

Know your heritage, grow your heritage!

When complete the Montevallo African-American Heritage Trail will highlight locations throughout town that are of historical significance to our African-American population . Visitors and residents will travel this trail frequently celebrating the accomplishments of our African-American ancestors, remembering significant events and appreciating the progress that has been made throughout our history.

Do you know of a location significant in Montevallo's African-American history? If so, provide us with: location, historical description, photos if available, and our contact information.



Early Main Street Montevallo,

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Montevallo's African- American Heritage Trail

Bicentennial Launching

- ∇ Important historical landmarks throughout the city

- ∇ History of the African-American Community

- ∇ Involvement of local, artists, historians and citizens





George S. Dailey Park, Selma Road, Montevallo, AL

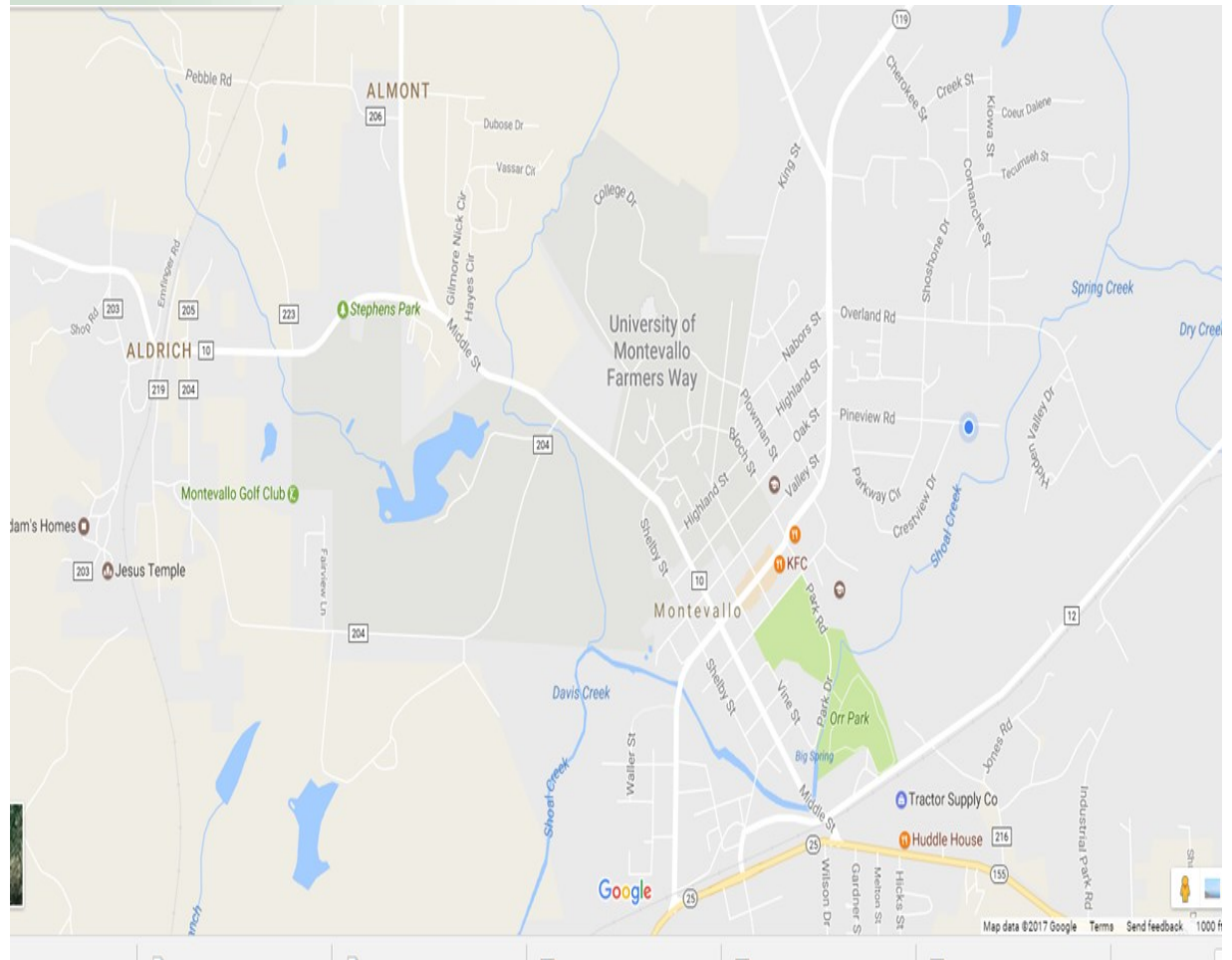
Highlights

Following are a few locations that members of the Montevallo African-American Heritage Trail committee have identified as being significant in Montevallo's history. The expectation is that this will be an evolving process, with new locations added throughout time. It is the intent of the committee that we embrace and celebrate all aspects of Montevallo's history, allowing this trail to highlight our united and inclusive community.

- Prentice High School
- George Dailey Park
- Almont Park
- Orr Park Swimming Hole
- Aldrich Coal Miners Old Camp
- Ward Chapel Cornerstone
- Masonic Lodge-Prince Hall

Make Your Mark!

We need YOU to identify key areas in Montevallo and the surrounding area that are significant to African-American History! In order to make this project a success, citizens must provide input and support our committee.



Map of Montevallo and surrounding area.