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# DISCOVER THE NORTHSORE



St. Tammany Parish offers scenic beauty and memory-making experiences, and is within an hour of New Orleans, Baton Rouge and the Mississippi Gulf Coast. You'll find picturesque green spaces, a diverse culinary scene, an eclectic collection of galleries and boutiques, one-of-a-kind attractions and festivals all year long. Explore the Northshore through the personalities of each charming town.

## BELOW IS A SAMPLE OF WHAT YOU CAN EXPERIENCE. IT'S SURE TO LEAVE YOU WANTING MORE!

### EXPERIENCE THE NORTHSORE

**Breakfast at Liz's Where Y'at Diner** - Liz spreads sunshine at her delightful eatery with a menu featuring Louisiana specialties like Grits and Grillades and Bananas Foster Waffles.

**Explore the pristine Honey Island Swamp** - Tour the Honey Island Swamp where wildlife is abundant. You never know when you'll spot alligators, deer, raccoons, egrets and more.

**Lunch at Palmettos on the Bayou** - Delight in Louisiana specialties and upscale Creole cuisine on beautiful Bayou Bonfouca.

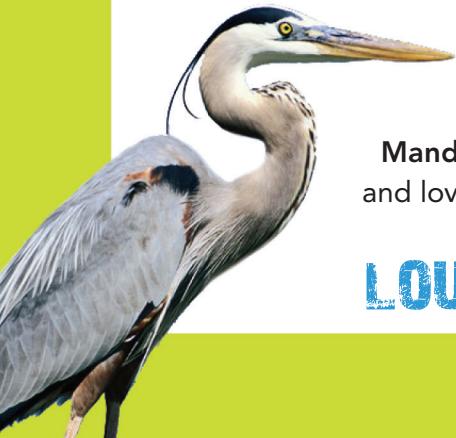
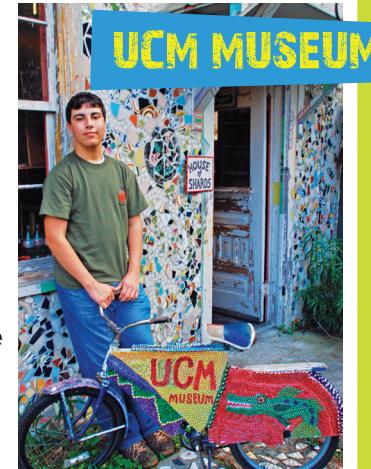
**Tour the eclectic Abita Springs** - Check out the fun and quirky town of Abita Springs. First stop, **Abita Mystery House** at the **UCM Museum**. This museum is home to a collection including outsider art and interactive vignettes of Southern life. Then, visit the plaza/tourist park and **Abita Trailhead Museum** which serves as a visitor center for the adjacent **Tammany Trace**, and as a history and art museum.

**Abita Beer Tasting** - On the way to Covington, stop by the **Abita Brewery** for a tour and tasting of the famous Abita Beer. Despite incredible growth, this company's corporate office is still in St. Tammany Parish.

**Street strolling in downtown Covington** - Head to downtown Covington and tour the shops, galleries and more. Don't forget to check out the antiques and boutiques on **Lee Lane**.

**Dinner at Del Porto** - Dine at one of the best-rated Italian restaurants in the area and sample some favorites including the soul-satisfying antipasto.

**Mandeville Lakefront** - Giant oaks along Mandeville's lakefront are iconic for this old and lovely town on the north shore of Lake Pontchartrain.



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# MORE TO EXPLORE

THERE IS SO MUCH TO DO IN ST. TAMMANY PARISH THAT A ONE-DAY TRIP ONLY SCRATCHES THE SURFACE. BELOW ARE SOME ADDITIONAL OPTIONS.

## MADISONVILLE LIGHTHOUSE



**Lake Pontchartrain Maritime Museum in Madisonville** - Visitors to the museum find rich maritime history. While in Madisonville, you can fish or crab off the pier, enjoy the sunset or, looking due west, see the **Madisonville Lighthouse**, built in 1838.

**Tammany Trace** - a 31-mile rails-to-trails conversion along a beautiful scenic path can put your mind at ease. Hike, bike or simply walk the Tammany Trace, with trailheads located throughout the parish.

**Morton's Seafood Restaurant in Madisonville** - Just walking distance from the **Maritime Museum**, Morton's Seafood Restaurant offers fun and delicious cuisine in a great atmosphere - on the banks of the Tchefuncte River.

**Global Wildlife Center in Folsom** - Visit Global Wildlife Center and see animals up close and personal. Feed a baby giraffe or pet a camel. Experience a wildlife safari from a covered wagon.

**Pontchartrain Vineyards in Bush** - Experience the sophisticated wines from Pontchartrain Vineyards. Sample wines including Le Trolley.

**La Provence in Lacombe** - A Northshore landmark operated by chef John Besh, La Provence offers French cuisine at its best.

In town on a Saturday, check out one of our local **Farmers Markets** where you're sure to spot fresh finds. All markets offer free admission and are open mid-morning to early afternoon.

## SAVOR THE NORTHSHORE

Covington Farmer's Market  
609 Columbia Street  
Covington  
Wednesdays & Saturdays

Mandeville Trailhead Community Market  
675 Lafitte Street  
Mandeville  
Every Saturday

Camellia City Market  
Griffith Park  
333 Erlanger Street  
Slidell  
Every Saturday



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