



Philipps Tours New Orleans Mardi Gras

Day one February 8, 2026 Sunday
 Area Departures –consult confirmation letter
 am morning break McDonalds
 11:15-12:15 Lunch at Golden Corral, included
 2:30-2:55 rest area Farmer City
 5:30 PM Mt. Vernon IL Hilton Double Tree Restaurant inside hotel

February 8
 Hilton Double Tree
 222 Potomac Blvd.
 Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
 618-244-7100

February 9
 Prado Hotel
 610 E. Cty Line RD
 Ridgeland, MS 39157
 769-209-4838

February 10 & 11
 Drury Plaza
 820 Poydras St.
 New Orleans, LA 70112
 504-529-7800

February 12, 2026
 Prado Hotel
 610 E. Cty Line RD
 Ridgeland, MS 39157
 769-209-4838

February 13, 2026
 Drury Inn
 2608 East Malone Ave.
 Sikeston, MO 63801
 573-472-2299

February 14, 2026
 Holiday Inn Express
 140 Ashland Street
 Morton, IL 61550
 309-263-4400

Day two February 9, 2026 Monday Breakfast Included opens at 6:00 AM
 7:30 AM depart 9:30-9:50 Marsten Highway rest area
 11:45- lunch included on Beale Street
 1:00-2:15 Tour Rock & Soul Museum
 4:30-4:50 Vaiden Rest Area
 5:45 Jackson MS Ridgeland Prado Hotel light lunch and cocktails included

Day three February 10, 2026 Tuesday Breakfast at 6:00 AM included 8:00 AM AM Depart
 9:30-9:50 Louisiana Welcome Center
 11:30-1:00 New Orleans Riverwalk Mall Food Court
 1:15-4:45 PM World War II Museum & 4:00 PM Movie "Beyond All Boundaries"
 Check into Drury Plaza New Orleans Cocktails included before dinner
 6:15 depart 6:30-8:30 PM New Orleans Cooking School Dinner included

Day four February 11, 2026 Wednesday
 8:00 AM depart hotel breakfast included opens at 6:00 AM
 8:00-11:00 New Orleans City Tour—Cemetery stop, local neighborhoods
 11:00–1:45 PM French Quarter—Bourbon Street-art shops, music, Café Dumonde Beignets
 2:30-3:35 PM Mardi Gras World—tour float factory, see how parade floats are constructed
 4:00 PM Drury Inn light lunch & cocktails included
 8:00 Mardi Gras Parade one block from hotel –reserved Grandstand Seating-walk to parade

Day five February 12, 2026 Thursday 8:15 AM depart hotel breakfast included opens at 6:00 AM
 9:30-12:30 Oak Alley Plantation tour Planation home, slave cabins & lunch
 1:30-3:15 Kleiberts Alligator & Reptile Demonstration
 Mississippi Welcome Center break
 5:45 PM Prado Hotel Jackson Cocktail and light meal included

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Day six February 13, 2026 Friday 8:00 AM depart Breakfast included at 6:00 AM
 10:00-10:15 Rest Area near Batesville
 11:15-3:00 PM Graceland– Mansion Tour, Elvis's cars & airplane, museum
 5:30 PM Sikeston Drury Inn Cocktails and light meal included

Day seven February 14, 2026 Saturday 7:45 AM depart breakfast included open 7:00 AM
 10:15-10:30 Homestead Rest area
 11:30-12:30 PM Golden Corral included
 12:45-3:00 PM Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum
 3:10-4:00 Abraham Lincoln Grave
 5:30 PM Morton IL Holiday Inn Express Cracker barrel next door

Day eight February 15, 2026 Sunday Breakfast included open at 6:30 AM
 7:30 am depart
 9:45-10:00 Welcome to WI Rest area
 11:30-12:30 Lake Delton Wi Dells Pizza Ranch included
 Estimated 2:00 Onalaska 2:35 Winona
 3:30 PM Rochester

Jack Philipps cell phone ONLY USE WHEN ON THE TRIP 507-458-8712
 Internet User, Choose bus number and Password is Coachbus

A \$100.00 deposit per person is due when making reservation. **\$25.00 is non-refundable**, \$75.00 is refundable up until December 30, 2025. Full payment is due and nonrefundable by December 30. Canceling after December 30 will result in partial refunds if available.

Cost per person:
 Single occupancy \$2500.00
 Double occupancy \$1925.00
 Triple Occupancy \$1730.00
 Quad occupancy \$1675.00