

Gulf Coast Shrimp & Jazz Festival

Lake Charles Civic Center

900 Lakeshore Drive – Lake Charles, LA 70601

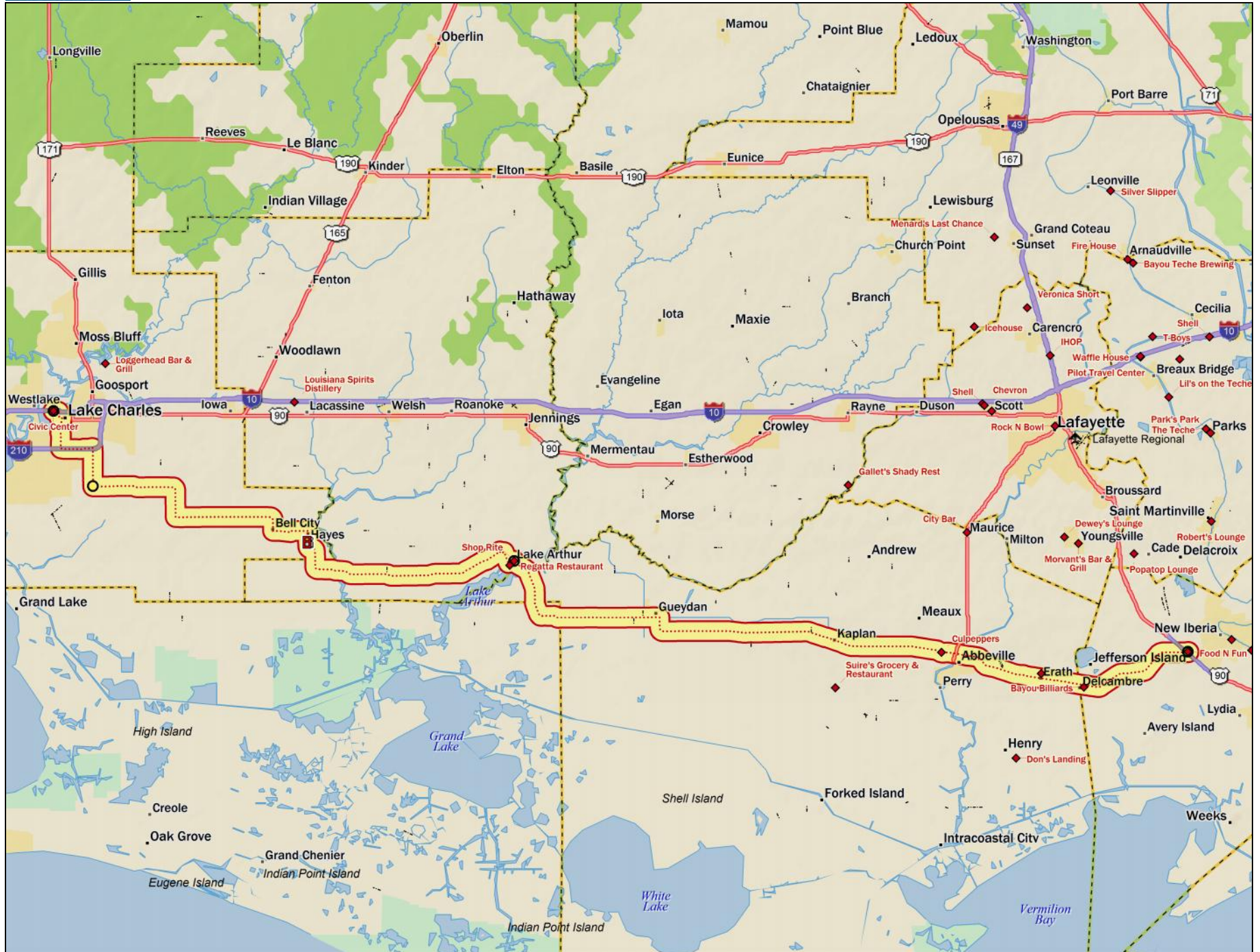
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June 21 – 22, 2019

This year's event will showcase other jazz musicians, artists, events, and a wide variety of shrimp and other good foods. A crowd of 500 – 1000, ranging in age from infancy to the older adult, is anticipated to participate in this year's festival full of activities, as well as an incorporation of various artistic opportunities available to our youth in Lake Charles and the surrounding communities. Bring your families out on June 23 to enjoy some jazz and a good time!

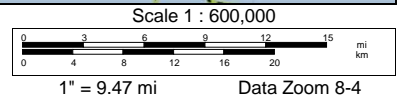
The Gulf Coast Shrimp & Jazz Festival is a vision inspired by the desire to see quality cultural change, both emerging and professional, in Southwest Louisiana. Lake Charles is a city steeped in a rich cultural history, with a thriving local economy that features a unique blend of music, performance, and visual arts. Jazz is an important part of that history, yet Lake Charles has no Jazz stations that air here. Locals can only access jazz by satellite radio, digital technology, or visit one of a few local venues where jazz artists perform.

Currently, we are seeing a rapid growth with the coming of new industries and jobs to the area, as well as a unique diversity materializing in our communities. With these changes and the recent reemergence of jazz to the area, our desire is to bring an annual jazz festival, thereby attracting and engaging larger audiences, using jazz and good food as a means of effectively intermingling our unique people and cultures together. We hope to enhance and benefit our local neighborhoods and their new diversity by reawakening a love for the evolving Jazz genre, including blues (the foundation of Jazz), cool or smooth jazz, the speedy, hard-hitting rhythms of be-bop, and the earthy vibes of soul jazz.



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Gulf Coast Shrimp & Jazz Fest Run



	Dist	Turn		Road	Exit	Total Time	Total Dist
		Start	at	Waffle House		00:00:00	0.00 mi
		Go straight (ESE)	on	<unnamed>		00:00:00	0.00 mi
in	0.08 mi	Turn right (WSW)	on to	SR 14 (Highway 14)		00:00:11	0.08 mi
in	10.52 mi	Turn left (W)	on to	Old SR 14 (Veterans Memorial Dr)		00:19:54	10.60 mi
in	0.37 mi	Go straight (W)	on to	E Lastie St (Old SR 14)		00:20:54	10.97 mi
in	0.71 mi	Go straight (WNW)	on to	Old SR 14 (W Lastie St)		00:22:49	11.67 mi
in	1.37 mi	Turn left (W)	on to	SR 14 (Veterans Memorial Dr)		00:26:09	13.04 mi
in	27.77 mi	Turn left (W)	on to	PR P-8-21		01:18:47	40.81 mi
in	0.25 mi	Keep left (W)	on to	Maree Michel Rd		01:19:23	41.07 mi
in	0.03 mi	Keep left (W)	on to	PR P-8-21 (Maree Michel Rd)		01:19:29	41.09 mi
in	0.80 mi	Keep left (W)	on to	SR 14 (SR 91)		01:22:39	41.89 mi
in	4.06 mi	Keep right (W)	on to	La 14		01:29:34	45.95 mi
in	0.01 mi	Keep left (NW)	on to	SR 14 (Veterans Memorial Dr)		01:29:34	45.95 mi
	in	8.16 mi	Stop	at	Shop Rite	01:44:20	54.11 mi
		Go straight (W)	on	SR 14 (Calcasieu Ave)		02:04:20	54.11 mi
in	0.62 mi	Turn right (NE)	on to	Fourth St		02:06:00	54.73 mi
in	0.00 mi	Turn left (W)	on to	SR 14 (Arthur Ave)		02:06:00	54.74 mi
	in	36.64 mi	Stop	at	SR 14	03:09:02	91.37 mi
		Go straight (N)	on	SR 14 (Gerstner Memorial Bl...		03:09:02	91.37 mi
in	2.74 mi	Turn left (W)	on to	E Prien Lake Rd		03:14:41	94.12 mi
in	0.08 mi	Keep left (W)	on to	I-210 W ramp		03:14:53	94.19 mi
in	2.03 mi	Keep right (W)	on to	SR 385 (Ryan St) ramp	6A	03:17:32	96.23 mi
in	0.16 mi	Keep right (WNW)	on	SR 385 (Ryan St) ramp		03:17:57	96.39 mi
in	0.05 mi	Keep right (N)	on to	SR 385 (Ryan St)		03:18:04	96.44 mi
in	1.82 mi	Go straight (N)	on to	Ryan St		03:22:59	98.25 mi
in	0.40 mi	Turn left (W)	on to	Broad St		03:24:03	98.65 mi
in	0.12 mi	Go straight (NNW)	on to	SR 385 (Veterans Memorial Blvd)		03:24:22	98.77 mi
in	0.42 mi	Keep left (NW)	on to	<unnamed>		03:25:30	99.20 mi
in	0.11 mi	Go straight (W)	on to	Lake Shore Dr		03:25:57	99.31 mi
	in	0.33 mi	Finish	at	Civic Center	03:26:39	99.64 mi

Total Time: 03:26:39 Total Distance: 99.64 mi