Local Attractions

The Outlet Collection at the Riverwalk (328 ft)

The nation's first upscale outlet center in a downtown setting features over 75 retailers and restaurants on the bank of the Mississippi River in the Heart of New Orleans. Major national brands include Neiman Marcus Last Call Studio, Tommy Bahama Outlet, Forever 21, Coach, the Puma Store, and Kenneth Cole. Center favorites and originals include Gap Factory Store, Aerosoles, Swim n' Sport Outlet, The Fudgery, and Café du Monde. Savor the fashion and indulge in the savings.

Fulton Alley (0.5 mi)

If you enjoy intoxicating competition, classic games, and fresh tastes, Fulton Alley offers all of this and more. Bowling, bocce, table games, cunning cocktails, an native Southern cuisine can all be found in the heart of New Orleans' own Central Business District.

Creole Queen Riverboat (0.2 mi)

New Orleans Paddlewheels, Inc conducts New Orleans' most resplendent riverboat, The Creole Queen, on the Mississippi River. The Creole Queen is a paddlewheel boat with multiple private dining rooms giving her the largest indoor capacity possible on journey watercrafts in the city. Relish in a dinner jazz cruise, a historical cruise, or one of the Special Event Cruises on the best riverboat in the Crescent City.

Audubon Aquarium of the Americas (0.3 mi)

Located on the Mississippi River adjacent to the French Quarter, Audubon Aquarium of the Americas immerses you in an underwater world. The colors of a Caribbean reef come alive in its walk-through tunnel, while the penguins and Southern sea otter enchant you with their antics. Touch a sting ray, feed a parakeet, and marvel at the gigantic sharks, tarpon, and rays in the 400,000 gallon Gulf of Mexico Exhibit. Watch for sea turtles throughout the Aquarium—as coordinator of the Louisiana Marine Mammal and Sea Turtle Rescue Program, the Aquarium prepares many of them for release to the wild.

Mardi Gras World (1 mi)

From New Orleans corporate events to family fun, the Mardi Gras World offers an unforgettable experience that unmasks the greatest show on earth. Walk through the hard work and extensive planning that goes into this grand event when you tour Blaine Kern Studios, an operating workshop that has created breathtaking floats for Mardi Gras and other parades around the world since 1947. Wandering through the magical float den is an exciting experience for kids and adults alike.

Swamp Tours (16.7 mi with transportation from and to the hotel)

Find yourself immersed in adventure in the marshy swamplands of the Big Easy's backyard only 25-minutes away from downtown New Orleans! Jean Lafitte Swamp Boat and Airboat Tours' trained navigators will escort you into the murky waters of Jean Lafitte National Historical Park and Preserve where you'll come face to face with the beauty and beasts of nature. Jean Lafitte Swamp Tours offer transportation from the Hilton Riverside hotel, or you can meet us there!

World War II Museum (0.8 mi)

Designated by Congress as the official WWII museum of the United States, The National WWII Museum is located in downtown New Orleans where five soaring pavilions house historical exhibits, a period dinner theater, and a 4D Steven Spielberg film recollecting the events that occurred during the war. Beyond the galleries, webinars, and online collections, patrons are offered new ways to connect to history and honor the generation that sacrificed so much to secure our freedom.

Health Club (on-site)

With over 10,000 sq. ft. of world-class work out facilities, the Health Club by Hilton offers a comfortable, welcoming environment with trained and certified professionals to serve you. There is an extensive variety of group exercise classes including Spinning, Zumba, Ab-Attack, and Pilates reformers along with numerous volleyball, basketball, and tennis courts for private/group lessons or personal play.

Harrah's Casino (0.2 mi)

Experience a fun, friendly casino atmosphere at Harrah's New Orleans one that removes you from the ordinary, with helpful dealers and attentive servers who ensure your total comfort. New and old friends cheer you on as you hit your lucky streak when you're at Harrah's New Orleans. So choose your favorite casino table game and let the good times roll!

Preservation Hall (1 mi)

Situated in the heart of the French Quarter on St. Peter Street, the Preservation Hall venue presents intimate, acoustic New Orleans Jazz concerts over 350 nights a year featuring ensembles from a current collective of 100+ local master practitioners. On any given night, audiences bear joyful witness to the evolution of this venerable and living tradition.

Mercedes-Benz Superdome (1.1 mi)

The Mercedes-Benz Superdome is established as a premier destination for every type of event, and the grand structure builds on that legacy continually. From the biggest, most elaborate productions that thrill thousands to memorable intimate gatherings, the Superdome adapts and captivates. Located in the heart of the New Orleans Central Business District, the Superdome is among the most enviable venues in the nation. And with a stunning spot on the New Orleans skyline and its iconic design, the Superdome is one of America's most recognizable landmarks.

Café du Monde (0.8 mi)

The Original Cafe Du Monde is a traditional coffee shop. Its menu consists of dark roasted Coffee and Chicory and Beignets. Beignets are square French -style doughnuts, lavishly covered with powdered sugar. The Cafe is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week and is a place where locals indulge and guests to the city lose themselves.

Louisiana Children's Museum (0.5 mi)

The Louisiana Children's Museum promotes hands-on participatory learning for children of all ages. Encouraging discovery through observation, inquiry, creative construction, role-playing, problem-solving and free play, the Museum motivates children to develop their cognitive, physical and social skills while enjoying fruitful interaction with adults and peers.

New Orleans' Streetcars (All Over!)

Originally began in 1835, guests enjoy New Orleans Streetcar routes along the Riverfront, up to Cemeteries, City Park or famous St Charles Avenue Line to get up close and personal with the city and all it has to offer while relaxing and simply adoring the ride.