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Orlando has the singular distinction of being America's number one vacation destination. Blessed with indigenous beauty, Orlando offers lush countryside, abundant sunshine and near perfect weather year-round, not to mention superior hotels, restaurants, museums, numerous golf courses, over 800 tennis courts and a world of theme parks.

Get your vacation off to a pleasurable start, visit one of the Disney three major theme parks and be a kid all over again. **The Walt Disney Magic Kingdom** features over 40 major attractions in seven lands of fantasy and fun including the new "Splash Mountain" a 5-story plunge into a briar patch. Experience the technological wonders of the **Epcot Center** which celebrates human achievements in two theme park areas, **Future World** and **World Showcase**. Future World features shows, attractions and exhibits about accomplishments in technology, science and innovation. World Showcase features the architecture, arts, foods, entertainment and merchandise of 11 countries. See big-screen favorites up close and take part in backlot productions at the **Disney MGM Studios**. It's the golden age of Tinseltown every day in this combination of a working studio for motion pictures, television and radio production... and a movie theme park. Guests can venture backstage into the land of production, and experience attractions and shows that recall landmark motion pictures and that explore the craft of movie making.

Once inside the parks, there are a variety of activities, enticing new shows and attractions to choose from including **SpectroMagic**, **Surprise Celebration**, **Voyage of the Little Mermaid**, **Beauty and the Beast**, **Live on Stage** and **Muppets on Location** adding fun for kids of all ages.

Come see "Broadway Under the Stars" at the Epcot Center, a 40 member College Orchestra with guest star appearances on selected evenings. **IllumiNations**, a nighttime show that lights up the World Showcase nations, the waters of World Showcase Lagoon and the skies above Epcot Center.

There is plenty of white-sand beach for sun bathing and a large swimming pool with speed slides. Meanwhile, the surf's up at **Typhoon Lagoon** the newest Walt Disney World water park.

The Magic Kingdom is a golf aficionado's paradise—99 holes of Disney golf on five 18-hole courses. Bryan Gumbel and his celebrity friends annually tame these courses in the name of charity pouring hundreds of thousands of dollars into the United Negro College Fund.

Enjoy tennis, boating, horseback riding, dinner shows and when it's time to party visit **Pleasure Island** with a variety of night spots to choose from including the new Pleasure Island Jazz Company. For guest information on Disney's attractions call (407) 824-4321. Call (800)-551-0181 for your **Orlando Magicard**, an area wide discount card providing savings of up to 50 percent at 102 area attractions.

African American Points of Interest

But what about points of interest significantly relevant to African

Americans? There's plenty. Yes, Orlando is colorful as well as magical. Take a journey back in time as you enjoy "Tracks on a Dirt Road" **Riding Tour** on the streets of Eatonville just north of Orlando. See Eatonville as captured in the writings of one of its most outstanding natives, **Zora Neale Hurston**, celebrated author and anthropologist. Historic Eatonville, established in 1877, is home to America's oldest incorporated African American community. The community's historic preservation organization sponsors a number of dynamic cultural/arts programs annually.

The Zora Neale Hurston National Museum of Fine Arts exhibits the work of artists of African descent from around the world while Hurston's own achievements are celebrated every January in the **Zora Neale Hurston Festival of the Arts and Humanities**.

The Tapestry Tour gives a distinctive view of Orlando's African American heritage. You can see the homes and offices built by Orlando's pioneering African American entrepreneurs of the late 1800's and tour historically preserved buildings which once housed schools, clinics and other services to the community. A highlight of the tour is the home of **Mary McLeod Bethune**, founder of **Bethune Cookman College**. Call New Day Enterprises at (407) 297-9714 for tour information.

You'll be tempted to increase your personal art collection with one visit to **The Ethnic Connections Fine Art Gallery**, 1512 West Gore Street, featuring the work of artists from the African diaspora (407) 422-1725.

If it's a literary escape you seek, check out **Montsho (Moan-sho) Books**. With over 1550 titles to choose from, Montsho also offers such distinctive sidelines as ethnic checkbook covers and Kenyan carved giraffe bookends. 2009 W. Central Blvd, (407) 649-8881.



Dining and Night Life

To experience the culinary soul and Nightlife of Orlando, may

we suggest...

Jonathan's Steak & Seafood Grotto: International Drive, (407)351-7000.

Red's Bar-B-Que: 2315 W. Washington Street, (407) 299-0700.

Spicy Pot Caribbean Restaurant: 6203 Silver Star Road, (407) 297-8255.

Babalou's Bodacious Bar-B-Q: 1471 Lee Road, Winter Park, (407) 628-1212.

Uptown 21 Night Club: Winter Park at 843 Lee Road, (407) 644-3336.

All Nations Jamaican Lounge: 111-117 E. Semoran Blvd, Fern Park, (407) 332-9577.

Heroes Night Club: 426 East Kennedy Blvd, Eatonville, (407) 740-0556

Downtown Jazz and Blues: 54 North Orange, (407) 246-1419

Shopping

"Americas Largest Flea Market" with 104 acres and 1,000 vendors. (407) 646-1792.

Church Street Station is a complete entertainment dining and shopping complex in downtown Orlando, (407) 422-2434.

The Orlando/Orange County Convention & Visitors Bureau, will be happy to help make your vacation hassle free, call with questions or brochure requests, (407) 363-5800

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