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HILADELPHIA MUSEUM OF ART

ING TERMINAL MARK

THE **BY-THE-BOOK**

PHILADELPHIA TRIP

For the traveler who comes to Philadelphia to see... Philadelphia. We've always been pretty fond of giving the people what they want. History, culture, food-it's all in here.



LOVE PARK

DAY

DAY 02

VISITOR CENTER

Start here and the agenda will follow. Personalized concierges offer trip-planning help in 12 languages. phlvisitorcenter.com

INDEPENDENCE HALL

A UNESCO World Heritage Site (with free admission), where Ben Franklin, Thomas Jefferson and America's Founders signed the Declaration of Independence. nps.gov/inde

LIBERTY BELL

The world-renowned symbol of American Independence is free to see. You'll want to check out the park's surrounding exhibits, too. nps.gov/inde

NATIONAL CONSTITUTION CENTER

There's a story behind our nation's charter. Maybe you've heard it before, maybe not. Come learn all about it. constitutioncenter.org

READING TERMINAL MARKET

Nibble your way through America's original farmers market. 80+ restaurants and merchants make it a tour within a tour. readingterminalmarket.org

CITY HALL & DILWORTH PARK

Here's your photo op. The Broad Street median plays catwalk for visitors year-round, rolling out the perfect stage with City Hall (our French-inspired architectural centerpiece) as your backdrop. centercityphila.org/parks/dilworth-park

LOVE PARK

Cross the street and stop to say "cheese" in front of our picture-perfect statue.

EAT UP

You packed the nice outfit for a reason. Rittenhouse Square is the courtyard for some of Philadelphia's most elegant dining and shopping. phlvisitorcenter.com

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HOP-ON HOP-OFF BUS TOURS Any history we've missed, the buses won't. Hop-on hop-off sightseeing tours are available in multiple languages.

THE ITALIAN MARKET

Wander the open-air market that's as close to the Old World as you'll find in the States. Retrace Rocky's jog while you're at it. (Yep, that Rocky.) italianmarketphilly.org

PAT'S & GENO'S Philadelphia's two most famous cheesesteaks are cooked right across the street from one another. Bring a friend and do one of each. patskingofsteaks.com aenosteaks.com

MUSEUM OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

PRESIDENT'S HOUSE nps.gov/inde

ELFRETH'S ALLEY

Stroll down our nation's oldest residential street and experience a cozy preservation of Colonial America. *elfrethsalley.org*

DINNER IN OLD CITY Old City does today as well as 1776. Settle

DESSERT

Bakeries, chocolatiers and ice cream shops drizzle the city with our Pennsylvania Dutch heritage. Prefer a different sort of night cap? Philadelphia nightlife is seven days a week. discoverPHL.com/visit/dine

DAY 03

Relive the story of the American Revolution, battle by battle. Plus, get a glance of George Washington's actual tent. amrevmuseum.org

Explore the groundwork of our nation's founding executive mansion, now serving as a remembrance of the contributions of African Americans to our nation's history.

into a booth for small plates of New American cuisine or dine by candlelight like the Founders did. oldcitydistrict.org

SCHUYLKILL RIVER TRAIL

That's pronounced Skook-ill. Plan your day on the 20+ miles (32+ km) of nature trails hidden in plain sight. If you're traveling in twos, keep an eye out for the tandem bike rentals. schuylkillrivertrail.com

PHILADELPHIA MUSEUM OF ART

Follow Rocky's steps. All 72 of them. Then marvel at the cultural pulse of the city: The Philadelphia Museum of Art. philamuseum.org

BOATHOUSE ROW

By day or night, Boathouse Row is one of Philadelphia's most iconic views. Strike a pose. And another, and another. boathouserow.org

SNACK TIME

You'll be up and down the Schuylkill River Trail all day. Keep an eye out for riverside restaurants and cafes for some quick fuel.

FAIRMOUNT PARK

Lace up and head to the trailheads at Fairmount Park. Ask about a mansion tour while you're at it. *fairmountpark.org*

RODIN MUSEUM

Revel in one of the largest collections of sculptor August Rodin's works outside of Paris. Have a think next to The Thinker. rodinmuseum.org

DINE OUT

Hop a cab to Chinatown. It's six city blocks of authentic deliciousness, end to end. phillychinatown.com