https://dnr.wisconsin.gov> or scan the QR code.*



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Local Area Events (Dane County)

JANUARY

Isthmus Beer & Cheese Fest | Madison
Candlelit Snowshoe Hike & Bonfire | Monona

FEBRUARY

Midwest Garden Expo | Madison
Polar Plunge | Madison
Frozen Assets | Madison
Madison Fishing Expo
Groundhog Day Prognostication | Sun Prairie
Groundhog Day Celebration & Breakfast | Sun Prairie
Candlelight Ski | Stoughton
Norse Afternoon of Fun | Stoughton
Jazz on the Prairie Festival | Sun Prairie

MARCH

Bike-O-Rama Bicycle Sale | Madison
St. Patrick's Day Parade | Madison
Maple Syrup Fest | Monona
Lake Home & Cabin Show | Madison
Art Glass & Bead Sale | Madison
Field & Stream, Deer & Turkey Expo | Madison
BockFest | Middleton

APRIL

Wisconsin Film Festival | Madison
Midwest Horse Fair | Madison
Great Midwest Alpaca Festival | Madison
Crazylegs Classic | Madison
Arbor Day Celebration | Verona
Mad City 50K | Madison
Kiwanis Easter Egg Hunt | Stoughton
Friends of the Library Book Sale | Stoughton
Easter Eggstravaganza | Mt. Horeb & Middleton
Mt. Horeb & Middleton Easter Egg Hunt
Easter Egg Hunt | Monona
Oregon Earth Day Festival
Oregon Community Egg Hunt
Sun Prairie Easter Egg Hunt
City-Wide Garage Sales | Sun Prairie

MAY

Memorial Day Observance | Fitchburg
Festa Italia | Fitchburg (May-Jun)
Madison Classic Horse Show
World's Largest Brat Fest | Madison
Syttende Mai Festival | Stoughton
Armed Forces Day Celebration | Sun Prairie
Memorial Day Parade & Ceremony | Sun Prairie
Oregon Community Fun Run
Annual 5/15Km Donald Dash Trail Run | Mt. Horeb
Greenway Station Farmers Market | Middleton
(Thursdays May-Oct)
Art Walk | Middleton

JUNE

Strawberry Fest | Fitchburg
Jazz Festival | Madison
Cars on State Street | Madison
Oregon Summer Fest
City-Wide Garage Sales | Stoughton
Make Music Day | Sun Prairie
Strawberry Fest | Sun Prairie
Hometown Days, Parade & Fireworks | Verona
Mount Horeb Summer Frolic
Drums on Parade | Middleton
Madison Log Rolling (Jun-Aug)
Make Music Madison

JULY

Midwest Stand-Up Paddle Festival | Madison
Art Fair on the Square | Madison
Dane County Fair | Madison
Maxwell Street Days | Madison
Opera in the Park | Madison
Greater Madison Golf Show
Full Moon Paddle | Mt. Horeb
Community July 4th Festival | Monona
Stoughton Junior Fair
Stoughton Fair | Stoughton
Stoughton Sidewalk Sale
Ice Cream Social | Oregon

AUGUST

Agora Art Fair | Fitchburg
Great Taste of the Midwest | Madison
Madison Mini-Marathon
National Mustard Day | Middleton
Good Neighbor Festival | Middleton
Capital Flight Cruise In: Cars Curing Kids | Middleton
Coffee Break Festival | Stoughton
Relay for Life | Stoughton
Sun Prairie Sweet Corn Festival & Parade
Africa Fest | Madison
GLEAM Event | Madison (Aug-Oct, Wed-Sat)
Orton Park Festival | Madison
Sugar Maple Music Festival | Madison
Taste of Madison

SEPTEMBER

Quilt Expo | Madison
Ironman Wisconsin | Madison
WI Saddlebred Futurity Horse Show | Madison
Willy Street Fair | Madison
Henry Vilas Zoo Fun Run | Madison
Sacred Hearts Fall Festival | Sun Prairie
Reddan Toe Bash | Verona
Fall Festival | Verona
Art of Cheese Festival | Madison
Fitchburg Fall Fest at the Farmers Market
World Dairy Expo | Madison (Sept-Oct)
Annual Puptoberfest | Verona
Craft & Vintage Market in the Barn | Waunakee
WindsorFest
Willy Street Fair | Madison

OCTOBER

Wisconsin Book Festival | Madison
Halloween at the Zoo | Madison
Haunted Hustle Marathon | Middleton
Gilda's 5K & 10K Walk & Run | Middleton
Trick or Treat Downtown | Middleton
Mount Horeb Fall Heritage Festival
Lake Kegonsa Candlelight Hike | Stoughton
Destination Stoughton Weekend | Stoughton
Halloween Party | Stoughton

OCTOBER (CONTD)

Trick or Treat Downtown | Stoughton
Sun Prairie's Most Haunted House
Reddan Ice Age Classic | Verona
Trick or Treat in the City | Verona
World Clydesdale Show | Madison
Halloween at the Farm | Waunakee
Windsor Trunk or Treat

NOVEMBER

Birdie Derby | Fitchburg
Herb Fair | Madison
Holiday Fantasy in Lights (Nov-Dec) | Madison
Madison Marathon
Sons of Norway Bake Sale & Workshop | Stoughton
Victorian Holiday Weekend | Stoughton (Nov-Dec)
Fire & Lights Parade | Sun Prairie
Veterans Shoot | Waunakee
Holiday Bazaar & Luncheon | Verona
Hometown Holidays | Verona
Holiday Craft Sale | Verona

DECEMBER

Holiday Lights Tour & Jubilee | Fitchburg
Jingle Bell Run & Walk | Madison
Kwanzaa Celebration | Madison
Family Christmas Event & Bake Sale | Stoughton
HolidayFests Arts & Crafts Fair | Madison
Holiday Tree Lighting & Display - State Capitol | Madison
Community Tree Lighting & Ceremony | Verona

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Local Area Events (Rock County)

JANUARY

Winterfest | Beloit
Show Me the Reptile Show | Janesville

FEBRUARY

Maple Sugar Fest | Beloit
Decoy Show | Edgerton
Gun Show | Edgerton
Candlelight Hike | Janesville
Flannelfest Craft Beer Festival | Janesville
8 Pin Bowling Tournament | Evansville

MARCH

Badger Knife Club Knife Show | Janesville
Rock, Gem & Mineral Show | Janesville
Spring Fling Vendor Expo | Janesville
Beloit International Film Festival (Mar-Apr) | Beloit
Vintage Shop Hop | Evansville
Farm Toy Show | Evansville

APRIL

Easter Egg Scramble | Milton
Easter Egg Hunt | Evansville
Superhero Cook Off | Evansville
Earth Day at the Gardens | Janesville
Spring Wine Walk | Beloit
Eggstravaganza | Janesville
Pups & Peeps Egg Hunt | Janesville
Malt & Hops Beer Tasting Event | Milton

MAY

Team World Horseshoe Tournament | Beloit
Civil War Days | Milton
Memorial Day Parade | Beloit & Footville
Janesville Renaissance Faire
Fridays in the Park (May-Aug) | Beloit
Rockton River Market (May-Aug) | Beloit

MAY (CONTD)

Rock Aqua Jays Water Ski Show (Weds, Memorial Day - Labor Day) | Janesville
Beckman Mill Guided Tours (May-Oct) | Beloit
Beloit Farmers Market (Saturdays, May-Oct)
Creskide Cruise Night (1st Thursday, May-Sept) | Evansville
Live Music at Northleaf Winery (Fridays, May-Sept) | Milton
Janesville Farmers Market (Sats, May-Oct)
Orfordville Rummage Sale Days
City-Wide Rummage Sales | Evansville
Evansville Arts & Crafts Extravaganza
Evansville Art Crawl

JUNE

Rock County Dairy Breakfast | Evansville
Strawberry Festival | Evansville
Make Music Day | Beloit
Dancing at Harrys Place (June-Aug) | Beloit
Juneteenth Celebration | Area Wide
FFA Alumni Truck & Tractor Pull | Edgerton

JULY

Fourth of July Celebration | Evansville
Lion's Club Fourth of July Celebration | Edgerton
Pops on the Rock & Fireworks | Beloit
Tobacco Heritage Days | Edgerton
Rock County 4-H Fair | Janesville
Pistons & Props Air & Car Show | Janesville
Vintage Car Show | Janesville
Civil War Days | Evansville,
Evansville Farmers Market (E/O Sats, July-Sept)
Rhythm & Booms 4th of July Festival | Milton

AUGUST

Tallman Arts Festival | Janesville
Dirty Dash | Beloit
Street Dance | Beloit
Rock River Threshere | Edgerton
Skelly's Corn Maze & Fall Festival (Aug-Oct) | Janesville
Night on Festival | Janesville

SEPTEMBER

Quilt Show | Edgerton
Gardens Memory Walk | Janesville
Twilight Tours | Milton
Aurorama | Beloit
Oktoberfest | Evansville
Beloit Oktoberfest

OCTOBER

Halloween Parade & Celebration | Beloit
Trick or Treat | County Wide
Forest of Freaks Haunted Trails | Janesville
Clinton Fall Fest
Merchant Trick or Treating | Evansville
Fall-o-ween | Clinton

NOVEMBER

Tree Lighting & Parade | Edgerton
Fall Harvest Fest | Beloit
Fall Vendor & Craft Show | Janesville
Holiday Tree & Light Show (Nov-Jan) | Janesville
Holiday Art Show & Sale (Nov-Jan) | Janesville
Holiday Show of Hands Craft Fair | Evansville
Lighted Holiday Parade & Tree Lighting | Beloit
Beloit Winter Crafter & Farmers Market (Nov-Apr)

DECEMBER

Snowflake Craft Fair | Edgerton
Christmas Walk | Milton
Holiday Light Show (Dec-Jan) | Janesville
Holidazzle | Beloit
Janesville's Jolly Jingle | Janesville
Annual New Year's Eve Bash | Janesville
Merry Milton Weekend
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2025-2026 FISHING SEASON DATES
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General Inland Trout
May 3, 2025 (5 a.m.) - Oct. 15, 2025

General Inland Fishing
May 3, 2025 - March 1, 2026

Largemouth Bass Northern Zone Harvest
May 3, 2025 - March 1, 2026

Smallmouth Bass Northern Zone Harvest
June 21, 2025 - March 1, 2026

Large And Smallmouth Bass Southern Zone Harvest
May 3, 2025 - March 1, 2026

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Musky Northern Zone Harvest
May 24, 2025 - Dec. 31, 2025

Musky Southern Zone Harvest
May 3, 2025 - Dec. 31, 2025

Northern Pike
May 3, 2025 - March 1, 2026

Walleye
May 3, 2025 - March 1, 2026

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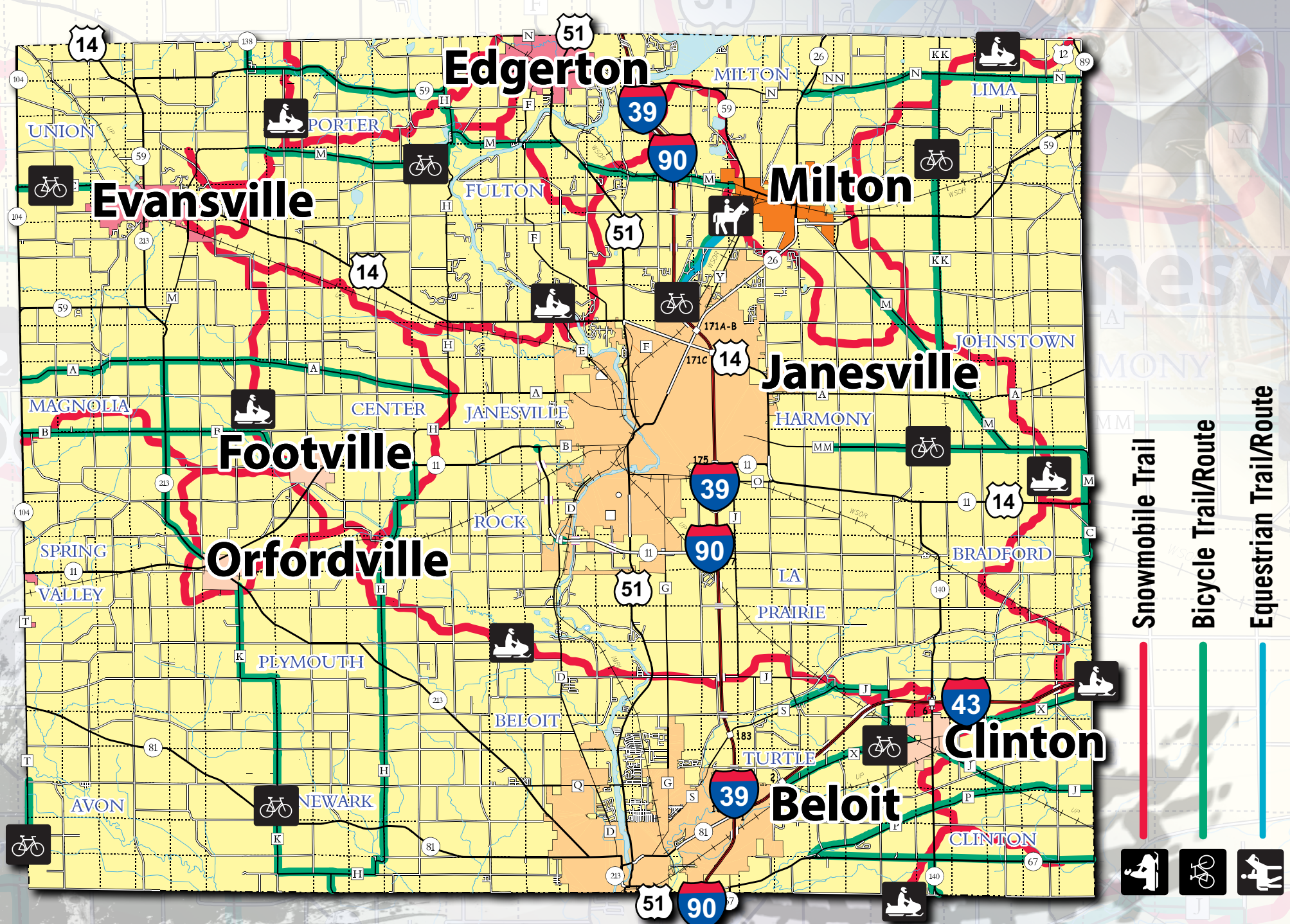
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
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INGREDIENTS

1 pound angel hair pasta
1 pound boneless skinless chicken breasts
1 teaspoon dried basil
1 teaspoon dried oregano
1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
1/4 cup olive oil
2 tablespoons minced garlic
2 tablespoons red onion, chopped finely
2 tablespoons balsamic vinegar, (to your liking)
8 roma tomatoes, diced
1/2 cup grated parmesan cheese
2 tablespoons finely chopped fresh basil or parsley
Salt and pepper, (to your liking)
Balsamic glaze to serve (optional)

SERVES: 8 PEOPLE

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1** Cook pasta according to package directions; Drain and rinse in cold water. Transfer to a large bowl.
- 2** Season the chicken with the herbs, garlic powder, salt and pepper. Heat 1 teaspoon of oil on in a grill pan or skillet, and sear chicken breasts over medium-high heat until browned on both sides and cooked through (about 6 minutes each side). Remove from pan.
- 3** Add the remaining olive oil to the same hot pan / skillet. When hot, sauté the garlic and red onion until garlic is fragrant (about 1 minute). Turn off heat.
- 4** Add in the tomatoes, toss them lightly in the heat to warm them through and combine all of the flavors. Add the tomato mixture onto the pasta.
- 5** Mix in the vinegar, parmesan cheese and basil (or parsley). Season with salt and pepper to your liking. Slice the chicken; add to pasta. Toss the pasta with all of the ingredients until well combined.
- 6** Top with extra parmesan cheese (to your liking).

PREP: 10 MIN • TOTAL: 30 MIN



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