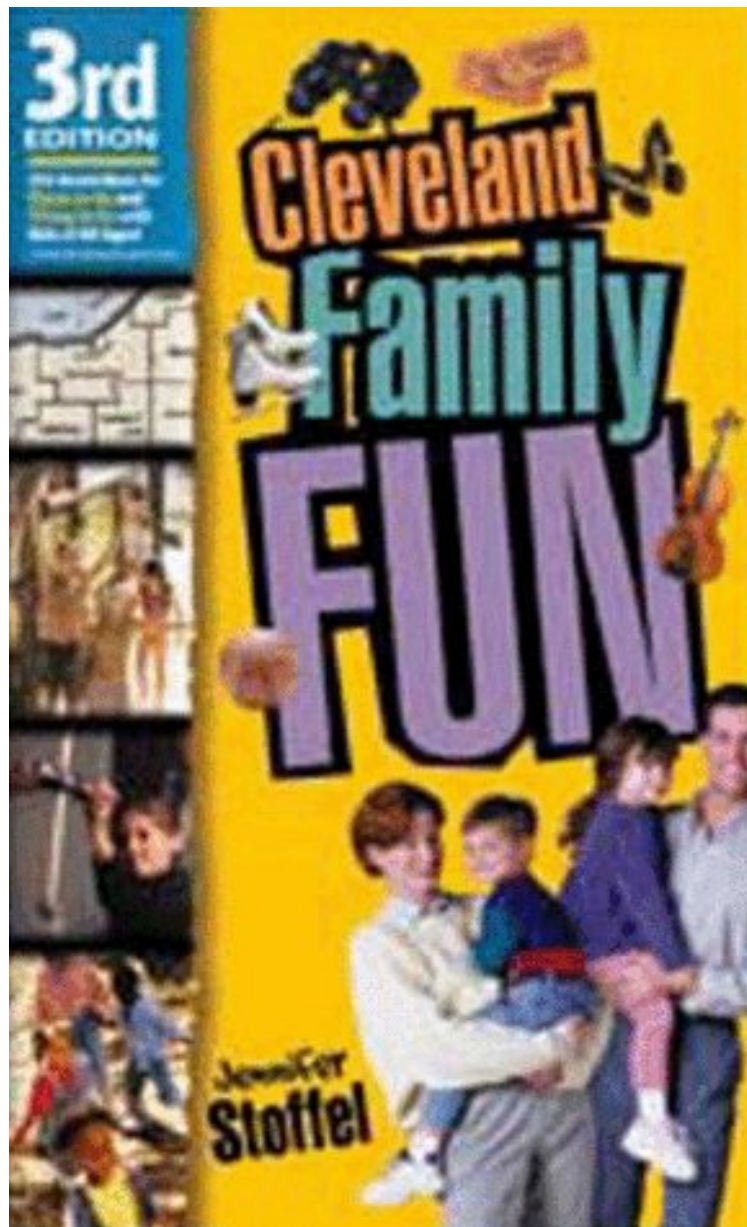


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The third edition of this guide (formerly titled The Cleveland Discovery Guide) features 16 new quick recipes for outings that require no planning at all; new informative tidbits called Tips for Trips to help plan successful outings; dozens of new listings; completely updated information about pricing, hours, and features. With this book in hand, parents will never run out of ideas for a fun family outing. It describes in detail more than 365 days worth of parent-tested and kid-approved activities in Greater Cleveland, Akron, and beyond. Written by parents for parents, it tells exactly what families want to know: What age children will enjoy it? Are strollers allowed? What's the cost? Any discounts? Is there food nearby? When is the best time to go? How do we get there? And important stuff like that. The information in this book can save parents years of trial and error, hundreds of phone calls, and countless hours of driving around.

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Indian Museum of Lake County  
Cost: \$ Prep: None-Some Area: Far East City: Painesville  
Address: 391 W. Washington St. Phone: (440) 352-1911  
Season: Year round  
Hours: Sept-Apr Mon-Fri 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Sat-Sun 1 p.m.-4 p.m.; May-Aug Mon-Fri 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sat-Sun 1 p.m.-4 p.m.; closed major holiday weekends and Lake Erie Colleges Winter Break (mid-Dec-mid-Jan) and Spring Break (last week in March)  
Prices: \$2 adults, \$1 students, \$1.50 seniors, preschool ages free. Call for group rate and reservation.  
Direct.: SR 2 to Richmond St; south on Richmond; right (west) on US 20 (Mentor Ave.); on left (west end of Lake Erie College campus).  
This museum traces the development of Indian tribal groups who lived nearby between 22,000 B.C. and 1600 A.D.; it also covers the history of today's Native Americans from 1800 to the present. Several hands-on activities are excellent for parents and children to work on together. Our favorite was a large wooden learning board filled with colorful pictures of Indian dwellings. The goal: match tribes with their homes. School-age children (grades 4 and up) are invited to participate in a mini-archaeological dig. Several sandboxes each containing bones, teeth, or arrowheads come equipped with brushes so that children can gently brush off the sand to reveal what lies beneath. For preschoolers, there are grinding bins equipped with stones and dried corn to grind into corn flour. Although the museum is housed in just one room, its exhibits are well laid out and extensive. Displays cover an array of artifacts from North American indigenous cultures, including ceremonial masks, baskets, beadwork, and other crafts. A reproduction of a Hopewell Shaman (a highly decorated medicine man) and colorful totem pole are striking. Toddlers will be either fascinated or terrified. Some displays are changed annually to feature unique Native American cultures. Tour programs can be arranged for adults and children ages 4 and up by reservation only. Copyright Jennifer Stoffel. All rights reserved. This text may not be reproduced in any form or manner without written permission of Gray Company, Publishers.