

GRIERSON HISTORIC SITES

GENERAL GRIERSON'S HOUSE is located at 852 East State Street and will be open to the public for **FREE** tours on Saturday. The public and re enactors are welcome to attend. Grierson's home is part of the "Looking For Lincoln" audio tour. www.lincolninjacksonville.com



GENERAL GRIERSON is buried in the Jacksonville East Cemetery along with his wife and their children.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS:
North on North Main to Independence;
East on Independence to Jacksonville East Cemetery

Grierson's plot is in the Northeast Corner of the Cemetery.

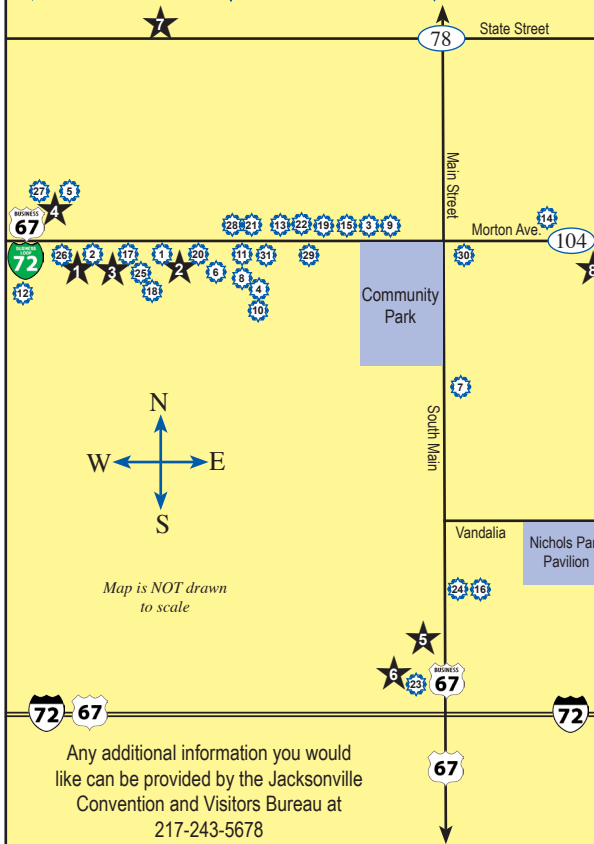
For more information or questions regarding General Grierson Days please contact President Ron Gray at 217-473-4099 or email ronandmarygray@aol.com

AREA LODGINGS

★ 1 Hampton Inn	1725 W. Morton	217-291-0415
★ 2 Super 8 Motel	1003 W. Morton	217-479-0303
★ 3 Country Hearth Inn	1709 W. Morton	217-245-4500
★ 4 StarLite Motel	1910 W. Morton	217-245-7184
★ 5 Comfort Inn	200 Comfort Drive	217-245-8372
★ 6 Holiday Inn Express	2501 Holiday Lane	217-245-6500
★ 7 The Blessing On State B&B	1104 West State	217-245-1013
★ 8 Blackhawk Village Inn	1111 East Morton	217-245-2187

AREA DINING

1 Arbys	12 Grandma Rud's	23 Quiznos
2 Applebees	13 Hardees	24 Reicherts
3 Barney's Pub	14 Jimmy Johns	25 Sczechuan House
4 Best Buffet	15 KFC	26 Sonic
5 BJ's	16 Kottage Kafe	27 Steak N Shake
6 Burger King	17 Long John Silvers	28 Subway
7 Dairy Queen	18 Los Rancheros	29 Taco Bell
8 Dominos	19 McDonalds	30 Three Legged Dog Drive-Thru
9 Donut Place	20 Ponderosa	31 Wendys
10 El Rancherito	21 Papa John's	
11 Family Gardens	22 Pizza Hut	



GENERAL GRIERSON DAYS COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL OF THE PEOPLE & BUSINESSES THAT MAKE THIS WEEKEND POSSIBLE.

Seventeenth Annual General Grierson Civil War Reenactment



June 15-17, 2012
Jacksonville, Illinois
ALL EVENTS ARE FREE
TO THE PUBLIC!

www.griersonsociety.com



General Grierson Days
is on Facebook





- ❖ Wash tubs with wash boards & laundry
- ❖ Clothesline for hanging washed items using peg clothespins
- ❖ Antique drying rack for smaller items
- ❖ Copper boiler & stirring poles to simulate laundry day
- ❖ Wooden buckets to "fetch" water
- ❖ Tin wash basins to clean plates & utensils, with wooden drying rack
- ❖ Brooms for sweeping rugs or a hearth
- ❖ Hanging rugs and wire rug beater
- ❖ Some period clothing will be available for children to play dress-up
- ❖ Reproduction toys of the period will be on display



This area will be for younger children [and their parents]. Depending on size of the area, a certain number will be admitted at one time. Children will have 10-15 minutes, (depending on whether or not others are waiting) to try the different domestic stations. Volunteers in period dress will explain how and why the articles were used. Children will ring a school bell to indicate when it's time for the next group.

We are always looking for volunteers to help out during General Grierson Days. Please contact Ron Gray 217-473-4099 if you are interested in helping out.

General Grierson Days Family Activities

- ❖ Candy Cannon
- ❖ Civil War Grand Ball
- ❖ Demonstrations with Boy Scout Troop 103
- ❖ Fashion Show
- ❖ Free Music in the Park Friday night
- ❖ Kid's Drills
- ❖ Lady's Tea
- ❖ Nondenominational Church Services
- ❖ "PRAIRIE PLAY"
- ❖ Scavenger Hunt
- ❖ Stage Productions
- ❖ 20' Rope Bridge constructed of timber and rope lashings to climb



Veterans Remembered is a Multi-Timeline event that was created to honor veterans and to help raise funds to restore the Civil War monument on the square in Jacksonville, Illinois. This year Veterans Remembered will be coinciding with General Grierson Days.

Time Line Stations include:

- ❖ Civil War
 - ❖ World War I
 - ❖ World War II
 - ❖ Korean War
 - ❖ Vietnam War
 - ❖ 1st Gulf War
 - ❖ Global War on Terrorism.
- ❖ Saturday there will be time line displays set up at Community Park
 - ❖ Look for discounts at participating downtown businesses for Veterans and enactors and other potential activities.
 - ❖ Watch our Facebook page for updates

For more information or questions regarding Veterans Remembered please contact Erik Hack: erikhack@yahoo.com



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