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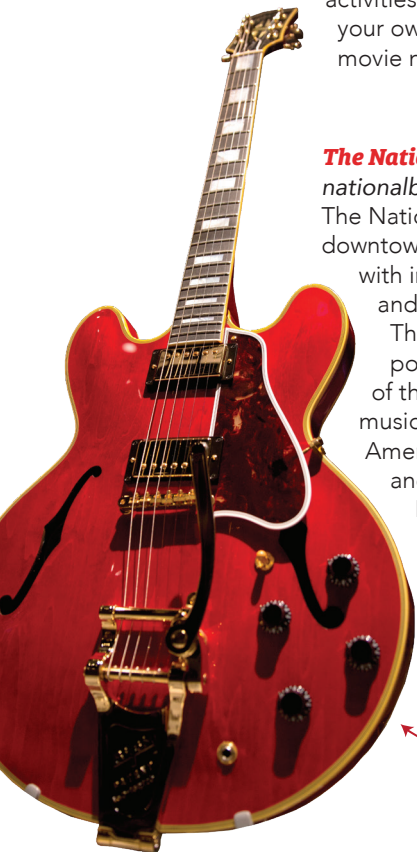
New & NOTEWORTHY



Route 66, The Mother Road | explorestlouis.com/route66
Route 66 – makes it's most important roadside stops right here in St. Louis. The 2,451-mile (3,900 km) road begins in downtown Chicago and ends on the pier in Santa Monica, California, but in between it's St. Louis that puts the Route on the map. The **Missouri History Museum** in beautiful Forest Park can give you all the details on America's road in its St. Louis history galleries. Drive through the Maplewood neighborhood to get your kicks following interpretive signs along the route. At the **National Museum of Transportation**, classic automobiles on display add an air of nostalgia to every car-lover's holiday. Just outside of St. Louis, **Meramec Caverns** is the first tourist attraction on Route 66. Cruise into the famous **Ted Drewes' Frozen Custard** stand along Old Route 66 for a Concrete. That's not a piece of the highway, it's a delicious milkshake blended so thick with your favorite flavors it can be served upside down and won't fall out of the cup.

Route 66 100th Anniversary Festival | mohistory.org
Celebrate a century of traveling on the Mother Road and join the Missouri History Museum in Forest Park for a week of events exploring everything from the stunning natural scenery and quirky roadside attractions in both winding rural towns and big cities, to the challenges and inequities faced by some travelers. Enjoy concerts, car displays, a 6.6-mile bike ride, documentary screenings, presentations and family activities, including a chance to design your own cardboard car for a drive-in movie night! April 30-May 5, 2026

The National Blues Museum
nationalbluesmuseum.org
The National Blues Museum in downtown St. Louis is filled with innovative, interactive and technological exhibits. The museum covers the powerful role and influence of the blues genre and blues musicians in the history of America in regards to change and culture. The National Blues Museum is an excellent combination of a few key Bs that St. Louis is known for: blues, barbeque, baseball and beer.



Chuck Berry's Guitar!
(The Father of Rock n' Roll)

Chain of Rocks Bridge | greatriversgreenway.org
The historic Chain of Rocks Bridge on Route 66 just got a 16-acre park on the Missouri side. This new park aims to attract visitors with improved access, parking, and features, making it easier to explore the bridge and enjoy the Mississippi River views.

Music | explorestlouis.com/see-and-do/entertainment-nightlife/
Just south of Busch Stadium, where the St. Louis Cardinals play baseball in downtown St. Louis, several outstanding music clubs are playing the blues. A short walk between the venues takes you to blues heaven where you can listen to the best local and touring performers every night. **Vintage Vinyl** has long served as a hub of St. Louis music culture. Voted by *USA Today* as the, "10 best record stores in the USA," and described it as "The St. Louis landmark and legitimate tourist destination...has been known to transform casual browsers into collectors in just one visit."

City Foundry STL | cityfoundrystl.com
A place in the heart of the city to gather, eat, work and play. City Foundry STL is more than a century of imagination, hustle and soul coming together in St. Louis' newest destination. This new St. Louis entertainment option has retail, creative space, movie theater, St. Louis' first Food Hall and so much more. If these walls could talk, they'd tell a story that's uniquely St. Louis.

Gateway Arch National Park | gatewayarch.com
Journey to the top of the 630-foot (192 meters), Gateway Arch, which memorializes St. Louis as The Gateway to the West. The museum explores America's western journey and the important role St. Louis and its people played in the growth of the U.S.

Lufthansa Airlines | lufthansa.com; flystl.com
Lufthansa Airlines now offers nonstop flights from St. Louis Lambert International Airport (STL) to Frankfurt, Germany (FRA). The schedule includes three flights per week on board an AirBus A330.

Air Canada | aircanada.com
Starting May 2024, Air Canada introduces a non-stop flight from Montreal, Canada to St. Louis. This new route enhances travel options, providing a seamless connection between these two vibrant cities. St. Louis already has a non-top to Toronto.

Rawlings Experience | rawlings.com/rawlings-experience-st-louis

The number one baseball brand worldwide and creator of the iconic Rawlings Gold Glove Award, offers sports fans and athletes a truly memorable, immersive experience. Visitors can swing the latest Rawlings bats, design their own custom glove, or explore priceless artifacts highlighting the game's greatest moments and careers.

Sports in STL | mlb.com/cardinals; nhl.com/blues; stlcitysc.com
St. Louisans are known for their love of sports. The 1904 Olympic Games were held here. Baseball season for the St. Louis Cardinals runs from April through September with the post-season race for the World Series in October. The St. Louis Blues skate from September through May to reach the Stanley Cup Playoffs. St. Louis CITY SC is the newest team to join the St. Louis sports lineup and play from March to October.



NEW HOTELS

Warm and cozy. Chic and vibrant. Grand and luxurious. Affordable and family-friendly. During your trip to St. Louis, you can stay at the perfect accommodation for your travel style.

21c Museum Hotel St. Louis	Hotel Saint Louis
AC Hotel St. Louis Chesterfield	Kimpton (opening 2026)
AC Hotel St. Louis CWE	The Last Hotel
Aloft St. Louis Cortex	Le Méridien St. Louis Clayton
Angad Arts Hotel	Live! by Loews
Aviator Hotel & Suites	Residence Inn Clayton
Element by Westin	Staybridge Suites (opening 2026)
Home2 Suites Downtown	Tru by Hilton St. Louis Downtown
Hotel Indigo	

MILEAGE TO ST. LOUIS

CITY	MILEAGE	TIME
Branson, MO	402 km	4 hrs.
Chicago, IL	477 km	4.5 hrs.
Indianapolis, IN	392 km	4 hrs.
Kansas City, MO	397 km	4 hrs.
Louisville, KY	418 km	4 hrs.
Memphis, TN	455 km	4.5 hrs.
Nashville, TN	495 km	4.5 hrs.
Tulsa, OK	634 km	6 hrs.

ST. LOUIS ATTRACTIONS Red denotes **FREE** admission

- Amp Up Action Park
- Anheuser-Busch Brewery Tour
- Ballpark Village
- Bellefontaine Cemetery 🚗
- Boeing Prologue Room
- Cahokia Mounds State Historic Site (World Heritage Site)
- Campbell House Museum
- Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis (New Cathedral)
- Challenger Learning Center
- Chain of Rocks Park 🚗
- Citygarden
- City Museum
- Contemporary Art Museum
- Endangered Wolf Center 🚗
- Fabulous Fox Theatre
- Field House Museum
- Forest Park – Jewel Box, Missouri History Museum 🚗, Saint Louis Art Museum, Saint Louis Science Center, Saint Louis Zoo*, The Muny
- Gateway Arch National Park 🚗
- Gateway Arch Riverboat Cruises
- Grant's Farm*
- The Griot Museum of Black History

- Inside the Economy Museum at the Federal Reserve Bank
- Jefferson Barracks Telephone Museum
- The Judicial Learning Center
- Laumeier Sculpture Park
- Lone Elk Park
- The Magic House
- Mastadon State Historic Site
- Meramec Caverns 🚗
- Missouri Botanical Garden
- Moto Museum
- Museum of Contemporary Religious Art
- National Blues Museum
- National Museum of Transportation 🚗
- Old Cathedral
- Old Courthouse (temporarily closed)
- Pulitzer Arts Foundation
- Purina Farms 🚗
- Puttshack
- Rawlings Experience
- Route 66 State Park & Museum
- RYZE Adventure Park
- St. Louis Blues (hockey)
- St. Louis Cardinals (baseball)
- St. Louis Cardinals HOF & Museum
- St. Louis CITY SC (soccer)

- St. Louis Kaplan Feldman Holocaust Museum
- St. Louis Symphony Orchestra
- St. Louis Union Station – Aquarium, Grand Hall, Train Shed, The Wheel
- St. Louis Walk of Fame
- Scott Joplin House
- Shrine of St. Joseph
- Six Flags St. Louis 🚗
- Soldiers Memorial Military Museum
- Sophia M. Sachs Butterfly House
- Soulard Market
- Stifel Theatre
- Ted Drewes Frozen Custard 🚗
- TopGolf (2 locations)
- Third Degree Glass Factory
- Ulysses S. Grant National Historic Site
- Victory Raceway – Indoor Karting
- Weldon Spring Site Interpretive Center
- World Bird Sanctuary* 🚗
- World Chess HOF
- World Wide Technology Raceway at Gateway (auto racing)

🚗 Route 66
* parking fee



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