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You've Arrived to Jackson, Michigan

Jackson, Michigan is the ultimate Midwest destination. Big city feel paired with small-town charm keep groups coming back here year after year to host their corporate events. Exceptional local food, an ample number of venues, affordable hotels, and a variety of entertainment options make for a fun-filled time.

When your meetings are over, the fun starts with team bonding opportunities, live shows, active nightlife, museums, and so much more. Be sure to check what's going on while your group is here on our [event calendar](#).

Getting Here is Easy

Jackson continues to be the go-to spot for many corporations for their meetings and conferences because of its convenient location at the intersection of I-94 and U.S. 127. Just 30 minutes south of Lansing and 40 minutes west of Ann Arbor, it's an easy drive from most major cities in Michigan as well as those in Indiana and Ohio.

A Quick Drive

Detroit – 1 hour 15 minutes

Toledo – 1 hour 20 minutes

Fort Wayne – 2 hours

Grand Rapids – 1 hour 30 minutes

Lansing – 30 minutes

Kalamazoo – 1 hour 10 minutes



Splendid Accommodations

Enjoy a restful night's sleep at one of the well-appointed hotels in the Jackson area. Each is different from the next, offering exceptional accommodations for every need. Have peace of mind knowing each member of your team is comfortable in our modern hotels.

America's Best Value Inn & Suites

(517) 783-1900

830 Royal Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Conveniently located at exit 138 right off I-94 in Jackson. Guests will enjoy the affordable rates and clean, comfortable accommodations.

Baymont by Wyndham Jackson

(517) 789-6000

2035 Bondsteel Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Experience home-style comfort you won't forget! Located at the intersection of U.S. 127 and I-94, it is a close drive to everything within the city.

Colonial Inn

(517) 764-3820

6027 Ann Arbor Rd.
Jackson, MI 49201

Just off I-94 at exit 145, guests can enjoy great amenities including an outdoor pool.

Comfort Inn & Suites

(517) 768-0088

2435 Shirley Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Their well-equipped rooms, free Wi-Fi, continental breakfast, and multiple meeting rooms make it great for business travel.



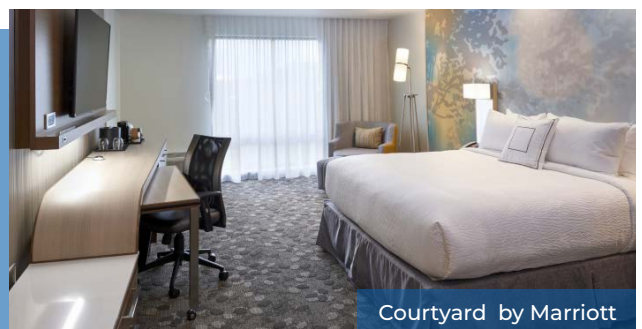
Courtyard by Marriott



Fairfield Inn & Suites



Home2Suites by Hilton



Courtyard by Marriott

[Courtyard by Marriott](#)

(517) 782-1000

2010 Bondsteel Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Right off the intersection of I-94 and U.S. 127, enjoy a newly designed meeting room, an in-house restaurant, and well-appointed guest rooms.

[Fairfield Inn & Suites](#)

(517) 784-7877

2395 Shirley Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Savor the complimentary hot breakfast or make use of the business center! Plus, it's just minutes from local restaurants and attractions.

[Hampton Inn Jackson](#)

(517) 789-5151

2225 Shirley Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

A comfortable stay, you'll find your time at this hotel enjoyable and relaxing with their ample list of amenities, including free hot breakfast.

[Holiday Inn Jackson NW](#)

(517) 789-9600

2696 Bob McClain Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Appointed with a conference center for up to 120 people, it's a great choice for groups. Meals are easy with the on-site restaurant.

[Home2 Suites by Hilton](#)

(517) 998-7000

2704 Bob McClain Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Located just off I-94 at exit 137, this hotel offers free continental breakfast and nicely appointed suites with separate living rooms and full-size refrigerators.

[Quality Inn Jackson](#)

(517) 788-8780

2001 Shirley Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Just off U.S. 127, when staying here you'll experience comfort and value. Begin the morning with a complimentary breakfast!

[Super 8 Brooklyn](#)

(517) 592-0888

419 S. Main St.
Brooklyn, MI 49230

A short drive from Jackson, it features free Wi-Fi and an event space with everything needed to host up to 230 attendees.

[TownePlace Suites by Marriott Jackson](#)

(517) 780-0065

2002 Bondsteel Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Work with ease thanks to free Wi-Fi, moveable desks, and ergonomic chairs. In the morning, enjoy the complimentary hot breakfast.

[Travelodge By Wyndham](#)

(517) 787-1111

901 Rosehill Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

Right off I-94, this hotel offers comfortable rates, complimentary continental breakfast, outdoor pool, and 24-hour front desk service.

[Tru by Hilton](#)

(517) 867-5000

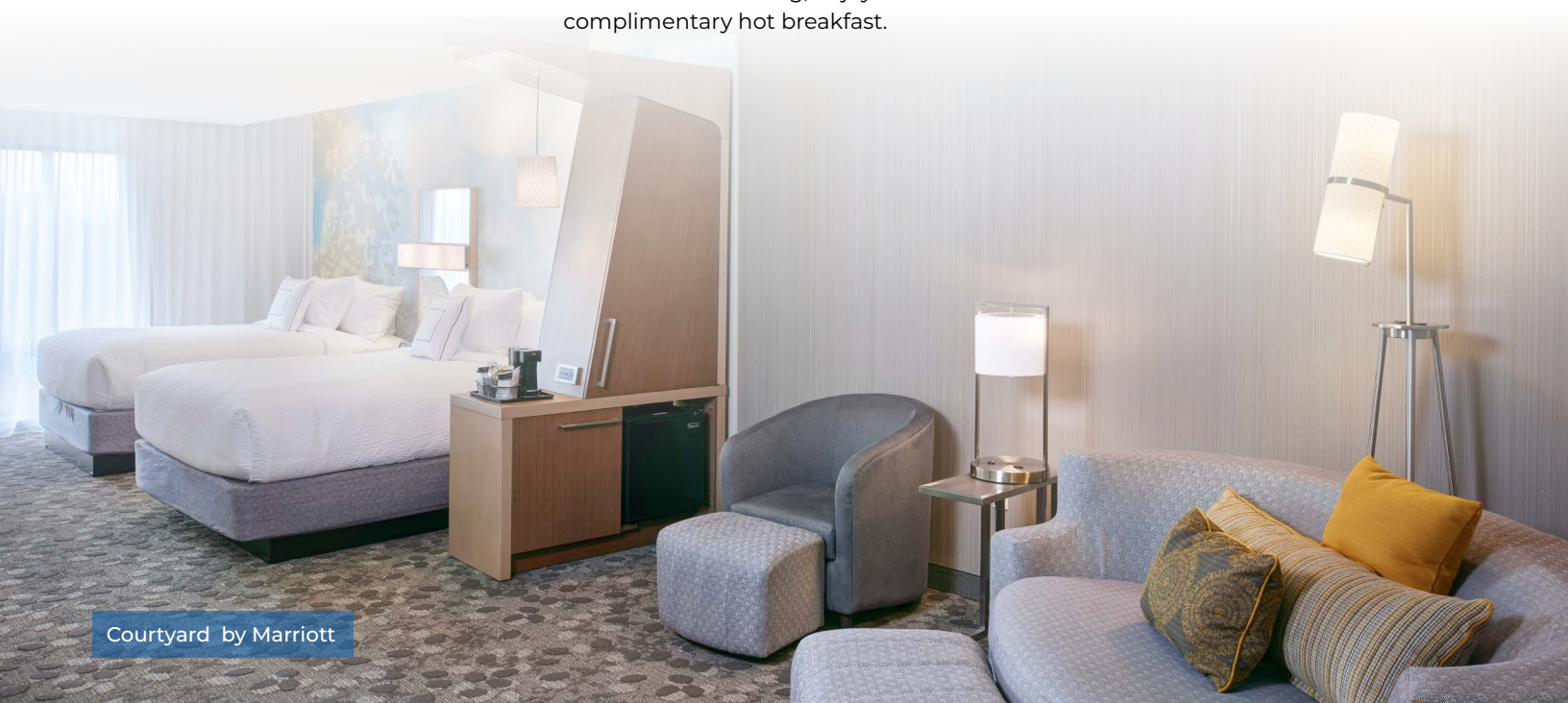
2401 Shirley Dr.
Jackson, MI 49202

This recently renovated lodging option features bright welcoming colors, lounge area in the lobby, charging station, and more.

Let us help book
your room block
for free!

Email Us

Courtyard by Marriott



The Perfect Venue *Is Here*

Scenic, iconic, or unforgettable, Jackson has just the venue to wow your team and host a great corporate event! Discover the possibilities and get a feel for the event space by looking through the list below.

American 1 Event Center

(517) 788-4320

This sprawling space has seating for 500 guests. Designed to be a multi-use space, it can easily be transformed into a cozy environment for smaller groups.

ART 634

(517) 499-9585

Formerly a wagon wheel factory next to Michigan's first state prison, ART 634 has unmatched charm with exposed brick and hardwood floors.

Cascades Manor

(517) 784-1500

A staple of the city, the sprawling venue has in-house catering and several rooms to accommodate small and large groups. The scenic grounds and elegantly crafted Tudor-style manor elevate any event.

Commonwealth Commerce Center

(517) 784-0059

Day or night, the City View Room has an incredible cityscape view. They have a caterer and several event rooms to meet your group's every need.

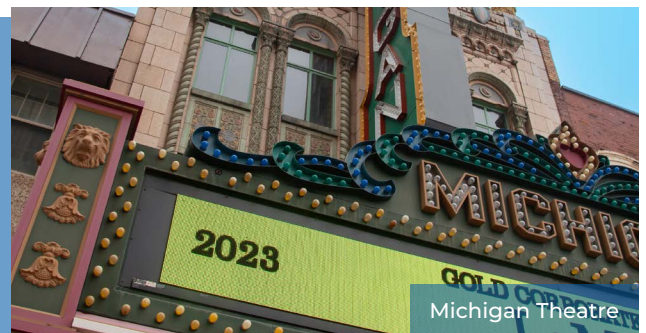
Ella Sharp Museum

(517) 787-2320

A great place to host a meeting and spend time bonding with your team, it has meeting space in the planetarium, on the patio, or inside.



Forty Nine South



Michigan Theatre



Jackson Symphony Orchestra



Tower Ballroom

[Forty Nine South](#)

(517) 435-2193

Small gatherings or large groups, they have just the space. The venue has multiple room options and even has a stage for presentations and speakers.

[Jackson County Airport](#)

(517) 788-4225

What's more memorable than hosting your corporate event in an airport hangar? Experience the excitement of flight during your meeting!

[Lost Railway Museum](#)

(517) 522-9500

Devoted to the preservation of transportation history, it will captivate all interests. Rent the entire museum or their meeting room with a catering kitchen.

[Michigan International Speedway](#)

(800) 354-1010

Take your pick of meeting locations – pit row, Champion's Club, or somewhere in between; you can't go wrong. The space can be converted to any floor plan.

[Michigan Theatre](#)

(517) 783-0962

The 1930s Spanish Renaissance style theater will leave an impression with its polychrome terra-cotta façade, heavy damask draperies, and stained-glass light fixtures.

[The Potter Center](#)

(517) 796-8473

With room for up to 360 guests, the upscale venue is located on the Jackson College campus. Gather in a meeting room or on the patio.

[Tower Ballroom](#)

(517) 768-5876

A 1929 historic building right in downtown Jackson. The 200-person space is complete with large stained-glass windows and detailed woodworking.

[Weatherwax Hall](#)

(517) 782-3221

Jackson Symphony Orchestra's Performing Arts Center, this stunning venue is elegant and can hold up to 300 people.

[Westers Vineyard and Winery](#)

(517) 569-2164

Located just minutes outside of the city, it offers several options for hosting your group inside its iconic black barn or outside alongside the vineyard.

[Whistlestop Park Depot](#)

(517) 812-2319

A charming, restored train depot from 1887, it can accommodate 64 people. The on-site kitchen is ideal when planning meals.

Need more
choices? See the
complete list of
venues on our
website!

[More Venues](#)



American 1 Event Center



Hotel

Meeting Spaces

Enjoy the convenience of staying and meeting in the same location. Jackson has several hotels with on-site banquet space and board rooms. Seasoned at hosting out-of-town guests, the hotel staff are there to ensure your event goes smoothly.

Comfort Inn & Suites

(517) 768-0088

If you need multiple rooms for breakout sessions, this is a great option. They have several rooms with a 30-person capacity. AV equipment and Wi-Fi are also available.

Courtyard by Marriott

(517) 782-1000

Their meeting room can accommodate up to 40 guests. The space includes a 55" TV and Bluetooth projector to aid in your audio/visual needs.

Holiday Inn & Express Suites

(517) 788-6400

For groups under 40 people, this hotel is great. Recently renovated, they also have a business center with Wi-Fi, a printer, and a communal computer.

Holiday Inn Northwest

(517) 789-9600

Their spacious conference center offers a variety of layout options. The event space for up to 120 people includes A/V equipment, Wi-Fi, and an on-site caterer.

Home2 Suites by Hilton

(517) 998-7000

A great choice for smaller groups, they have a boardroom for up to 10. They also have a business center for all your work needs.

Super 8 Brooklyn

(517) 592-0888

With a capacity for 230 guests, this generous space includes A/V equipment, Wi-Fi, and bartending services if needed.

TownePlace Suites by Marriott

(517) 780-0065

This hotel has a spacious boardroom for meetings of 15. Guests can use faxing and printing services in the business center.

Make your meeting
extra special by
booking one of our
fantastic food trucks!

Food Trucks

Group Friendly Restaurants

There's no better way to end the day than with a fantastic meal from a local restaurant. Jackson has several dining options with private banquet rooms or space for a large party within the main dining area. Italian, Mexican, American, or something else, there's a restaurant for every taste.

Beach Bar

(517) 529-4211

Known for having over 180 lakes, your group can overlook one of the area's most beautiful lakes at Beach Bar. Their banquet room offers stunning views and great food with accommodation for up to 50 people.

Bella Notte Ristorante

(517) 782-5727

Belle Notte Ristorante offers a warm atmosphere and delicious Italian cuisine. All entrees are freshly made to order with the finest ingredients available. Enjoy an ever-changing menu that incorporates the best seasonal ingredients.

Crazy Cowboy

(517) 817-1910

An exceptional local restaurant, Crazy Cowboy serves authentic Mexican-style meals. Located right downtown, it is near plenty of entertainment for your group to enjoy in the evening.

Grand River Brewery

(517) 962-2427

This steampunk-style brewery offers two private dining options including their barrel room that overlooks the downtown area. Guests are sure to enjoy the unique experience at the award-winning restaurant. Be sure to try their Monkey Mouth IPA as it was awarded the gold medal for Best American IPA.

Knights Steakhouse & Grill

(517) 783-2777

Serving the Jackson area for over 20 years, this well-known establishment is a staple of the community. The large menu variety and private dining area are great for groups.

Veritas

(517) 888-9001

Veritas offers an exceptional dining experience for corporate groups. Known for their steak and sushi, each person in your group is sure to be pleased. Enjoy a private event where your group could host a speaker or an awards ceremony in their banquet space.

Klavon's Pizzeria & Pub

(517) 784-7000

A modern upscale experience, the restaurant is well-known for its Chicago-style pizza and hand-crafted cocktails. Your group will enjoy the privacy of their banquet room for a business lunch or dinner.

See the full list
of group dining
options on our
website.

Restaurants
for Groups

Get the Team and *Have Some Fun*

The opportunities to get to know your team in a fun, interactive way outside of the office are nearly endless in Jackson. Museums, wine tastings, laser tag, kayaking, snowshoeing, axe throwing, and live entertainment are plentiful. The fun never stops.

Historically Significant

[Underground Railroad Walking Tour](#)

[Ye Ole Carriage Shop](#)

[Michigan's Military Heritage Museum](#)

[St. Demetrius Orthodox Church](#)

Exciting & Adventurous

[Axe Play](#)

[eplQ Escapes](#)

[Quiet World Sports](#)

[Night Ops Paintball Park](#)

Visually Immersing

[The Cascades](#)

[Hurst Planetarium](#)

[Michigan Theatre](#)

Uniquely Jackson

[Michigan Whitetail Hall of Fame Museum](#)

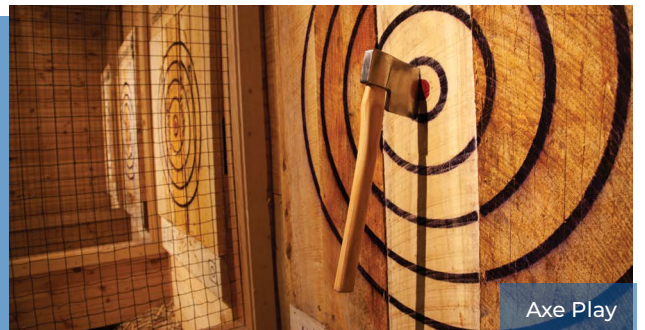
[Michigan's First State Prison](#)

[Horse' N Around Stables](#)

[Bright Walls](#)



Ye Ole Carriage Shop



Axe Play



Quiet World Sports



Bright Walls



We're Here to Help

Plan Your Event

The Experience Jackson team has the area expertise you need to plan a great event! We are here to connect you with the perfect hotel to fit your group's needs, assist with booking a hotel room block, and provide personalized information and recommendations, along with a full range of services for meeting planners.

Take Your Event Up Notch

Don't forget to plan for those special moments that elevate the event and show your team how much you appreciate them. This is key to making your outing or retreat a stand-out, and our team is full of ideas and local connections to make your event truly unforgettable.

Let us help with getting live talent, private tours, special hours at local attractions, and so much more! Experience Jackson is here for your every need.

Give us a call today at
(517) 764-4440 or send us an
email to

info@experiencejackson.com
to get started planning your
corporate event!

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