



EDITOR'S PICKS

Our way of sharing with you those special things we call "Best of the Road®"

Frog Fantasies

The frogs-only gift shop doubles as a museum with displays from three generations of collectors.

151 Spring St., Eureka Springs, AR 72631
(479) 253-7227

Fort Smith Convention and Visitors Center

The first stop in Fort Smith should be the visitors bureau. It's located in a 19th-century building that was once the Riverfront Hotel, which doubled as a bordello until 1904.

Two North B, Fort Smith, AR 72901
(479) 783-8888, www.fortsmith.org

Fordyce Bathhouse

Restored to provide a glimpse of the great American spa experience of the mid-20th century, Fordyce Bathhouse doubles as the Hot Springs National Park Visitor Center.

369 Central Ave., Hot Springs, AR 71901
(501) 624-2701, www.nps.gov/hosp/

Ottenheimer Market Hall at RiverMarket

Stalls in the enclosed marketplace sell fresh produce and flowers, teas and gourmet coffee, foodstuffs, and gifts.

400 President Clinton Ave. Little Rock, AR 72201
(501) 375-2552, www.rivermarket.info/

Mt. Ida Café

Antlers may decorate the pine paneling of the Mt. Ida roadside café in the Ouachita National Forest, but diners come for the catfish, not venison.

US 270, Mt. Ida, AR 71957
(870) 867-2283

TOURISM INFORMATION

Arkansas Dept. of Parks & Tourism
www.arkansas.com

Bentonville/Bella Vista Chamber of Commerce
www.bbvchamber.com

Eureka Springs Advertising & Promotions Commission
www.eurekasprings.org

Fort Smith Convention & Visitors Bureau
www.fortsmith.org

Hot Springs Convention & Visitors Bureau
www.hotspings.org

Little Rock Convention & Visitors Bureau
www.littlerock.com

MORE GREAT STOPS

Wal-Mart Visitors Center

Exhibits display the history of the retail giant.

105 N. Main St., Bentonville, AR 72712
(479) 273-1329, www.wal-mart.com

Mount Victoria Bed & Breakfast

Elegant B&B in the historic district features breakfasts on the veranda.

28 Fairmont, Eureka Springs, AR 72632
(888) 408-7979
www.mountvictoria.com

Beland Manor

Gracious B&B is conveniently located to downtown Fort Smith.

1320 S. Albert Pike, Fort Smith, AR 72903
(800) 334-5052, www.belandmanor.com

Ouachita National Forest

Spectacular mountain views rival wonderful lakes, rivers, and streams in this 1.8-million-acre forest that stretches into Oklahoma.

100 Reserve St., Hot Springs, AR 71901
(501) 321-5202
www.fs.fed.us/oonf/ouachita.htm

The Arlington Resort Hotel & Spa

Historic hotel still offers the bath ... and spa services, too.

239 Central Ave. Hot Springs, AR 71901
(800) 643-1502
www.arlingtonhotel.com

Garvan Woodland Gardens

Antique roses grace the Border of Old Roses at this horticultural gem.

550 Arkridge Rd., Hot Springs, AR 71913
(501) 262-9300
www.garvangardens.org

William J. Clinton Presidential Center

The nation's largest presidential archives are part of an educational campus in downtown Little Rock.

1200 President Clinton Ave. Little Rock, AR 72201
(501) 370-5050
www.clintonpresidentialcenter.org

Flying Saucer Draught Emporium

Menu features a beer pairing for each course.

323 President Clinton Ave. Little Rock, AR 72201
(501) 372-7468, www.beerknurd.com

MacArthur Museum of Arkansas Military History

The museum is dedicated to those who serve in the military and is named after Little Rock's native son, General Douglas MacArthur.

503 East 9th St., Little Rock, AR 72202
(501) 376-4602
www.arkmilitaryheritage.com

Sticky Fingerz Rock'n' Roll Chicken Shack

Live entertainment plus a kitchen that serves chicken fingers any way you like them.

107 S. Commerce St. Little Rock, AR 72201
(501) 372-7707, www.stickyfingerz.com