



Save The Date!

**Missouri's HIKE Committee
invites you to the annual
Lincoln-Truman HIKE
Missouri and Illinois Job's Daughters**

Saturday, September 21, 2019

Jefferson Barracks Park

St. Louis County MO

***Registration Begins at 10 a.m.**

***HIKE Walk at 11 a.m.**

***Lunch and awards to follow**

(\$5 donation to HIKE!)

**After lunch a special event in the historical park is
planned, so plan to stay around!!**

Jefferson Barracks County Park is a 1,702-acre park located on a scenic bluff overlooking the Mississippi River on the site of what once was a major U.S. Army installation. Jefferson Barracks played a significant role in U. S. history for 120 years. Established in 1826, it was the country's first "Infantry School of Practice" and served as the primary training and gathering place for the Army of the West. Jefferson Barracks replaced Fort Belle Fontaine, the first U.S. Army installation west of the Mississippi River, which suffered from repeated flooding because of its location on the Missouri River. Jefferson Barracks was named in honor of President Thomas Jefferson, who had died on the Fourth of July of the year the post was established.

Directions to Jefferson Barracks Park:

I-255 to MO-231 N Telegraph Rd—becomes Kingston Rd to S Broadway
(Use the left 2 lanes to turn left onto MO-231 N/Telegraph Rd)

[Continue to follow MO-231 N](#)

[Pass by Advance Auto Parts \(on the right in 0.7 mi\)](#)

Continue on S Broadway take to Gregg Rd, Turn right

Black Hawk Shelter is on Gregg Road with parking and restrooms near the shelter.