

Tour Add-Ons Suggestions

Visit the **McFaddin-Ward House** first
(10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. tour times)
to enjoy a top Beaumont Attraction.

Tour Reservation line: **(409) 832-2134.**

Then round out your tour with any of the following suggestions:

** ATTRACTIONS NEAR TO THE MCFADDIN-WARD HOUSE MUSEUM

- **Art Museum of Southeast Texas** www.amset.org (409) 832-3432
- **Babe Didrikson Zaharias Museum & Visitor Center** www.babedidriksonzaharias.org/museum.cfm
(409) 880-3749
- **Edison Museum** www.edisonmuseum.org (409) 981-3089
- **Fire Museum of Texas Home of the World's Largest Fire Hydrant** www.firemuseumoftexas.org
(409) 880-3927
- **John Jay French Museum** www.jjfrench.com (409) 898-0348
- **Neches River Boat Tours on The Cardinal** www.lulearn.net/elrc_register.htm 409-880-8907
- **Spindletop/Gladys City Boomtown Museum** <http://www.spindletop.org> (409) 835-0823
- **Texas Energy Museum** www.texasenergymuseum.org (409) 833-5100
- **The Chambers House** <http://www.chambershouse.org> (409) 898-0348

--and many more

**LIVE THEATER

- **Beaumont Community Players:** www.beaumontcommunityplayers.com
- **City of Beaumont's venues and festivals:** www.beaumont-tx-complex.com/upcomingevents.html
 - **Jefferson Theatre**
 - **Julie Rogers Theatre**
- **Beaumont Ballet**
- **Lamar University:** www.lamar.edu/newsevents/events.php
- **Lutcher Theatre for the Performing Arts:** www.lutcher.org
- **The Symphony of Southeast Texas:** www.sost.org/Home.html
- **Log-On Café (alternative music)** www.logoncafe.net

**NATURE/ECO-TOURISM

- **Beaumont Botanical Gardens** www.beaumontbotanicalgardens.com (409) 842-3135
- **Big Thicket National Preserve** www.bigthicketdirectory.com/index.html (409) 951-6802
- **Eastex Canoe Trails** www.texascanoetrips.com (409) 751-0911
- **Gator Country** www.gatorcountrytx.net (409) 794-9453
- **Piney Woods Outfitters** www.canoetexas.com (409) 751-0911
- **Texas A & M University Agricultural Research & Extension Center** www.beaumont.tamu.edu
(409) 752-2741
- **Village Creek State Park** www.tpwd.state.tx.us/spdest/findadest/parks/village_creek (409) 755-7322
- **Great Texas Coastal Birding Trail** www.tpwd.state.tx.us/huntwild/wild/wildlife_trails/coastal/
- **Texas Forest Trail** www.texasforesttrail.com

****SHOPPING**

- **Parkdale Mall** www.parkdalemalltx.com/shop/parkdale.nsf/index
- **Texas Company** for unusual Texas coffees and spices www.texjoy.com
- Antique Stores in the area
- Check out for other ideas: www.beaumontcvb.com/visitor-services

****WINERIES**

- **D'Vine Wine Winery**, Beaumont www.dvinewinebmt.com (409) 861-0400
- **Bruno & George Winery**, Sour Lake www.brunoandgeorge.com (409) 963-8235
- **Piney Woods Country Wines**, Orange www.pineywoodswines.com (409) 883-5408

****RELIGIOUS**

- **St. Anthony Cathedral Basilica, Beaumont** www.stanthonycathedral.org (409) 833-6433
- **Temple Emanuel**, Beaumont www.emmanuelbeaumont.org (409) 832-6131
- **Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine**, Port Arthur www.patx.us/olgchurch (409) 962-6777
- **Buu Mon Buddhist Temple**, Port Arthur www.buumon.org (409) 982-9319
- **Queen of Peace Shrine and Gardens**, Port Arthur (409) 983-7676
- **First Presbyterian Church**, Orange www.firstpresorange.com (409) 883-2097

****OTHER IDEAS TO ROUND OUT THE TOUR:**

- **Adventure Kingdom:** www.adventurekingdom.com (409) 751-5464
- **Antique Stores**—nine stores or malls within a few miles of the museum
- **Bowling -- Crossroads Bowling Center** www.crossroadsbowlingcenter.com (409) 899-2695
- **Club Fetch** – laser tag and family focused arcade and food. (409) 924-9792
- **Clifton Steam Boat Museum** 8727 Fannett Road www.cliftonsteamboatmuseum.com (409) 842-1910
- **Festivals and Fun(d)raisers:** <http://www.beaumontcvb.com/Calendar>
- **Gambling in Louisiana** Stop on your way to/back
- **Golf Center: Games People Play** www.gppgolf.com (409) 866-3883
- **Golf Courses** – nine in the area see: www.beaumontcvb.com/attractions
- **Lamar University** www.lamar.edu (409) 880-7011
- **Lamar University Sports:** www.lamarcardinals.cstv.com (409) 880-1715
- **Movies at Cinemark Tinseltown** www.cinemark.com 409-840-4432
- **Movies at Hollywood Star Theater** www.fandango.com (409) 898-4441
- **Putt-Putt Golf—Colorado Canyon** 6110 Folsom Road www.coloradocanyonfun.com
(409) 347-4FUN
- **Tyrrell Historical Library**--for researching genealogy (409) 833-2759
- **Tyrrell Park -- Beaumont Botanical Gardens & Warren Loose Conservatory**
www.beaumontbotanicalgardens.com
- **Tyrrell Park Stables** www.tyrrellparkstables.googlepages.com/home (409) 842-1515
- **Vallie Marie Day Spa** www.Valliemarie.com (409) 892-7272

McFaddin-Ward House (409) 832-2134
www.mcfaddin-ward.org

Southeast Texas Driving Tours

(Be sure to check ahead the availability of these suggestions)

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Black Gold Trail -- Beaumont

- Follow the History of the "Cradle of the Petroleum Age."
 - *Spindletop/Gladys City Boomtown Museum* (celebrates the first oil gusher).
 - *Texas Energy Museum* (how petroleum contributes).
 - Enjoy lunch.
 - 1:30 p.m. tour at *The McFaddin-Ward House Museum* (the bounty of Spindletop!).

Pioneer Trail – Beaumont

- Beaumont-area museums celebrate historic events in Beaumont.
 - *John Jay French House* (oldest house in Jefferson County open for tours—1845).
 - *Spindletop/Gladys City Boomtown Museum* (walk around an early 1900s oil town).
 - Enjoy lunch.
 - 1:30 p.m. tour at *The McFaddin-Ward House* (home to an early Beaumont family).
 - End with shopping at an antique store or mall.

Devotion Trail – Southeast Texas

- Visit different houses of worship after an historic house tour of a family who were devoted members of St. Mark's Episcopal Church.
 - 10:00 a.m. tour at *The McFaddin-Ward House*.
 - Nearby are the newly-refurbished *St. Anthony's Cathedral Basilica* and the newly-restored *Temple Emanuel*.
 - In Port Arthur Further are the *Buu Mon Buddhist Temple*, *The Queen of Peace Shrine*, and the Vietnamese *Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine*.
 - In Orange is *The First Presbyterian Church* (with its glorious stain glass).
 - The Thursday, Friday, and Saturday before Easter is "Last Days of Christ," an outdoor reenactment. www.lastdaysofchrist.com

Historic House Trail–Beaumont

- 10:00 a.m. tour at *The McFaddin-Ward House* (built in 1906).
 - *The Chambers House* (built in 1906).
 - Drive through *Oaks Historic Neighborhood* which borders these two museums.
 - Enjoy lunch.
 - Finish with the *John J French Museum* (built and added on mid-1800s).

Historic House Trail– Southeast Texas

- 10:00 a.m. tour at *The McFaddin-Ward House*. Add a house tour in another part of the Golden Triangle.
 - In Port Arthur (www.portarthurtexas.com) are *Pompeiiian Villa*, *Rose Hill*, *La Maison Acadienne*, and *White Haven*.
 - In Orange (www.orangetexas.org) are the *W.H. Stark House* and *Stark Art Museum*.
 - In Kountz is the *Kirby-Hill House* (www.kirby-hillhouse.org).

Restaurant Suggestions

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LOCALLY-OWNED RESTAURANTS within 2 miles of the McFaddin-Ward House

- **Good for Large Groups:**
- **In Downtown**
 - **Crocket Street** — the complex has several restaurants with different menus.
www.crockettstreet.com
- **Towards I-10**
 - **Brazos Cattle Company**— noted for great steaks and ribs. 5055 Eastex Frwy.
www.brazoscattlecompany.com (409) 895-0099
- **Good for Smaller Groups:**
- **Towards or in Downtown**
 - **Katherine & Company** – noted for its salads and sandwiches. 1495 Calder St (409) 833-9919. Shares building with 4,000-sq-ft Finder's Fayre Quality Antiques
 - **Suga's Deep South Cuisine & Jazz Bar** 461 Bowie Street at Park
www.sugasdeepsouth.com (409) 813-1808
 - **Two Magnolias** – light lunches. Located in the Art Museum of Southeast Texas. (409) 833-5913
- **Towards I-10 & Calder**
 - **Easy's** – noted for its unusual Spanish tapas. 2325 Calder (between 7th & 8th)
www.easysonline.com (409) 832-2600
 - **Carmela's Mexican Restaurant** 3925 Calder Ave (409) 898-4745
 - **Frankie's Italian Grill** 105 I-10 North (409) 835-9200
 - **Great China** 3135 Calder Ave. (409) 833-0537
 - **New York Pizza & Pasta** 4405 Calder Avenue (409) 892-6535
 - **Rao's Bakery and Coffee Café** (pastries and coffee blends) www.raosbakery.com (409) 832-4342
 - **Willy Ray's Bar-B-Q Co** 145 IH-10 N. @ Laurel www.willyraysbbq.com (409) 832-4371
- **Towards I-10 & 11th Street**
 - **Chula Vista Mexican Restaurant** 1135 N. 11th Street (409) 898-8855
 - **Maggie's Homestyle Café** 2584 North 11th Street (409) 899-2005
 - **Patillo's Bar-B-Q** 610 N. 11th @ McFaddin (409) 832-2572

BOX LUNCHES

- **Jason's Deli** www.jasonsdeli.com (409) 833-5914
- **Willy Ray's Bar-B-Q Co** www.willyraysbbq.com (409) 832-4371

WINERY

- **D'Vine Wine Winery** (light lunches) 6755 Phelan Blvd www.dvinewinebmt.com (409) 861-0400

OTHER NEARBY CHAIN RESTAURANTS

- **Café Del Rio** 2830 IH-10E @ 11th (409) 347-1644
- **Chili's** (American) 110 IH-10 S. www.chilis.com (409) 832-1253
- **Luby's Cafeteria** 2695 Interstate 10 East IH-10 @ N. 11th www.lubys.com (409) 838-5566
- **Red Lobster** 2820 IH-10 E. www.redlobster.com (409) 892-7821
- **The Olive Garden** 585 IH-10 S. @ Calder www.olivegarden.com (409) 832-9058

Additional Restaurant Suggestions

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RESTAURANTS at the West-End of Beaumont along I-10:

- **Cracker Barrel** 5390 Walden Road www.crackerbarrel.com (409) 842-5420
- **Golden Corral** 2190 IH-10 S @ Washington www.goldencorral.net (409) 842-2441
- **Floyd's Cajun Seafood and Steak House**– noted for its seafood and Cajun dishes.
IH-10 S @ Washington (409) 842-0686
- **Carrabba's Italian Grill** 1550 IH-10 N. www.carrabbas.com (409) 842-5561
- **Cheddar's Casual Café** (American) 3815 IH-10 S. www.cheddars.com (409) 840-5333
- **Fujiyama** (Japanese cuisine) 1970 IH-10 S. (409) 840-4414
- **Iron Skillet** Petro Truck Stop 5405 Walden Rd. @ IH-10 South (409) 842-9606
- **Joe's Crab Shack** 3825 IH-10 S. www.joescrabshack.com (409) 842-4433
- **Johnny Carino's** (Italian) 3805 IH-10 S. www.carinos.com (409) 842-1919
- **Outback Steak House** 2060 IH-10 S. www.outbacksteakhouse.com (409) 842-6699
- **Pappadeaux Seafood Kitchen** 4040 IH-10 S. @ Walden Rd www.pappadeaux.com
(409) 842-1339
- **Rockin' A Café** (cafeteria-style comfort food and close to Gladys City/Spindletop)
3520 West Cardinal Drive www.rockinacafe.com (409) 842-0010

RESTAURANTS near Parkdale Mall

- **Acapulco Mexican Grill** 4555 Dowlen (409) 899-9393
- **Applebee's Neighborhood Grill** 4405 Dowlen www.applebees.com (409) 296-9818
- **Casa Ole** 5898 Eastex Frwy. @ Dowlen www.casaoleinc.com (409) 899-2646
- **Fuddruckers** 4545 Dowlen Rd www.fuddruckers.com (409) 898-8973
- **Golden Dragon** (Chinese) 6420 Eastex Frwy. (409) 924-7331
- **IHOP** 5875 Eastex Freeway www.ihop.com (409) 833-5510
- **Logan's Roadhouse** 4185 North Dowlen www.logansroadhouse.com (409) 347-2977
- **Lone Star Steakhouse Seafood & Grill** 6685 Eastex Frwy. (409) 898-0801
- **Pappa's Bar-B-Q** 5860 Eastex Frwy. (409) 899-2485
- **Parkdale Mall Food Court** 6155 Eastex Frwy www.parkdalemalltx.com. (409) 898-2222
- **Peking Chinese** 5868 Eastex Frwy. (409) 899-2139
- **Ryan's Family Steak House** 4260 North Dowlen Rd. www.ryansinc.com (409) 924-0331
- **Sertino's Cafe** (coffee house with sandwiches) 5657 Eastex Freeway www.sertinos.com
(409) 892-0600
- **Tokyo Japanese Steak House & Sushi Bar** 4438 Dowlen Rd. (409) 896-2400

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