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Sightseeing



Galveston Beach

6285 Seawall Blvd

161 locals recommend

The natural beauty of Galveston beaches will fill you with calmness that only nature can! It happens to be FREE which adds to the calmness lol!

The natural beauty of the Gulf of Mexico awaits! Miles of beaches that change names as you go! The closest to this location is Galveston beach which has easy access to groceries, stores as well as food!



The Strand

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58 locals recommend

The Strand is Galveston's historic district with lots of places to eat and shop! Enjoy the Harbor/Bayside, dolphin cruises, jet boat thrill rides, Oil drilling museum and viewing massive cruise boats at the port!



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Galveston - Bolivar Ferry

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35 locals recommend

The Port Bolivar Ferry is a free ferry ride for you and your vehicle! (TX Dept of Transportation)!

The most amazing part is it has dolphins that you will see when traveling to Bolivar. Once the ferry leaves you are free to move about and take in the beauty! You will see Dolphins as well as Pelican Island!Once arriving at Bolivar drop off- you can drive around until the next ferry leaves back to Galveston (about every 20 minutes or so)!

Seawolf Park

100 Seawolf Park Boulevard

74 locals recommend

This park is surrounded by water! You will see as if fisherman who are there all day long! It is located on Pelican Island (and yes-it is also close)! Parking is per vehicle at the park and once you leave you have to pay to come back in (IDK why they do that) so bring a packed lunch, go through the Navel Museum-and make a time of it!



Galveston Naval Museum

100 Seawolf Park Blvd

26 locals recommend

Fun look on an actual submarine-great history amd experience of walking this massive vehicle!



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Moody Mansion

2618 Broadway Avenue J

180 locals recommend

The Moody family have been around a long time as you will notice street names, banks, Moody Garden...the list is long! This historic building is where the Moody's grew up. There is a self guided tour (no reservation needed) so get your cell phones ready as well as an exclusive two hour all access guided tour (reservation only)

Moody Gardens

620 locals recommend

What a fun filled day you will have here! The aquarium and the rainforest exhibits are truly a fun scene! During the winter holiday season the light display is mind boggling and is a must see!!!



Bishops Palace

1402 Broadway Avenue J

228 locals recommend

This historic building is a place to witness architect and design that also withstood the Storm of 1900!



Colonel Paddlewheel Boat

1 Hope Blvd

7 locals recommend

This is a fun experience!

Food scene

This is a great place to enjoy the Harbor! You can also see dolphins when sitting outside on the deck area! Inside there is a bar and dining areas! A popular drink is Pier 22-it's a pretty drink! They have a wide assortment of hard liquors as well! You will get your parking validated when drinking/eating here when parking out in front of this location!

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Fisherman's Wharf 2200 Harborside Dr

83 locals recommend



Katie's Seafood Market

1902 Wharf Rd

174 locals recommend

Do you have gluten sensitivities? Kate's makes their own gluten free spices! You can purchase some there to take with you as well! Just let them know your allergy preferences and they work hard to help you enjoy your stay :)

Yummy foods with active boats parked in the back side!



Grotto Ristorante

5222 Seawall Blvd

29 locals recommend

This is located in the very beautiful San Luis Resort! The Italian cooking amd the wine is very good! A little on the pricey side but when dining as a couple would be worth the experience!



Rainforest Cafe

5310 Seawall Blvd 105 locals recommend

Have kids? This is a fun place to go! The outside atmosphere usually has music and the top of the restaurant blows out fire in the evening times! Sure-other cities have it-but this one is across from the Sea which makes it convenient to continue with your day! Kids love it!

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Mama Teresa's Flying Pizza

99 locals recommend

There is a waiter here that sings opera-so if you have a bday- request it! You can also see your pizza fly when prepared (only with large pizzas and request it)! A fun popular little place!



Brick House Tavern + Tap

3502A Seawall Blvd

37 locals recommend

This location is fun to watch the Sea on the covered deck or enjoy the bar inside or indoor seated area.



Mosquito Cafe

628 14th St

213 locals recommend

This is a local favorite! There is usually a line but well worth the wait! There are also gluten free options! The atmosphere is deliberate, comfortable, simple and has a feel of the island!



The Sunflower Bakery & Cafe 512 14th St

271 locals recommend

This is a popular place. It is larger inside than it looks! Savory meals, the atmosphere is generic, but cool art work for sale on walls!



Taqueria Flores

3202 Broadway Avenue J

This is located on Broadway street, a food truck that is my husband's favorite! It is a green food truck, North side of Broadway for the diehard Galveston food junkies!

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The Garden Thai Cuisine

216 Tremont (23rd) Street

6 locals recommend

This has classy environment that has such delicious Thai food!!! It's one of my favs! They are gluten friendly and truly will work with your needs! You will leave satisfied!



Pho Tai

3728 Broadway Avenue J

18 locals recommend

This is a fun surprise when walking inside...the food is amazing Vietnamese food. The restaurant is pronounced "F" - yes "F"! Work with allergies!



MI Abuelitas Homestyle Mexican Restaurant 1728 45th St

18 locals recommend

Just as the name states- expect home style cooking, comfortable atmosphere that keeps you coming back for more! Food is pure and tastes genuine and reasonable prices!

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Huli Huli Hut

312 19th St

37 locals recommend

Best Margaritas in town! They also have an amazing seafood menu that is a must try for the non- vegetarians and the atmosphere is the bomb!



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Shykatz Cafe & Bakery

1528 Avenue L

129 locals recommend

What a fun genuine location to have a cup of coffee (from coffee machine only) and a great meal! They cater to allergies which is a real PLUS! Yes - this place is all about environment and has its own personality! They have a gray tabby cat they call "Bubba" who is associated with this café! He has his own online account too! The people are so nice - give it a try and feel Galveston's warmth in your visit!



Lupita Tex-Mex Restaurant

Authentic Mexican restaurant, small local favorite.



Yamato 2104 61st St 51 locals recommend

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Viet Cajun

8910 Seawall Blvd

21 locals recommend

Food to go or dine in! Simple - good 😊

Drinks 🍯 🍯

This category is for individuals of drinking age!



Daiquiri Time Out 2701 Market St

59 locals recommend

This is a small bar that is a fun place to get a drink! They are strong and usually visually creative. This is located on Market street closer to The Strand.



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The Spot

3204 Seawall Blvd

327 locals recommend

A POPULAR spot throughout the year! Excellent view of the beach and waves!



Float Pool & Patio Bar

Talk about a view!!! Drinks on the top deck are THE BOMB! Wowembrace the beach waves with no obstruction! It's always a fun view.



Stuttgarden Tavern 111 23rd St

43 locals recommend

Go up three flights of stairs and look over the harbor while enjoying a drink! At the right time, you can see cruise ships as they come and go! This location is the Strand area and this bar is a fantastic location and hot spot!

Island Time Beach Bar & Grill

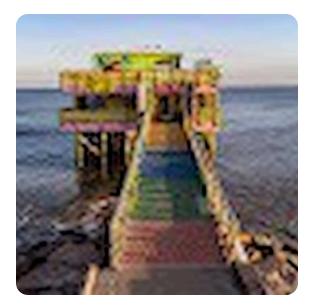


Inclusive setting with the strongest drinks on the island and the best prices!



Brick House Tavern + Tap 3502A Seawall Blvd

37 locals recommend



61st Street Fishing Pier

Buy a drink and sit up looking out at the water! Fun, casual with many birds!



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Galveston Fishing Pier

9001 Seawall Blvd

33 locals recommend

You are able to walk out and experience this pier that extends way out! You must purchase an item to go all the way out. We choose a drink!

Walk out and look around before settling back into some chairs for a breathtaking views and hours of hanging out without a care in the world!

COFFEE, please!



MOD Coffeehouse

2126 Postoffice St

139 locals recommend

This is a popular and trendy coffee location near the Strand that has indoor and outdoor seating! A wide variety of latte's, coffee and the like, with fun names and a variety of tastes!



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Red light coffee roasters 2728 Market St

2/28 Market St

22 locals recommend

Coffee here tastes good! Nice place inside to sit, simple and I would suggest ordering coffee in a mug for the design effect! They know how to do it!



The Proletariat Gallery & Public House

2221 Market St

22 locals recommend

This place has hard core expresso coffee (opens in the late am), they are also a hangout place with craft beer, board games- pretty chill but more than a coffee place! If you need a 'wake up' shake to withstand your long upcoming night activities-would recommend!



Freckleberry Teahouse

This is my all time favorite! Unique coffee and tea- so many options! It has an excellent outdoor atmosphere that is great for hanging out!

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IHOP

5224 Seawall Blvd

14 locals recommend

Even when it's raining hard-I enjoy sitting on the South side of the indoor seating to watch the waves while sipping on coffee that comes in a pot for easy refills at the table! This place has just recently started serving wine which is excellent on rainy days as well! The atmosphere is friendly!

Fun activities-active!

This has rides, food, fun on this pier! I would suggest checking out prices before hand just to be prepared!



The Galveston Children's Museum

2618 Broadway Avenue J 59 locals recommend



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Pleasure pier

2501 Seawall Boulevard

37 locals recommend

Rides-Fun-Food all on this Pier! I would recommend looking into prices before going to understand how it works! Fun experience looking out on the water!

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Galveston Go Kart & Fun Center

9402 Seawall Blvd

53 locals recommend

This is a 10 minute drive from this location but a fun outlet for energy filled kids!

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Galveston Water Adventures

2100 Harborside Drive

26 locals recommend

My niece and her college friends said this experience was AMAZING!

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Southern Spears Surf Shop

6026 Seawall Blvd

My husband took surf lessons here recently! Best price we have found and the lesson was 2 hours long!!! It was EXCELLENT!



Galveston Island Horse and Pony Rides

1929 Boddeker Rd

17 locals recommend

This was my BEST bday gift! I had a sunset ride on the beach with my husband - would highly recommend riding these well trained, gentle and highly Intelligent animals! Reservations needed.



Schlitterbahn Galveston Island Waterpark

2109 Gene Lucas Blvd

481 locals recommend

Grocery +

This is a great outlet for tourists as well as residents! It is conveniently located across from the Sea-very handy when spending the day at the beach or needing a late night run for a snack!



Kroger 5730 Seawall Blvd 135 locals recommend

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Walmart Supercenter

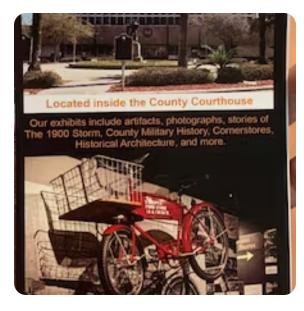
6702 Seawall Blvd

104 locals recommend

Did you forget something important and discovered this AFTER you arrived? It's on the Seawall and a short drive-such a great outlet of familiar needs!

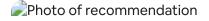
Galveston History

This amazingly free outlet of history includes the storm of 1900! Artifacts and exhibits from past! As you walk in front doors, you will see the Assessors office on left-go straight-up the stairs and you will find this!



Galveston County Historical Museum

21st Street



Galveston Historic Seaport - Home of the 1877 Tall Ship ELISSA

121 locals recommend

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Explore this 1877 ship and museum!

Galveston Seawall and Grade Raising

4901 Seawall Boulevard

Along the Seawall you will find national historic civil engineering landmarks following the devastating hurricane of 1900!



The Bryan Museum

1315 21st St

116 locals recommend

This museum has historical artifacts and items related to Texas history, not specific to Galveston, but lots of interesting information and history!

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Ocean Star Offshore Drilling Rig and Museum 2002 Wharf Rd

73 locals recommend

This was a very economical museum that I didn't think I would like but I did and I learned a lot! I had no idea what the underworld of drilling looks like until this experience!