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Open all year Wed.–Sun. 9am–5pm.

Adults \$5.75, seniors \$5.25, children 6-12 \$5. Group rates available. MC, V.

Directions

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Directions:

From the North: Take I-17 to loop 101 west. Exit 101 at Northern Avenue and head west 8 miles.

From the East: Take I-10 westbound to Cotton Lane (exit #124). Head North 6 miles to Northern Avenue and turn right (east). (Printable map on web site)

OUT OF AFRICA WILDLIFE PARK

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PARK HOURS

Winter (October through May): 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Open Tuesday through Sunday (Closed Monday). Open all major holidays except Thanksgiving & Christmas Day.

Current Prices:

General Admission (all shows) - Adult - \$14.95; seniors - \$13.95; Children - \$ 6.95 (3-12); Children 2 yrs. and younger – **FREE**. *Prices and hours subject to change without notice.* **Printable map available on web site**

THE PHOENIX ZOO

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Located near the center of the Phoenix Metro Area, within easy access from all the major freeways and Sky Harbor Airport. The entrance to the Zoo is off Galvin Parkway in the heart of Papago Park, between McDowell and Van Buren. (Printable map on web site)

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- Regular season hours — from September 1 through May 31 — are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Regular Season (September 1 through May 31): Adults \$12, seniors \$9, Children (ages 3-12) \$5. Children two and under are admitted free.

We accept all major forms of credit cards for admission payment.

THE WRIGLEY MANSON

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The Wrigley Mansion has been a recognized landmark in the Phoenix area since its construction. We invite you to come with us as we explore the city, the architecture of the home, and the contribution that its residents made to society during that era. Tours are held Tuesdays through Friday at 10:00 am and 2:00 pm, and last approximately one hour. (Printable map is available on web site)

A luncheon-tour is available with a minimum of ten reservations. This would allow our guests the opportunity to enjoy our outstanding cuisine and the many beautiful details which were included in the mansion's design. The 10:00 tour is followed by lunch at 11:30. The 2:00 tour is preceded by a 12:30 lunch.

TOUR PRICES*:

Tour Only -- \$11.00 per person + tax

Luncheon Tour -- \$11.00 per person + tax + the cost of choice ala carte lunch menu item

Children under 12 are free for the tour. However, there is a charge for menu items ordered by children when part of a luncheon tour.

Reservations must be made at least 24 hours in advance for all tours. Tours outside of specified times may be made by special arrangement.

* Unfortunately, senior and group discounts are not available

HEARD MUSEUM

2301 N. Central Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85004-1323

602/252.8848 Recorded Information

602/252.8840 Administrative Offices, daily 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Web site: www.heard.org

The Heard Museum is located in the heart of Central Phoenix, just north of downtown, on Central Avenue, just four blocks north of McDowell Road. Ample free parking available. (Printable map on web site.)

General Admission:

\$7 Adults

\$6 Seniors (65+)

\$3 Children 4-12

FREE for children under 4, Native Americans with proof of tribal enrollment and Heard Museum members

Hours:

Daily 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The internationally acclaimed Heard Museum is one of the best places to experience the myriad cultures and art of Native Americans of the Southwest. With a commanding presence on Central Avenue in downtown Phoenix, the museum hosts nearly 250,000 visitors a year and ". . . provides Indian artists with a wonderful home that will excite and inspire visitors from around the world."

Arizona Highways, October 1999. The museum's 10 spacious exhibit galleries and beautiful outdoor courtyards feature outstanding traditional and contemporary Native American art.

With a 50,000-square-foot expansion in 1999, the Heard Museum nearly doubled its public spaces, allowing more room to display some of the more than 35,000 artifacts in its permanent collection. Three additional gallery spaces, a 400-seat multipurpose auditorium, an Education Center, expanded Museum Shop and Bookstore, and the indoor/outdoor Ironwood Café are all features of the expanded Heard Museum. Ample parking is available on the museum grounds.

HISTORIC HERITAGE SQUARE

Historic Heritage Square, inside Heritage & Science Park in downtown Phoenix's **Copper Square**, offers tours of the beautifully restored 1895 Rosson House Museum as well as other fun events. (Printable map on web site)

Rosson House Tours

Tours of this historic home are available Wednesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. and from noon through 3:30 p.m. on Sundays. Admission fees are \$4 for adults, \$3 for seniors and \$1 for children (6-12 years), children 5 & under free. For more information, please call (602) 262-5029.

Contact Information:

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Web site: www.franklloydwright.org

Designed 1937-59



In late 1937 Wright purchased land in northeast Scottsdale, Arizona, where he and his young apprentices took on the task of building Taliesin West as a winter "camp." The complex of buildings included residential spaces, theaters, a shop, and an architectural studio and drafting room.

From its inception, the buildings at Taliesin West astounded architectural critics with their beauty and unusual form. In its 1956 report *Architectural Record* called a visit to Taliesin West "an experience in color, light, and time . . . Most of all, the building is an experience in time: approach terraces, the steps, the long walk under the pergola, the penetration into the heart of the building itself: all these form a subtle sequence of varied spaces, scales, and shapes . . . Perhaps never since the baroque period has the element of time been used so skillfully in realizing the enchantment of an intricate work of art."

Taliesin West offers a broad range of tours to meet individual interests. All tours are led by knowledgeable guides, and all visitors must be accompanied by a guide.

The entrance to Taliesin West is located at the intersection of Cactus Road and Frank Lloyd Wright Boulevard (approx. 114th Street) in northeast Scottsdale. (Printable map available on web site)

ENTRANCE DRIVE

The approach to Taliesin West demonstrates Wright's sensitive treatment of the environment in which he placed his buildings.

OFFICE

The first building is a structure of sloping stone and concrete walls topped with a translucent roof supported by deep, exposed beams of wood and steel. This building served as Wright's business office, reception room, and a part-time design studio.

DRAFTING STUDIO/KITCHEN/DINING AREA

This group of interconnected buildings house diverse functions and serve as core for the complex.

GARDEN ROOM AND WRIGHT FAMILY LIVING QUARTERS

The Garden Room was and remains the show piece of Taliesin West. Designed, built, remodeled continually by the architect, it evolved into a spacious, well-lighted room from a long, narrow development of the principal structural theme described in the Office and Studio.

Entrance to the room is through a typically Wrightian low-ceiling, stone-wall space that leads to a room 56-feet long by 34-feet wide at one place and 24-feet at another. This room opens to a garden on the east and to the horizon on the south.

A large fireplace dominates the far end of the room. At the other end is a 10-foot by 12-foot patio that forms one wall of a well-sheltered alcove and that once served as an intimate, private living area for the Wrights.

Beyond the alcove is a small bar, restrooms, pantry and kitchen that once served as the Wrights' private kitchen.

Adjoining this area at right angles is a suite of rooms that served as Mrs. Wright's quarters during the latter years of her life. This wing is 114-feet overall in length by 20-feet wide. At the far end of this wing are located private apartments for Taliesin Senior Fellowship members and office spaces.

SUN COTTAGE

One of the first structures to be built at Taliesin West was a small group of sleeping spaces clustered around an open patio and fireplace. This area was called the "Sun Trap" from 1938 to 1941. To this was added a small living area and fireplace for the Wrights. During the winter of 1946 this structure was demolished and in following years was rebuilt as an experimental structure and home. Its form was unusual; it had virtually no shading overhang yet it provided a shaded, sheltered, continuous view of the desert for seated occupants inside.

2003 Summer/Fall Tour Schedule

The popular summer/fall tour schedule of Frank Lloyd Wright's Taliesin West begins May 1 and runs through October 31. During these months, when crowds are smaller, the Foundation offers more in-depth tours, as well as special tours.

PRIVATE PERSONAL TOURS

With advance reservations, individuals and very small groups may schedule a tour by an architect, Wright associate or Taliesin artist. Call for price and reservations.

SUMMER INSIGHTS TOUR (90 MINUTES)

Time: Every day, mornings at: 9:30 and 11:30 am; afternoons at: 12, 1, 2, 3 & 4 pm.

Also offered daily at 10:30 am in May, September, and October.

Cost: \$16 /person (\$14 seniors, students & children 4-12)

The highlight of this very popular 90-minute guided tour is the dramatic Taliesin West Living Room, called the "Garden Room" by Wright.

Summer Insight visitors have the opportunity to sit in Wright-designed furniture and experience firsthand the drama of being a guest in Wright's famous Garden Room. In addition, the Summer Insights tour includes the spaces shown on the Panorama tours.

PANORAMA TOUR (1 HOUR)

Time: Every day, mornings at: 9, 10 & 11 am

Cost: \$12.50/person (\$10 seniors/students; and \$4.50 children 4-12)

This one-hour tour is popular with visitors who don't have the time to take a longer tour. It introduces visitors to Wright's brilliant ability to integrate indoor and outdoor spaces.

The Cabaret Cinema, Music Pavilion, Seminar Theater and Wright's private office are linked by dramatic terraces, walkways and splashing fountains overlooking the rugged Sonoran desert and Valley below.

Knowledgeable guides explain how the site relates to the natural desert and provide a general overview of Wright's basic theories of architectural design.

BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR (3 HOURS)

Time: Monday & Saturday mornings only (June through August), starting at 9 am.

Also offered Thursdays at 9 am in May, September, and October.

Cost: \$25 per person

For the Wright enthusiast interested in an intimate look at Taliesin West, this exclusive experience is a must. Visitors have the chance to have leisurely mid-morning refreshments in the colorful Taliesin Fellowship dining room, visit all the spots on the Insights tour including the Garden Room, plus a walk to the historic Sun Cottage—all with ample time to take photographs and ask questions.