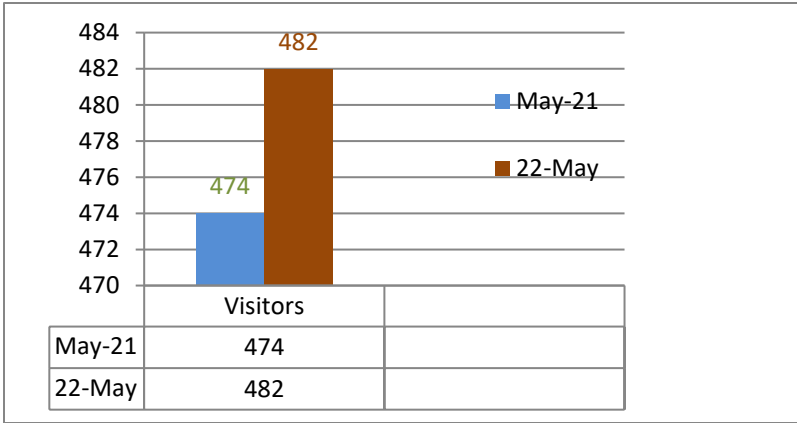


*Gordonsville's
Visitor Center
Monthly Report – May 2022*

Number of Visitors for May 2022 as compared to May 2021. Continued to see strong influx from Bluegreen Resorts. Several “just passing through and deciding to stop”. Well Hung, BBQEX, Exchange Hotel and Downtown drew visitors. Hiking and antiques continued to draw visitors. Area wineries drew visitors. Montpelier and Monticello drew visitors. Horseback riding drew interest. College graduations drew folks. Folks looking for historical sites. Memorial Day weekend saw numerous visitors to the downtown area. A good number of downtown merchants were open both Sunday and Monday of Memorial Day weekend. John’s Dogs drew folks. Champion Ice House and Patch drew visitors. Had some folks moving into the area. Several weddings being planned in the area.



Events/Community Involvement:

- Small Business Week held
- Orange Tourism Advisory Committee meeting held
- Supported Patch Brewery's event hall's soft opening
- Orange County Corks and Caps Initiative will run from 5/30 – 9/5
- Continued work on Chicken Festival
- Supported James Madison Museums' Charters of Freedom initiative
- UVA graduation drew visitors
- Continued work with Orange Tourism Manager
- Met with Germanna's Director
- Worked with Virginia Living Magazine's future article on the Waiter Carriers
- Supported Montpelier and Monticello
- Supported Market at Grelen
- Supported Liberty Mills Farm's Strawberry Festival
- Supported Orange Chamber's Uncorked Wine Festival

Revenue:

- **Visitor Donations: \$ 50**
Total: \$ 50

Respectfully Submitted by,

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