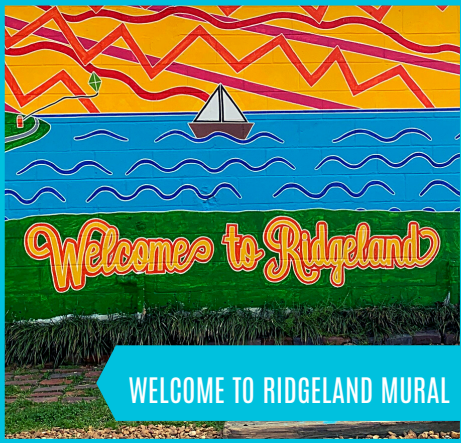


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WELCOME TO RIDGELAND MURAL



REPEAT STREET - RETAIL TRAIL



RIDGELAND WILDFLOWER FIELD



SOMBRA MEXICAN KITCHEN

DAY 1 Around Ridgeland Town

ARRIVE

in Ridgeland and pull those cameras out for your first Ridgeland photo opp at the "Welcome to Ridgeland" Mural located in the Old Town Railroad District.

FOLLOW

the **Ridgeland Retail Trail** through the specialty shops of Jackson Street or take a trip down memory lane at **Repeat Street** located on HWY 51. Repeat Street is Mississippi's premier consignment shop with 17,000 sq. ft. and an eclectic mix of constantly changing, hand-selected, one-of-a-kind furnishings and fashion inventory. Wandering the aisles of Repeat Street is a shopping experience you can't find anywhere else. You never know what you'll take home!

WANDER

through the delightful **Ridgeland Wildflower Fields**. You'll feel transported to a magical land as you walk among the wild and whimsical flowers. This 3 acre field features local artwork rising from the most vibrant of hues. Each piece of art was sculpted entirely out of recycled materials and represents some of Ridgeland's residents' favorite past times including kite flying, cycling, and baseball. You won't want to forget your camera for this stop!

DRINK

in the memories of your first day in Ridgeland with a **Margarita Flight** on the patio of **Sombra Mexican Kitchen**. From the fresh-squeezed lime juice and organic agave nectar in every margarita to the made-from-scratch corn and flour tortillas, Sombra focuses on fresh and flavorful tastes. The colorful and casual environment will allow you to sit back, take your time, and enjoy Sombra's modern take on traditional Mexican and Southwest dining.

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RENAISSANCE SHOW FOUNTAIN



PEARL RIVER KAYAKS



PELICAN COVE GRILL



RESERVOIR OVERLOOK

GAZE

in awe as 62 robotic nozzles and more than 200 color changing LED lights dance together to bring the **Renaissance Show Fountain** to life. Interactive shows run every half hour and promise to have you singing and dancing along to your favorite tunes.

DAY 2 A Day On The Rez'

WAKE

up to complimentary breakfast at your hotel and head to the Barnett Reservoir. The locals know the best way to enjoy the Rez' is to get on it! Take your pick of **Pearl River Kayaks'** many tour options including the "**Wildlife & Bird Watching**", "**Kayak Fishing**", and ever popular "**Flora, Fauna, and Fungi**" Tour. Feeling adventurous? Pearl River Kayaks offers an "**Explore On Your Own**" rental option for groups looking to roam without a guide.

DOCK

your kayaks and enjoy eating with a view. **Pelican Cove Grill** is your lunch spot today and promises to have you relaxing on the back deck with a cool drink in hand. **Pelican Cove Grill** is a true Ridgeland favorite with its signature drinks, hot eats, big screen TVs, and lively back deck with live entertainment throughout the day.

STOP

by **Reservoir Overlook** on the **Natchez Trace Parkway** to view the Rez' like the locals do before heading back to your hotel. The open, green space overlooking the water is the perfect place to wind down from an adventurous day. Head back to your hotel to prepare for dinner. Your day on the Rez' isn't over just yet!

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COCK OF THE WALK

TRAVEL

back in time to the old riverboat era as you enjoy catfish golden fried, pots of greens, and cornbread flipped in the pan right before your very eyes. You'll know you've entered Ridgeland's **Cock of the Walk**, an original Mississippi Catfish House when your server tips their feathered cap to you!



SUNSET CRUISE ON SWEET OLIVE

SAIL

off into the sunset with a cruise around the Rez' on the **Sweet Olive Tour Boat**. Sweet Olive has heating and cooling to meet your needs no matter what time of year.



SNAPPY SYNC EVENT

WITNESS

the magic of the South's most impressive population of synchronous "Snappy Sync" fireflies along the historic **Natchez Trace Parkway**. The **Snappy Sync Soiree** is an event unique to Ridgeland in that these special fireflies are found in few places across the country and can only be seen for a brief window of time in the summer months. Watch in wonder as the fireflies delightfully dance through the trees and fill the night sky. While these "snappy" fireflies aren't too keen to having their picture snapped, you'll have a chance to snap a photo of you and your entire group at a number of Snappy Sync Soiree photo spots.

HEAD

back to your hotel to get some rest from an eventful day exploring the Rez'. Your final day in Ridgeland awaits you in the morning!

DAY 3 Ride Ridgeland



WAKE

up to breakfast at your hotel and get ready to explore your final day the Ridgeland way, on TWO WHEELS.

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BICYCLE REVOLUTION MOBILE



RIDGELAND MOUNTAIN BIKE TRAILS



RIDGELAND MULTI-USE TRAILS



STEP

right outside your hotel to find **Bicycle Revolution's Mobile Bicycle Service** ready to fit you with the essentials you'll need to explore Ridgeland on two wheels. Not sure where to ride? Ridgeland's cycling offerings are plentiful and varied! We've got **paved paths in the city**, **dirt paths in the country**, **trails by the water**, and **trails along the historic Natchez Trace**. While Ridgeland has been named a **Bike Friendly Community** by the League of American Cyclists, helmets are required for your safety.

TAKE YOUR PICK

CRANK

those pedals as you climb rolling hills and rock formations at the **Ridgeland Mountain Bike Trails**. You'll feel like you can fly as you race through 10 miles of fast single track paths among the trees. Don't let those tree roots scare you, the Ridgeland Mountain Trails have rides for cyclists of all experience levels.

CRUISE

along the **Ridgeland Multi-Use Trails**, a network of paved paths connecting the city's parks with shopping, dining, and beautiful scenery throughout it's 15+ miles. You'll discover that a special section of the trails have been dedicated to the Choctaw people in honor of the area's significance as their homeland along the Natchez Trace Parkway. The **Chisha Foka Multi-Use Trail** is a 7 mile scenic trail hosting an abundance of beautiful foliage and wildlife to discover.

RETURN

to your hotel, drop off your bike, and check out. We hope you've had a blast exploring Ridgeland's outdoor offerings. We hope to see you again soon!



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