



LOWE

CULTURAL TOUR OF DENVER, COLORADO (OCTOBER 17-22, 2019)

Featuring more than 300 days of sunshine, a vibrant cultural scene, diverse neighborhoods, and stunning natural beauty, Denver is the perfect destination for a fall art get-away. Join Lowe Director and Chief Curator Dr. Jill Deupi as she leads you on an exploration of the Mile High City's most iconic arts venues, including the Clyfford Still Museum, the Museum of Contemporary Art Denver, and the Denver Art Museum, where our group will join DAM patrons at their *Claude Monet: The Truth of Nature* opening night gala. Other highlights include private visits to the Molly Brown House Museum, the Denver Museum of Nature and Science, and the Botanical Gardens as well as exclusive access to some of the city's most distinguished private collections. An optional excursion to the iconic Red Rocks Amphitheatre and Lariat Loop together with carefully "curated" meals, beautifully-appointed accommodations at Cherry Creek's Halcyon Hotel, and transportation by luxury private coach round out our six-day, five-night immersive experience in this dynamic city.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17

Independent arrivals (Denver International Airport, DIA)

Hotel accommodations:

Halcyon Hotel

245 Columbine Street
Denver, CO 80206
(720) 772-5000

<https://www.halcyonhotelcherrycreek.com>





7.00 PM – *COCKTAILS & WELCOME DINNER*

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

10.00 AM – *DENVER MUSEUM OF NATURE & SCIENCE*

2001 Colorado Blvd
Denver, CO 80205

Since its inception in 1868, the Denver Museum of Nature and Science has been at the forefront of presenting, preserving, and discovering our natural history. With over eighty wildlife dioramas and engaging rotating exhibitions, the Museum aims to be a catalyst for exploration and discovery in the world of natural science. Our group will enjoy a private, behind-the-scenes tour with a leading DMNS scientist/curator.



12.00 PM – *CATERED LUNCH*

Enjoy a private catered lunch on site before heading to our next venue.

2.00 PM – *MOLLY BROWN HOUSE MUSEUM*

1340 Pennsylvania Street
Denver, CO 80203

The Molly Brown House Museum survives today thanks to Historic Denver, a group of preservation-minded citizens who joined forces to save the home from demolition in 1970. The Victorian-era home belonged to the incomparable Margaret “Molly” Brown, an advocate for women’s issues, philanthropist, and Titanic survivor. A private tour with one of the House’s knowledgeable curators will ensure that we get the most out of this special visit.

Preview the Molly Brown House, here: <https://mollybrown.org/>

6.00 PM – CLAUDE MONET: THE TRUTH OF NATURE *OPENING GALA*

Denver Art Museum (DAM)

100 W 14th Avenue Pkwy
Denver, CO 80204

The Denver Art Museum will be home to the most comprehensive U.S. exhibition of Monet paintings in more than two decades. This exhibition will feature more than 125 paintings spanning Monet's entire career--including the Lowe's *Waterloo Bridge*, painted by the celebrated artist in 1903--and will focus on his enduring relationship with nature and his response to the varied and distinct places in which he worked. We will be attending the Members' Preview Gala as DAM Director Dr. Christoph Heinrich's special guests. ***Please note: the suggested attire is black tie.***

Read more about the *Monet* show here: <https://denverartmuseum.org/exhibitions/claude-monet>

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

10.00 AM – DENVER ART MUSEUM

100 W 14th Avenue Pkwy
Denver, CO 80204

We will return to the DAM to enjoy their Members' Preview of *Claude Monet: The Truth of Nature*, giving you a second chance to view the show--as well as the Museum's permanent collection highlights and other temporary exhibitions--in a more relaxed and informal environment.

Learn more about these exhibitions here:
<https://denverartmuseum.org/exhibitions/upcoming>

12.00 PM – LUNCH

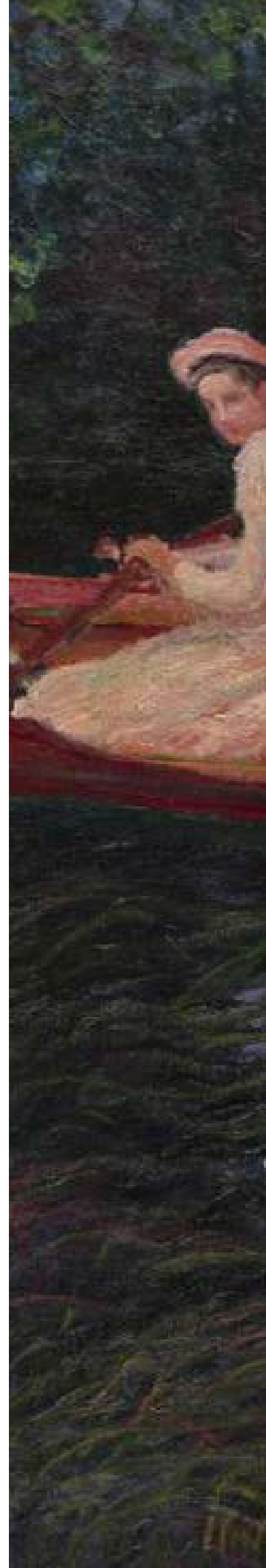
Fire

1201 Broadway
Denver, CO 80203



Perched high above Broadway, FIRE (located in the marvelous ART Hotel) is one of Denver's newest restaurants. Enjoy the elevated dining atmosphere with artfully prepared American fare.

<https://www.thearthotel.com/dine-drink/fire>



1.30 PM – *CLYFFORD STILL MUSEUM*

1250 Bannock Street
Denver, CO 80204

The Clyfford Still Museum opened in 2011 adjacent to the Denver Art Museum in Denver's burgeoning Golden Triangle Creative District. The two-story, 28,500-square-foot building was designed by Brad Cloepfil specifically to display Still's work. The museum affords visitors the unique experience to understand the legacy of Clyfford Still, an Abstract Expressionist artist whose life has been shrouded in mystery and the bulk of whose work has been hidden from public view for more than 30 years. We will be given a guided tour of the space by Still Museum Director, Dean Sobel.

Preview this special venue here: <https://clyffordstillmuseum.org/>

3.00 PM – *KIRKLAND MUSEUM*

1201 Bannock Street
Denver, CO 80204

The Kirkland Museum of Fine & Decorative Art's collections comprise of over 30,000 works by more than 1,500 artists and designers, of which more than 4,000 are on view. The three principal collections are shown together, Salon style, and include: a celebrated international decorative art collection from about 1870 to the present; a Colorado and regional art collection from about 1845 to the present; and a retrospective of Colorado's distinguished painter, Vance Kirkland (1904–1981).

Preview the Kirkland Museum here: <https://www.kirklandmuseum.org/>

6.30 PM – *COCKTAILS & DINNER IN LARIMER SQUARE*

Rioja

1431 Larimer Street
Denver, CO 80202



Join us for cocktails and dinner in Larimer Square, Denver's oldest block, now home to a bevy of chef-driven restaurants and independent shops. We will be dining at Rioja, a restaurant serving locally-sourced, imaginative Mediterranean dishes, created for you by James Beard Award-winning chef, Jennifer Jasinski.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

9.00 AM – *RED ROCKS, THE LARIAT LOOP, & LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN*

– OR –

INDEPENDENT LEISURE TIME IN CHERRY CREEK

Those who want a taste of the mountains can join us on a guided tour of stunning Red Rocks Park, the Lariat Loop, and Lookout Mountain. Enjoy amazing views (and complimentary snacks) from the comfort of a private coach.

Find more details on this half-day tour, here: <https://www.viator.com/tours/Denver/Private-Denver-and-Foothills-Mountain-Tour-in-a-Mercedes-Minibus/d4837-41410P5>

If the mountains are not for you, enjoy a half-day of independent, leisure time in Denver's lovely Cherry Creek neighborhood (where our hotel is located).

2.00 PM – *LUNCH*

True Food Kitchen

2800 E 2nd Ave, Suite 101
Denver, CO 80206



True Food Kitchen is a health-driven restaurant merging nutrient-rich ingredients with a seasonal menu, allowing guests to experience great-tasting dishes at the peak of their freshness.

<https://www.truefoodkitchen.com/denver>

3.30 PM – *MCA DENVER*

1485 Delgany Street
Denver, CO 80202

Located in the heart of LoDo, the Museum of Contemporary Art Denver promotes creative expression, risk-taking and experimentation through rotating exhibitions and innovative community events. Its exhibitions feature a broad range of work from regional, national and international artists, including Marilyn Minter, Jean-Michel Basquiat and Senga Nengudi, to name a few. We will be going on a guided tour of this creative space.

Preview the MCA Denver here: <https://mcadenver.org/>

Images. Right: Outdoor installation at MCA Denver, 2018



5.00 PM – *UNION STATION*

1701 Wynkoop Street
Denver, CO 80202

Located in the heart of downtown Denver, the renovated 1914 Beaux-Arts train station is home to 10 chef-owned restaurants and bars, boutique shops, and the 112-room Crawford Hotel. Enjoy some leisure time exploring the space before heading to dinner.

6.30 PM – *DINNER & A SHOW*

Izakaya Den

1487A S Pearl Street
Denver, CO 80210



Enjoy dinner at one of Denver's top-rated Sushi restaurants, Izakaya Den. Winner of the American Architecture Award for its refined design with Japanese roots, Izakaya serves Japanese cuisine made from only fresh-caught ingredients.

After dinner, join us for a show at one of the city's leading performing arts venues.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21

10.00 AM – *PRIVATE COLLECTION VISIT, CRAIG PONZIO*

12.00 PM – *LUNCH*

Call

2845 Larimer Street
Denver, CO 80205



Named one of America's Best New Restaurants by Bon Appétit in 2018, Call is an all-day, fast-casual café serving up uniquely delicious pastries, snacks, salads and sandwiches.

<https://call-denver.com/>

Images. Left: Detail, Sassona Norton, from the Craig Ponzio collection

2.00 PM – DENVER BOTANIC GARDENS VISIT

1007 York Street
Denver, CO 80206

Spanning more than 24 acres, Denver Botanic Gardens presents a wide range of gardens and collections that illustrate an ever-widening diversity of plants from all corners of the world. With a conservatory, thematic gardens, and complementary art exhibitions, Denver's city oasis is considered one of the top five botanic gardens in the Nation.

4.30 PM – PRIVATE COLLECTION VISIT, JUDY & KEN ROBINS

6.30 PM – COCKTAILS & FAREWELL DINNER

Elway's

2500 E First Ave, 101
Denver, CO 80206




Enjoy a final, elegant meal at Elway's, an upscale steakhouse with a seasonal menu focused on quality.

<https://www.elways.com/about-cherry-creek/>

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Independent departures



An abstract painting by Clyfford Still, featuring dark, swirling, and layered brushstrokes in black, white, and a touch of blue, creating a sense of depth and movement.

COST: From \$3,950 (\$750 supplement for singles). Includes tours, admissions, and tickets for all events and all meals indicated above as well as local ground transportation (excluding airport transport). Excludes all other transportation, meals, and incidentals.

Please note: this itinerary is still in development and subject to change.

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