Meetings & Incentive Travel

IN SARASOTA COUNTY

Cultural Venues

- > Van Wezel Performing Arts Hall
- > The Ringling
- > Sarasota Opera House
- Marie Selby Botanical Gardens Downtown and Historic Spanish Point Campuses

Unique Venues

- Big Cat Habitat and Gulf Coast Sanctuary
- > Circus Arts Conservatory
- > Marina Jack II Sunset Cruise

Meeting Space

- > 110,000 sq. ft. of overall meeting space
- Private dining rooms at local restaurants for working lunches or small award banquets

Accommodations

- 37 meeting hotels & resorts, ideal for small to midsized groups of up to 400 people
- Urban and beachfront accommodations
- Boutique hotels, bed and breakfasts, and vacation homes for corporate retreats and incentive trips

Activities

- > 12 public golf courses, plus historic and world-famous private courses
- Kayaking, sunset cruises, fishing excursions, and shark tooth hunting
- Unique team-building activities, including trapeze lessons, improvisation classes, sport clay shooting, murder mystery trolley tours, and beekeeping tours

Incentive Program

> We understand you have many destination choices to hold your event. Visit Sarasota County is pleased to offer eligible groups a choice of incentives that will elevate the success of your meeting. With your choice of incentive including transportation credits, offsite dining/events financial support, wellness initiative credit or a room night cash rebate – you have the flexibility to pick the best option for your group needs.





Sarasota Bradenton International Airport (SRQ) has 54 nonstop flights to and from U.S. and Canadian destinations. From January to October 2022, SRQ saw more than 3.1 million visitors flying into the airport. SRQ is located 3 miles away from downtown Sarasota.

Convenient driving distance from 8 Florida cities:

St. Petersburg40 miles	Palm Beach180 miles
Tampa60 miles	Miami230 miles
Naples115 miles	Jacksonville250 miles
Orlando130 miles	Tallahassee330 miles