Greenwood
MISSISSIPPI
Unique Delta Experiences

More history per mile than any other place in Mississippi

Star of the West,

an ocean-going steamer that drew the first shots of America's Civil War, now lies buried in the mud of the Tallahatchie River. Hear its remarkable story when you visit Greenwood.

Riley "B.B." King,

whose voice was born on the dusty backroads of Leflore County, has his own Mississippi Blues Trail marker near Berclair. Get directions at msbluestrail.org

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Robert Johnson,

a legendary bluesman who dealt with the devil, wound up with no less than three grave markers near Greenwood. Make up your own mind about where his spirit still hovers.

Robert Johnson image © Delta Haze Corp.

WGRM Radio Station,

high atop the famous "Three Deuces" of Howard Street, first sent B.B. King's sound across the airwaves of Mississippi. Look for this Blues Trail site in the heart of downtown.

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Emmett Till,

a Chicago teenager whose murder rocked the world, spent one of the last nights of his life in Greenwood. Follow Money Road north of town to find the place where America's Civil Rights Movement found its spark.

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The Help,

nominated for an Academy Award as "Best Picture of 2011," was based on Kathryn Stockett's best-selling novel and filmed almost entirely in Greenwood. Pick up a copy of *The Help* self-guided tour map to see the familiar sites from the movie.

Hubert Sumlin,

listed as one of *Rolling Stone* magazine's "100 Greatest Guitarists of All Time," was born in Greenwood in 1931. His Blues Trail marker overlooks the timeless Yazoo River.

Bobbie Gentry,

whose haunting "Ode to Billie Joe" rocketed up the music charts in 1967, centered her song around Greenwood's Tallahatchie Bridge. You'll find her Mississippi Country Music Trail marker on the north end of tree-lined Grand Boulevard.

The Alluvian courtyard

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Tucked away in the curves of three rivers, just a few miles from where the Mississippi Delta gives way to the bluffs, Greenwood pulls natives and newcomers into a land of blues and bayous, to-die-for food, luxuriant spas and one-of-a-kind shops. Whether you're looking for a weekend at Mississippi's most celebrated hotel, an easy stroll through a century of fine architecture or a trek down dusty roads along the Blues Trail, you've come to the right place.

"First we eat,
then we do everything else.

- M.F.K. Fisher

In the Mississippi Delta,
meals are an art form. You'll find
everything from melt-in-your-mouth
steaks to sky-high-pie and onion
rings that should be illegal.
Take your time, savor the unusual
and try something outlandish.
And remember this rule:
Nobody leaves Greenwood hungry.

Locally-Owned Restaurants

B & S Barbecue
302 Park Avenue • 662-219-0783
Monday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Ribs, pork BBQ , smoked chicken, sausage

Bo's BBQ & Grill
507 Carrollton Avenue • 662-453-3237
Rib plates, beef and pork BBQ

By the Bridge Bistro*
209 West Claiborne Avenue • 662-644-5250
Monday-Friday 10:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Saturday - Sunday 11 a.m. – 2 p.m
BBQ, sandwiches, wraps, salads

China Blossom
917 Highway 82 Bypass • 662-453-3297
Monday - Thursday 11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 11 a.m. - 10:30 p.m.
Sunday 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Chinese and American food, daily noon buffet

Crystal Grill*
423 Carrollton Avenue • 662-453-6530
Tuesday - Sunday 11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Steaks and world famous desserts, full bar

Drake's BBQ*
1906 Leflore Avenue • 662-374-5202
Monday-Saturday 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
BBQ

Fan and Johnny's*
117 Main Street • 662-374-5060
Monday - Friday 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Friday 6 p.m. – 9 p.m
Artisinal entrees, sandwiches, soups, and salads, BYOB

Giardina's
314 Howard Street • 662-455-4227
Monday – Saturday 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Full bar, steaks, fresh seafood, Italian

Honest Abes
201 West Park Avenue • 662-455-2575
Monday - Saturday 6 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Sunday 6 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Donuts, cappuccino, sandwiches, tamales

Jeem's Diner
425 Howard Street • 662-453-2239
Monday - Saturday 7 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Burgers, cheese steaks, salads, soul food

Johnson Street Fish House
124 Johnson Street • 662-455-2252
Monday-Saturday 10:30 a.m. – 5:30 a.m.
Fried fish

KK's Delicatessen & Catering*
109 Grand Boulevard • 662-453-0007
Monday - Saturday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Po-Boys, hot tamales, banquet room

La Terraza
800 West Park Avenue • 662-459-4177
Sunday – Thursday 11 a.m. – 10 p.m.
Friday – Saturday 11 a.m. – 10:30 p.m.
Full bar, Mexican

Los Cabritos
101 Professional Plaza • 662-451-1171
Sunday - Thursday 11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Friday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 11 p.m.
Full bar, Mexican

Lusco's
722 Carrollton Avenue • 662-453-5365
Wednesday – Saturday 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Steaks, seafood, wine coolers, beer, BYOB
Reservations reccommended

Mai Little China
617 West Park Avenue • 662-451-1101
Monday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Chinese, American food, steaks, seafood

Memphis Style Sports Bar and Grill
601 Main Street • 662-219-0755
Monday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Hot wings, burgers, homemade cakes

New China Buffet
412 West Park Avenue • 662-453-1688
Sunday - Thursday 11 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Friday & Saturday 11 a.m. - 1-:30 p.m.
Chinese, lunch buffet, dinner buffet

No Way Jose
522 West Park Avenue • 662-219-0784
Monday - Thursday 11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Friday - Sunday 11 a.m. - 10:30 p.m.
Full bar, Mexican

Park Cafe
321 West Park Avenue • 662-453-0050
Tuesday - Thursday 11 a.m. - 2 p.m., 5 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday 11 a.m. – 2 p.m., 5 p.m. – 10 p.m.
Saturday Brunch 11 a.m. – 2 p.m., Dinner 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Sandwiches, burgers, salads, catfish plates

Serio's*
506 Yalobusha Street • 662-453-4826
Tuesday - Friday 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Saturday Brunch 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Full bar, pasta, pizza, sandwiches

Station 222
222 Howard • 662-374-5086
Monday - Thursday 4 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday - Saturday 4 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Saturday Brunch 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Steven's Barbecue*
208 Fulton Street • 662-453-0313
Monday - Friday 5 a.m.- 8 p.m.
Saturday 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Ribs, chicken, burgers, tamales, hot lunches

** Restaurants that offer catering*

Tokyo Express
2336 Highway 82 West • 662-453-0404
Monday - Thursday 11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Friday - Sunday 11 a.m. - 10:30 p.m.
Hibachi, sushi, takeout

TurnRow Cafe
304 Howard Street • 662-453-5995
Lunch Monday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Paninis, sandwiches, soups, salads

Veronica's Custom Bakery*
Highland Park, 527 West Park Avenue
662-451-9425
Tuesday - Saturday 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Daily specials, soups, salads, sandwiches

What's Cooking*
500 Rear West Park Avenue • 662-455-4747
Monday - Friday 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Casseroles, desserts to go and lunch menu;
sandwiches, po-boys, pizza, salads

Webster's
216 West Claiborne • 662-455-1215
Monday - Saturday 4 p.m. - 1 a.m.
Full bar, American cuisine, tamales

Yamato Steakhouse
637 Highway 82 West • 662-374-5444
Sun – Thu 11:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Fri – Sat 11:00 a.m. - 10:30 p.m.
Hibachi, sushi, takeout

Franchised Eateries

Back Yard Burger
514 Park Avenue • 662-459-4344

Burger King
928 Highway 82 West • 662-455-5502

Captain D's Seafood
818 West Park Avenue • 662-455-3145

Church's Chicken
347 Highway 82 West • 662-455-2777

Domino's Pizza
919 Highway 82 West • 662-455-3030

Kentucky Fried Chicken
801 West Park Avenue • 662-453-6771

Krystal
810 Highway 82 Bypass • 662-453-1000

Little Caesars Pizza
603 Viola Sanders Drive, Suite D
662-455-0101

McDonald's
1800 Highway 82 West • 662-455-2307
2220 Highway 82 East • 662-455-0004

Pizza Hut
1313 West Park Avenue • 662-455-1784

Pizza Inn
Highway 82 Bypass • 662-455-2734

Sonic Drive-In
407 West Park Avenue • 662-455-1131

Subway*
805 West Park Avenue • 662-453-0490
115 Highway 7 • 662-455-8001
2200 Highway 82 West (Walmart)
662-453-1971

Taco Bell
1412 West Park Avenue • 662-455-9475

Waffle House
925 Highway 82 West • 662-455-1700

Wendy's
816 West Park Avenue • 662-455-3321

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From Barrelhouse Red to Delta Blue, Winery at Williams Landing has a taste for every palate. Sample several and toast a favorite with friends.

Doing Downtown

Whether your pleasure is cracking open a bestseller on the porch at Turnrow Books or cracking a few eggs at the Viking Cooking School, you won't be bored in downtown Greenwood. Browse one of the South's finest antique collections in Russell's elegant showroom, find unique made-in-Mississippi gifts or create your own masterpiece at Painting with Friends. Then head down to the Winery at Williams Landing at 500 Howard Street for a late afternoon glass of local flavor, served up in the restored 1907 Fire Station.

In 1987, the Viking Range Corporation introduced its restaurant-quality stoves for the home. Viking's blue and gray badge quickly came to be a symbol for kitchen appliances that transformed cooking chores into a daily culinary adventure. Right here in Greenwood, of all places, a worldwide phenomenon was born and nights at the dinner table would never be the same.

Viking Cooking School and Retail Store

325C Howard Street • 662-451-6750
Tuesday - Saturday • 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
vikingcookingschool.com

Even if you don't know a sous chef from a souffle, you're sure to have the time of your life at one of Viking's cooking classes. Kids' classes, couples' nights, girls' weekends: there's sure to be a Viking class that's just right for you.

Carrying all those gift bags and studying menus might just wear you out. Schedule a little down time at The Alluvian Spa for rejuvenating massages, facials and body wraps. Have those nails buffed and polished and don't forget to pick up some goodies for a new outlook on life before you leave.

The Alluvian Spa

325D Howard Street
662-451-6700 or 866-728-6700
thealluvian.com

The Alluvian Spa offers specials unique to our area such as the Delta Escape, High Cotton Indulgence, The Crossroads, and Date Night in the Delta.

Leave your excuses at home. The time to relax is when you don't have time for it.

The anchor of downtown Greenwood is The Alluvian Hotel, a top-rated luxury hostelry recreated from the 1917 Hotel Irving. From its elegant lobby, the scene of live music and quiet conversations, to the skyline views outside the 4th floor Terrace Room, you're going to have to remind yourself that you're still in the heart of the Delta.

Greenwood CVB is happy to provide tour operators with step-on guides for local Civil Rights and/or Blues heritage tours.

The Blues Trail and The Freedom Trail

Follow the rich contributions of Greenwood's African Americans to Civil Rights and Blues history through the distinctive markers along the Blues Trail and Freedom Trail. Bryant's Store in Money and Broad Street Park, the site of the "Black Power Speech," are recognized on the Freedom Trail. Visit www.msbluestrail.org or download the smartphone app to find markers for such legends as B.B. King, Furry Lewis, Guitar Slim, and Hubert Sumlin. Don't forget to pick up your self-guided tour maps for the **Robert Johnson** story and the **Greenwood Civil Rights History** experience.

Learn from the past and celebrate those who made a difference.

Back in the Day Museum

214 Young Street, Baptist Town
662-392-5370
Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
By appointment only

Sylvester Hoover will guide you through a community museum, exploring the culture and history of Baptist Town and the Delta's African-American story.

Museum of the Mississippi Delta

1608 Highway 82 West • 662-453-0925
Monday - Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
museumofthemississippidelta.com

Packed with everything from arrowheads to Greenwood Leflore's furniture, this museum offers a glimpse into America's unusual corner.

Yazoo River Arboretum and River Trail

The lush parkland between Greenwood's downtown bridges has developed into a popular spot for walking, gathering for festivals and river watching. The boat ramp is available for those with watercraft to put in and head downstream or upstream to Point Leflore, where the three rivers merge.

Paddling Trail

A burgeoning group of kayak and canoe fans are mapping day and overnight floats down the peaceful, scenic Yalobusha River from Grenada to Greenwood. Experience the Delta as it was when settlers first arrived.

"Wilderness is not a luxury, but a necessity of the human spirit.

- Edward Abbey

The natural environment surrounding Greenwood makes this a hunter's mecca, a wonderland of big bucks and ducks by the thousands. Whether you're an experienced outdoorsman or in need of a helpful guide, bring your boats, your dogs, your guns and your reels and head back home with bragging rights and great memories.

"The great advantage of a hotel is that it is a refuge from home life.

- George Bernard Shaw

Sometime you have to sleep, but even that shouldn't be boring. Greenwood offers every range of lodging, from renovated sharecropper cabins to one of the South's premier hotels and everything in between. Whether you're looking for a quiet getaway or a place for meetings, there's plenty of room in Greenwood.

Accommodations

Deluxe Inn
335 Highway 82 West
662-453-4364
deluxeinngreenwood@gmail.com

America's Best Value Inn & Suites
621 Highway 82 West • 662-453-0030
americasbestvalueinn.com

Greenwood Inn and Suites
635 Highway 82 West • 662-455-5777

Comfort Suites
2008 Highway 82 West • 662-453-6565
Fax: 662-453-6566 • comfortsuites.com

Golden Coach Inn
Highway 82 at Strong Avenue
662-453-5561

Hampton Inn
1815 Highway 82 West • 662-455-7985
1-800-HAMPTON • hamptoninn.com

Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites
401 Clements Street • 1-800-HOLIDAY
662-455-1885 • hiexpress.com

Relax Inn
1705 Garrard Avenue • 662-455-8008

Rodeway Inn
401 Highway 82 West • 1-800-283-4678
662-453-5974

Tallahatchie Flats and Tavern
58458 County Road 518 (Money Road)
662-453-1854 • 877-453-1854
www.tallahatchieflats.com

The Alluvian
318 Howard Street • 662-453-2114
1-866-600-5201 • www.thealluvian.com

The Regency Inn
620 Highway 82 West
662-453-8101

Three Rivers Inn & Suites
900 West Park Avenue • 662-455-2321

Travel Inn
623 Highway 82 West • 662-453-8810

Bryant's Grocery Marker - 7 miles
Robert Johnson Marker - 2 miles
Money Road
Tallahatchie River
Grand Boulevard
Grenada - 33 miles
Malmaison Wildlife Refuge 14 miles
Mississippi John Hurt Marker - 11 miles
MVSU - 5 miles
B.B. King Birthplace Marker - 12 miles
Park Avenue
Grenada Blvd.
Yazoo River
W. Claiborne
River Rd. Ext.
Strong Ave.
Hospital 24/7 ER
Carrollton Avenue
Browning Road
Garrard
Broad St.
Martin Luther King Drive
Winona - 24 miles
See inset for detail
DOWNTOWN HISTORIC DISTRICT
Cypress St.
Industrial Park
Sycamore St.
Baldwin Road
Eastman
Greenwood-Leflore Airport - 6 miles
Scale in Miles
West Claiborne Ave.
River Road
Front
W. Market
Washington
Church
Mary
George
Lamar
McLemore
Pearl
Young
Carrollton
Fulton
Howard
Main
Walthall
Johnson
Cotton
Henry
Gibbs
McLaurin
Scott
Ave. F
Ave. G
Ave. H
Ave. I
Elm

INFORMATION

- Convention & Visitors Bureau
- A Chamber of Commerce

TRANSPORTATION

- B Amtrak
- C Greenwood Leflore Airport

FACILITIES AND ATTRACTIONS

1. Back in the Day Museum
2. City Hall
3. Confederate Memorial Building
4. Fort Pemberton
5. Grand Boulevard
6. Greenwood Little Theater
7. Leflore County Agri Center
8. Leflore County Civic Center
9. Leflore County Courthouse
10. Library
11. Main Street Greenwood
12. Mississippi Garden Club Headquarters
13. Museum of the Mississippi Delta
14. Old Greenwood Cemetery
15. Stribling Park
16. Veteran's Monument
17. Viking Cooking School/Alluvian Spa
18. Wesley United Methodist Church
19. Whittington Park
20. Yazoo River Boat Ramp

FREEDOM TRAIL MARKERS

- A Bryant's Grocery / Emmett Till
- B Black Power Speech

BLUES TRAIL MARKERS

1. Baptist Town
2. B. B. King Birthplace
3. Blues Deejays
4. Elks Hart Lodge
5. Furry Lewis
6. Guitar Slim
7. Hubert Sumlin
8. Mississippi John Hurt
9. Robert Johnson
10. WGRM Radio Studio

COUNTRY MUSIC TRAIL MARKER

1. Bobbie Gentry

Annual Events

March
Viking Half Marathon and 5K

April
Greenwood Music Fest
Revival on the River

May
'Que on the Yazoo BBQ Competition

June
Stars & Stripes Festival

August
Bikes, Blues, & Bayous (Cycling Event)

September
300 Oaks Road Race
B.B. King Day at MVSU
Mississippi John Hurt Homecoming Festival (Avalon)
Money Road Unity Festival

November
Ag Fest
Citywide Holiday Open House

December
Red & Greenwood Red & Greenwood featuring the Lighting of the Courthouse, A Holiday Outdoor Movie, Roy Martin Delta Band Festival, Christmas Parade & Fireworks

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"Every sunset brings the promise of a new dawn.

- Ralph Waldo Emerson

Delta sunsets are just part of the magic and mystery you'll find on a trip to Greenwood. Your memorable day may have included shopping or a massage or an early morning duck hunt, and there'll likely be an unforgettable meal at evening's end, but you haven't truly "done the Delta" 'til you've seen the endless flatlands glowing orange as the day melts into the horizon. Reservations not required.

225 Howard Street, Greenwood, MS 38930 • visitgreenwood.com • 662-453-9197

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