

## Guided Tours

Year-round, weather permitting.  
Available weekdays between 8am-3pm.  
Group rate available:  
\$4 per adult \$2 per child.  
(minimum fee of \$30)  
(subject to available staff)

Recommended for adults, mixed-age groups and students 3rd grade or older.  
Guided tours last 60 to 90 minutes, depending on the age and size of the group. **Reservations are required.**  
Tours available for Thornhill OR the Faust Historic Village.

## Scout Tours

Subject to available staff:  
Available weekdays between 8am-3pm.  
\$4 per adult \$2 per child.  
(minimum fee of \$30)  
(Programs must start by 3:30 pm)

Tours are offered for scout groups to fulfill badge and achievement requirements. These tours are recommended for scouts, grade 3 and up.  
Tours of Faust Historic Village can be customized to cover specific badge requirements. Tours last an hour or more, depending on the age and interests of the group. **Reservations are required.**

**Questions about a program?  
Call Faust Park at (314) 615-8328**

## Reservations

To make reservations call 314-615-8328 or email LRitchey@stlouisco.com. Programs have limited availability, and are booked on a first come, first served basis. If you reach our voice-mail system, please leave a detailed message for the secretary or program coordinator, and we will return your call.

## Cancellations and penalties

We rarely cancel due to weather. However if necessary, we will try to reschedule. If you need to cancel, please call 314-615-8328 and leave a message. Most of our programs require extensive set-up, so 24 hours notice on cancellations is essential. Changes and cancellations are subject to \$20 change fee. No refunds are allowed within 14 days of program.

## Accessibility

Programs outlined in this flyer are adaptable for people of all abilities. Please let us know when making your reservation if there is an accommodation that would make the program accessible to you or someone in your group. For hearing impaired, call 800-735-2966 (Relay Missouri).

<http://www.stlouisco.com/ParksandRecreation/ParkPages/Faust>



Thornhill c. 1815-1819

# Faust Park Educational Programs

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## **Thornhill: The Home of Missouri's Second Governor**

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### **Farmsteading at Thornhill 4 hour (half day)**

Offered Select Tuesdays and Wednesdays  
Spring and Fall Grades 3-6  
(complements Grade 4 GLE Missouri History)  
Groups up to 30 students \$120, Groups up to  
maximum 40 students \$160.

Registration for Fall begins March 1st and for  
Spring on August 1st.

**Program can not handle more than  
40 children.**

Farmsteading focuses on the Louisiana Purchase and early Missouri History from the time of Frederick Bates' arrival in 1807 to his death in 1825. As a territorial official, Bates was instrumental in governing the newly acquired territory and after Missouri became a state, he served as its second Governor.

The daily activities of the household are discussed with an emphasis on the differences in the pace of living, necessity of frugal living, and the role of children. The role of slavery at Thornhill is also discussed.

This program allows students to experience life in a time before modern technology. They will examine the construction and use of the barn, home, and summer kitchen; try their hands at daily chores such as carrying wood and water and churning butter. Activities may also include splitting rails and dipping candles.

## **Thornhill on the Frontier**

### **2 hour**

Offered select Thursdays and Fridays,  
Spring and Fall, Grades 3-8.  
Groups up to 35 students \$89,  
Groups 36 to 50 students \$125.

Programs include one hands-on activity.

By touring the Bates home and outbuildings, students focus on the Louisiana Purchase and early Missouri History from the time of Frederick Bates' arrival in 1807 to his death in 1825.

They also are introduced to daily 19th century labors, such as farm chores, cooking, and processing fibers into fabric. Emphasized in this program is the difference in the pace of living, necessity of frugal living and the role of children in the running of a farm. The role of slavery at Thornhill is also discussed.

## **Life on the Frontier**

### **2 hour**

Offered select Thursdays and Fridays,  
Spring and Fall, Grades K-2.  
Groups up to 35 students \$89.

Our newest program offered is this two-hour, hands on program is designed for Kindergarten through Grade 2 and can also be modified for special needs classes.

With this program students will learn through hands on activities what their life would have been like in the 1800's living in the Louisiana Territory where they were expected to contribute to the survival of their family.

## **Faust Historic Village**

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Offered select Thursdays and Fridays,  
Spring and Fall  
Grades 4-8

In the Historic Village, we address lifestyles of the mid-1800s. By touring the exterior and interior of homes & buildings collected from St. Louis County, students learn local pioneer history. Topics discussed are immigration, slavery, entertaining, cooking, home construction, blacksmithing, gardening, and other aspects of everyday life.

### **This program has two options:**

#### **Frontier Homes—2 hours**

With this option your students will take part in 1 hands-on activity: candle dipping, cross-cut saw, or peg making.

**Groups up to 35 students \$89.**

**Groups up to 50 students \$125.**

#### **The Passage West—2 1/2 hours**

With this option your students will get to take part in 2 hands-on activities: churn butter, cross-cut saw, or candle dipping.

**Groups up to 30 students \$105.**

**Groups up to 40 students \$140.**



*Thornhill*



*View of Faust  
Historic Village*