

Attractions in Washington, D.C.:

Newseum: Interactive Museum of News and Journalism

<http://www.newseum.org/>

Hours: Open daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day.

Prices:

Adults, 19 to 64: \$21.95 + tax

Seniors, 65 and older: \$17.95 + tax

Youth, 7 to 18: \$12.95 + tax

Children 6 and younger: Free

Location: 555 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, DC 20001

The International Spy Museum

<http://www.spymuseum.org/>

Hours:

September 3 - October 11 10:00am - 6:00pm

September 19: 10:00am - 7:00pm

October 12: 9:00am - 6:00pm

October 13 - November 27: 10:00am - 6:00pm

Prices:

Adults (ages 12-64) \$20.95

Senior (ages 65+), Military, Law Enforcement \$15.95

Youths (ages 7-11) \$14.95

Children age 6 & under FREE

Location: 800 F Street NW, Washington, DC 20004

The Museum of Crime and Punishment

<http://www.crimemuseum.org/>

Hours:

Sun-Thurs: Aug 25th - Mar 17th 10:00am - 7:00pm

Fri-Sat: Aug 25th - Mar 17th 10:00am - 8:00pm

Prices:

Adults (Ages 12-59) \$21.95

Seniors (Ages 60+) \$19.95

US Law Enforcement (with ID) \$19.95

US Military (with ID) \$19.95

Children (Ages 5-11) \$14.95
Children (Under Age 5) FREE

Location: 575 7th St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20004

Washington National Cathedral

<http://www.nationalcathedral.org/>

Hours:

SUNDAY HOURS

Open for Services

8 am–5 pm

Tours Offered

1–2:30 pm

MONDAY–FRIDAY HOURS

Open

10 am–5:30 pm

Tours Offered

10–11:30 am & 1–3:30 pm

SATURDAY HOURS

Open

10 am–4:30 pm

Tours Offered

10–11:30 am & 1–3 pm

CATHEDRAL STORE HOURS

Monday–Friday

10 am–5 pm

Saturday

10 am–4:30 pm

Sunday

10 am–5 pm

Price: Suggested 10\$ donation

Location: 3101 Wisconsin Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20016

House of the Temple: Masonic Temple

<http://scottishrite.org/headquarters/visitors/>

Hours: Monday–Thursday: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Prices: Adult (18 and over): \$8.00

Groups (10 people or more): \$5.00/person

Student (18 and over w/ student ID): \$3.00
Senior (age 60 and over): \$3.00
Masons & their families (w/ valid dues card): Free
Children (under 18): Free
Active & Retired Military & their families (w/ military ID): Free

Location: 1733 Sixteenth Street, NW Washington, D.C

Phillips Collection: A private modern art museum located in the heart of Washington, DC, features masterpieces ranging from French impressionism to American modernism.

<http://www.phillipscollection.org/index.aspx>

Hours:

Tuesday–Saturday: 10 am–5 pm
Thursday: extended hours to 8:30 pm
Sunday: 11 am–6 pm

Prices:

Adults: \$12
Students: \$10
Adults 62 & over: \$10
Youths 18 & Under: FREE

Location: 1600 21st Street, NW, Washington, DC 20009
Phone: 202-387-2151

National Geographic Museum

<http://events.nationalgeographic.com/events/national-geographic-museum/>

Hours: Open Daily 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

On Thursday, October 10, 2013 A New Age of Exploration exhibition will be closed from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and the museum will close early at 4:00 p.m.

Prices:

Adults – \$11
Members/Military/Seniors (over 62)/Students/Groups (25+) – \$9
Children (ages 5–12) – \$7
Adult Museum Admission plus 3-D Movie – \$16
Child Museum Admission plus 3-D Movie – \$12
3-D Movie – \$7

Location: 1145 17th Street, NW (17th and M), Washington, DC 20036

National Building Museum

<http://www.nbm.org/>

Hours: Open seven days a week

The Museum and Museum Shop Hours: Monday - Saturday, 10 am—5 pm, and Sunday, 11 am—5 pm

Building Zone hours: Monday - Saturday, 10 am—4 pm, and Sunday, 11 am—4 pm

Café hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30 am—4:30 pm; Saturday, 10 am—4:30 pm; Sunday, 11 am—4:30 pm

The Museum is closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, and occasional special events

Prices:

\$8 for adults

\$5 for youth, students, & seniors

\$3 a person for Building Zone only

Free for Museum members.

Free access to the Great Hall, Historic building tours, Museum Shop & cafe.

Marian Koshland Science Museum: Modern science and scientific issues including environmental science, learning, aging and infectious disease.

<https://www.koshland-science-museum.org/>

Hours: Open: 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. daily (last admission, 5 p.m); closed Tuesdays.

Prices:

General admission: \$7

Admission for students or active military (with ID): \$4

Location: 525 E. Street NW, Washington, DC 20001

Madame Tussaud's Washington D.C.:

<http://www.madametussauds.com/washington/default.aspx>

Hours:

September 9th - October 12th

Mon - Thurs: 12 PM-6 PM (Last ticket sold at 6 PM)

Fri - Sun: 10 AM-6 PM (Last ticket sold at 6 PM)

October 13th - October 19th

Sun & Mon: 10 AM-6 PM (Last ticket sold at 6 PM)

Tues - Thurs: 12 PM-6 PM (Last ticket sold at 6 PM)

Fri & Sat: 10 AM-6 PM (Last ticket sold at 6 PM)

Prices:

Adults 13 & Up: \$21.50 (at door)/\$17.20 (online)

Children 4-12: \$17 (at door)/\$13.60 (online)

Location: 1001 F Street NW (Corner of 10th and F Street), Washington D.C. 20004

Lillian and Albert Small Jewish Museum: History of the local Jewish community; preserves the oldest synagogue building in the Washington, D.C., area; operated by the Jewish Historical Society of Greater Washington

<http://www.jhsgw.org/>

Hours:

By appointment **or** Open to the Public Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
For admittance, call (202) 789-0900 or ring doorbell at office half a block west on G Street

The Jewish Historical Society and its Lillian & Albert Small Jewish Museum will be closed:

Thursday, September 19

Friday, September 20

Thursday, September 26

Friday, September 27

Location: Corner of Third & G Streets, NW

Kreeger Museum: 19th- and 20th-century paintings and sculptures by internationally renowned artists, local Washington artists as well as traditional Western and Central African art

<http://www.kreegermuseum.org/>

Hours: Reservations (202) 338-3552

Tuesday-Thursday: Reservations required for admittance. Guests must sign up for the 10:30 am or 1:30 pm guided tour. Call 202-338-3552 or email visitorservices@kreegermuseum.org.

Friday & Saturday: Open 10 am to 4 pm. No reservations needed. Optional guided tours at 10:30 & 1:30 on Fridays; 10:30, 12:00 & 2:00 on Saturdays

The Museum is closed Sundays, Mondays and the month of August.

Prices:

Adults: \$10

Members of the military (with ID): \$7

Students (with ID): \$7

Seniors (65+): \$7

Children (12 & under): Free

Members: Free

Location: 2401 Foxhall Road, NW, Washington D.C. 20007

DAR Museum: Owned by Daughters of the American Revolution, features 30 period rooms of decorative arts including furniture, silver, paintings, ceramics, textiles, toys and quilts.

<http://www.dar.org/museum/>

Hours:

DAR Library

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.

Sunday closed

DAR Museum & Shop

Monday-Friday 9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday closed

DAR Americana Collection

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Saturday closed

Sunday closed

Period Room Tours

Monday-Friday 10:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Sunday closed

Location: 1776 D Street NW, Washington DC 20006

Pope John Paul II Cultural Center

<http://www.jp2shrine.org/en/index.html>

Hours:

Monday-Saturday 10-5

*The facility is handicap accessible; ramps are located at front and side entrances. Free parking is available.

Location:

3900 Harewood Road NE, Washington, DC 20017

Anderson House: Headquarters of the Society of the Cincinnati, early 1900s palatial residence with period furnishings, Society artifacts, portraits, armaments, and personal artifacts of Revolutionary War soldiers.

http://societyofthecincinnati.org/anderson_house/history

Hours:

Tuesday through Saturday 1 p.m. - 4 p.m

Library Hours

Monday through Friday

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

For appointments:

202.785.2040, ext. 411
library@societyofthecincinnati.org

Prices: Free admission
Guided tours last approximately one hour
No reservations required, except for groups of ten or more

Location: 2118 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20008

Hillwood Museum & Gardens: Marjorie Merriweather Post Mansion : This Washington, DC historic site, former estate of art collector and philanthropist Marjorie Merriweather Post, showcases Russian and French art.

<http://www.hillwoodmuseum.org/>

Hours: Tuesday to Saturday 10am to 5pm

Prices: Suggested 15\$ donation

Location: 4155 Linnean Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20008

DC Walkabout Tours

<http://dcwalkabout.com/>

“DC Walkabout is pleased to be the only Washington DC Audio Walking Tour company. We offer several downloadable MP3 walking tours that are available anytime, day or night. Currently our American Scandal, Haunted History, and Lincoln Assassination tours are available for purchase, and the Capitol Hill, National Mall, and Tidal Basin tours are coming very soon” (<http://dcwalkabout.com/>).

Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception:

The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception is the largest Roman Catholic church in the United States and North America, and is one of the ten largest churches in the world.

<http://washington.org/find-dc-listings/basilica-national-shrine-immaculate-conception>

Location & Contact Info: 400 Michigan Ave. NE, Washington, DC 20017-1566
Phone: 202-526-8300

Bike and Roll

<http://bikethesites.com/>

“Bike and Roll offers the most entertaining and informative bike tours and Segway tours of Washington DC. We are also the only official bike tour of the National Cherry Blossom Festival! Learn about the sites, history and stories behind the National Mall and surrounding area. There is no better way to get up close and personal with all the great sites that Washington, DC and Alexandria, VA have to offer than from the seat of a bike or a Segway. Come and explore with us” (<http://bikethesites.com/>).

Location & Contact Info:

1100 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington DC 20004

Phone: 202-842-2453 / 866-736-8224

Entertainment Cruises

<http://www.entertainmentcruises.com/city/Washington-DC/metro>

“Entertainment Cruises provides the most unique and entertaining, dining cruise experience. View Washington, DC aboard the elegant Odyssey and enjoy a three-course plated meal and live band entertainment, or set sail on the festive Spirit of Washington and dine on grand buffets with DJ entertainment. Take the family on the fun and educational *Spirit of Mount Vernon* for an exciting excursion to George Washington's home and gardens.

(<http://www.entertainmentcruises.com/city/Washington-DC/metro>).

Location & Contact Info:

600 Water St. SW, Washington, DC 20024

Phone: 202-488-6010 / 866-402-8439

Attractions in: Alexandria, Virginia

The History of the Alexandria Black History Museum

<http://www.alexandriava.gov/BlackHistory>

Hours:

Monday: Closed

Tuesday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Wednesday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Thursday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Friday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Saturday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Sunday: Closed

Location: 902 Wythe St, Alexandria, VA 22314

George Washington Masonic Memorial

<http://gwmemorial.org/>

Hours:

Monday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Tuesday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Wednesday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Thursday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Friday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Saturday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Sunday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Location: 101 Callahan Dr, Alexandria, VA 22301.

Collingwood Library and Museum- property once owned by George Washington

<http://www.collingwoodlibrary.com/>

Hours:

Monday: 10am-4pm

Tuesday Closed

Wednesday-Saturday: 10am-4pm

Sunday 11am-3pm

Location: 8301 E Boulevard Dr, Alexandria, VA 22308

Fort Ward Museum and Historic Site- A fort for the Union during the civil war

<http://alexandriava.gov/FortWard>

Hours:

Monday Closed

Tuesday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Wednesday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Thursday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Friday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Saturday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Sunday 12:00–5:00 pm

Location: 4301 W Braddock Rd, Alexandria, VA 22304

Free King Street Trolley

The Free King Street Trolley runs every 15 minutes between Union Street and the King St - Old Town Metrorail station from 11:30 a.m. to 10:15 p.m. daily, with stops at the following cross streets (in order from west to east, or toward the waterfront):

King St - Old Town Metrorail Station

Peyton Street (1400 block of King Street)
Fayette Street (1200 block)
Patrick Street (1000 block)
Columbus Street (800 block)
St. Asaph Street (600 block)
Royal Street (400 block)
Lee Street (200 block)
Union Street (Unit block)

Attractions in Mt. Vernon, VA:

Mt. Vernon

Visit George Washington's restored 18th century mansion. In addition to the mansion you can also explore the grounds of the Mt. Vernon Estate, complete with the Property's outbuildings, farm animals, a memorial honoring the slaves of the Mt. Vernon Estate as well as the Washington Family tombs. There is also an informative orientation center.

<http://www.mountvernon.org/>

Admission:

Adults (12-61): \$17

Youths (6-11): \$8

Seniors (62 & over): \$16

Children 5 & Under: FREE

Tickets can be reserved online at the following link: <http://www.mountvernon.org/tickets>

For help purchasing tickets please call: 1-800-429-1520 (option 5) or emailonlineticketing@mountvernon.org.

Tickets are sold on a first come- first serve basis but may be purchased at the gate on your day of arrival should you not be certain of your travel arrangements.

Location: 3200 Mount Vernon Memorial Highway, Mount Vernon, VA 22309

Attractions in: Williamsburg & Jamestown, Virginia

Colonial Williamsburg

<http://www.visitwilliamsburg.com/>

Location: 101 Visitor Center Drive, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185

Phone: 1-800-447-8679

Historic Jamestowne:

Hours:

Visitor Center open daily 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Gate closes at 4:30 pm. Closed Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day.

Prices:

\$14 per adult for a seven-day ticket including Historic Jamestowne and Yorktown Battlefield.

Children under 16: free.

National Parks passes and Preservation Virginia memberships are accepted, but a \$5 fee may apply for entrance to the site.

Location: Historic Jamestowne on Jamestown Island at 1368 Colonial Parkway, Jamestown, VA

Busch Gardens:

<http://seaworldparks.com/en/buschgardens-williamsburg>

Hours: Friday, Saturday, Sunday: 10:00am-10:00pm

Location: 1 Busch Gardens Boulevard, Williamsburg, Va. 23185

Attractions in Baltimore, Maryland:

Historic Ships in Baltimore:

<http://www.historicships.org/index.html>

Hours: 10 A. M. – 4:30 P.M.

Ticket info:

Adult (15-59)- \$11, \$14, and \$18

*Ticket price depends on how many ships you decide to tour

Seniors: (60+) \$9, \$12, \$15

Youth (6-14) \$5,\$6,\$7

Kids (5 and under) Free

Location: 301 Pier 3 Baltimore, MD 21202

Ripley's believe it or not

<http://www.ripleys.com/baltimore/>

Hours:

Monday-Saturday 10am-9pm

Sunday 10am-7pm

Prices:

General Admission \$17.99

Combo ticket package: GA+ 4D Theater \$22.99, GA+Mirror Maze \$22.99, Mirror Maze + 4D Theater 22.99, 3 way combo \$25.99

Location: 301 Light Street Baltimore, Md 21201

Baltimore Museum of Art

<http://www.artbma.org/index.html>

Hours:

Monday and Tuesday- Closed

Wednesday-Friday 10am- 5pm

Saturday and Sunday 11am-6pm

Prices:

General Admission: Free

Location: 10 Art Museum Drive Baltimore, MD 21218

Baltimore Basilica: Benjamin Henry Latrobe, the 2nd Architect of the Capitol, also designed the Baltimore Basilica (America's First Cathedral).

<http://www.baltimorebasilica.org/>

Hours:

Monday-Friday 7am – 4pm

Saturdays: 7am-6:30pm

Sundays: 7am-5:30pm

Location: 409 Cathedral St, Baltimore MD 21201