SELF-GUIDED TOUR

## HAR-BER VILLAGE.

ON GRAND LAKE O' THE CHEROKEES IN GROVE, OKLAHOMA





OPEN DAILY:
March 1 - October 14
Mon. - Sat.:
9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Sunday:
12:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Oct. 15 - Nov. 15
Mon. - Sat.:
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday:
12:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Admission Office Gate
Closes 1-hr. before
closing time.
ALL GATES LOCKED
AT DESIGNATED
CLOSING TIME.

You are welcome as long as you conduct yourselves as ladies and gentlemen.
(Wheelchairs available at building #48)

ADMISSION FEES\*, INCLUDING TAX:

\$ 3.50

14 yrs. - 62 yrs.

\$ 2.50

Seniors 62+

\$10.00

Season Pass (Admit One)

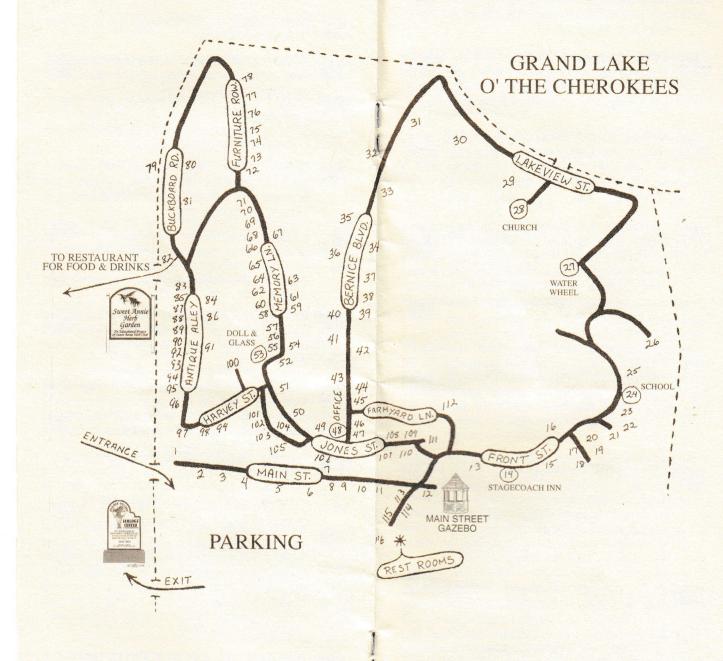
Children under 14 yrs. are FREE Group Tours (10 or more): 10% Discount

School Sponsored Tours (K-College): FREE

Har-Ber Village: 4404 W. 20th St. - Grove, OK 74344 (918) 786-6446

E-Mail: harbervil@aol.com Website: www.har-bervillage.com \*All prices subject to change without notice.

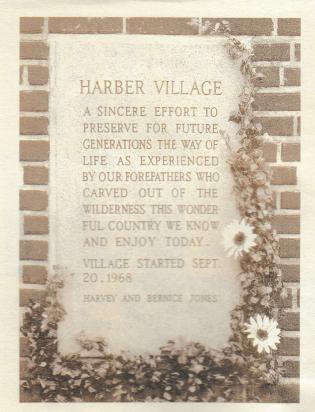
BELL RINGS 15 MINUTES BEFORE CLOSING TIME.



Please keep grounds and restroom clean.

NO PICNICKING
ALLOWED IN ANY GROUNDS AREA.

Smoking is prohibited within The Village, but is allowed in the parking lot and designated area near the public restrooms.









Harvey Jones 1900 - 1989

s you begin your self-guided tour of Har-Ber Village take time to enjoy the thousands of things to be seen as you follow the arrows from building to building — as you move along, look for things of interest outside the buildings. The impressive stained glass picture of Christ; the beautiful view of Grand Lake O' The Cherokees; the old watering trough handmade from a single huge sand rock; the windmill; pools where water lilies bloom and goldfish play; the music of the wind chimes on a breezy day and much, much more.

## Detailed map of Har-Ber Village in the center of this booklet.

- TWO SECTIONS: One has a smoking pipe collection with over 600 pipes, plain and fancy. The other has a collection of railroad articles.
- \*Detail narrative of GRDA/Antique Barbed Wire exhibit at Bldg. #99.
- MAYOR'S HOME: This is the oldest log house we have torn down and rebuilt. The old house was fastened together with wooden pegs. Between the cracks in the logs the builders used thin rock and red clay. This was known as chinking.
- FURNITURE HOUSE: Notice the size of the beds in this house. The bedspread with the date 1831 woven into the design was hand woven and is on a solid rosewood handmade bed.
- MUSIC HOUSE: Musical instruments include unusual music boxes, nickleodeons, Belle Starr's piano, a treadle pipe organ, hand organs (accordians), a very rare flat top player piano, all kinds of string instruments and a Spanish Organillo made in Barcelona, Spain in 1895.
- PRINT SHOP: Hand and foot operated equipment and other old-time print shop items. Part from the Maud Duncan Museum at Winslow, Arkansas and part from the Grove Sun at Grove, Oklahoma. Note the arrowhead collection.
- A.J. KENNAN JEWELRY STORE: In this combination shop the early day jeweler not only mastered the art of watch and clock repair and engraving, but learned to fit eye glasses. Please notice the hand carved Cathedral clock displayed.
- ANTIQUES: This is the collection of unusual Early American articles dating back to the 1800's.
- HANGING GALLOWS: Replica of the structure used in the early days of Ft. Smith, Arkansas as hanging gallows. Notice the 13 steps, also the hanging ropes with 13 twists.
- HARVEY AND BERNICE JONES' BUILD-ING: Mementos from the lives of Harvey and Bernice Jones who created this exhibit and Har-Ber Village, to be enjoyed by everyone. Also a collection of artwork.
- JAIL: This is part of an original jail used many years ago to house lawbreakers of all kinds. Notice bank robber in cell. The jail cell is from early 1900's from Springdale, Arkansas city jail.

- COURTHOUSE: A typical courthouse of a century ago. The pictures are of Judge Parker, a Federal Judge for many years at Ft. Smith, Arkansas. Lumber from an old barn at Springdale, Arkansas was used to make the furnishings. Some of the books were published in the 1800's. The books and other mementos belonged to Federal Judge John Miller who served as Judge of the Court for 40 years, in Ft. Smith, Arkansas. You may enjoy viewing the video of Har-Ber Village on display in this building.
- FURNITURE HOUSE: Furnished completely with antiques, including unusual pieces such as the Bird's Eye Maple dining room table, the bed with the hidden treasure safe, the favorite chair of Alfalfa Bill Murrey (former Governor of Oklahoma), crystal and Quezal chandeliers, music boxes and also, a 1700's dinner set.
  - MAIN STREET GAZEBO for visitor relaxation and anounced season activities.
- DINING ROOM: So realistic is the replica of a favorite eating place of a century ago, one can almost smell the food. The large collection of Tea Leaf Lustre Ironstone was made in the 1800's by several firms and collected a few at a time to make this display. Notice the table settings with wooden handled knives and forks. Most cooking utensils are of brass.
- STAGECOACH INN: The figure of the pianist and the pretty girl beside him, along with the music, take you back to an era of the past. Original and old equipment, including the bar and luggage, were gathered from six states. Notice the steins and bottles.
- NATIVE AMERICAN MUSEUM: The artifacts found here were gathered from various states. Note the paintings, arrowheads displayed and the many articles used by different tribes of Native Americans. Please read the framed explanation (next to glass window) that explains how the pottery was found and restored. The Native American Art Gallery features exhibits and interpretations focusing on Native American contributions of art and material culture. Exhibits include paintings of Alex Davis, Acee Blue Eagle, Woodrow "Woody" Crumbo and the five world renowned Native American Ballerinas, Moscelyne Larkin, Yvonne Chouteau, Rosella Hightower and Maria and Marjorie Tallcheif.
- BELL TOWER: Please read the inscription on bell tower. This will give you information about the building of the Village, the date it was started and our reason for building it.

- POST OFFICE: The fixtures were used in the post office of Aurora, Arkansas for many years. Reward posters were displayed in this fashion at all post offices. Note "thank you" postcards from Springdale, AR students for band trips sponsored by Harvey & Bernice Jones.
- DENTIST OFFICE: The foot operated treadle drill and bellows actually work. Instrument cabinet with marble top is made of African mahogany and is from the office of Dr. Leonard Y. Jones, Twin Falls, Idaho. Other equipment was found in various parts of Northwest Arkansas, as well as from Dr. Jones' office.
- DOCTOR'S HOME: Living quarters for country doctor most of the time were part of the office. This arrangement made it convenient for doctor's wife to serve as nurse as well as housewife.
- DOCTOR'S OFFICE: Note portable operating table which the doctor carried in his buggy and set up in patient's home when necessary. Light for operations was furnished by someone holding kerosene lamp. The old instruments were used by Dr. C. P. Sisco and Dr. Duncan.
- DRUG STORE: Soda fountain and prescription case were part of an old drug store at Pettigrew, Arkansas. Most of the medicine bottles and prescriptions hanging on the case came from the drug store and are very old.
- BARBER SHOP: The shop is so real you can almost hear the quartet singing. Note collection of straight razors and shaving mugs. Fancy barber chair and shine chair are antiques.
- LOWERY LOG HOUSE: Over 100 years old from Lowery farm east of Jay, Oklahoma.
- HAR-BER VILLAGE SCHOOL: This one room schoolhouse came from five miles north of Goshen, Arkansas and was known as the Mt. Home School. Desks were found in attic when it was being torn down to be moved to the present location. Blackboard is the original one used long ago.
- BANK: This bank was a victim of the Great Depression of 1929. Bank fixtures are of solid mahogany and came from Carterville, Missouri. They remained in the same building from time of purchase in 1902 until moved to Har-Ber Village in 1970. The old clock was used in First National Bank of Springdale, Arkansas in 1894.
- **26 LOG CABIN:** A one room efficiency log cabin of the 1800's, with furniture of that period. Floor and ceiling are part of the old Van Winkle House near War Eagle Mills, Arkansas.

- WATERWHEEL: The old time waterwheel was designed and built by Jones Truck Lines, Springdale, Arkansas. It is made of redwood lumber. The flume is copper and cedar.
- HAR-BER VILLAGE CHURCH: This church was built as a place of worship and marked the beginning of Har-Ber Village having been built in 1968. The bricks in the church were handmade before the Civil War for three huge fireplaces in the old Van Winkle Home. The pulpit came from Zion Methodist Church, built in 1850, six miles Southeast of Springdale, Arkansas. The colored glass windows were made in Ft. Smith, Arkansas especially for the church.
- STATUE OF CHRIST: This impressive statue of Christ, carved in white marble in Italy, is 10 feet high. It faces the broad deep waters of Grand Lake O' The Cherokees, and with outstretched arms welcomes all who will come to Him.
- LOG CABIN: This cabin, built in 1840, was torn down and moved to this site in 1968. Note solid cherry trundle bed to be pulled out at night for children. Fireplace is original and was moved along with logs. Original bench seat on front porch has been reconstructed.
- DRESS AND HAT SHOP: Many of the beautiful things in this building were given by friends of the Village who want their family treasures preserved and enjoyed by others who come to the Har-Ber Village.
- LOG CABIN: Notice the fine furnishings, especially the beautiful washstand dated in 1853.
- THE ROARING TWENTIES: A period in history all its own, a decade of change in all phases of American life; politics, customs, fashions and economy. Our displays show some of the fashion of those years. Remember the flapper with her short dresses, bobbed hair, lipstick and rouge? The things you see here should bring memories to many people.
- THE BEGINNING OF STORYBOOK LANE: Little Red Riding Hood on her way to Grandma's house and the wolf watching.
- HAT AND DRESS SHOP: Clothes similar to these displayed were made in this type of shop. Note quality and style of the clothing, hats and shoes.

- SNOW WHITE and the seven dwarfs. Can you name them? Notice the many elfs.
- **DRESS SHOP:** Containing hats, coats and dresses from the last 80 years.
- OPHTHALMOLOGY BUILDING: Equipment used in Practice of Ophthalmology in the 1930's.
- DENTIST OFFICE: Instruments and furniture came from the office of Dr. I.L. Halterman, Grove, Oklahoma and includes vulcanizer for making rubber dentures.
- HARNESS AND SHOE SHOP: This combination shop made and repaired shoes for people and harnesses for horses and mules. Equipment is more than 100 years old.
- LITTLE CHURCH: Complete in every way. Preacher, choir, worshippers, both adult and children. All are hickory nut head dolls dressed for the occasion. The building of cedar has stained glass windows and copper bell tower.
- LOG CABIN: This cabin is built of round pine logs and furnished with brass bed, old cupboard and many other pretty things to make the home attractive.
- LOG CABIN: Another type of log cabin of the early days. The pie safe in this cabin is dated 1885. Other things of interest include unusual lamp, antique churn and brass bed.
- OZARK MOUNTAIN STILL: The two copper "stills" are typical of those used in making corn whiskey. When it was distilled it was stored in stone jugs such as the ones displayed here.
- LOFT CABIN: This cabin is from the Boston Mountains in Arkansas and was rebuilt as we found it. Notice furnishings in the cabin, plus the fireplace inside and outside. The man asleep in the loft with his foot hanging over edge of bed and Uncle Ned in his chair with his Bible, are both typical mountain men of that day. Uncle Ned's barn is behind the cabin.
- HAR-BER VILLAGE MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY: Most of the specimens were donated from private collections. The natural habitats of most of these animals is Canada and Alaska. A few from other locations. You will find more detailed information in the exhibit rooms.
- CLOWNS: Many made of porcelain, ceramic, pewter, stuffed, and metal clowns with marble bases.

- INFORMATION OFFICE: (Not Open to Public.) This is used as a business office by day and headquarters for security officer and police dogs at night.
- CIVIL WAR BUILDING: Most of the weapons exhibited here were of the Civil War era; muzzle loading guns, cannon balls, swords, pistols, powder flask. Note uniforms of blue and gray.
- HOUSE OF POTTERY: In this building are displays of many types of pottery, Roseville, Weller, McCoy, Hull, Van Briggle and others. Plus a collection of old trunks and notable newspaper articles.
- GENERAL ANTIQUES: This building contains articles gathered from far and wide. Old looms, spinning wheels, flax wheel, and sewing machines used to make clothing and other household articles of the early settlers. Plus a collection of brass, copper, and silver items from America and many countries.
- **DR. MOCK AND DR. JEFF BAGGETT OFFICE:** These are original furnishings of Dr. Will H. Mock of Prairie Grove, Arkansas and all equipment was used by him. He was known far and wide as Mr. Prairie Grove. Dr. Baggett, his associate, is a native son and resident of Prairie Grove.
- DOLL AND GLASS HOUSE: These are 19th and 20th century dolls from various countries. Over 100 dolls wear clothes designed and handmade by Helen Scarborough, a Springdale beautician. Dishes were bought a few at a time from collectors and auction sales, including Cut Glass, Flow Blue, Tiffany, and Mary Gregory.
- MILK GLASS; LAP ROBES; QUILTS: Milk glass was made by adding oxide of tin to clear glass and was used as a substitute for porcelain. It has been made in many shapes in this country and abroad from about the first quarter of last century. This collection is old milk glass, which is being reproduced today. The lap robes and quilts are also from yesteryear.
- MINERAL COLLECTION: Our planet earth consists of 92 elements, a few of which are shown here in crystal form, crafted by mother nature over a period of millions of years. Also a collection of sea shells.

- BOY AND GIRL SCOUT DISPLAY: This display has a large collection of Scout mugs, scarves and patches. Also the oldest boy and girl scout uniforms.
- BARBED WIRE: Played a very important role in the history of our nation. This is a collection of different types made and used in the last century.

  BLDG. #99 exhibits an extensive Antique Barbed Wire collection.
- STONEWARE AND GRANITEWARE: In the collection of old canning jars you will see some of the oldest stoneware made. The graniteware was made in several colors and used to make various utensils used in most homes. Also view the basket collection.
- PHOTOGRAPHY: This display contains flash, studio, and view cameras, dating from the late 1800's. Observe the Edison fuel oil lantern projector and ruby lanterns used in the dark room.
- THE CHAIR ROOM: A varied assortment of chairs, different woods, styles and periods, ornate and plain, rocking chairs, arm chairs, side chairs, even "potty chairs" as shown in this collection.
- PITCHERS AND BUTTER DISHES: A beautiful collection of pitchers. Many patterns and colors in old Pressed Glass, Custard Glass, Cut Glass, Carnival and China Pitchers. Also many different butter dishes.
- BEAUTY SHOP: Before beauty shops became popular in the early 1900's, women used old fashioned curling irons or newer Marcel iron to style their hair. The spiral permanent wave machine for longer hair was invented in 1905 and the Croquignole machine in 1926 when short hair became popular.
- MILITARY BUILDING: In this collection are uniforms from Civil War, Spanish-American, different branches of our military from World War I, 1914-1918, World War II, Korean War, Vietnam War and Desert Storm. Pictures, newspaper headlines, maps, magazines, guns and items we have been able to collect. We are indebted to many people for this display.
- BLUE AND WHITE POTTERY: This display includes a variety of articles made in the late 1800's. Most of this stoneware was molded rather than hand thrown by the potters wheel. Note the wide selection of bowls, pitchers, crocks, water jugs, drinking fountain, etc., decorated with many different designs.

- Ohio in the late 30's and 40's. This Corn King or Corn Queen line was the most popular ware made by them. It was discontinued about 1945.
- **66 LAMPS:** This collection of kerosene lamps date from early 1800 and up to the electric age. Notice different styles, shapes and colors.
- **FANCY DRESSES AND ACCESSORIES:** In this building you will see many beautiful things including several wedding dresses, hats, capes, etc.
- **PITCHERS AND BASINS, ETC.:** This display includes a collection of pitchers and basins, and other items used in the pioneer days.
- **G9** CHILDREN'S CHAIRS AND CRADLES: All were used in by-gone days. Some high chairs make strollers, rockers and are adjustable. Note high chair that can be a potty chair.
- MILLINERY SHOP: In this shop you will find most things needed to make and wear hats. A good collection of hat pins and hats.
- CHILDREN'S CLOTHING: Notice different articles of wearing apparel for children.
- BEDROOM: This solid wild cherry furniture was handmade by G.R. (Pop) Duncan, longtime employee of Jones Truck Lines, in 1939 for Harvey and Bernice Jones, and we want to share this workmanship with you.
- PERSONAL COLLECTIONS, ETC.: On your left you will see collections of salt and pepper, cuff links, banks and marbles, chickens, Christmas ornaments and wood carvings.
- PARLOR: In early days this special occasion room was called the "parlor". This velvet covered furniture is typical of that era.
- BEDROOM: This solid mahogany furniture was made in France about 1870.
- THE BRASS BEDROOM: Beautiful brass bed and brass accessories, tables, stoves, hall tree, etc. Take time to enjoy it.
- WICKER ROOM: Wicker is something that is woven, mostly from rattan which includes cane, wild grasses, willow, bamboo, etc. It has been used in making many things from cradles to hearses. We know it best as wicker furniture and dates from 2600 B.C. to the present time. Fine wicker pieces were found in King Tut's tomb. Wicker came to America on the Mayflower as a cradle. Our most popular era for wicker was in the 1800's. Before 1850, most was imported from England. By 1860 it was being made in the U.S.A. Note the wicker banjo chair.

- FORMAL DINING ROOM: Furnished with carved solid oak furniture from early 1900's, the room, like the parlor, was probably used only when company came.
- **KITCHEN:** Typical late 1800's or early 1900's kitchen complete with wood stove, kitchen cabinet, pie safe, icebox, table and chairs for family meals, cooking pots and pans; even a "wash-up place" with bucket and basin.
- WAGONS, BUGGIES, AND HACKS: Horsedrawn equipment, saddles and harnesses.
- HUBER LOGUE BUILDING: The antiques on display donated by the late Huber Logue, Grove, Oklahoma, include an assortment of fine furniture and furnishings and unique post cards of yester-year.
- **WAGONS:** This building houses a Springfield wagon, the type used by Mr. Harvey Jones when he began his freight business more than half a century ago.
- **MACHINERY SHED:** Contains hayrack, grain binder, 1918 kerosene tractor, Canada hay sled, original Jones Truck Lines fork lift, dog churn, block mold and steam engine over 100 years old.



THE SWEET ANNIE HERB GARDEN AND PRESENTATION AREA invites visitors to the mystical world of herbs.

- ODDS AND ENDS: This room is filled with unusual things, a large blacksmith bellows, salesman samples and a variety of seeders.
- PIONEER HOME: This log house was built with a loft for extra room and a ladder on the wall for stairway. It has a typical stone fireplace, an iron bed and other furnishings to complete the cabin.
- TOYS: The subject covers a wide variety of playthings for children of past eras. The earliest ones were made of wood; later cast iron was used for all kinds of toys. Notice the 1890's bicycle.
- **86** STOVES AND ACCESSORIES: Including one of the oldest electric ranges.
- ODDS AND ENDS: More unusual and old items used in earlier days, include coffee mills, hog oilers, sausage grinders and gut stuffers.
- ODDS AND ENDS: Contains many useful household items, ice box, hot water cooker, grinders, ice shaver, plus many other unusual gadgets.

- COLLECTION OF WOODEN CARPENTER TOOLS: Levels, mallets, saws, planes, vises, etc.
- **WOODEN ARTICLES:** Notice all the utensils made of wood: bowls, buckets, boxes, and many other items used in pioneer homes.
- TOOL COLLECTION: Extensive tool collection, donated by the late James E. Roe, Grove, OK, representing a lifetime of woodworking tools collected. Unique tools donated by Marvin Larson.
- **92** BLACK IRON COLLECTION: So many things were made of iron, and here you will find many of them. Notice the old hot water heater, cheese slicer, coffee mills, scales, corn grinders, etc.
- CHURNS: In this building are many types of churns, large and small.
- AVON COSMETIC COLLECTION: These pieces collected from 1940 through the eighties. There are 2,500 pieces.
- MILKING MACHINES: Farm dairy milk and butter processing equipment used at Durant, Oklahoma from 1930 through 1950. The churn holds 100 gallons. Notice the 1892 churn and the 1878 cheese worker. Also a chicken collection.
- **96** GRISTMILLS: Plus water ram and pumps, broom maker, 1836 corn mill, etc.
- FURNITURE AND DISH HOUSE: Another beautiful display of many kinds and colors in glass and china including a large collection of Belleek and depression glass. Also some very fine pieces of furniture and accessories to complete the display.
- FARM MACHINERY: You will notice farm machinery scattered over a large section of the museum as there wasn't room for all of it in any one place. The machinery displayed here came mostly from Arkansas, Missouri and Oklahoma. Be sure to see the two threshing machines, rakes, hay balers powered by horses and all kinds of plows used in early days by farmers.
- GRDA (Grand River Dam Authority): A pictorial, narrative history of the creation of the Pensacola Dam and Grand Lake O'The Cheokees, and the story of the pioneering determination of the people to obtain electrical power in the 1930s.

ANTIQUE BARBED WIRE: This dramatic collection of barbed wire exhibits its development and change from the early American west to wide spread use today. Donated by Dr. James Elliott, retired Professor of Agriculture, Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas.

- DISH AND DOLL HOUSE #2: In this exhibit you will find a fine collection of many patterns and colors of Carnival glass. Also many old pieces in Pattern glass, Heisey and Goofus glass. Our storybook dolls and most 20th Century dolls are here.
- 101) INSULATOR COLLECTION
- stagecoaches, notice the two horse drawn hearse with coffins and original curtains. The closed carriages came from different places; two from England, one is dated 1837, one was supposed to have been used by the wife of Andrew Jackson, seventh president. Don't miss the old, old fire engine.
- SPECIAL ROOM FOR SPECIAL THINGS: Horse powered treadmill and replica of turn-of-the-century horse drawn rural mail delivery carriage from Springdale, AR. These carriages originally sold in 1990s for \$40.00.
- PRAIRIE SCHOONER: The pioneers traveled by wagon trains made up of oxcarts, covered wagons and prairie schooners such as the one shown here. These prairie schooners, drawn by four or six horses, were perfectly suited for 19th century travel. They were well built and were used to carry the family and their possessions to a new land. They were used for freight wagons when the long journey was over.
- STEAM ENGINES: Here you have two very, very old steam engines; one was used to power a large sawmill at Prairie Grove, Arkansas. Notice the sign on it. The other was used to power a barrel stave mill at Pocahontas, Arkansas.
- **GLASS AND CHINA:** A collection of pattern and art glass. Also some beautiful pieces of china and syrup pitchers. Look them over.
- BLACKSMITH SHOP: This is a typical blacksmith shop of the 1800's fully equipped with the things blacksmiths would need to begin work.
- SWABY COLLECTION: A beautiful collection of game and fish plates. A large collection of walking canes, old radios and battery operated toys.
- MERCANTILE ANNEX: Another showroom for Har-Ber Village mercantile store which is just ahead. The merchandise from here was used by early settlers. Take time to study the display. Be sure to visit the old mercantile store.

- WASHING MACHINE SHED: Almost every type of washing machine can be found in this display. Also cream separators and coffee mill, along with other appliances and hand tools used in early days. Notice the bathtub and hot water system, and chicken incubator.
- HAR-BER VILLAGE MERCANTILE: A replica of a general store with many different items that were for sale in old-time stores. You can look at this display a long time and not see it all.
- LAW OFFICE: Complete with law books and ancient Oliver typewriter and wood stove. Notice front door it is over 100 years old.
- 113 FUTURE TELEPHONE BOOTH PROJECT
- BRICK DISPLAY: Bricks from 50 states and several foreign countries.
- MORE: Apple slicer, lard press, Jack corn sheller, etc.
- RESTROOMS: Drinking fountain and public restrooms are on the parking lot.

PLEASE KEEP GROUNDS AND RESTROOMS CLEAN.
SMOKING IS PROHIBITED IN THE VILLAGE.
NO PICNICKING IN ANY GROUND AREAS.



Har-Ber Village
Ecology Center
and scenic nature trail
adjacent to Village.
Inquire at office.

