Architecture
River Tours
& Classic Lake Tours

Departing from Navy Pier and the Michigan Avenue Bridge

EXPLORE YOUR CHICAGO



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Architecture Tours

- Architecture River Tour
- Architecture Fireworks Tour
- Night Architecture River Tour



Explore your Chicago aboard a Shoreline Architecture Tour on the historic Chicago River! Shoreline's experienced and entertaining guides recount the dramatic story of Chicago's rise from the ashes of the Great Fire of 1871 to become the home of the skyscraper and the birthplace of modern American architecture. On this 75-minute tour you will see landmarks by world-famous architects including Mies van der Rohe, Helmut Jahn, Adrian Smith, and Skidmore, Owings & Merrill. Shoreline Architecture River Tours depart from two convenient locations: Gateway Park at Navy Pier and the northeast corner of the Michigan Avenue Bridge.

ARCHITECTURE TOUR SCHEDULE

	Navy Pier	Michigan Avenue
4/27 - 6/7	Every 45 minutes starting at 10 a.m.	Every 45 minutes starting at 9:15 a.m.
6/8 - 8/17	Starting at 10 a.m., every 30 to 45 minutes until 9 p.m.	Starting at 9:15 a.m., every 30 to 45 minutes until 9 p.m.
8/18 - 9/29	Every 45 minutes starting at 10 a.m.	Every 45 minutes starting at 9:15 a.m.

^{*}Departure times are approximate. Please visit our website or call for today's schedule.

Shoulder Seasons: We operate any seasonally mild days March through Thanksgiving, weather and customer traffic permitting. Visit our website for daily updates.

Classic Lake Tours

- Lake Tour
- Lake Fireworks Tour



Explore your Chicago on a memorable 40-minute Classic Lake Tour! Enjoy breathtaking views of our city's skyscrapers from the amazing vantage point of Lake Michigan. You'll also enjoy a professional narration on Chicago's dramatic history and famous landmarks. Classic Lake Tours depart from our convenient dock at Navy Pier, Chicago's #1 tourist attraction! With multiple departures daily, these tours are ideal for a day in the city or as part of a night on the town.

CLASSIC LAKE TOUR SCHEDULE

	Daily	Saturdays
May and September	11:30 a.m. to dusk	11:30 a.m. to dusk
Memorial Day to Labor Day	Every 60 minutes starting at 11:30 a.m. Evening - 6:45 p.m., 7:45 p.m., and 8:45 p.m.* *Except Wednesday. Last Classic Tour departs at 7:45 and then a one-hour Fireworks Tour departs at 9:00 p.m.	Every 60 minutes starting at 11:30 a.m. Evening - 6:45 p.m., 7:45 p.m. and 8:45 p.m. *One-hour Fireworks Tour departs at 9:30 p.m.

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ARCHITECTURE FIREWORKS TOUR

Throughout the summer, Navy Pier celebrates Chicago with fireworks, and the best way to experience them is on a Shoreline combination Architecture/Fireworks Tour. This dramatic, nighttime cruise takes you down all three branches of the historic Chicago River for a close-up view of our city's iconic skyscrapers. The evening ends with an ideal view of Navy Pier's spectacular fireworks from the mouth of the Chicago River. Shoreline's 90-minute combination Architecture/Fireworks Tours depart from Gateway Park at Navy Pier and from the northeast corner of the Michigan Avenue Bridge on Saturdays and Wednesdays.

Wednesdays & Saturdays

5/24 to 8/30

NIGHT ARCHITECTURE TOUR

Join Shoreline Sightseeing for a dramatic view of Chicago after dark on our crowd-pleasing Night Architecture Tour. This 75-minute tour travels down all three branches of the historic Chicago River, passing landmark skyscrapers whose sparkling lights and reflective façades make them especially enchanting against the night sky. Our experienced and entertaining guides recount the story of Chicago's rise from the Great Fire of 1871 to become the birthplace of modern American architecture. Along the route are dozens of buildings designed by world-famous architects, including the Tribune Tower, Marina City, Trump Tower and Willis (Sears) Tower. Night Architecture Tours depart from both Navy Pier and the Michigan Avenue Bridge.











LAKE FIREWORKS TOUR

Enjoy a dramatic Lake Michigan tour followed by a front-row seat for the Navy Pier Fireworks display. These 60-minute cruises leave from Shoreline's dock at Navy Pier at 9 p.m. on Wednesdays and 9:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

Wednesdays & Saturdays

5/24 to 8/30

SPECIAL EVENTS JUNE THROUGH OCTOBER

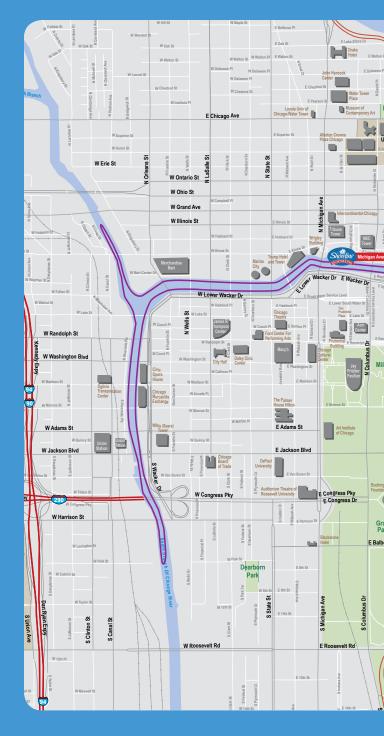
Shoreline's summer and fall Special Event Cruises include Brew Cruises, Wine Tasting Cruises and an Oktoberfest Cruise! Check our website for specific dates and times on these memorable nighttime Lake and River Cruises.

- Group Rates
- Private Charters

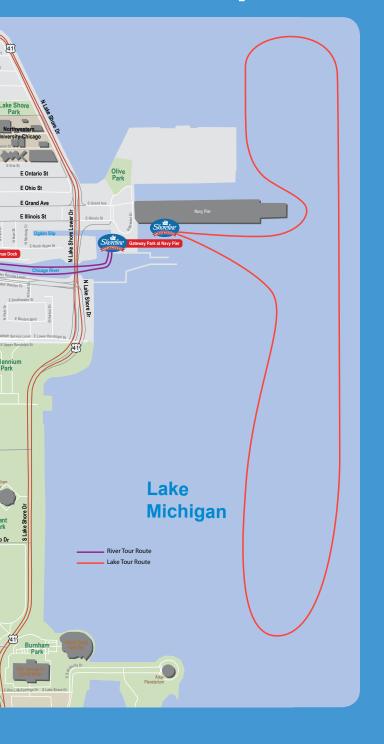


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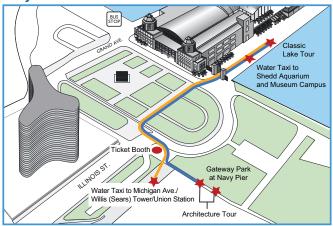


River Tours ours Route Map

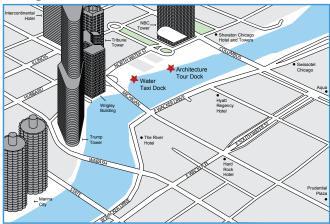


Tours Departing from Two Convenient Locations

Navy Pier



Michigan Avenue





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Available for tours departing from Navy Pier.

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Visit shorelinesightseeing.com for a list of all departures updated daily under the Upcoming Schedule sidebar. Tours are offered spring, summer and fall, weather permitting.