

RHR Event Planning

Team Name:

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Event Name:

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Date Submitted:

Event Duration:

- One Day Run
- Two Day Road Trip
- Three Day Road Trip

Month/Day or Season:

If this event needs to happen on a certain date because of an event such as a Rally or Festival. Or if the event is seasonal.

Destination:

- Restaurant
- Event (Rally, Festival, etc.)
- City or Town
- Attraction

Address:

Accommodations:

Phone:

Address:

Starting Point: TBD

Ending Point: _____

MILAGE:

Day 1:

For a one day run use "Day 1" Box only, for an overnight (two day road trip use "Day 1 & Day 2" Boxes, and so on.

Day 2:

Comments: _____

Day 3:

Point of Interest Stops:

Note: Attach map(s), directions and any other information needed to explain this event.

Chennault Aviation & Military Museum

"It is my fondest hope that the sign of the Flying Tiger will remain aloft just as long as it is needed and that it will always be remembered on both shores of the Pacific as the symbol of two great peoples working toward a common goal in war and peace."

G. L. Chennault

The Chennault Aviation & Military Museum

honors veterans and soldiers from WWI through Iraqi Freedom. Through expansive collections of artifacts and compelling stories of the men and women who have served our country, the visitor receives a captivating insight into why we honor our history and our heroes.

The museum is housed in the last remaining classrooms of the Selman Field Navigation School, the largest navigation school in the U.S. during WWII. The Museum honors the story of General Claire Chennault and the Flying Tigers during WWII and how one man helped change the war in China. The bilingual "Way of a Fighter" exhibit is based on General Chennault's book written in 1949. The museum also tells the story of how a small crop-dusting business evolved into the second largest airline in the world, Delta Airlines.

Opening its doors in 2000 with 3000 square feet, its expanded galleries have grown to 10,000 square feet providing over 11,000 artifacts and several veteran outreach programs. The aircraft restoration park will soon offer visitors a modern-day out-door facility with paved walk ways, covered pavilions, and restored military aircraft.



Veterans Outreach

- The Museum offers bi-monthly PTSD clinics for combat veterans.
- Home of the **General Chennault Chapter 51 of the Disabled American Veterans Association** which includes van service to Jackson, Mississippi. The local DAV chapter has secured over \$2 million annually in benefits for local veterans.
- Partnered with the Library of Congress in their veteran's Oral History Programs.

Education Programs

- Chennault Museum is a regional judging place for the Nation History Day competition
- Chennault Museum sponsors the Freedom Spirit Art Competition for local art students
- STEM lesson plans offered online
- Offers field trips in the museum and aircraft restoration tours
- An extensive research library
- College internship opportunities
- STEAM based scavenger hunts

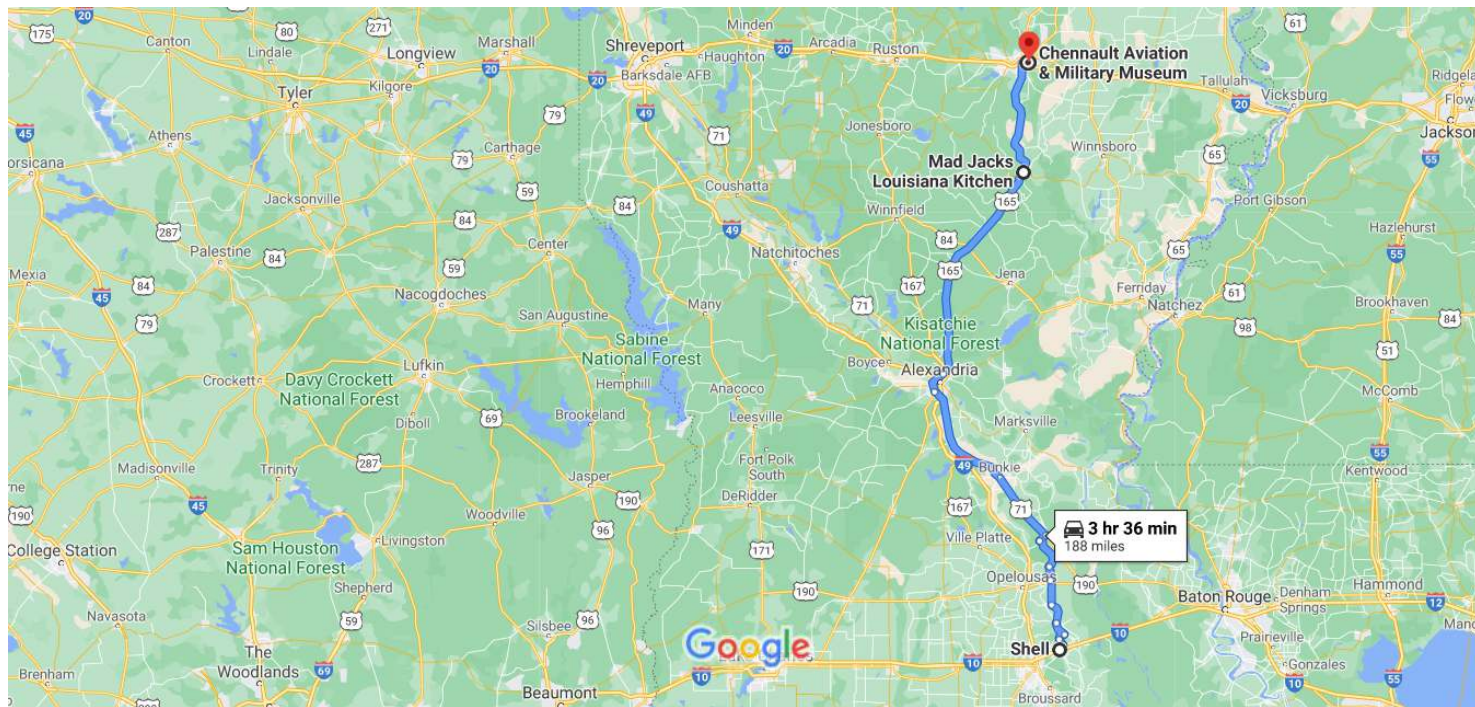
International Opportunities

- Founders of the International WWII Museum Association
 - Partnered with the Victory Museum in Moscow, Russia on a D-Day exhibit
 - The museum is in cooperation of a Chennault exhibit for the Imperial War Museum in Great Britain
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- ***Admission Is Always Free!***
 - The Chennault Aviation & Military Museum is located at: 701 Kansas Lane | Monroe, Louisiana (*at the entrance to Monroe Regional Airport*).
 - **ACCESSIBILITY:**
The museum is FULLY accessible to all visitors, and a limited amount of wheelchairs are provided for use in the museum at no charge.
 - **MUSEUM & GIFT SHOP HOURS:**
Tuesday - Saturday | 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 - **HOLIDAY CLOSURES:**
Thanksgiving Day | Christmas Day | New Year's Day



Shell to Chennault Aviation & Military Museum

Drive 188 miles, 3 hr 36 min



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Shell

2232 Rees St Ext, Breaux Bridge, LA 70517

Take LA-31, LA-741, LA-103 W and LA-359 to US-71 N in Parish Governing Authority District 5

51 min (38.4 mi)

- ↑ 1. Head northwest on LA-328 N/Rees St Ext
 ⓘ Continue to follow LA-328 N
 _____ 1.7 mi
- ↶ 2. Turn left onto Poche Bridge Rd
 _____ 0.4 mi
- ↷ 3. Turn right onto LA-31
 _____ 0.2 mi
- ↶ 4. Turn left onto LA-341 N
 _____ 1.9 mi
- ↑ 5. Continue onto LA-354
 _____ 2.3 mi
- ↶ 6. Turn left onto LA-31
 _____ 3.9 mi
- ↷ 7. Turn right onto Neblet St
 _____ 344 ft
- ↷ 8. Turn right onto Fuselier St
 _____ 0.1 mi

- ↶ 9. Turn left onto LA-31/Market St
i Continue to follow LA-31

 5.7 mi
- ↷ 10. Turn right onto LA-741

 6.4 mi
- ↶ 11. Turn left onto Boggs St

 0.2 mi
- ↶ 12. Turn left onto Bayou Rd

 0.1 mi
- ↷ 13. Turn right onto LA-103 W/Saizan Ave

 4.4 mi
- ↷ 14. Turn right onto LA-359

 8.8 mi
- ↷ 15. Turn right onto LA-10 E

 2.2 mi

Follow US-71 N to US-165 N in Columbia

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- 2 hr 9 min (117 mi)
- ↶ 16. Turn left onto US-71 N

 50.3 mi
 - ↷ 17. Use the right lane to turn slightly left onto
 Masonic Cir

 0.2 mi
 - ↷ 18. Keep right to continue on US-165 N/US-71
 N/Masonic Cir
i Continue to follow US-165 N/US-71 N

 6.3 mi
 - ↷ 19. Use the right 2 lanes to turn slightly right onto
 US-165 N
i Pass by NAPA Auto Parts - White Oak Investments (on
 the right in 42.7 mi)
i Destination will be on the left

 60.3 mi

3 hr (156 mi)


Mad Jacks Louisiana Kitchen


7004 US-165, Columbia, LA 71418



- ↑ 20. Head northeast on US-165 N toward Blanks St

 31.1 mi
- ↷ 21. Turn right onto Louberta St

 0.6 mi

-  22. Louberta St turns slightly right and becomes Elm St

 0.4 mi
-  23. Continue onto Central Ave

 0.5 mi
-  24. Turn right onto Kansas Ln
 Destination will be on the left

 354 ft

36 min (32.7 mi)

Chennault Aviation & Military Museum

701 Kansas Ln, Monroe, LA 71203

These directions are for planning purposes only. You may find that construction projects, traffic, weather, or other events may cause conditions to differ from the map results, and you should plan your route accordingly. You must obey all signs or notices regarding your route.