

How to use the Mardi Gras Guide

Check the parade schedule to identify the dates and times of the parades, and the day's transit detours. Use the detour pattern (Uptown, Endymion, etc.) for each parade in the parade table to determine where to board your bus or streetcar. During parades, plan more time for your trip.

Detours are subject to change. Visit norta.com/mardigras for the most up-to-date detours and delays.

If you need assistance or have questions, contact Rideline at 504-248-3900 or send an email to comments@norta.com.

West Bank (Algiers) Parades

Krewe of NOMTOC (Saturday, February 26th, 10:45 am)

101-Algiers Point: No service to Eliza St. and Hendee St.

102-General Meyer: No service between Kabel Dr. and Whitney Ave.

108-Algiers Local: Service between L.B. Landry at Semmes St. and Cut-Off only.



General Detour Information

All detours start 2 hours before a parade begins. Detours will remain in place until parade route is cleared.

Bus service not impacted by parades will be on their regular routes. Remember that increased traffic and pedestrian movements may delay a bus route even if there is no direct impact due to a parade.

Bus and streetcar service will operate on a Saturday schedule Mardi Gras day.

For additional detour and delay information, visit norta.com/mardigras.

Algiers Point/Audubon (Canal Street) Ferry

The Algiers Point/Audubon (Canal Street) Ferry operates extended hours during Mardi Gras and will operate on demand during peak traffic hours. Check norta.com/mardigras for the most up-to-date ferry information.

Day	Date	First Trip		Last Trip	
		Algiers Pt.	Canal St.	Algiers Pt.	Canal St.
Friday	Feb 18	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	12:00 AM	12:15 AM
Saturday	Feb 19	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	12:00 AM	12:15 AM
Sunday	Feb 20	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	9:30 PM	9:45 PM
Monday	Feb 21	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	9:30 PM	9:45 PM
Tuesday	Feb 22	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	9:30 PM	9:45 PM
Wednesday	Feb 23	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	12:00 AM	12:15 AM
Thursday	Feb 24	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	12:00 AM	12:15 AM
Friday	Feb 25	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	12:00 AM	12:15 AM
Saturday	Feb 26	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	12:00 AM	12:15 AM
Sunday	Feb 27	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	12:00 AM	12:15 AM
Monday	Feb 28	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	12:00 AM	12:15 AM
Tuesday	Mar 1	6:00 AM	6:15 AM	9:30 PM	9:45 PM

Parade Schedule

Parades	Date	Day	Area
Krewe of Nefertiti	30-Jan	Sunday	N.O. East
Krewe of Chewbacchus	5-Feb	Saturday	Marigny
Krewe Bohème	11-Feb	Friday	French Quarter
Krewe du Vieux	12-Feb	Saturday	French Quarter
Krewedelusion	12-Feb	Saturday	French Quarter
'tit Rex	13-Feb	Sunday	Marigny
Krewe of Cork	18-Feb	Friday	French Quarter
Krewe of Oshun	18-Feb	Friday	Uptown
Krewe of Cleopatra	18-Feb	Friday	Uptown
Krewe of Alla	18-Feb	Friday	Uptown
Krewe of Pontchartrain	19-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Choctaw	19-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Freret	19-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Knights of Sparta	19-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Pygmalion	19-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Barkus	20-Feb	Sunday	French Quarter
The Mystic Krewe of Femme Fatale	20-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Carrollton	20-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of King Arthur	20-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Druids	23-Feb	Wednesday	Uptown
Krewe of Nyx	23-Feb	Wednesday	Uptown
Knights of Babylon	24-Feb	Thursday	Uptown
Knights fo Chaos	24-Feb	Thursday	Uptown
Krewe of Muses	24-Feb	Thursday	Uptown
Krewe of Bosom Buddies	25-Feb	Friday	French Quarter
Krewe of Hermes	25-Feb	Friday	Uptown
Krewe d'Etat	25-Feb	Friday	Uptown
Krewe of Morpheus	25-Feb	Friday	Uptown
Krewe of NOMTOC	26-Feb	Saturday	Westbank
Krewe of Iris	26-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Tucks	26-Feb	Saturday	Uptown
Krewe of Endymion	26-Feb	Saturday	Mid-City
Krewe of Okeanos	27-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Mid-City	27-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Thoth	27-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Bacchus	27-Feb	Sunday	Uptown
Krewe of Proteus	28-Feb	Monday	Uptown
Krewe of Orpheus	28-Feb	Monday	Uptown
Krewe of Zulu	1-Mar	Tuesday	Uptown
Krewe of Rex	1-Mar	Tuesday	Uptown
Krewe of Elks Orleans	1-Mar	Tuesday	Uptown
Krewe of Crescent City	1-Mar	Tuesday	Uptown

Streetcar Services During Mardi Gras

12-St. Charles Streetcar

On February 18th,19th, 20th,23rd, and the 24th, during the parade streetcar service will only operate from Carrollton and Claiborne to St. Charles and Napoleon. The last streetcar traveling downtown will leave St. Charles and Napoleon at 4:30pm until the parade clears St. Charles Avenue. St.Charles Shuttle bus services will be provided from St. Charles and Valence St. to Canal St. via the 15 - Freret route, terminating at Elk Pl. Traveling from Canal and Elks to St. Charles and Valance the St. Charles shuttle buses will travel along Loyola via the Freret route back to Valance and St. Charles.

From Friday February 25th through Tuesday March 1st, all streetcar service will terminate at St. Charles and Napoleon. Streetcar service will be replaced with buses from Napoleon to Canal Street until 4:30pm. Starting at 4:30pm St.Charles Shuttle bus services will be provided from St. Charles and Valance St. to Canal St. via the 15 - Freret route, terminating at Elk Pl. From Canal and Elks to St. Charles and Valance the St. Charles shuttle buses will travel along Loyola Ave via the Freret route back to Valance and St. Charles. (Endymion Parade and Mardi Gras Day shuttle service will terminate at UPT). Regular St. Charles Streetcar service will resume Wednesday March 3rd at 5:00am.

47-Canal-Cemeteries Streetcar/48-Canal-City Park / Museum Streetcar

During parades, streetcar service will be provided from the Cemeteries Transit Center to Canal and Baronne and from City Park to Baronne Street. There will be no streetcar service from Canal and Baronne to Harrah's Casino until the parade clears Canal Street.

49- UPT/Riverfront Streetcar

Starting at 5:00pm Streetcar service will only operate from French Market to Harrah's Casino until the parade clears Canal Street.

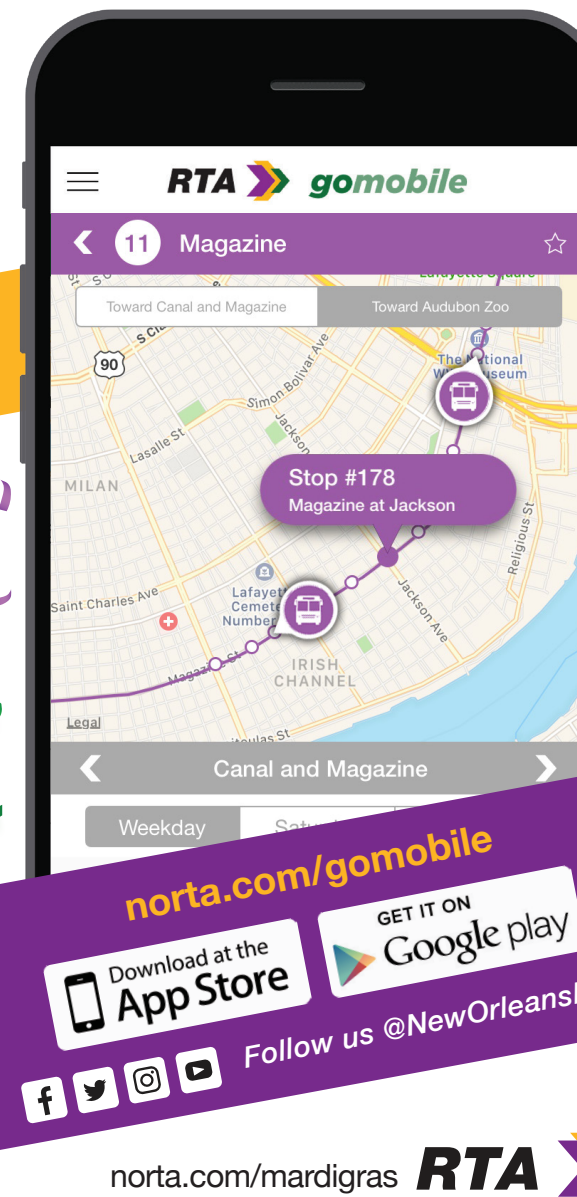
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GoMobile is perfect for Mardi Gras!

Use GoMobile during Mardi Gras to plan your trip, check service alerts, and purchase fares!



Fares

Fare Type	Bus, Streetcar & Ferry	Bus & Streetcar	Ferry
1-Day Jazzy Pass	\$3.00		
1-Day Senior Pass	\$0.80		
1-Day Youth Pass	\$1.00		
3-Day Jazzy Pass*	\$8.00		
7-Day Jazzy Pass*	\$15.00		
31-Day Jazzy Pass	\$45.00		
31-Day Senior Pass	\$14.00		
31-Day Youth Pass	\$18.00		
Single-Ride**		\$1.25	
Single-Ride Senior**		\$0.40	
Single-Ride Youth**		\$0.50	
Regional Ride		\$6.00	
Single Ferry Ride			\$2.00
Single Ferry Ride for Senior/Youth/Disabled			\$1.00
Children 5 and younger	FREE	FREE	FREE

*3- and 7-day passes are currently only available for purchase via the GoMobile app.

**Single ride fares include two hour transfer and Express Service

Fares and Passes

Fares are available for purchase on the GoMobile app, in person at the RTA's Canal Street facility located at 2817 Canal Street between 9 AM-5 PM, and online for delivery at RTAforward.org/store. Passes are also available at select metro-area Walgreens stores.

Cash Change

Bus and streetcar fareboxes accept up to a \$20 bill and RTA Tokens and can provide change with an RTA Cash Change Card good for future rides on RTA. No cash refunds or cash change is available on any of the RTA's modes. RTA highly encourages the use of the GoMobile app for purchasing passes and fares for all modes.



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EFFECTIVE: JANUARY 30 - MARCH 2

Use this handy guide to get around during this **Mardi Gras Season!**

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Uptown Parades

Streetcar Detours:

47/48 – Canal Streetcar: Service will terminate at Bourbon St. No service from Bourbon to Harrah's casino.

49-UPT/Riverfront: Line will be split. Service will run from Harrah's to French Market (2); 1 car will run from UPT to Bourbon St.

Streetcar service along the #47/48 - Canal Streetcar will cease at Bourbon Street beginning at two (2) hours before parade.

BUS Detours:

5 – Marigny/Bywater: Line will be rerouted from Elysian Fields Ave. to St. Claude Ave. to Duncan Plaza. Line will not be serviced from Elysian Fields Ave. To Canal Street on Decatur.

55-Elysian Fields: Will follow same route as the #5 Marigny/Bywater.

10-Tchoupitoulas: Service will terminate at Marengo. Shuttle bus will service from Valance to Exposition Blvd. (Audubon Park). Until Parade clears.

Service will terminate at Poydras St. No service from Poydras to Canal St.

11-Magazine: Service will terminate at Marengo. Shuttle bus will service from Valance to Exposition Blvd. (Audubon Park). Until Parade clears.

Service will terminate at Poydras St. No service from Poydras to Canal St.

16-Claiborne: Line will be rerouted to Duncan Plaza.

No service from Loyola Ave. to Convention Center Blvd.

27-Louisiana: Service will terminate at Loyola and Louisiana Ave. No service between Loyola Ave. and Tchoupitoulas.

28-MLK: Service will terminate at Barrone and Martin Luther King. No service between Barrone and Tchoupitoulas.

91-Jackson/Esplanade: Service will terminate at Simon Bolivar and Jackson Av. No Service between Simon Bolivar and Walmart.

EXPECT DELAYS ON ALL LINES UNTIL PARADES CLEAR.

Krewe of Chewbacchus (Saturday, February 5th. Starts at 7:00 pm):

5-Marigny-Bywater: Bus service will stop at 5:00 p.m. Use 49 – UPT/Riverfront to access Canal St.

55-Elysian Fields: Buses will detour via St. Claude Ave. to Duncan Plaza. No service on Decatur St. Use 49 – UPT/Riverfront to access Canal St.

57-Franklin & 80-Desire-Louisiana: Buses will use Claiborne Ave. to get to Elk Pl. and Canal St. No service on Rampart St./St. Claude Ave. until parade is over.

88-St. Claude: Buses will use Claiborne Ave. and Esplanade Ave. to get to Rampart St. and regular route. No service on Rampart St. until parade is over.

Krewe du Vieux and Krewe Delusion (Saturday, February 12th. Starts 6:30 pm):

12-St. Charles Streetcar: Streetcars will stop at Erato St. Shuttle buses will provide service between Erato St. and Canal St.

5-Marigny-Bywater: Buses will run between Elysian Fields Ave. and Poland Ave. starting at 4:30 pm. Use 49-UPT/Riverfront to access Canal St.

55-Elysian Fields: Buses will detour via St. Claude Ave. to Duncan Plaza. No service on Decatur St. during parade. Use 49 – UPT/Riverfront at French Market Station to access Canal St.

Krewe of Cork (Friday, February 18th. Starts at 3:00 pm):

Expect delays during parade on Line 5-Marigny-Bywater and 55-Elysian Fields.

Krewe of Barkus (Sunday, February 20th. Starts at 2:00 p.m.):

Expect delays during the parade on the 49-Rampart-St. Claude Streetcar, 57-Franklin, 88-St. Claude, and 91-Jackson-Esplanade.

Endymion Parade – Saturday, February 26th

Detours Outside of Downtown

12-St. Charles Shuttle Bus: Shuttle bus services will stop at Union Passenger Terminal during parade.

15-Freret: Buses will stop at Union Passenger Terminal. There will be no service to Canal St.

16-S. Claiborne: Stops from Loyola Ave. to Canal St. will not be serviced.

27-Louisiana: No service between Delgado Community College and Cemeteries Transit Center.

28-MLK: Buses will stop at the Union Passenger Terminal. There will be no service to Canal St.

32-Leonidas: Route will be split on the uptown and downtown side of the parade with service from Audubon Park to Banks St. and from Basin and Canal to Moss Street.

47/48-Canal Streetcars: Friday February 25th and Saturday February 26th all Canal Streetcar Service will be replaced with buses. During the parade Canal buses will provide service from Basin St./Canal St. to the Cemeteries Transit Center along a detoured route. Route information will be available on norta.com. Regular Streetcar will return Sunday February 28th.

49-UPT/Riverfront Streetcar: Service from French Market to Harrah's Casino.

51/52-St. Bernard: Buses will service to Iberville St.

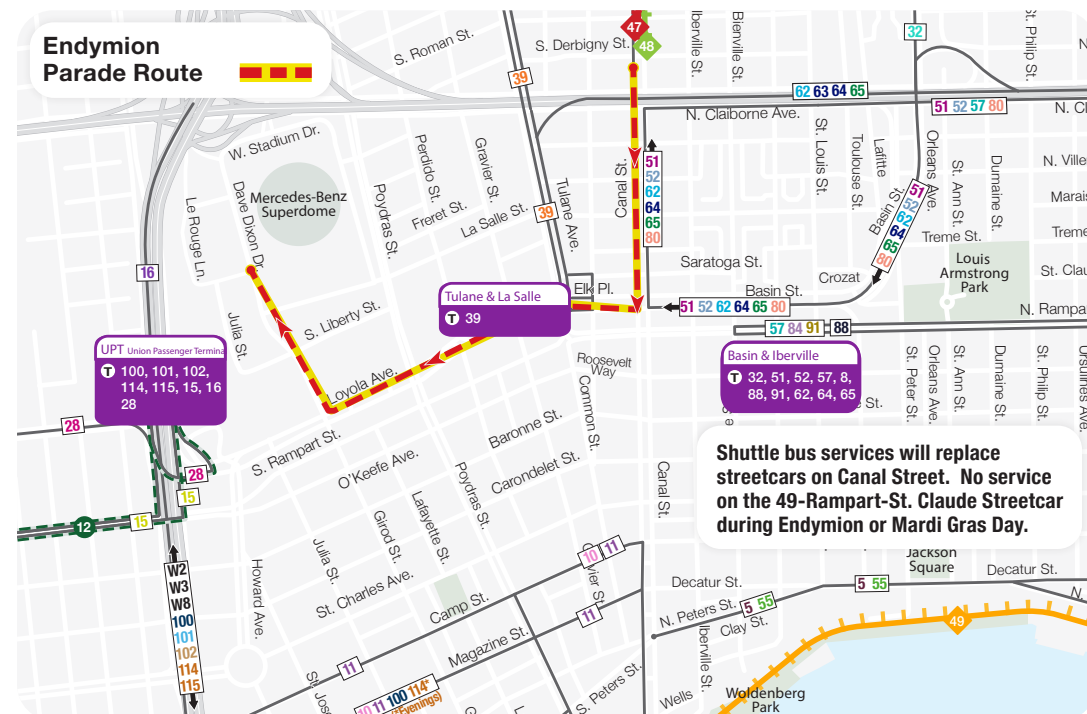
84-Galvez: Buses from Lower 9th Ward will end at N. Galvez St. and Bienville St.

90-Carrollton: Route will split on the uptown and downtown side of the parade with service from Elysian Fields Ave. to Beaugard Circle (Stop ID: 4663) and S. Claiborne Ave. to Banks Street.

91-Jackson/Esplanade: Service will operate from Walmart to the UPT; and from Basin & Iberville to Moss & Esplanade.

94-Broad: Shuttle Service will operate from Broad and Washington to Cleveland St. Broad bus service on the downtown side of Canal will operate from the outer terminal to Bienville St. until the parade clears Broad Ave and Canal.

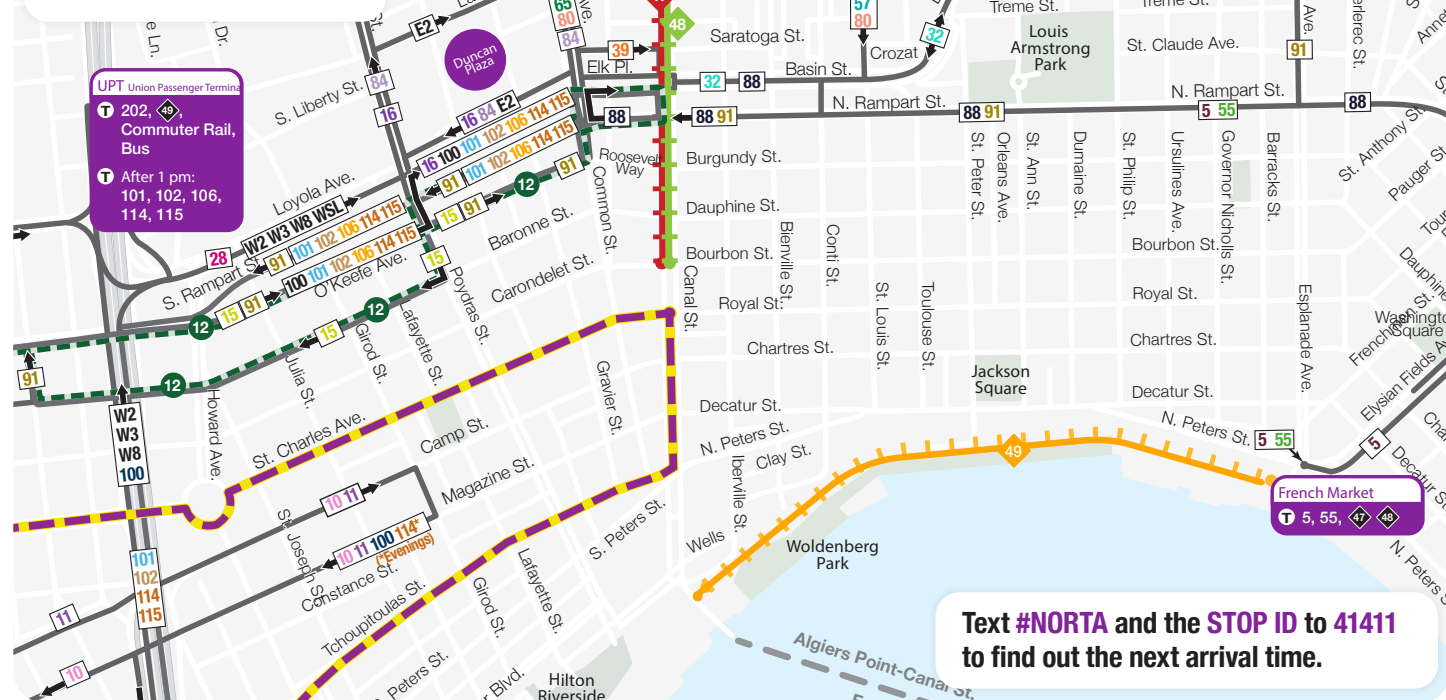
101/102/114/115: Buses will use Tulane Ave. exit to access Tulane Ave. and Loyola Ave. to UPT.



Downtown Detours for Uptown Parades

Parade Routes

St. Charles Shuttle Bus



Mardi Gras Day – Tuesday, March 1st

Detours Outside of Downtown

All services will operate a Saturday schedule. No St. Charles Shuttle bus services will operate Mardi Gras Day.

5-Marigny/Bywater: No service on Decatur St./N. Peters St. to Canal St.

10-Tchoupitoulas & 11-Magazine: Line will end at Tchoupitoulas and Magazine. No service from Poydras Ave. to Canal St.

15-Freret: No service on Mardi Gras Day.

16-S. Claiborne: No service from Claiborne to CBD; bus service will terminate at UPT. Stops between Loyola Ave. and Harrah's on Poydras St. will not

be serviced during parades.

27-Louisiana: Stops between Carondelet St. and Tchoupitoulas St. will not be serviced during the parades.

28-MLK: No service from Napoleon & Baronne St. to the Tchoupitoulas.

32-Leonidas: Buses will take Carrollton Ave. to Esplanade Ave. and follow the 91-Jackson-Esplanade to N. Rampart St. and Bienville St.

47/48-Canal Streetcars: Heading Downtown, streetcars will stop at N. Galvez St.

49-UPT/Riverfront: service from French Market to Harrah's Casino.

51/52-St. Bernard: Buses will not service stops on Basin St. during the parade.

55-Elysian Fields: Use 49-UPT/Riverfront at French Market Station to access Canal St.

84-Galvez: No service between Esplanade Ave. to Poydras St.

91-Jackson/Esplanade: No service between N. Rampart St. & Bienville St. to Tchoupitoulas St.

94-Broad: Line will detour in both directions from the outer terminal and from Washington and Broad.

