

The Villages Clubs

MARDI GRAS IN MOBILE

5 Days February 13-17, 2010

Mobile is not only recognized as celebrating the first-known American Mardi Gras celebration in 1703 (yes, even before New Orleans), but also as home to the "America's Family Mardi Gras" delighting both young and old from around town and across the nation. For weeks, the streets of downtown Mobile are filled with the sights and sounds of live marching bands, brilliant-colored floats and of course the crowds of parade goers that is Mardi Gras in Mobile.

Tour Highlights:

- * Luxury Motorcoach Transportation
- * Mardi Gras Day Parades - Fat Tuesday
- * Joe Cain Mardi Gras Parade
- * Mardi Gras Queen Coronation Pageant
- * Krewe De Bienville Ball
- * Mardi Gras Children's Parade
- * Infant of Mystic Parade
- * Tea at the Richards DAR Museum
- * Bellingrath Gardens & Home Tour
- * Mobile Carnival Museum
- * Mobile City Sightseeing - Local Guides
- * Four Nights First Class Lodging
- * Four Hotel Breakfasts
- * Two Dinners
- * All Taxes & Tips on these Services
- * Luggage Handling

Per Person Prices

\$749 DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

\$719 TRIPLE...\$699 QUAD...\$1,099 SINGLE

\$200 per person deposit with reservation
Final Payment due by January 7, 2010

Make checks payable to US TOURS

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Day 1 - Travel to Mobile, AL. Check into your downtown hotel for a four night stay. Meet guide depart for Mobile Carnival Museum see the gowns worn by past Kings & Queens. Late Dinner at a local restaurant. This evening attend the Coronation of the Mardi Gras Queen Pageant.

Day 2 - Morning Tour of Bellingrath Gardens & Home. This 65 acre garden estate, is in full bloom year round with camellias in the winter, azaleas in the spring, roses in the summer, chrysanthemums in autumn and Magic Christmas in Lights during the holiday season. You will also have the chance to tour the Bellingrath Home complete with its original furnishings and Mrs. Bellingrath's extensive collection of decorative arts. Lunch will be on own. Return to Mobile for the annual Joe Cain Parade. Mardi Gras revelers decorate anything they can push, pull, or drag for the Joe Cain Procession and parade, which is as much fun to watch as it is to ride. Dinner is on own. Reserved Balcony seating for the Krewe De Bienville Ball. An evening filled with entertainment and visits from the King, Queen and Court of Mardi Gras.

Day 3 - Mardi Gras Children's Parade in the morning. Next, meet your guide and see the sights of Mobile, including a stop for Tea at the Richards DAR Museum. This 1860 antebellum townhouse is one of Mobile's most significant examples of Italianate style. Highlights include Cornelius chandeliers, Carrara marble mantles, cantilevered staircase, walled-in garden. Early Dinner is included at a Local Restaurant. See the Infant of Mystic Parade in the evening.

Day 4 - MARDI GRAS DAY - Fat Tuesday. A full day of parades from 10:30-6:30pm. Enjoy the revelry crowds and fun on the street in front of your hotel.

Day 5 - Depart for home.

Make Check Payable to US TOURS

Mail application to 424 Bishopville Loop, The Villages, FL 32162

Reservation Form

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Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phones: Home _____

Roommate(s) _____

Work _____

Double _____ Triple _____ Quad _____ Single _____

Cell _____

Email Address: _____

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