ARTS & CULTURE

Carson City hosts a vibrant arts and culture scene with an eclectic and exceptional array of exhibitions, public art, performing arts, musical theater productions, a summer jazz festival, a symphony, literary events and more! Find more information at visitcarsoncity.com/arts.

FOOD & DRINK

Work up an appetite exploring the stunning landscape,
then relax at one of our local restaurants, many of which
use locally sourced ingredients from regional growers

PLACES TO STAY

Rest and recharge after your day of exploring Northern Nevada. See a full list of hotels, motels and RV parks to suit your style and budget at **visitcarsoncity.com/hotels**.

ITINERARIES

Let us do the planning for you! With 1-3 day itineraries built for all interests; outdoors, family-friendly, arts, culture & more, let us map your trip out for you today at visitcarsoncity.com/itineraries.



Carson City Ghost Walk

TOURS

There are two ticketed tours for Carson City visitors. On the **Carson City Ghost Walk**, running June – October, you'll take a walk in the shadows with Madame Curry as she theatrically tells the stories of Carson City's history featuring lingering spirits, haunted stories and gossip. Book a tour at visitcarsoncity.com/ghostwalk.

The **Nevada State Prison** (est. in 1862) sits idle after closing its doors in 2012. To read about the Nevada State Prison, and how to book a tour, please visit nevadastateprison.org.

Enjoy **OHV & ATV tours** for those who want to ride without their own vehicles. There are multiple local companies offering exciting adventures in Carson City and the neighboring, scenic Carson Valley. Learn more at

ANNUAL EVENTS

Carson City is host to numerous events year-round, including mountain bike races, arts & cultural events, powwows, the Nevada Day Parade, summer concert series, food festivals and more. Plan your trip around our special events, mark your calendar today! For the most



Nevada State Museum

MUSEUMS

For museum hours, please call or see their individual websites as they may vary.

Nevada State Museum (Former U.S. Mint)
600 N. Carson St.
nvculture.org/museums | 775-687-4810

Nevada State Railroad Museum
2180 S. Carson St.
nvculture.org/museums | 775-687-6953

Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum
1 Jacobsen Way
stewartindianschool.com | 775-687-7608

Battle Born Hall at the Nevada State Capitol
101 N. Carson St.
visitcarsoncity.com/museums | 775-684-5670

Children's Museum of Northern Nevada
813 N. Carson St.
cmnn.org | 775-884-2226

Charlie B's Gallery & Vasefinder Museum
114 W. Telegraph St.
charliebgallery.com | 775-575-7333

BIG DAYS SHORT DRIVES

Carson City puts more within easy reach. Lake Tahoe, Reno, Virginia City and the wide-open Carson Valley are all just a short drive away, with the Sierra Nevada setting the backdrop. Explore all within Nevada's capital and see where the road takes you.



VISIT CARSON CITY NV

VISITORS CENTER INFO

Stop by and see us at the Visitors Center for maps, brochures, tourist information or to let us help you plan your Carson City visit.

Visit Carson City
716 N. Carson St., Suite A, Carson City, NV, 89701
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Silver Oak Golf Course

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

Carson City is the year-round gateway to miles of mountain biking and hiking trails that meander through the high desert and forests, leading to waterfalls, lakes and rivers. The picturesque streetscape of our pedestrian and bike-friendly downtown is the perfect venue for ongoing events.

Discover all the outdoor recreation options like golf, water sports, horseback riding, fishing, disc golf, and more at **visitcarsoncity.com/outdoor-rec**.



LESS TO FIGURE OUT

CARSON HOT SPRINGS

Relax and rejuvenation at the historic Carson Hot Springs Resort, where natural mineral waters soothe and refresh. Enjoy scenic views, inviting pools with private pool options, and a serene atmosphere perfect for unwinding after a day of exploring. Learn more at

STEWART INDIAN SCHOOL

Stewart Indian School operated as a boarding school for Great Basin tribal children from 1890 to 1980, part of a federal assimilation policy aimed at eradicating Native culture. In the 1930s, policies shifted, and students attended willingly. The campus features 65 historic stone buildings crafted by Hopi stonemasons and Stewart students, spanning 110 acres. Listed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1985, it offers a free outdoor audio tour with stories from alumni.

The Stewart Indian School Cultural Center & Museum, located in the former administrative building, offers free admission and includes a storytelling room for crafts, the Wa-Pai-Shone Gallery of contemporary Native art, a research room, and a permanent exhibition on the school's history, narrated by the



Stewart Indian School

HISTORIC CAPITAL

Nevada's heart beats here in the capital city. While visiting Carson City, you'll catch a glimpse of Nevada's rich and colorful history. The city's origins are closely linked to the creation of the state of Nevada. In 1861, when the Nevada Territory was established, Carson City was named the capital of the territorial government. Three years later, when statehood was bestowed, Carson City was designated the official state capital. Visitors can walk the scenic Capitol Grounds or go inside the Capitol Building to visit the Battle Born Hall Museum, with free admission.

Learn more at visitcarsoncity.com/nevadas-capital.



Carson City Capitol

KIT CARSON TRAIL

The Kit Carson Trail is a self-guided walking or driving tour through Carson City's Historic West Side District. It features stops at landmarks including Victorian-style homes, museums and churches. Each tells a story of the capital city's history.





Scan for the map and audio tour!



V&T Railway

RIDE THE RAILS

Experience three unique, historic railroad attractions in Carson City chock-full of history, culture and fun!

V&T RAILWAY

Take a trip back in time on the historic V&T Railway, trains that run May-October. Built in the early 1870s, the 24-mile roundtrip train ride from Carson City to Virginia City takes you over mountains and through canyons with spectacular views. Learn more about specialty trains or schedule your trip at **vtrailway.com** or call **833-RAILSNV** (724-5768). Book in advance.

NEVADA STATE RAILROAD MUSEUM

The Nevada State Railroad Museum in Carson City offers steam train rides or motor car rides on a 2,000-foot radial loop around the museum. Learn more about holiday rides and other special events at **carsonrailroadmuseum.org**.

RAILZEPHRY RAILBIKE TOURS

Pedal into the Carson River Canyon on RailZephyr's two-seat or four-seat electric-assist railbikes. The roughly one-hour ride leaves from the Eastgate Depot and the e-assist handles the climbs, so riders as young as 4 can come along. **railzephyr.com**



RailZephyr Railbike Tours