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Pittsburgh Tours

If you are new to Pittsburgh, check out one (or more) of the following organizations offering tours of Pittsburgh and get to know more about the history, architecture, and geography of your new home!

- Carnegie Mellon University: (412) 268-2082
 - What better place to start? Take a walking tour of your new campus.
- Gateway Clipper: (412) 355-7980
 - The Gateway Clipper fleet offers a variety of riverboat tours, from sightseeing to dinner and dance cruises. Tickets may be purchased in advance; some cruises require reservations. Call or visit their website for details.
- Pittsburgh Double Decker Tours: (412) 381-8687
 - The Pittsburgh Tour Company's Double Decker tour offers Pittsburgh's only hop on/hop off tour of the city and showcases some of Pittsburgh's favorite areas for shopping, live entertainment, stadiums, museums, restaurants, bars and architecture. Visit the website or call to schedule a tour.
- Venture Outdoors: (412) 255-0564
 - Venture Outdoors encourages people to enjoy the great outdoors in the Pittsburgh area. Information about outdoor activities, including hiking, kayaking, biking and more can be found by calling or visiting their website.
- Just Ducky Tours: (412) 402-3825
 - See Pittsburgh in a vintage World War II amphibious vehicle. Just Ducky offers one hour tours several times per week highlighting Pittsburgh's historical and cultural sites. Reservations are recommended. Visit the web site or call for times and rates.
- Molly's Trolleys: (412) 281-2085
 - Molly's Trolleys offers sightseeing tours as well as special holiday tours such as the Trolley Tour of Terror at Halloween. Additional details are available from their website.
- Pittsburgh History & Landmarks Foundation: (412) 471-5808
 - The PHLF offers a variety of events and tours highlighting Pittsburgh's architectural history. See the
 - o "Tours and Events" section of their web site for tour details and additional events happening this summer.
- 'Burgh Bits and Bites: (412) 901-7150
 - o Take a tour with other "foodies" and learn about both Pittsburgh neighborhoods and cuisine.
- Rivers of Steel: (412) 464-4020
 - Learn more about the role of the steel industry in shaping Pittsburgh. Rivers of Steel offers "Big Steel Heritage Tours" by bus or boat on various dates throughout the summer. Also offered is the Rivers of Steel National Heritage Area Digital Trail which may be downloaded.

Walking & Biking Guides to Pittsburgh for self-guided tours

- Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, <u>Downtown Walking Tour</u>
- Greater Pittsburgh Arts Council, <u>Pittsburgh Art in Public Places</u>
- Bike Pittsburgh, <u>Pittsburgh Bike Map</u>