

GET THE "INFO" ON JAX!



At **840** square miles,
JACKSONVILLE
IS THE LARGEST CITY
By Landmass In **The Continental US.**

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MAKE a SPLASH in JAX!

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MILES of shoreline
in JAX –

1,100



Miles of **BEACHES**
in JAX – **22**

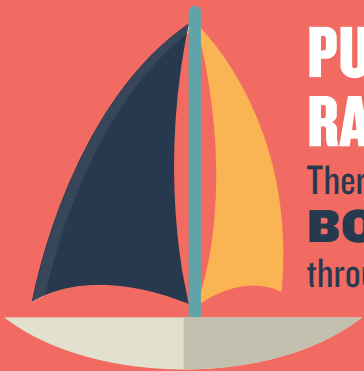
TYPES of WATERSPORTS

Fishing, surfing, **SUP**,
kayaking, **SCUBA**, skiing,
swimming, boogie
boarding, **windsurfing**,
kite surfing, **jet skiing**,
boating, **floating**...you
name it **we've got it.**



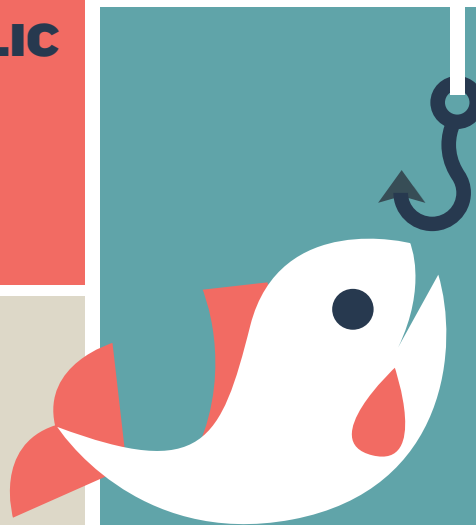
PUBLIC ACCESS RAMPS –

There are **54 PUBLIC
BOAT RAMPS**
throughout Duval County,
get on the water!



TYPES OF FISHING

RIVER BRIDGE PIER FLY CHARTER
POND LAKE BEACH BOAT



FISHING

Drop a line and bring
up a big one in Jax,
we have over

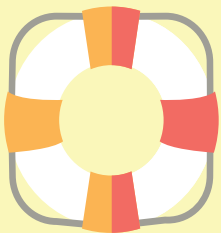
**60 FISH
SPECIES**

in our waters.

Operating since 1874, the

ST. JOHNS RIVER FERRY

is the **only public ferry**
in Florida.



NUMBER of REEFS

There are **22 REEFS** in
Jacksonville and **38** off our
beautiful coast.



#onlyinjax fact:

The St. Johns River is one of the few **northward-flowing rivers** in the world and the **longest north flowing river in the U.S.**

SO MUCH TO DO IN JAX.

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THE JACKSONVILLE ZOO & GARDENS

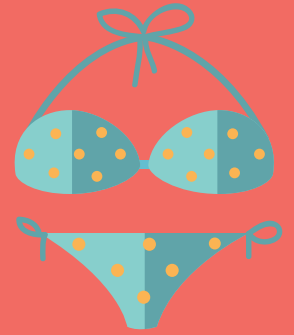


Features over **2,400** rare and exotic animals. (Bonus fact! its renowned botanical gardens are home to over 1,000 species of plants.)

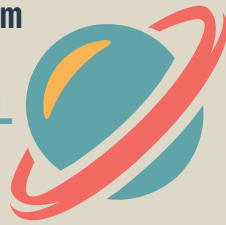
Adventure Landing has

12 WATERSLIDES

4 "Xtreme" slides,
plus **8** in The
Pirate's Play Village.



The Bryan-Gooding Planetarium
is the **LARGEST**
SINGLE-LENS DIGITAL
DOME PLANETARIUM
in the U.S.



How fast you can drive
a go-kart at **Autobahn**
Indoor Speedway:

50 MPH



SWEET PETE'S makes over
10,000 POUNDS OF CARAMEL
in a year, try their Sea Salt
Caramel – it's to die for!

MANDARIN MUSEUM

at Walter Jones Park has an
exhibit on the **MAPLE**
LEAF SHIPWRECK
with over **100 Civil War** artifacts.



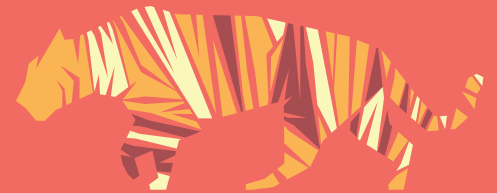
The former chief historian of the National Park Service,
Edwin Bearss, has said the Maple Leaf is the "most
important repository of Civil War artifacts ever found."

PORCELAIN

The Constance I. and Ralph H.
Wark Collection of Early Meissen
Porcelain at the **CUMMER**
MUSEUM is recognized as the
most significant collection of its
type in the U.S. and one of the top
three in the world.



40
BIG CATS



CATTY SHACK RANCH

Wildlife Sanctuary has: **24 tigers, 5 lions, 6 cougars,**
4 leopards, 1 bobcat. And the **Only Up-Close, Night**
Feeding Experience in Jacksonville.

#onlyinjax fact:

FRIENDSHIP FOUNTAIN was built in **1965**, today the fountain
jets shoot up **110 feet in the air** along the St. Johns River.

PARTY **the** night away **in** JAX!

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22+ ANNUAL
MUSIC FESTS



There are over **27+**
LIVE MUSIC VENUES
throughout Jacksonville.



Check out our
**26 TOP CRAFT
COCKTAILS**

throughout the city,
at visitjacksonville.com/restaurants/night-life-overview/the-26-best-drinks-in-jacksonville

SOUTHERN
ROCK

BIRTHPLACE OF SOUTHERN ROCK.

5 is the number of Southern Rock Bands that were formed in Jax. Two of Southern Rock's architects, **Lynyrd Skynyrd** and **The Allman Brothers Band** were formed in Jacksonville, paving the way for other Southern Rock bands, including local bands .38 Special, Molly Hatchet and JJ Grey & Mofro.

There are over
600 TAPS and over
**1,000 BREW OPTIONS
IN BOTTLES** on King Street
in Riverside.



We have **8 BREWERIES
AND COUNTING**

in Jacksonville, hop on the
#JaxAleTrail and enjoy a pint.

DRINK YOUR TRAIL OFF!

#onlyinjax fact:

Leonard Skinnerd was the original spelling of the group's name, who before becoming famous for their **southern hard-rock** tunes attended Robert E. Lee High School in Jacksonville.

TAKE a BITE out of JAX!

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There are **15 CHEFS**

from Jacksonville
on the AMERICA'S
BEST CHEFS LIST.



There are **90+** licensed
FOOD TRUCKS
in Jacksonville.

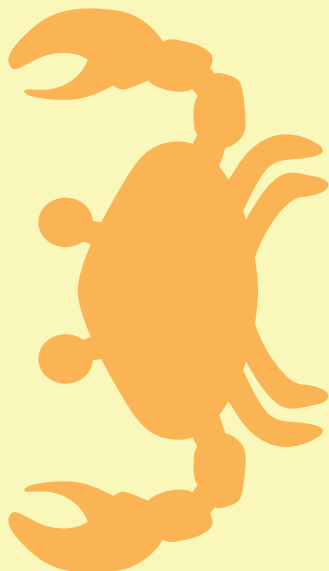


There are currently over
100 ETHNIC
RESTAURANTS
IN JACKSONVILLE!



JAX has
20+ locally
owned,
farm-to-table
restaurants.

The Jacksonville
Farmers Market is
the **OLDEST**
FARMERS
MARKET in
the state of Florida,
it opened in 1938.



There are over
30 restaurants with
vegan menus and
22 with **gluten-free**
options!



#onlyinjax fact:

Clark's Fish Camp in Mandarin displays the **largest private taxidermy collection** in America.

GET OUTDOORS IN JAX!

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80,000
ACRES



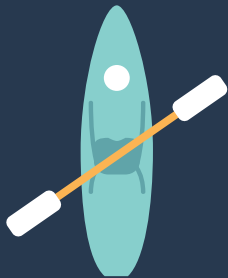
JAX has the **LARGEST URBAN PARK SYSTEM**, it is 4 times the size of the island of Manhattan.



OUR PARKS
CITY: 400 +
STATE: 7
NATIONAL: 2

264
Bird Species

can be found in JAX



Boat ramps
Motorized: 28
Non-Motorized: 41

EQUESTRIAN TRAILS

Baldwin: 14 miles
Julington Durbin: 12 miles
Pumpkin Hill Creek
Preserve State Park: 12 miles



The Jacksonville Equestrian Center has 78 full RV hookups and is part of the Cecil Corridor which has 32 miles of hiking, biking and equestrian trails.

MILES OF HIKING TRAILS

Hanna Park: 7 miles
Betz Tiger Point: 6 miles
Cedar Point Preserve: 6 miles
Seaton Creek Preserve: 8 miles
Julington Durin Preserve: 12 miles



NATURE ACTIVITY TOURS
Coastal Fossil Adventures, Kayak and paddleboard tours with Kayak Amelia, Fort George Island Segway Tours with Kayak Amelia, Ranger programs at Talbot Island State Parks, Nightly Feedings at Catty Shack Ranch, Guided kayak tours and kayak camping with Adventure Kayak Florida



MILES OF BIKING TRAILS



Hanna Park: 15 miles
Cecil Field: 2.5 miles
Baldwin Trail: 14.1 miles
Timucuan Trail: 10 miles
Big Talbot Island: 3 miles
Little Talbot Island: 2.5 miles
Beach and Peach: Off Road Biking facility

CAMPING

Jax has **450+** campsites – all pet friendly!



#onlyinjax fact:

13 different eco-systems coexist at the **Jacksonville Arboretum and Gardens** including oak hammock, fresh water ravine, upland sand hill and salt marsh.

IT'S GAMETIME ANYTIME!

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JAX is home to **8**
PRO sports teams.

 The **Gate River Run** is the
Largest 15k
in the United States.

263 Jaguar paw
prints can be found on Bay
Street from the Main Street Bridge
to EverBank Field.



 There are **1,220**
holes of golf
in Northeast Florida and **70**
private & public courses.

191,000 PEOPLE
WERE IN ATTENDANCE AT
THE PLAYERS
Championship in 2015.

50,000
CUBIC YARDS AMOUNT OF SAND removed
to create the famed island green
on the 17th hole at THE PLAYERS.

1933

The first year the
FLORIDA-GEORGIA Game
was held in Jacksonville.

JACKSONVILLE IS HOME TO
4 COLLEGES WITH
SPORTS TEAMS –
2 universities and 2 colleges.



THE TAXSLAYER BOWL

is **71 YEARS OLD** making it
the sixth oldest college bowl, as well as
the **first ever televised nationally.**

THE 26.2
WITH DONNA,
The National Marathon
to Finish Breast Cancer
is the only marathon and half
marathon dedicated to **breast cancer**
research and care.



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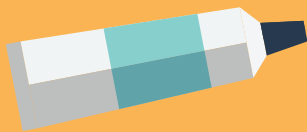
Established in 1977, **Kona Skatepark** is the longest surviving
private skatepark in the world.

ARTS & CULTURE & FUN IN JAX.

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3 ARTWALKS

First Wednesday Downtown ArtWalk,
Jax Beach ArtWalk,
& North Beaches Art Walk.



20 STOPS

The African-American Heritage Trail: Stops include Kingsley Plantation, the Ritz Theatre & Museum and J.P. Smalls Memorial Park.

more than **20**
art galleries
throughout JAX.



RIVERSIDE ARTS MARKET

Largest weekly festival in the state of Florida.



more than
10 MUSEUMS
including art, history,
African-American history,
science & nature.

ART IN PUBLIC PLACES: 67 ART PIECES & COUNTING

with more than **40** new permanent pieces
and nearly **\$2 MILLION** in public investment
in the next two years. culturalcouncil.org

NUMBER OF MURALS: 13 PLUS



22 PERFORMING ARTS GROUPS

representing
**MUSIC,
THEATRE
AND DANCE**
from professionals, youth
and amateur performers.



LIFT EV'RY VOICE AND SING



Referred to as "The African American National Anthem" the song was written as a poem by Jacksonville native James Weldon Johnson in 1899 and set to music by his brother John Rosamond Johnson in 1900.

#onlyinjax fact:

The Jacksonville Symphony Orchestra is the largest full time orchestra in Florida, and ranks as one of the **Top 40** symphonies in the country.








JACKSONVILLE HAS MORE SHORELINE THAN ANY OTHER US CITY!

Between the St. Johns River, the Atlantic Ocean & the Intracoastal Waterway there are over **1100 miles.**



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