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## 3 Great Experiential Tours for Families this Holiday Season

CAMBRIDGE, OHIO (Oct. 21, 2016) – Experiential tours are all the rage these days. For families looking for a trip that involves and entertains everyone then Cambridge, Ohio is the place to getaway to this holiday season.

This charming small town in southeast Ohio offers three experiential tours that allow you to venture beyond an ordinary tour experience, while being affordable and close to home.

## Three Experiential Family Tours for your bucket list!



- 1. National Museum of Cambridge Glass Experience what it was like to work at the Cambridge Glass Company many years ago. Visitors may watch a vintage film showing glass workers at work in the 1940s. Tour through colorful, sparkling displays led by guides. Kids will love the etching room where they can make a rubbing from an authentic etching plate once used by a company known worldwide for quality. Movies and television programs have used this elegant glass in productions for decades. Find out about the stars that collected the glass and the movies and television shows that also used these beautiful works of art. The museum is beautifully decorated for the season and volunteers and staff are dressed in Victorian attire. If you are looking for a special gift made in Cambridge, Ohio USA, visit the museum gift shop where you will find a variety of jewelry and Christmas decorations made from Cambridge Glass, as well as beautiful handmade pieces of Cambridge Glass. The museum will be open Saturday and Sunday November 5 December 18. 12noon 4pm. To learn more, log onto cambridgeglass.org.
- 2. **The Guernsey County History Museum** 188 year old, restored 16 room home museum, containing antique furnishings, products and personal items from Guernsey County, including a display of an authentic one-room school house and a life like replica of a coal mine from the 1890's. For the holidays, enjoy a Coal Miners & Trains: A Photographic Journey. Tuesdays & Thursdays 4pm-8pm & Saturdays 1pm-8pm November-December. For more information, call 740-439-5884.

3. Dickens Victorian Village – Each holiday season (November 1 through December 31, 2016), the charming historic district of Cambridge, Ohio is transformed into an Old London, Dickens-themed wonderland, comprised of 190 life-size, handmade mannequins in breathtaking scenes from the great author's canon. It's like stepping into a storybook to bear witness to Bob Cratchit and Tiny Tim from A Christmas Carol, a town crier, a bucket brigade, lamplighters, school children, street peddlers and Father Christmas, all posed in active scenes that appear frozen in time. Inside the Dickens Welcome Center is the Imagination Station. This is the perfect stop for a family photo-op! Select the perfect Victorian hat, gloves and cape as you imagine being a Victorian yourself and posing for a picture with Charles Dickens or in front of the spectacular Victorian Christmas tree. For a complete schedule of upcoming events, visit DickensvictorianVillage.com or VisitGuernseyCounty.com.

For more Cambridge/Guernsey County event information, call the VCB office at 740-432-2022, 800-933-5480 or log on to VisitGuernseyCounty.com.

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