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Welcome to Acadian Village and Tropical Gardens

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Center a ‘Unique Experience’

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The Acadian Village — a community in its own right — is a unique experience.

The small green area near the corner of Hall and Church Streets is a tiny piece of Acadian life, tucked away in the heart of a bustling city. It’s a slice of history, a reminder of the people who once called this place home.

At the Acadian Village, visitors can step back in time and experience life as it was for the Acadian people. From the traditional homes to the bustling marketplace, every detail is carefully crafted to transport visitors to a different era.

The Village is open year-round, offering something for everyone regardless of the season. Whether you’re interested in history, culture, or simply want to explore a unique destination, the Acadian Village has something to offer.

One of the most popular attractions at the Village is the Acadian Museum. Here, visitors can learn about the history of the Acadian people and their contributions to Louisiana’s cultural landscape.

Another highlight of the Village is the Acadian Market. Set against a backdrop of traditional Acadian buildings, the market offers a variety of products and vendors, including fresh produce, baked goods, and crafts.

In addition to the main attractions, the Village also offers a variety of special events throughout the year, from festivals to workshops. These events provide an opportunity for visitors to further immerse themselves in Acadian culture.

For those interested in learning more about the Acadian people, the Village offers a variety of educational programs and workshops. These programs are designed for visitors of all ages and provide a deeper understanding of Acadian history and culture.

The Acadian Village is a must-visit destination for anyone interested in learning more about the unique culture of Louisiana. Whether you’re a history buff or simply looking for a fun and educational experience, the Village has something for everyone.

Visit the Acadian Village

and Tropical Gardens

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Lafayette, Louisiana

Tropical Gardens are perhaps the most geographically diverse part of the Acadian Village. It consists of a hilly, tropical walking tour of the warm weather regions of the world.

The Gardens include collections of plants from the Gulf Coast, the Caribbean, Africa, and the Pacific Islands. These plants are in greenhouses, and visitors are encouraged to explore and enjoy the beauty of each region.

People come to see the beauty of the flowers and plants, but the thought and attention required to maintain the Gardens make it truly a "tasteful adventure with a heart" as it is called in various media.

The Gardens provide jobs, training, and employment opportunities for the mentally handicapped.

The authors are located in many areas of growing. They are taught how to produce new plants, and they maintain the plant area. People with limited mobility and grounds is good work.

The Acadian Center — through its Training Center — provides a unique community to help support mentally handicapped. The combined beauty of the Village and the Gardens give these trainees a place to work that is being more and more recognized as a unique project to make the Acadian Center something of a wonder.