

Exploring LA 1

Trip dates Friday March 16-Sunday March 18. If the weather prevents us taking the trip, we will reschedule for the following weekend, March 23-25 if possible. Starts in Grand Isle and stops at Arkansas border on LA 1.

You do not have to ride the whole ride to participate in trip. Ride any part, any day, and stay from 0-3 nights. I have a list of motels we will be staying and time and meeting places where each day starts. Suggested restaurants are also included.

Exploring LA 1 doesn't mean staying on LA 1 the whole time. It just means traveling in the direction of LA 1 and you can explore highways that are adjacent to LA 1. We can all ride in small groups following the same roads or break off and ride the roads of your choice. Stop at places you would like to visit, or just ride and explore the scenery.

Day 1 starts in Grand Isle and ends in Plaquemine. 131 miles direct, I figure 150-180.

Day 2 starts in Plaquemine and ends in Natchitoches. 190 miles direct, I figure 225.

Day 3 starts in Natchitoches and ends at Arkansas border 135 miles. Should be headed home by noon.

I need a contact person for this trip or any other future trips or rides.

Motels are being held only under our group name of GWRRA only until February 25. See motel sheet.

The trip is still a work in progress. The day of each ride we will update you on points of interest.

I suggest you visit one of the two listed plantations or distillery on Friday March 16. Don't believe you will have time for both plantations. You might have time for the distillery and a plantation.

1. Nottoway Plantation 31025 Hwy 1 White Castle-GWRRA rate \$15.00 about 10 miles south of our motel.
2. Southdown Plantation 1208 Museum Drive Houma-rate \$15.00. Contact Deana
3. A third suggestion is to visit the DP Distillery in Thibodaux. Currently they only do one tour a day at 4 pm. If enough are interested, maybe we can work out an earlier tour.

Your job as trip coordinator for you chapter.

1. Let your members know about the trip and how it works NOW
2. Get hotel reservations made before February 25
3. Talk about the trip at every meeting and put in your newsletter.

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