



2009 March Maple Madness Drive-It-Yourself Tour



March 14 & 15, March 21 & 22, 2009
10 am – 5 pm

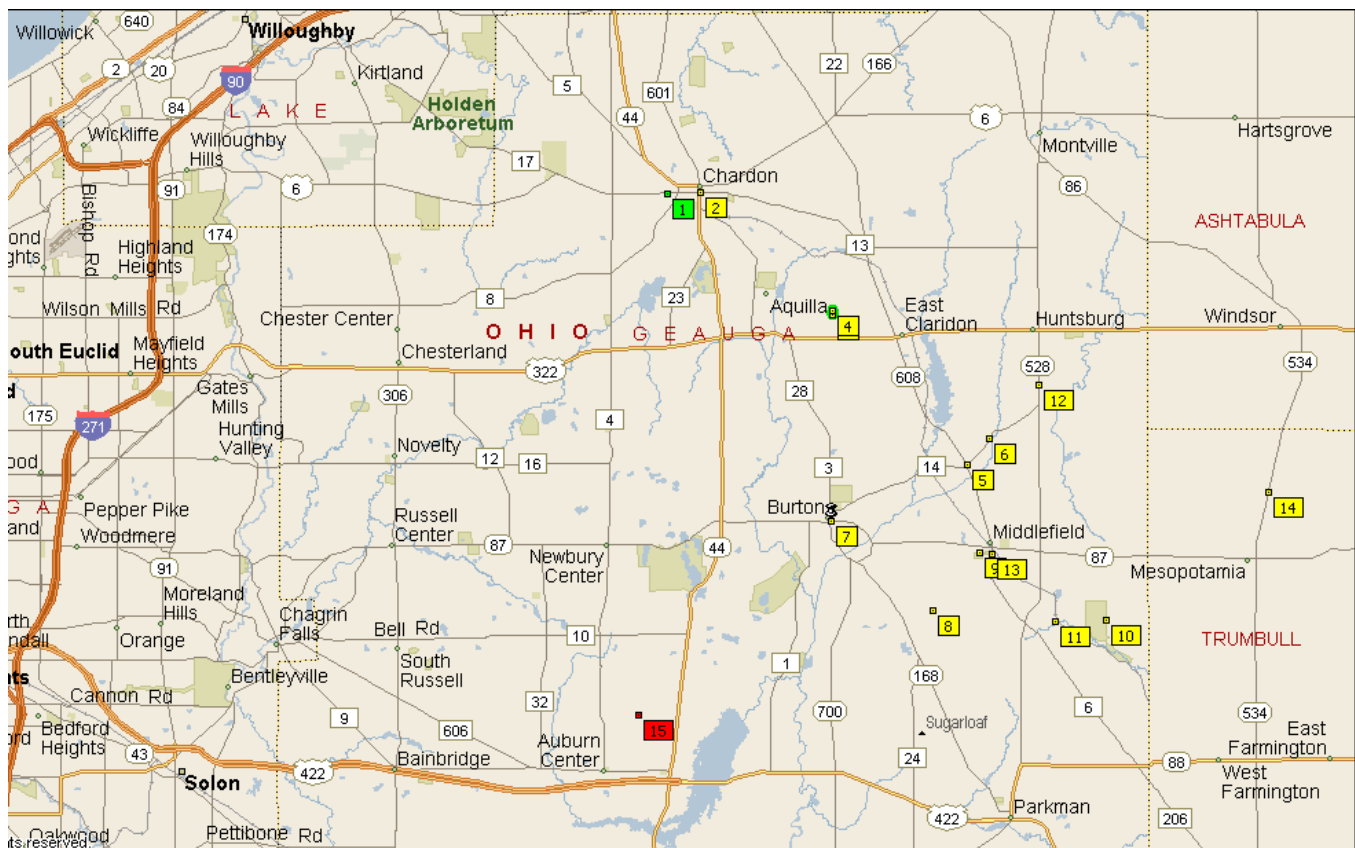
Sponsored by the Ohio Maple Producers Association, Geauga OSU Extension,
& Maple Producers across Ohio

The 9th Annual March Maple Madness Drive-It-Yourself Tour of selected maple sugaring operations will be open to the public 10 am – 5 pm - Look for the signs

Two Weekends - There are no admission fees - FREE!

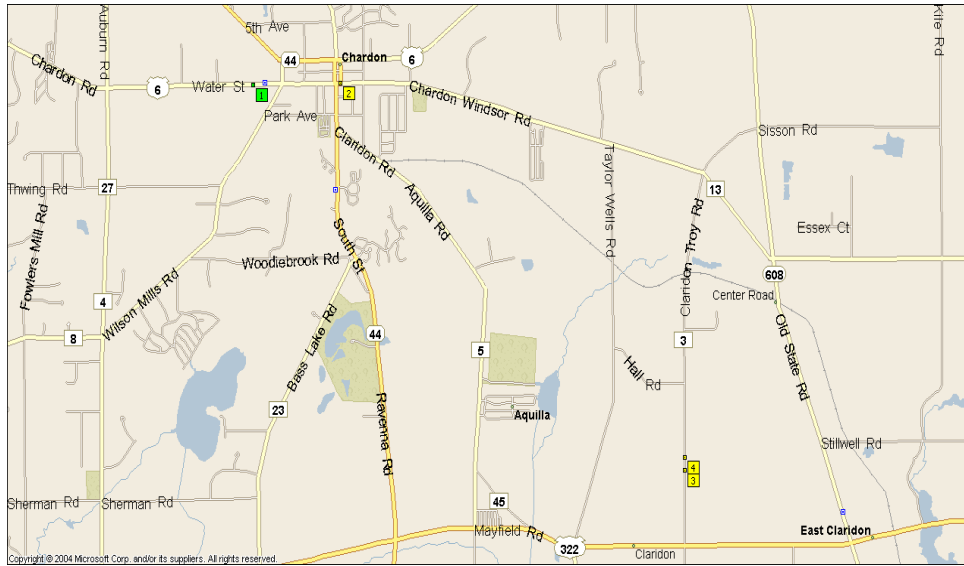
Boots and outwear a must!

This is a great family day in the country learning where pure maple syrup comes from!



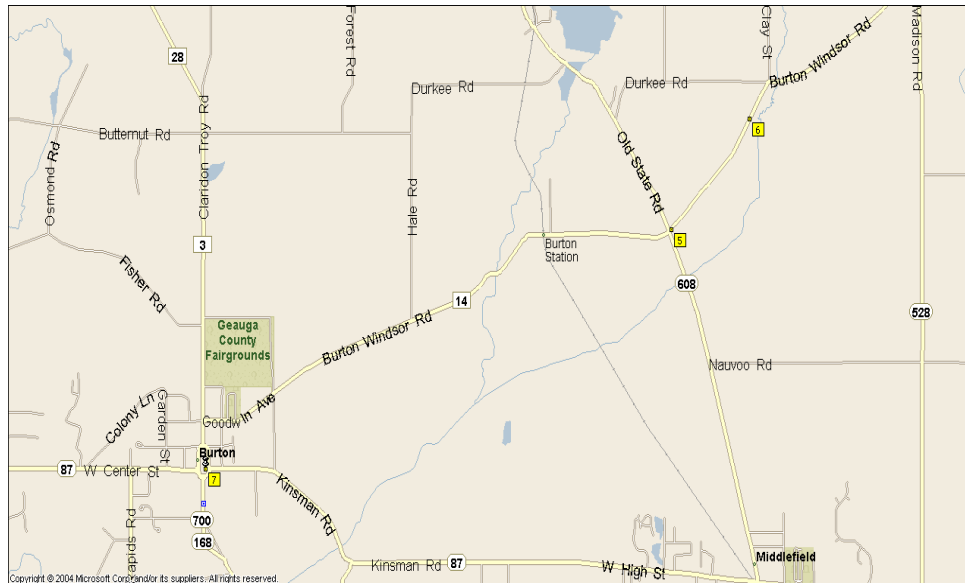
1. Richards Maple Products, 545 Water St., Rt. 6, Chardon City. Maple syrup gift shop with samples, maple candy demonstrations and operating sugarhouse. 150 taps, demonstration sugar operation. Easy access

2. Geauga County Maple Festival Sugarhouse, South end of Historic Chardon Square, Chardon. Enjoy fresh maple stirs and other tasty maple treats.



3. Grossman Maple Products, 12147 Claridon-Troy Rd, Claridon. North of Rt. 322. New timber framed sugarhouse. 500+ taps on tubing with vacuum, 3X12 wood fired evaporator. Easy access

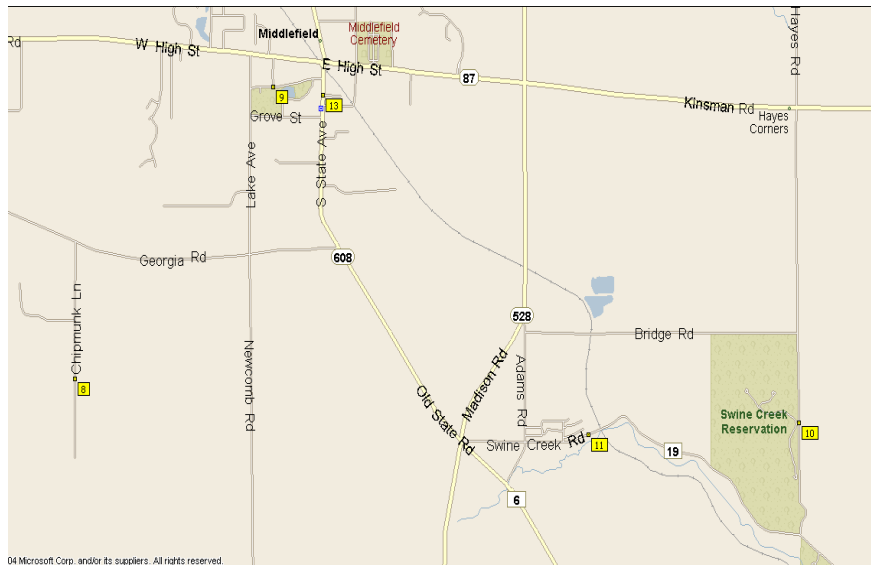
4. Geauga Maple Company, 12100 Claridon Troy Road, Claridon, North of Rt. 322, 5000 taps, across from Grossman



5. Maple Hill Farm, Daniel Byler & Family, 15658 Burton Windsor Rd, east of Old State Road, Rt. 608, Middlefield. 1000 taps on buckets. **Saturday Only – NO CAMERAS**

6. Valley View Sugarhouse, Billy Yoder, 15920 Burton Windsor, Middlefield. 400 taps tubing on vacuum, 3.5 X 13 wood fired with pre-heater. Easy access. **Saturday Only - NO CAMERAS**

7. Burton Sugar Camp, Burton Chamber of Commerce, Burton Square, Burton. On the south end of Burton Square. Working sugarhouse with maple sales.



8. Sugar Valley Maple ,James Miller, 15771 Chipmunk Lane, Middlefield. South of St. Rt. 87 between White Rd. & Lake St. 1800-tap pipeline. Easy access. **Saturday Only - NO CAMERAS**

9. Roy Nichols, 14988 Linda Avenue Middefield Village. Off St. Rt. 87, corner of Linda and Sperry. This is a simple, easy to understand backyard operation, wood fired, open pans. 300 taps Easy access

10. Geauga Park District Swine Creek Reservation, 16004 Hayes Rd., Middlefield. 1.5 Miles South of St. Rt. 87 800 taps. **Learn about the history of maple syrup making with park display. Hands on activities.**

11. Creekside Maple, Bob Welder & Family, 16767 Swine Creek Rd., Middlefield, OH. East of he intersection of St Rt. 608 & 528 600 tap.



12. Sugarbush Creek Farm, 13034 St. Rt. 528 Middlefield, OH. South of St. Rt. 322 High tech maple operation with 2,200 taps Horse drawn wagon to sugarhouse.

13. Olde Tyme Sugarhouse Dinner, First United Methodist Church, 14999 S. State Avenue (Rt. 608 South of Rt. 87) Downtown Middlefield, Special maple dinner 4:30 to 7 Adults \$9, 6 – 12 \$5. **March 21 Only**

14. Hopewell Sugarhouse, Norman Wengerd, 9488 St. Rt. 534, Mesopotamia, North of Rt. 87 **Saturday Only – NO CAMERAS**

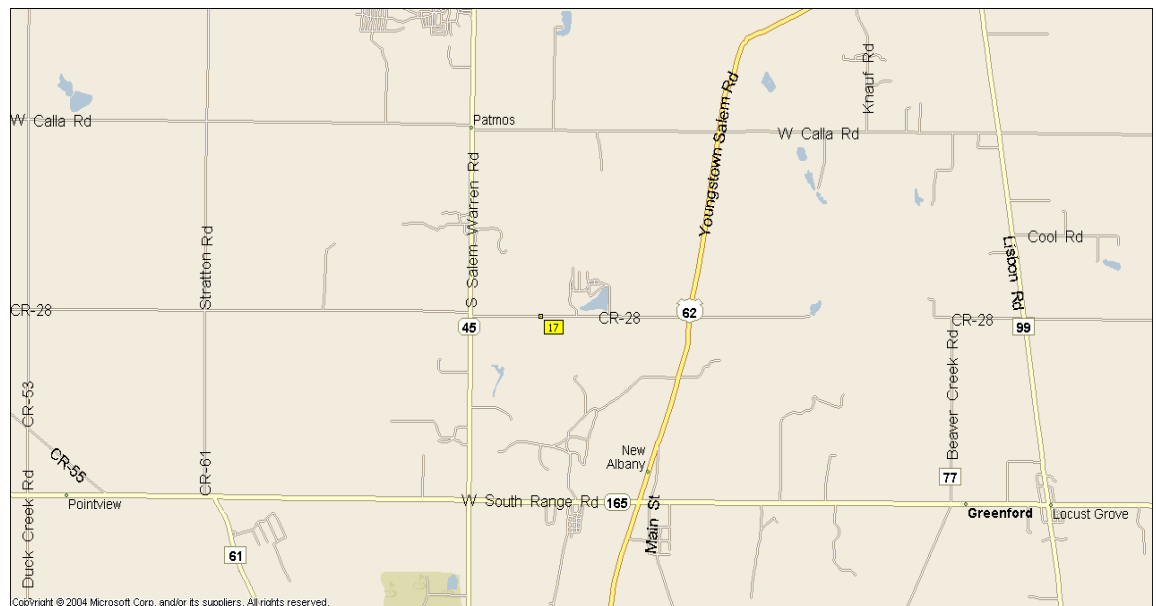
15. Messenger Century Farm
 Bill Belew Family
 17098 Messenger Road
 Auburn Township
 Sugarhouse in 1905 building.
 Easy Access



16. Ashtabula County - Cline
 Family Sugarhouse
 5069 S. Wright Street,
 Kingsville
 South of Rt. 84
 500 bucket

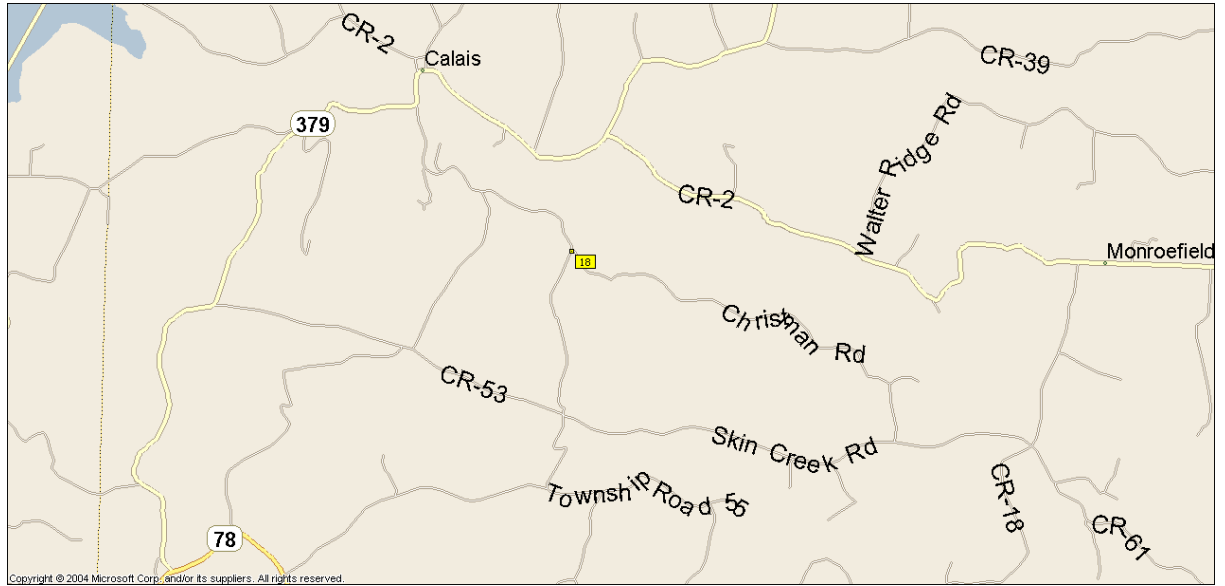


17. Mahoning County -
 Misty Maple Sugarhouse,
 David Hively
 10644 Middletown Road,
 Salem
March 14 Only

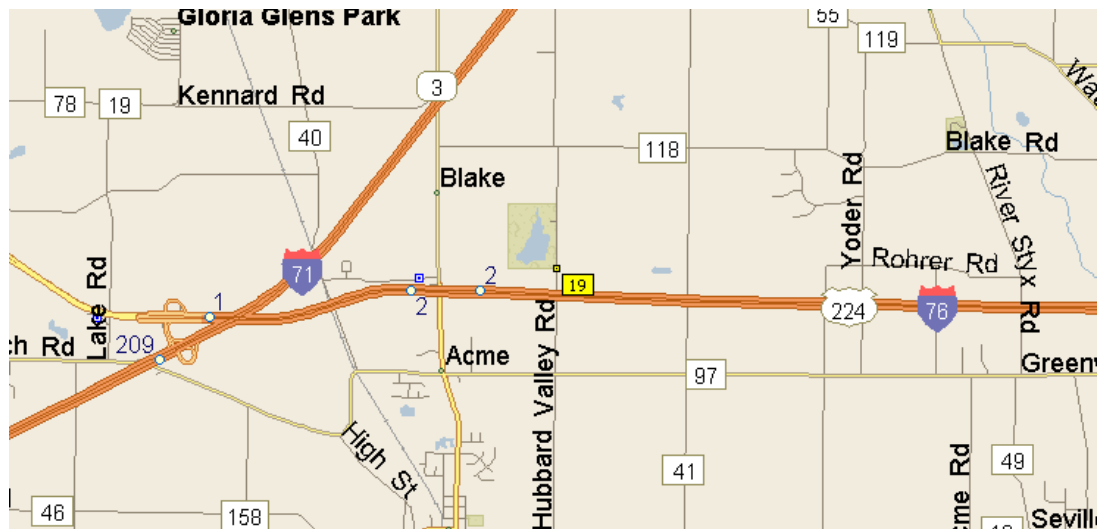


Sugar Camps outside Northeast Ohio

18. **Monroe County**
– Misty Mountain
Estate, Huge Hyre
32600 Christman
Ridge Road,
Lewisville Ohio
43754
Malaga Township



19. **Medina County** – Maple
Valley Farm, Steve & Andrew
Fulton, 8701 Hubbard Valley
Road, Seville Oh. 44273
Guilford Township





20. **Seneca County** – Ziegler Farms, Chris Ziegler 8240 S. Township Road 171, Bloomville Oh. Eden Township. From Melmore SR 100 S 11/2 mi. to twp.44, Turn L (west) 11/2 mi to stop sign, turn R (south) 3/4 mi to sugarhouse

21. **Crawford County** – Lucius Maple Syrup, James Lucius, 3795 Locust Grove Road, Bucyrus, Oh. 44820 Liberty Township

**This is a free event – No admission charged at any stop
Come spend the day in the country and learn where maple syrup comes from!**

PLEASE! Amish stops Saturday Only & Please No Cameras

Additional maps may be printed off at

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www.geauga.osu.com

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