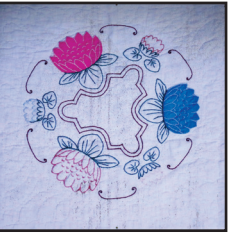


1. 404 Lake Street



Roscommon

**Roscommon Area Historical Society**  
The original **Water Lily** quilt, made by Ella Gallimore prior to 1935, is on display in the Gallimore Boarding House that she and her husband James ran from 1904-1931. The quilt block is on the Silsby/Jacobson building. The historic home, Richardson School and building are open Fri.-Sat., 12- 4 from Memorial Day—Sept. 30. Free admission.

2. 115 Clyde Street



Roscommon

**Home of Carol and Tom Koscinski**  
Carol designed this quilt block for her husband Tom. The Mariner's Compass represents his love of sailing and the RV9 is the plane he built and flew. It brightly reflects Carol's love of color. Take a walk to the back of the property to see it.

3. 6203 W. Houghton Lake Dr.



Houghton Lake

**Becky's Best Sewing Machines**  
This block represents Becky's business. At Becky's Best Sewing Machines they sell and service sewing machines, and give free lessons. They hold classes such as quilting, embroidery, crafting, and home décor. Becky started her own business in 2019 but her experience started in 1998. Stop in for a free demonstration.

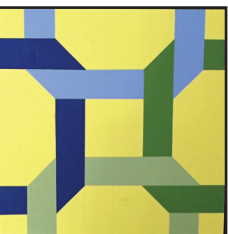
4. 102 Chickasaw Trail



Prudenville

**Home of Pat & Denny Kiroff**  
The **Tree of Life** quilt pattern is one of Pat Kiroff's favorites. It was the first quilt she made as a child. The seven trees have extra meaning as each one represents a member of the Kiroff family

5. 709 Lake Street



Roscommon

**Michigan Warm Hugs Quilts**  
The **Celtic Twist** is a reflection of the owners Dan and Cecilia Scow's Irish heritage as well as Roscommon's connection to Ireland. The simple colors reflect our natural surroundings in Roscommon and the interlocking lines remind us that we are all linked to each other.

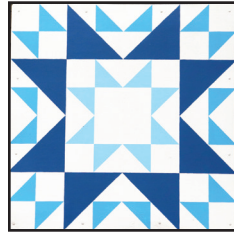
6. 2378 S. Gladwin Road



Prudenville

**Denton Township Trestle Park**  
Trestle Park is named for the 1880s logging train trestle that stood on the site and extended about 700' into Houghton Lake. Universally accessible, the public park is open to picnic or stroll, and enjoy the waterfront and summer concerts, all the while remembering the shanty boys who worked on the trestle many years ago.

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Houghton Lake

**Roscommon County Commission on Aging**  
The **Old Maids Ramble** quilt block was made and donated by the Friday Afternoon Quilters in appreciation for use of the RCOA facility. RCOA operates three centers and has an in-home service program. Its purpose is to promote the welfare, independence, safety and health of seniors through its various programs.

8. 1991 N. St. Helen Road



Saint Helen

**Cedar Inn**  
The Cedar Inn is the oldest business in continuous operation at its original site in St. Helen. Each business conducted at the building is depicted on this original quilt block. Cedar Inn's friendly staff serves up food, beverages and good times.

9. 2705 N. St. Helen Road



Saint Helen

**St. Helen Veterans' Memorial**  
The St. Helen Veterans' Memorial Park is dedicated to all men and women who have served or are serving in the military. The original quilt block was painted to honor the service of these men and women.

10. 4532 W. Houghton Lake Drive



Houghton Lake

**AJ's Quiltery East**  
AJ's is very fortunate to have two painted quilt blocks. The block located at AJ's East is an original design created and painted as a surprise to AJ by her multi-talented friend, Lynette Rachilla.

11. 6260 E. West Branch Road



Saint Helen

**Maple Valley Bison Ranch**  
The Maple Valley Bison Ranch is depicted on this original quilt. It was established in 2011 with 15 bison. The herd continues to grow and is grass fed for 28 months before going to market. The protein, fat, and mineral content of bison makes it a healthy meat choice.

12. 8910 Iroquois Street



Saint Helen

**Lake St. Helen Access Park**  
Located at Lake St. Helen's universally accessible floating fishing pier and canoe/kayak launch is this original block. The floating pier makes you feel like you are walking on water. Paddle the lake and discover miles of uninhabited shoreline. While there enjoy walking trails, the sandy beach, boat launch, picnic tables and park benches.

13. 10415 E. Airport Road



Saint Helen

**St. Helen Campground**  
As an original quilt block, it depicts rustic and full hook-up camping at Saint Helen Campground. There are 30 sites with electric and water and 100 rustic sites. The campground location has easy access to beautiful Lake St. Helen and the DNR groomed trail system.

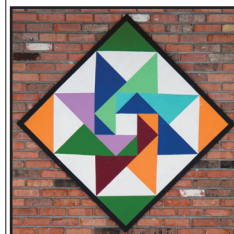
14. 10415 E. Airport Road



Saint Helen

**Motorsports Trailhead**  
This original quilt block displays the motorsports trails in St. Helen that are a part of Roscommon County's more than 200 miles of groomed snowmobile and ORV trails. With its all-sports lake, St. Helen is truly a recreational paradise.

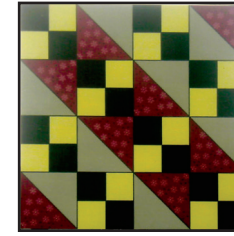
15. 4532 W. Houghton Lake Drive



Houghton Lake

**AJ's Quiltery West**  
The second block located at AJ's West was also painted by Lynette in answer to a request from AJ. They are both attractive additions to our buildings and lovely sites for the Houghton Lake area.

16. 370 Cloverleaf Lane



Houghton Lake

**Houghton Lake Travel Park & Campground**  
The **Jacob's Ladder** block, used in the Underground Railroad during the Civil War, has a Biblical name. The block told slaves "Now is the time to travel." The park, though not on the Underground Railroad, is a safe place for travelers to stay. It's a clean, family-oriented park with outside activities. Open April-Oct 15, it hosts an annual quilt show.

17. 8555 Knapp Road



Houghton Lake

**Roscommon Township Hall**  
An original quilt block highlights the variety of activities found at Roscommon Township Park. It hosts Movie in the Park night and offers space for a variety of sporting activities, including disk golf, soccer, softball, and fishing. Roscommon Township embraces what is Houghton Lake's unique Up North environment.

18. 7914 Knapp Road



Houghton Lake

**Premier Storage**  
The star pattern of this quilt block was chosen by the owners because the colors are reminiscent of the sunrises and sunsets over Houghton Lake, and also of the colors of the fall trees. Premier Storage has the extra storage space for anyone's need.

19. 5580 Emery Road



Prudenville

**Bischoff Farm**  
An original quilt block depicts life on the 40-acre farm that Jim and Donna Bischoff bought in 1972. They market the lambs from their 40 head ewe flock and sell wool to Ziellinger Wool Co. Seen on the farm are haflinger horses for farm and recreational use. They cut hay for winter feed and produce maple syrup for family and gifts.

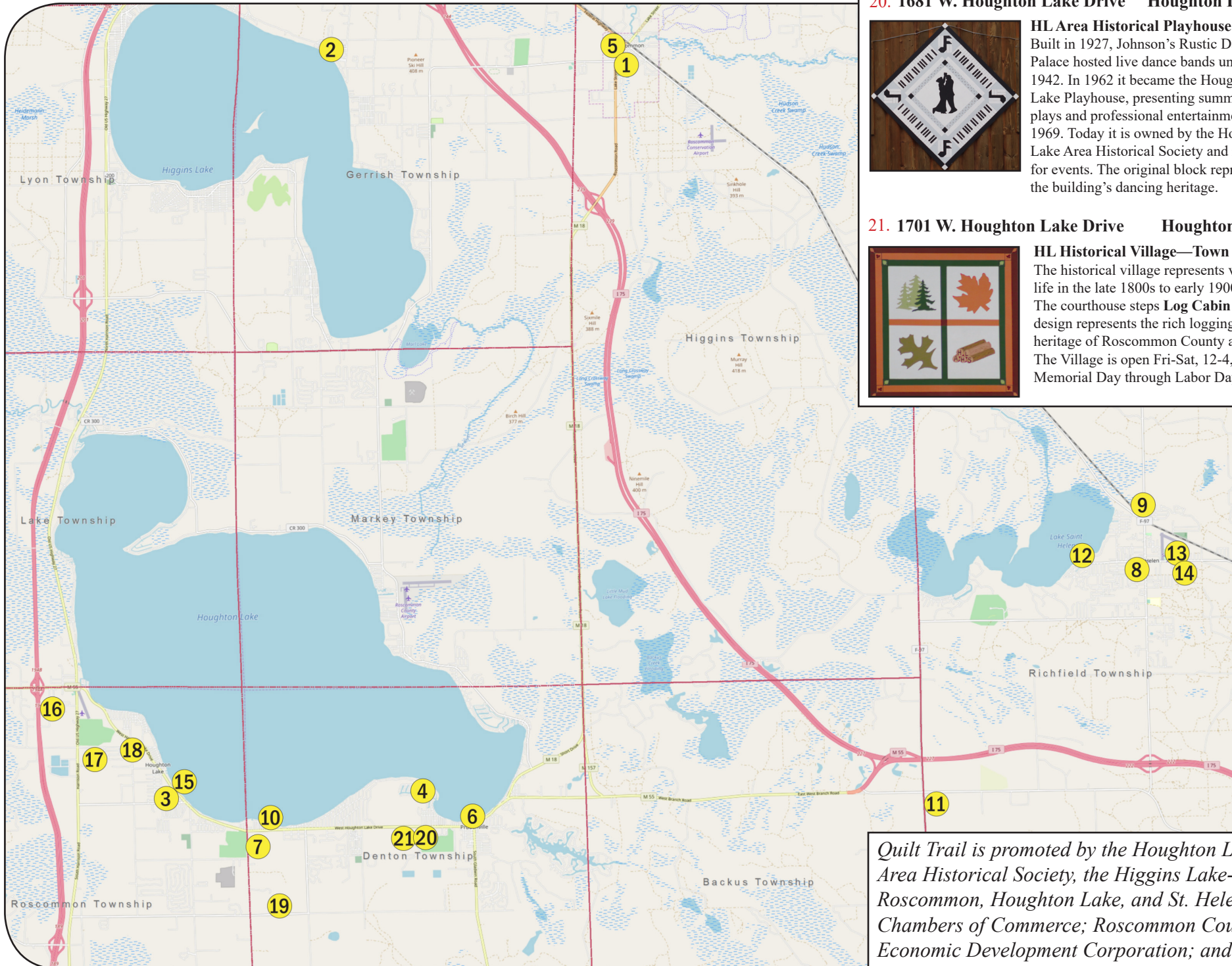
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**Quilt Hoop Loop**

by visiting the **Ogemaw County Quilt Trail**, rich in the tradition of farming and quilting; and the **Clare County Quilt Block Trail**, promoting the natural beauty of rural Clare County, its artists, small businesses, farms and community.

**For more information call 800-676-5330.**

# Roscommon County Quilt Block Trail



## 20. 1681 W. Houghton Lake Drive Houghton Lake



### HL Area Historical Playhouse

Built in 1927, Johnson's Rustic Dance Palace hosted live dance bands until 1942. In 1962 it became the Houghton Lake Playhouse, presenting summer plays and professional entertainment until 1969. Today it is owned by the Houghton Lake Area Historical Society and rented for events. The original block represents the building's dancing heritage.

## 21. 1701 W. Houghton Lake Drive Houghton Lake



### HL Historical Village—Town Hall

The historical village represents village life in the late 1800s to early 1900s. The courthouse steps **Log Cabin** block design represents the rich logging heritage of Roscommon County area. The Village is open Fri-Sat, 12-4, from Memorial Day through Labor Day.



Cherished Family quilts are made with love and handed down through the generations.

Now, we share them with you through the many brightly colored quilt blocks scattered throughout Roscommon County.

Take the self-guided tour and enjoy the variety of quilt patterns that tell the stories of families, history, and culture of Roscommon County.

*Please use caution when you slow or stop to view the quilt blocks. Some of the quilt blocks are located on a highway, and some are on private property. Please be respectful when viewing the quilt blocks.*

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