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Spend one day in Washington, DC and you'll soon learn there's reason to return again and again. With ever-changing art exhibitions at places like the National Gallery and The Phillips Collection, new performances on stage by Arena Stage and Studio Theatre and whole new museums and experiences on the way, there's something for everyone. For history buffs, you can't beat the monuments and memorials along the National Mall, the National Archives or the city's heritage trails. For the art devotee, step into the Corcoran Gallery of Art or the National Museum of Women in the Arts. For those who need to know just how everything works, there's the National Air and Space Museum, the National Geographic Society, the National Museum of Natural History and the International Spy Museum.

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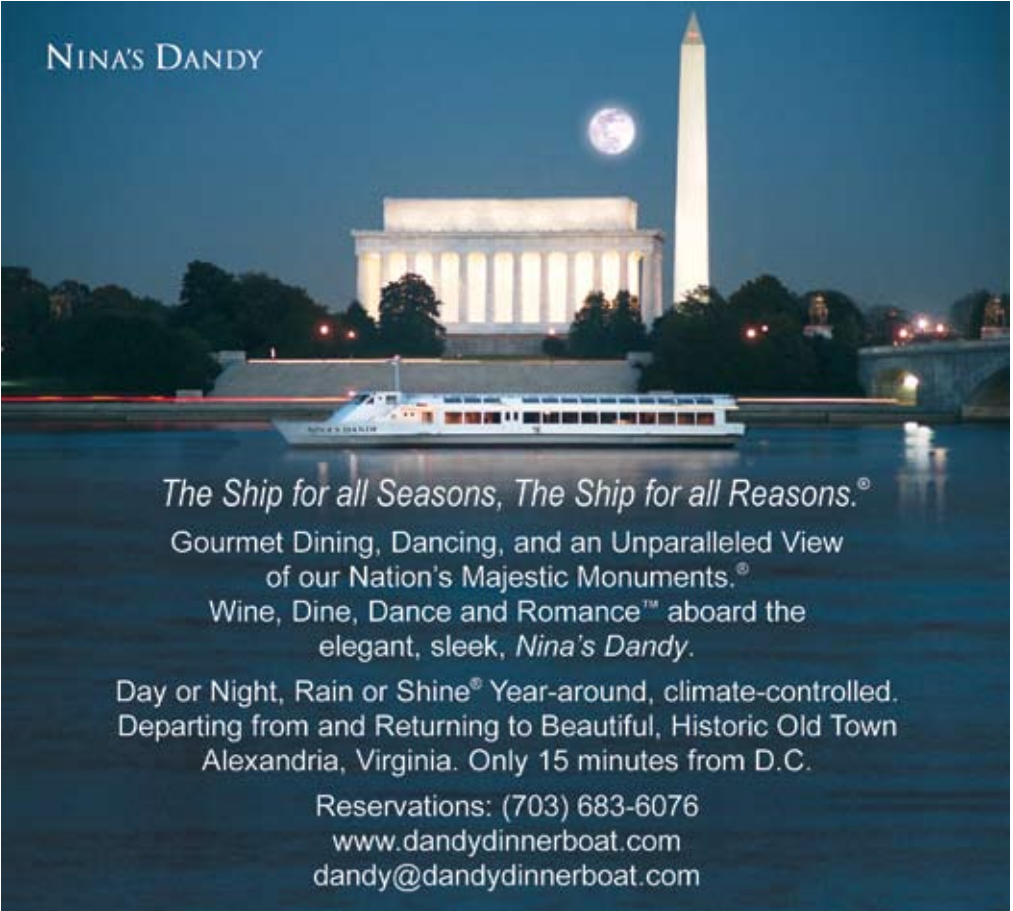
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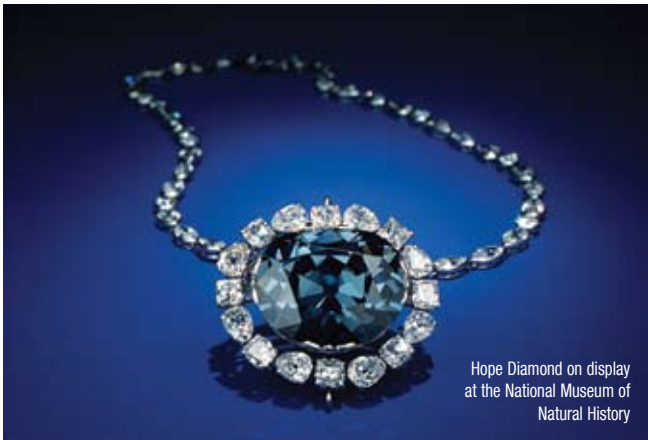


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### Arts & Industries Building

900 Jefferson Dr. SW · Washington, DC · (202) 633-1000 · [si.edu/ai/](http://si.edu/ai/) · Museum closed in preparation for renovation. Metro: Smithsonian

### Freer Gallery of Art and Arthur M. Sackler Gallery

12th St. & Jefferson Dr. SW · Washington, DC · (202) 633-1000 · [asia.si.edu](http://asia.si.edu) · Two outstanding collections of Asian art, plus works by 19th- and 20th-century American artists. The opulent Peacock Room is the only surviving example of American expatriate James McNeill Whistler's interior design. Open daily 10 am - 5:30 pm, except Dec. 25; extended summer hours determined annually. Free admission. Group tours by appointment. Call (202) 633-0445 or (202) 786-2374 (TTY), Mon. - Fri. Tours for individuals with visual and hearing impairments by appointment. Metro: Smithsonian

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National Museum of the American Indian

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### National Museum of the American Indian

4th St. & Independence Ave. SW · Washington, DC · (202) 633-1000 · [americanindian.si.edu](http://americanindian.si.edu) · Centerpiece for preservation, study and exhibition of the life, arts, culture and history of the native peoples of the Western Hemisphere. Features films in the Rasmuson Theater, a multimedia presentation in the Lelawi Theater, and educational and public programs, including ceremonies and performances. Free admission. Open daily 10 am - 5:30 pm. Metro: Federal Center, SW; L'Enfant Plaza



### Mall Myth

The Smithsonian Institution isn't housed in one building. It's a network encompassing more than a dozen different museums, galleries and the National Zoo.

### National Portrait Gallery

8th & F Sts. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 633-1000 · [npg.si.edu](http://npg.si.edu) · The National Portrait Gallery gives visitors a chance to meet fascinating Americans from more than 225 years of history in its halls. Through portraits and performances the Portrait Gallery tells the stories of poets and presidents, visionaries and villains, actors and activists who speak American history. 11:30 am - 7 pm every day except Dec. 25. Metro: Gallery Pl - Chinatown

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### National Zoological Park

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### Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian American Art Museum

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### Smithsonian American Art Museum

8th & F Sts. NW VB 3100 MRC 970 · Washington, DC · (202) 633-1000 · [AmericanArt.si.edu](http://AmericanArt.si.edu) · The Smithsonian American Art Museum, the nation's first art collection, is an unparalleled record of the American experience from the colonial period to today. Highlights are images of the west, impressionism, WPA murals, folk art, modern art. Don't miss the new Lunder Conservation Ctr. and Luce Foundation Ctr. Open 11:30 am - 7 pm except Dec. 25. Metro: Gallery Pl - Chinatown

### Smithsonian Associates

PO Box 37012 · Washington, DC · (202) 357-3030 · [smithsonianassociates.si.edu](http://smithsonianassociates.si.edu) · Special after-hours performances, lectures, films and tours. Consult *The Associates* magazine, available in all Smithsonian museum shops, for list of monthly activities, or go online to [residentassociates.si.edu](http://residentassociates.si.edu). Admission prices vary. Call for ticket information (202) 357-3030. TTY: (202) 633-9467.

### Smithsonian Institution Information Center

National Mall · Washington, DC · (202) 633-1000 · [si.edu/visit](http://si.edu/visit) · Known as the Castle, the oldest of the 15 Smithsonian museums in Washington houses the crypt of founder James Smithson, an orientation theater, scale models of Washington's monumental core, an interactive touch-screen program in 6 languages, plus multilingual information and assistance. Café dining. Open daily 8:30 am - 5:30 pm except December 25. Metro: Smithsonian

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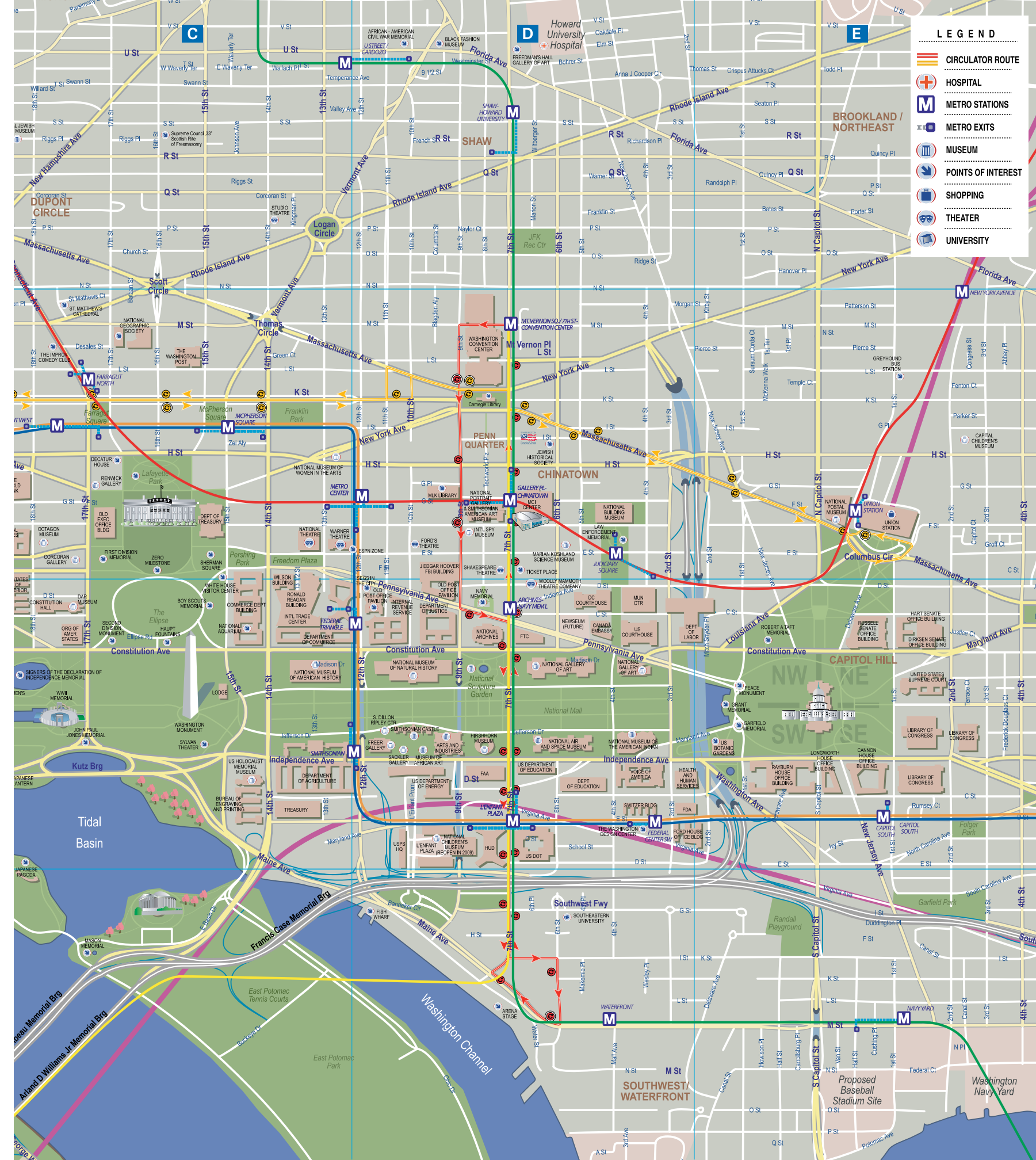
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SAT, JULY 1	TAMPA BAY	7:05
SUN, JULY 2	TAMPA BAY	1:05
MON, JULY 3	FLORIDA	7:05
TUES, JULY 4	FLORIDA	1:05
WED, JULY 5	FLORIDA	7:05
THURS, JULY 6	FLORIDA	1:05
FRI, JULY 7	SAN DIEGO	7:05
SAT, JULY 8	SAN DIEGO	7:05
SUN, JULY 9	SAN DIEGO	1:05
FRI, JULY 21	CHICAGO	7:05
SAT, JULY 22	CHICAGO	1:20
SUN, JULY 23	CHICAGO	1:05
TUES, JULY 25	SAN FRANCISCO	7:05
WED, JULY 26	SAN FRANCISCO	7:05
THURS, JULY 27	SAN FRANCISCO	1:05
TUES, AUG 8	FLORIDA	7:05
WED, AUG 9	FLORIDA	7:05
THURS, AUG 10	FLORIDA	7:05
FRIDAY, AUG 11	NEW YORK METS	7:05
SAT, AUG 12	NEW YORK METS	7:05
SUN, AUG 13	NEW YORK METS	1:05
MON, AUG 14	ATLANTA	7:05
TUES, AUG 15	ATLANTA	7:05
WED, AUG 16	ATLANTA	7:05
THURS, AUG 17	ATLANTA	1:05
TUES, AUG 29	PHILADELPHIA	7:05
WED, AUG 30	PHILADELPHIA	7:05
THURS, AUG 31	PHILADELPHIA	7:05
FRI, SEPT 1	ARIZONA	7:05
SAT, SEPT 2	ARIZONA	7:05
SUN, SEPT 3	ARIZONA	1:05
MON, SEPT 4	ST LOUIS	1:05
TUES, SEPT 5	ST LOUIS	7:05
WED, SEPT 6	ST LOUIS	1:05
FRI, SEPT 15	MILWAUKEE	7:05
SAT, SEPT 16	MILWAUKEE	7:05
SUN, SEPT 17	MILWAUKEE	1:05
MON, SEPT 18	ATLANTA	7:05
TUES, SEPT 19	ATLANTA	7:05
WED, SEPT 20	ATLANTA	7:05
TUES, SEPT 26	PHILADELPHIA	7:05
WED, SEPT 27	PHILADELPHIA	7:05
THURS, SEPT 28	PHILADELPHIA	7:05
FRI, SEPT 29	NEW YORK METS	7:05
SAT, SEPT 30	NEW YORK METS	7:05
SUN, OCT 1	NEW YORK METS	1:05



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  - July 8** Visors to fans 16 and over presented by GEICO
  - July 9** Kids Run the Show Fans 12 and under
  - July 21-23** Grand Re-Opening Weekend
  - Aug 11** Negro Leagues Tribute
  - Aug 12** Sports Bag to the first 15K fans
  - Aug 13** Screech Bobblehead to fans 12 and under presented by PNC Grow Up Great
  - Aug 17** Pencil Kit to fans 12 and under
  - Sept 17** Build-A-Bear to the first 12K kids 12 and under
  - Sept 29** Fleece Blanket to the first 15K fans
  - Sept 30** Team Photo/Early Bird Schedule for all fans presented by Southwest Airlines
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### American Immigration Law Foundation

918 F St. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 742-5600 · immigrationlawcenter.org · Learn more about America's heritage as a nation of immigrants. Rotating exhibits year-round includes annual immigrant Christmas Tree Display. Open weekdays 10 am – 5 pm. Free admission. *Metro: Gallery Pl - Chinatown*

### Arlington House

Arlington National Cemetery · Arlington, VA (703) 235-1530 · nps.gov/arho/ · Former home of Robert E. Lee. Open daily 9:30 am – 4:30 pm. Closed Dec. 25th and Jan. 1st. *Metro: Arlington Cemetery*

### Arlington National Cemetery

Arlington National Cemetery · Arlington, VA (703) 607-8000 · arlingtoncemetery.org · Arlington National Cemetery, our nations most treasured burial ground, is home to more than 285,000 honored dead. Among the thousands of white headstones are the graves of President John F. Kennedy, Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall, world champion boxer Joe Louis and the Tomb of the Unknowns. Open daily 8 am – 5 pm (to 7 pm Apr-Sept.). Free admission. *Metro: Arlington Cemetery*

### The Awakening

Hains Point in East Potomac Park SW · Washington, DC · The most dramatic feature of the park is this larger than life fine piece sculpture called the Awakening. Tourists love to pose for pictures at this sculpture created by J. Seward Johnson Jr.

### Black Fashion Museum

2007 Vermont Ave. NW · Washington, DC (202) 667-0744 · bfmndc.org · The Black Fashion Museum's mission is to identify, acknowledge and spotlight the achievements and contributions of people of the African Diaspora to the fashion industry, past, present and future. Open to visitors by appointment only. *Metro: U St./African-Amer. Civil War Memorial/Cardozo*

### Black History National Recreation Trail

(202) 619-7222 · Directs visitors to sites in historic neighborhoods that illustrate aspects of African-American history. For a free brochure, write Washington, DC Black History Recreation Trail, National Park Service, National Capital Region, Office of Public Affairs, 1100 Ohio Dr. SW, Washington, DC 20242.



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### College Park Aviation Museum

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### Corcoran Gallery of Art

500 17th St. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 639-1781 · corcoran.org · Known for its collection of historical and modern American art as well as European painting, sculpture, photography, and decorative arts, the Corcoran is the oldest art museum in Washington. Founded in 1869, it is a privately funded organization including the museum and the College of Art + Design. *Metro: Farragut West*

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## DAR Museum and Library

1776 D St. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 628-1776 · [dar.org](http://dar.org) · The museum of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution features 31 period rooms with a superb collection of pre-1840s furnishings and two galleries with changing exhibits. Galleries open Mon. - Fri. 9:30 am - 4 pm, Sat. 9:00 am - 5 pm. Closed Sunday. Free admission. The DAR Library, open to the public for a small fee, is the premier genealogical library in the country. Metro: Farragut West

## DC United Soccer - Major League Soccer

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700 Army Navy Dr. · Arlington, VA · (202) 307-3463 · [deamuseum.org](http://deamuseum.org) · From opium dens in the late 1800s to the international drug mafias of present day, the DEA Museum traces the history of drugs, drug abuse and federal drug law enforcement in America. Our hours of operation are Tues. - Fri. 10 am - 4 pm. Metro: Pentagon City

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7300 MacArthur Blvd. Glen Echo Park · Glen Echo, MD · (202) 337-5111 · [discoverycreek.org](http://discoverycreek.org) · Come face-to-face with live animals, create fantastic nature crafts, and search for life in the creek. Family programs on Sat. and Sun., 10 am - 3 pm. \$5 per person; \$3 for members/seniors; free for children under 2. Free on-site parking. Metro: Friendship Heights

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Ohio Dr. Tidal Basin & the Potomac River · Washington, DC · (202) 426-6841 · A 7.5-acre site, the memorial depicts the 12 pivotal years of Franklin Delano Roosevelt's presidency through a series of four outdoor gallery rooms. The rooms feature ten bronze sculptures depicting President Roosevelt, Eleanor Roosevelt and events from the Great Depression and World War II. The park-like setting includes waterfalls and quiet pools amidst a meandering wall of reddish Dakota granite, where Roosevelt's inspiring words are carved. It is the first memorial in Washington, DC purposely designed to be totally wheelchair accessible. Open daily except Christmas. Free. Park Ranger in attendance 8 am - midnight.  
Metro: Smithsonian

### Federal Bureau of Investigation

935 Pennsylvania Ave. NW · Washington, DC · The FBI tour is currently closed for renovations. It will reopen in late 2006. The FBI apologizes for this delay. Metro: Gallery Pl - Chinatown; Metro Center

### Folger Shakespeare Library

201 E. Capitol St. SE · Washington, DC · (202) 675-0375 · folger.edu · Home to the world's largest Shakespeare collection, the Folger is a major international center for scholarly research and a lively venue for exhibitions, literary programs, and the performing arts. Open Mon. - Sat., 10 am - 4 pm. Closed Sun. and all federal holidays. Free admission to tours and exhibitions. Guided 90-minute tour daily at 11 am (plus 1 pm Sat. only); group tours arranged by calling (202) 675-0395. For more information on cultural programs visit our website or call (202) 544-7077. Metro: Capitol South; Union Station

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511 10th St. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 347-4833 · (800) 899-2367 fordstheatre.org · Ford's Theatre is Washington's home for musicals and plays reflecting the unique and diverse character of American life. With productions Sep. - June, Ford's Theatre is both a working theatre and historical monument open to the public. For more information on free tours, call the National Park Service at (202) 426-6924. Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial-Penn Quarter; Metro Center

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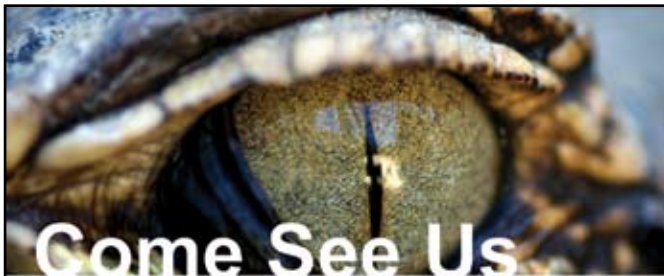


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1055 Thomas Jefferson St. NW Ste. L-14 · Washington, DC · (202) 944-5295 · [GBAPA.com](http://GBAPA.com) · The GBAPA is a non-profit membership organization comprised of approximately 300 businesses and professionals. Through newsletters, networking events, and community partnerships, the GBAPA fosters a thriving business community and attracts new businesses to Georgetown.

## Georgetown Business Improvement District

1055 Thomas Jefferson St. NW Ste. L-11 · Washington, DC · (202) 298-9222 · [georgetowndc.com](http://georgetowndc.com) · The Georgetown BID, a small non-profit organization located in the heart of Georgetown, Washington, DC, is responsible for the marketing, safety, transportation and aesthetics of the Georgetown neighborhood. Metro: Foggy Bottom - GWU

## Glenn Echo Park

7300 MacArthur Blvd. · Glen Echo, MD · (301) 634-2222 · [glenechopark.org](http://glenechopark.org) · Founded in 1891, Glenn Echo Park offers year-round activities in dance, theater and the arts for residents of the Washington metropolitan area and visitors from around the country. For information, call (301) 634-2222 or visit the website at [www.glenechopark.org](http://www.glenechopark.org). Metro: Friendship Heights

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812 7th St. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 289-1200 · [goethe.de/washington](http://goethe.de/washington) · The German cultural center presents a wide variety of films, exhibits, discussions, media

projects and language classes in a contemporary artistic setting. Up-to-date perspectives on Germany in the context of Europe. Mon. -Thurs. 9 am - 5 pm; Fri. 9 am - 3pm. Metro: Gallery Pl - Chinatown

## Great Falls Park

9200 Old Dominion Dr. · Great Falls, VA · (703) 285-2965 · Park open dawn to dusk. Visitor center open 10 am - 5 pm. Mon - Fri, 10 am - 6 pm weekends and winter hours 10 am - 4 pm. Admission \$5 for noncommercial vehicles. Contact park for admission fees.

## Hillwood Museum and Gardens

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## Hirshhorn Museum & Sculpture Garden

7th St. & Independence Ave. SW · Washington, DC · (202) 633-1000 · [hirshhorn.si.edu/](http://hirshhorn.si.edu/) · Collection of 19th- and 20th-century paintings and sculpture in a striking cylindrical museum and adjoining outdoor garden. Changing exhibitions explore the newest trends in modern art. Open daily 10 am - 5:30 pm, except Dec. 25; extended summer hours determined annually. Guided group tours and tours for visitors with disabilities by appointment. Metro: L'Enfant Plaza

## The Human Rights Campaign Headquarters

1640 Rhode Island Ave. NW Ste. 100 · Washington, DC · (202) 216-1500 · (800) 777-4723 · [equalitycenter.org](http://equalitycenter.org) · The Human Rights Campaign is the nation's largest gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender (GLBT) advocacy organization. Visit our award winning building and learn more about HRC's history and current work during a critical time in GLBT history. Free tours are available weekdays by appointment. Metro: Farragut North

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800 F St. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 393-7798 · [spymuseum.org](http://spymuseum.org) · Featuring the largest collection of international espionage-related artifacts open to the public, the museum chronicles the history of spying

throughout the ages, across the globe, and today. Tours are self-guided, please allow 1.5 - 2 hours to complete the tour. Metro: Gallery Pl - Chinatown

## Jefferson Memorial

Tidal Basin South End · Washington, DC · (202) 426-6841 · Beneath the marble rotunda, the 19-foot statue of the third U.S. president is surrounded by passages from the Declaration of Independence and other famous Jefferson writings. Open daily except December 25. Free. Park ranger in attendance 8 am-midnight. Metro: Smithsonian

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Independence Ave. at the Lincoln Memorial Washington, DC · (202) 426-6841 · [nps.gov/kwvwm](http://nps.gov/kwvwm) · Built by the Korean War Veterans Memorial Advisory with \$18 million in donated funds. Located on a 2.2-acre site adjacent to the Lincoln Memorial Reflecting Pool, featuring a sculptured column of soldiers arrayed for combat and a 164-foot mural wall inscribed with the words, "Freedom Is Not Free" and etched with 2,500 photographic images of nurses, chaplains, crew chiefs, mechanics and other support personnel. Open daily 8 am - midnight. Free. For details, call the National Park Service at (202) 619-7222. Metro: Foggy Bottom - GWU

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2401 Foxhall Rd. NW · Washington, DC (202) 337-3050 · (877) 337-3050 · [kreegermuseum.com](http://kreegermuseum.com) · Showcases the art collection of Carmen and David Kreeger. Includes works by Picasso, Monet, Van Gogh, Kandinsky, and Miro. Reservations required weekdays. Guided Tours, Tues. - Fri. at 10:30 and 1:30 pm. New open hours are Saturday from 10 am - 4 pm and reservations are not required. Free parking on grounds. Admission \$8. Seniors and students \$5. Metro: Tenleytown - AU

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16th St. & Pennsylvania Ave. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 208-1631 · It is nearly impossible to ignore the ambience of power at Lafayette Square, which surrounds the White House. It is a neighborhood of historic elegance and refinement. The story of the area and the tales of the Square's notable residents are told through many nearby museums and institutions, including the Octagon House, Decatur House Museum, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Renwick Gallery, Daughters of the American Revolution Museum, the American Red Cross Museum, and St. John's Episcopal Church. *Metro: Farragut West*

### Library of Congress

10 First St. SE · Washington, DC · (202) 707-8000 · [loc.gov](http://loc.gov) · Visit the Thomas Jefferson Building, known for its magnificent 19th Century architecture and decoration and changing historical exhibitions. Guided tours at half-past each hour (except noon) Mon-Fri 10:30 am - 3:30 pm, Sat. 10:30 am - 2:30 pm. Open Mon. - Sat. 10 am to 5 pm. *Metro: Capitol South; Union Station*

### Lincoln Memorial

Independence Ave. & 23rd St. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 426-6841 · [nps.gov/linc](http://nps.gov/linc) · This grand monument overlooks the Reflecting Pool, the Washington Monument and the U.S. Capitol. Inside, the 19-foot marble statue of the 16th president is flanked by inscriptions of his Second Inaugural Address and the famous Gettysburg Address. Open daily except December 25. Free. Park Ranger in attendance 8 am - midnight. *Metro: Foggy Bottom - GWU*

### Lincoln Park

11th & East Capitol St. NE · Washington, DC · (202) 690-5185 · This historic park celebrates the abolition of slavery in the District of Columbia. The park features the Emancipation statue and the Mary McLeod Bethune statue. *Metro: Eastern Market*

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### Marine Corps Historical Center

Washington Navy Yard · 1254 Charles Morris St. SE · Washington, DC · (202) 433-3401 · [history.usmc.mil](http://history.usmc.mil) · The Marine Corps Historical Center on the Washington Navy Yard in Washington, DC closed its doors to researchers and the public in preparation for the Historical Division's relocation to Quantico, Virginia. The new facility will be available for visitors in November 2005. *Metro: Eastern Market; Navy Yard*

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*401 F St. NW - Washington, DC - (202) 272-2448 - nbm.org* - The National Building Museum, is a private non-profit institution that examines and interprets American achievements in architecture, design, engineering, planning, and construction. The museum presents exhibitions, lectures and educational programs, publishes books and a quarterly journal. Free admission. Metro: Judiciary Square

### National Children's Museum

*955 L'Enfant Plaza North SW Ste. 5100 - Washington, DC - (202) 675-4120 - ncm.museum* - New attraction opening in 2009. Metro: L'Enfant Plaza; Union Station

### National Gallery of Art

*6th St. & Constitution Ave. NW - Washington, DC - (202) 737-4215 - nga.gov* - Permanent collection of European and American paintings, sculpture, decorative arts and works on paper, plus changing exhibitions of art from around the world. Open Mon. - Sat. 10 am -5 pm, Sun. 11 am - 6 pm except New Year's Day and Christmas. Free admission. Group tours by appointment. Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial-Penn Quarter

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17th St. & Independence Ave. NW · Washington, DC · [wwiimemorial.com](http://www.wwiimemorial.com) · Located between the Washington Monument and the Lincoln Memorial, this memorial honors the 16 million who served during WWII and those who supported the war effort from home. The memorial features two 43-foot arches, a 17-foot pillar for each state and territory from that period and a field of 4,000 gold stars honoring the more than 400,000 who died. A series of bronze sculpture panels depict Americans at war, at home and overseas. Open daily except Christmas. Free. *Metro: Smithsonian*

### The Newseum

1101 Wilson Blvd. · Arlington, VA · (703) 284-3544 · [newseum.org](http://newseum.org) · New Location at 6th Street & Pennsylvania Avenue is opening in 2007. *Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial-Penn Quarter*

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## U.S. Navy Museum

Washington Navy Yard · 805 Kidder Breese St. SE · Washington, DC · (202) 433-4882 · [history.navy.mil](http://history.navy.mil) · Housed in the old Naval Gun Factory, the museum's collection features the foremost fighting top from the USS Constitution, the bathyscaphe Trieste, ship models, medals, uniforms, photographs and fine art. Hands-on and great for kids: Including working submarine periscopes and WWII gun mounts. Open Mon. - Fri. 9 am - 5 pm, weekends and holidays 10 am - 5pm. Free admission. Visitors must call in advance. Metro: Eastern Market; Navy Yard

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Constitution Ave. & Henry Bacon Dr. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 634-1568 · [nps.gov/vive](http://nps.gov/vive) · The black granite walls of this moving V-shaped memorial are inscribed with the names of more than 58,209 Americans missing or killed in the Vietnam conflict. Frederick Hart's life-size bronze sculpture

depicts three young servicemen. Open 24-hours; Park Ranger on site 8 am - midnight. Metro: Foggy Bottom - GWU

## Vietnam Women's Memorial

21st St. & Constitution Ave. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 426-6841 · Located in a grove of trees across from the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, this 2,000-pound bronze statue by Sante Fe-based sculptor Glenna Goodacre depicts 3 service women and one wounded soldier supported by sandbags. Open 24-hours. Metro: Foggy Bottom - GWU

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## Washington Monument

15th St. & Constitution Ave. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 426-6841 · (800) 967-2283 · [nps.gov/wamo](http://nps.gov/wamo) · The National Park Service re-opened the Washington Monument for visitation April 1, 2005. Visitors wishing to reserve Washington Monument tickets should call (800)-967-2283. There is a \$1.50 service charge and \$.50 shipping fee. Free same day timed tickets are available beginning at 8:30 am at the 15th street kiosk. The Monument is open daily 9 am - 5 pm. Metro: Smithsonian

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event planning . Metro: Arlington Cemetery

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### Rock Creek Park

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John F. Kennedy for the Performing Arts

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## PERFORMING ARTS

True to its reputation as a cultural capital, Washington, DC is a dynamic and prolific theatre town. Each season approximately 80 active professional theatres in the metropolitan area produce more than 350 productions that run for a total of more than 8,000 performances and play to more than 2,000,000 audience members. When choosing your diet of arts and culture during your stay, simply take your pick. The Kennedy Center regularly presents the finest in jazz, pops, symphony orchestra and even family programming, as well as a daily schedule of free performances. And on any given night, jazz clubs and watering holes up and down U Street offer live entertainment by local and nationally-known artists.

### [ COMEDY ]

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### [ DINNER THEATRE ]

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### [ THEATRE & STAGE ]

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Washington Performing Arts Society presents Anoushka Shankar, sitar, Sunday October 29, 7 pm.



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### Warner Theatre

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### The Washington Ballet

3515 Wisconsin Ave. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 362-3606 · [washingtonballet.org](http://washingtonballet.org) · The Washington Ballet presents a full season of classical and contemporary ballet at the Kennedy Center and the Warner Theatre, including the holiday favorite, *The Nutcracker*. Performance times vary. Tickets \$29-\$84. Groups receive up to 20% off. *Metro: Foggy Bottom - GWU; Metro Center*

### Washington Performing Arts Society

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1551 Trap Rd. · Vienna, VA · (703) 255-1900 · [wolftrap.org](http://wolftrap.org) · Wolf Trap presents a broad spectrum of performing arts programs, including pop, classical, country, dance, jazz and blues, year-round at both its beautiful national park setting and it's smaller, more intimate indoor venue. *Metro: Vienna/Fairfax-GMU*

### Woolly Mammoth Theatre Company

641 D St. NW · Washington, DC · (202) 393-3939 · [woollymammoth.net](http://woollymammoth.net) · "Washington's most daring theatre company" by *The New York Times*, "develops, produces and promotes provocative, daring new plays by emerging playwrights." Their award-winning new 265-seat theatre at 7th and D Sts. NW opened in May 2005. Tickets: \$32 - \$52 (\$10 for 25 and under). *Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial-Penn Quarter; Dupont Circle; Foggy Bottom - GWU*

## [ TICKETING ]

### TICKETplace

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