# MUSUEMS IN ST. LOUIS

#### • Campbell House Museum 1-2 HOURS IN DURATION DOWNTON ST. LOUIS

Built in 1851, the first house in the elegant Lucas Place neighborhood, the Campbell House was the home of renowned fur trader and entrepreneur Robert Campbell and his family from 1854 until 1938. The museum contained hundreds of original Campbell possessions including furniture, paintings, clothing, letters, carriages and a unique set of interior photographs taken in the mid-1880s.

Hours: Wed – Friday – 10 am to 4 pm.

## • St. Louis Art Museum

#### https://www.slam.org/

Dedicated to Art and Free to All. Located in beautiful, historic Forest Park, the Saint Louis Art Museum hosts an excellent and varied collection of original works of art and artifacts, spanning five millennia and six continents, in one of the most impressive buildings in the city. Admission to the Museum is free every day, and admission to special exhibitions is free on Fridays.

Hours: Tue – Thu - 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Friday -10:00 AM - 9:00 PM Sat – Sun - 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

National Blues Museum ( approximate cost \$15.00)
<a href="https://www.nationalbluesmuseum.org/">https://www.nationalbluesmuseum.org/</a>

**1-2 HOURS IN DURATION** 

The National Blues Museum is the only institution of its kind dedicated exclusively to preserving and honoring the history and legacy of Blues music and its impact on American and world culture. The Museum's mission is to be the premier entertainment and educational resource focused on the blues as the foundation of American music.

# • The Magic House

https://www.magichouse.org/ 2- 5 HOURS IN DURATION This fun-filled attraction offers kids many hands-on learning activities and provides a special area for younger children.

HOURS: Monday – Thursday – 9:30 am - 5:30 pm Friday – 9:30 am – 8:00 pm Saturday – 9:30 – 5:30 pm Sunday – 11:00 am – 5:30 pm

 City Museum (approximate cost \$16.00) (Downtown St. Louis) <u>https://www.citymuseum.org/</u>

Do not take the name so literally. We are about fun. Not your white walls, walk around, and be quiet museum. If you want to climb around, get active with your kids or are a big kid at heart, we are the place. If you are freaked out easily, you might not want to come. We're four floors filled with miles of tunnels, a full cave system, over 30 slides, a circus, an arts area, a large outdoor climbing space, Architectural Museum, a Cabin that serves adult beverages, a Museum of Mayhem, Mirth and Mystery, and a ton more. In addition, there is the roof with a Ferris Wheel and a bus hanging off its edge.

HOURS: Mon – Thursday - 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Fri – Saturday - 9:00 AM - 12:00 AM

# • Missouri Civil War Museum

DURATION 1- 2 HOURS The Missouri Civil War Museum is housed in the old 1905 Jefferson Barracks Post Exchange (PX) and Gymnasium building, formerly part of the Jefferson Barracks military post, which is still an active military installation to this day. Renovations began in 2003, and completed 10 years later in 2013, with an opening date of June 29, 2013. During the Civil War, the property that this museum is located upon, contained various hospital ward buildings, where suffering and death occurred, thus making this sacred ground and a most appropriate location for a Missouri Civil War Museum, honoring our soldiers of the past and present.

HOURS: Sun – Saturday - 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

• **The National Museum of Transportation** (approximate cost \$12.00)

https://transportmuseumassociation.org/

DURATION 2 – 3 HRS

Visit one of the largest and most diverse collections of transportation vehicles in the world! Trace the history of American railroading, see antique cars and trucks, tour train cars, and visit a trolley and a towboat, and more.

- HOURS: Sunday 11:00 am 4:00 pm Monday – Saturday – 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
- Cardinals Hall of Fame and Museum (approximate cost \$12.00) <u>https://www.mlb.com/cardinals/cardinals-nation/hall-of-fame-and-museum</u>

## DURATION<1HR

Few franchises have the acclaim and heritage of the St. Louis Cardinals, and that history lives here, in the Cardinals Museum. Featuring stadiums, players and championship moments, the Cardinals Museum boasts one of the largest team-specific collections of artifacts and memorabilia in the world. The Museum's seven galleries take you on a chronological journey through the rich history of the Cardinals, allowing you to learn about the birth of the franchise, relive special memories and interact with great exhibits.

HOURS: Sun – Saturday - 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

# • Saint Louis Science Center

https://www.slsc.org/

DURANTION OVER 3 HRS

With the mission "to ignite and sustain lifelong science and technology learning", the Saint Louis Science Center is one of the top five science centers in the United States, and has been named one of the Top 10 Science Centers for Families by Parents Magazine and one of America's most visited museums by Forbes Traveler Magazine. The complex includes over 96,000 sq-ft of interactive science-technology exhibits that are part of the Science Center's free general admission. The most recent major permanent exhibit is GROW, a one-acre outdoor exhibit that will take visitors on a journey of food, to gain a deeper understanding of our food supply. The Science Center's ticketed areas include the OMNIMAX, a four-story IMAX Dome theater; the James S. McDonnell Planetarium, one of the world's largest planetariums; and the Discovery Room, an activity area for families with younger children.

HOURS: Sun 11:00 AM - 4:30 PM Mon – Saturday - 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM

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