



51st New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Festival

April 30– May 4th, 2020

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| AM | <p>For those of you arriving on your own. You can check in to our hotel at 2pm. If you arrive early they can store your bags for you! We will be there to pass out your Krewe of Jazz Pass as you arrive if you'd like to enjoy music this day.</p> <p>Arrival in New Orleans. You will be met by your Altruvistas staff for your transfer to our Hotel, a 4 star historic property. We are choosing this property because its location.</p> |
| 5:00PM | <p>Welcome Cocktail Reception Meet and Greet with your KCSM and Altruvistas NOLA representatives at the Hotel. The New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Festival and Foundation, Inc. is the nonprofit organization that owns the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival. The Foundation's proceeds are used for year round activities in the areas of education, economic development and cultural enrichment. Please see www.jazzandheritage.org</p> |
| 6:30 PM | <p>Welcome Dinner.</p> |
| 9:30 PM | <p>Enjoy the use of your Krewe of Jazz Fest Pass this evening!</p> |

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	Daily: Breakfast on your own at the hotel. They are open from 7 am until 11:00 am daily.
9:00 AM	Overview of Nola Jazz with a VIP visit to New Orleans Jazz Radio WWOZ.
10:30AM	Visit the Ellis Marsalis Center for Music, the centerpiece of Musicians' Village, is a 17,000 square foot facility that serves as a performance, education and community venue. The Center includes a 170-seat performance hall, recording studios and teaching facilities for individual and group instruction, and a gathering place for the community. https://www.ellismarsaliscenter.org/musicians-village
12:30 PM	Lunch
2:00 PM	Enjoy the New Orleans Jazz Festival and the use of your Krewe of Jazz Fest VIP Pass.
EVE	Or Optional Cultural Activity: Enjoy a guided walking tour to illuminate a brief history of the city's important music sites with a focus on the diverse architecture of the city. Our walk takes us through its oldest neighborhood to learn about the historic, architectural, and cultural significance of this area. Explore the world's richest musical city, starting with Louis Armstrong Park and Congo Square , historic site of African slave gatherings, the only place in North American where pure West African religious ritual and musical traditions were performed. Congo Square is considered the wellspring of all New Orleans music and, consequently, so much of worldwide popular song. It is also the site of the first New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Festival (1970) and the Municipal Auditorium. Meals Included : Breakfast , Lunch

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9:30AM	We enjoy a welcome lecture by a local learn about the special history of Nola post Katrina.
11:00AM	Let's walk to the New Orleans Jazz Museum at the Old U.S. Min. then we will enjoy a visit through a New Orleans cemetery or "City of the Dead" .
1:00 PM	Lunch
2:00 PM	Enjoy the New Orleans Jazz Festival and the use of your Krewe of Jazz Fest VIP Pass.

Or an optional walking tour through Tremé. This is an important African American neighborhood where we learn about the music of the Afro Diaspora, traditional jazz, Rock n' Roll, the industrial sounds of the 1990's and more.

Meals Included : Breakfast, Lunch

May 3rd, 2020 :

- 10:00AM Enjoy a walking tour through the Garden and French Quarter districts. We will visit one of the old Mansion museums to get a glimpse in to the history and architecture of the past. We will end at the Café du Monde in the Market and enjoy free time for personal exploration and shopping
- 12:30 PM Lunch
- 2:00 PM Enjoy the New Orleans Jazz Festival and the use of your **Krewe of Jazz Fest VIP Pass.**
- 7:00PM **Farewell Dinner Celebration!**

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May 4th, 2020

- AM Check out and depart for the airport
- 12:00PM Check out of Hotel for those that are leaving on their own.

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