

Brownies

To earn the patch, you must do 3 out of the 5 activities.
You must complete number one and at least one of the starred activities.

⇒ 1. House Tour for Sure!

Take the tour of the Locust Grove house. When the tour is over, answer the following questions.

Q. What was your favorite room inside the house?

A. _____

Q. What was one historical object in the house you remember from the tour?

A. _____

☆ 2. In the Museum

Visit the museum. On one wall, towards the end of the exhibit, a time line is shown of a typical day for the people who lived at Locust Grove. Fill in the blanks below by finding the answers in the time line.

During the time of the Croghans, people did not have electricity. Everyone worked by the light of the sun. When the first rays of light appeared, the family _____ up.

The slaves who lived at Locust Grove had to do lots of chores and help William and Lucy. A slave girl, Hannah, helped Lucy watch the young Croghan children. Hannah was a young girl to have all those responsibilities. How old was she during the year shown on the time line?

Children did not have to go to school like you do today. Some children only helped their parents on the farm, but Ann and Eliza did become educated. Where did the two girls study? in their _____

Families used to eat meat that came from the woods around their farms. What kind of animal did the boys, John, George, William, and the slave Isaac, often catch for dinner?

The Croghan family had a special meal to honor _____
_____. He was a great man who led soldiers in war. He helped free our country from England and he founded this city, Louisville!

Today we go to the store to buy new clothes. The Croghans, as well as other families, made their own. The slaves helped too. Look for the thimbles, the metal bone, and the _____ that were dug up here at Locust Grove.

Slaves had to get milk and _____ it until it became butter. It was a long process if you wanted to have butter on your bread. Practice with the churner in front of you.

Soon after supper, it was time for bed. Good night!



3. Scavenger Hunt

The Croghan's property had many acres, plants, and buildings. The main building where the family lived is _____ .

This second building is where the slaves cooked and prepared all the meals. Inside this structure is a very large fire place. The building is not attached to the house in case it caught on fire. There are many herbs hanging from the ceiling. This building is the _____ .

There is another building, next to the Slave's Quarters, with a trough on the left wall, a big fire pit in the center, and meats hanging from above. A slave's job in here would be to preserve meats. This building is also the only original outbuilding left standing. It is the _____ .

Another building with a floor so deep,
Just look down, don't take a leap.
It stores some water in a solid form,
And please, trust me, it's far from warm.

This building is the _____ .

Here is an outbuilding that is near a running body of water, called a _____ . Cold water was taken from there and was used to keep many food items cool and fresh. This building serves as a refrigerator.

This building is the _____ .

This building is where milk was made into cream, butter, and cheese. It's called the _____ . It had very narrow windows to help keep the sun out and keep the building _____ .

4. Art Work or Detective Time

With colored pencils, crayons, or markers, color a picture of Locust Grove. Or, get your pencils out and look for Croghan and Clark family members' names in a word search in your packet. You can choose either one, but remember to have lots of fun!

5. Drama Skit

Pick a spot at Locust Grove and create a skit. Your troop can make one all together or split into groups to create skits. Pretend you are a Croghan, a Clark, or a slave and act out a scene that might have happened. The action can take place in or next to one of the outbuildings, on the back porch of the house, or in one of the grassy areas. Practice makes perfect, so run through it at least once. When you are ready, perform in front of other girls in your troop, leaders, and/or parents. Be creative!

W I L L I A M C R O G H A N L A M N
 A I J K L N I M O N E R T I U S Q P
 B V L A D N X C F Z O H G C E Y B W
 E R Q L H P E I O X R V J H D L O M
 D U G W I S V Y A B G E O O R G E H
 M E R H J A R L W P E U Q L X C I R
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 N B I R Y H G J E F W D J S G U L S
 D L U C Y C L A R K C R O G H A N D
 C T P Q F J Y S Z C F K H T Z T K P
 E A Z H K T K F D I L Z N B G J O T
 F V M C H A R L E S E Y C V M A L J
 D S J X C H A R N F V I M X B O Z U
 G E O R G E R O G E R S C L A R K Q
 H I M O K E L I Z A B E T H L P N J

There were many members of the Clark and Croghan family who lived at Locust Grove. Can you find all of their names above?

William Croghan

Ann

Lucy Clark Croghan

Elizabeth

John

Nicholas

George

Edmund

William Jr.

George Rogers Clark

Charles