



CARIBBEAN MARKETPLACE



LITTLE HAITI CULTURAL COMPLEX



ARTIST: MOST DORELIN



PANTHER COFFEE



SIXTY10 MIAMI



LA PIAZZETTA PIZZERIA



NOTRE DAME D'HAITI CATHOLIC CHURCH



FIORITO



IMPERIAL MOTO CAFE



SWEAT RECORDS



CHURCHILLS

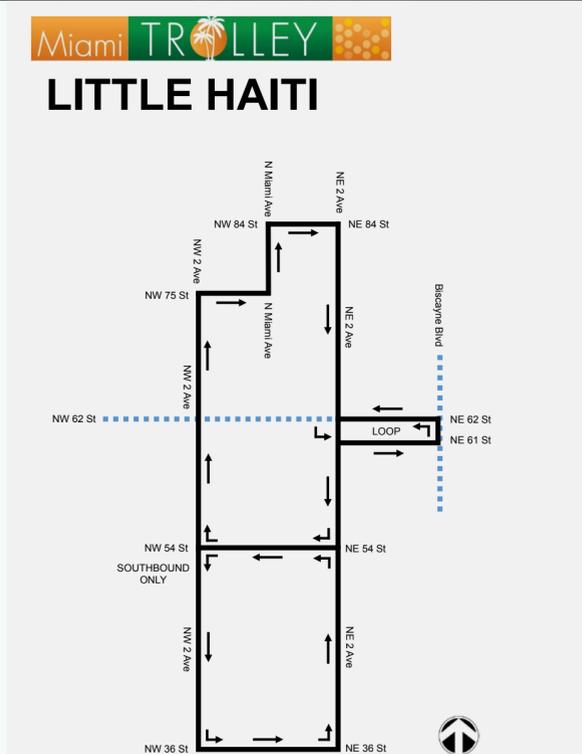


History of Little Haiti

ORIGINALLY KNOWN AS LEMON CITY, AFTER THE UNUSUALLY SWEET LEMON TREES THAT GREW IN THE AREA, THIS VIBRANT NEIGHBORHOOD WAS ALREADY IN EXISTENCE BEFORE MIAMI'S INCORPORATION IN THE LATE 19TH CENTURY. AS THE CITY OF MIAMI GREW AND BECAME MORE PROGRESSIVE, THE EARLY SETTLERS OF LEMON CITY HAILED MOSTLY FROM THE BAHAMAS, NORTH CAROLINA AND THE FLORIDA KEYS, EVENTUALLY RELOCATED TO DIFFERENT NEIGHBORHOODS, LEAVING THE AREA MOSTLY DESERTED.

THE NEIGHBORHOOD NOW KNOWN AS LITTLE HAITI IS LOCATED WITHIN THE HEART OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, ON AN AREA OF APPROXIMATELY 3.5 SQUARE MILES. LITTLE HAITI IS NOT AN INCORPORATED CITY OR TOWNSHIP, BUT RATHER IS A NEIGHBORHOOD THAT WAS OFFICIALLY DESIGNATED BY THE CITY OF MIAMI IN 2016. IT GAINED ITS NAME IN THE LATE 1970'S AND EARLY 1980'S WHEN MANY HAITIAN IMMIGRANTS CAME TO MIAMI AND SETTLED IN AN AREA THAT INCLUDED LEMON CITY, LITTLE RIVER AND BUENA VISTA.

WHILE THE ORIGINAL LEMON GROVES ARE LONG GONE, THE AREA NOW BOASTS BUSINESSES ADVERTISING IN ENGLISH AND HAITIAN CREOLE, AS WELL AS A DIVERSITY OF FOOD, ENTERTAINMENT AND ORIGINAL ART. STEEPED IN THE COMPLEX AND RICH CULTURAL HISTORIES OF THE AFRO-CARIBBEAN IMMIGRANTS WHO BROUGHT LIFE TO ITS AREA AGAIN, LITTLE HAITI HAS EVOLVED INTO A COLORFUL BEACON IN MIAMI'S ARTS COMMUNITIES. THROUGHOUT THE YEARS, SMALL BUSINESSES LIKE CELEBRATED RECORD STORES, KITSCH BARS, AND AUTHENTIC EATERIES HAVE EASED INTO THE NEIGHBORHOOD, CREATING THEIR OWN PARTICULAR PATCHWORK WITHIN THE ALREADY DISTINCT LITTLE HAITI.



Sounds of Little Haiti

SOUNDS OF LITTLE HAITI IS AN IMMERSIVE CULTURAL EXPERIENCE IN THE HEART OF DOWNTOWN LITTLE HAITI. THE FREE OUTDOOR CONCERT IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE HAITIAN DIASPORA, LOCAL MIAMIANS AND TOURISTS TO CELEBRATE AUTHENTIC HAITIAN CULTURE AND ITS INFLUENCE ON THE LOCAL COMMUNITY. SOUNDS OF LITTLE HAITI IS THE CULTURAL EVENT TO ATTEND AT THE LITTLE HAITI CULTURAL COMPLEX.

SOUNDS OF LITTLE HAITI IS AN EVENING OF FUN AND ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY. BEAUTIFUL ART, GREAT FOOD, AND LIVE MUSIC IS ALWAYS AVAILABLE.

Every Third Friday night!

For more information regarding Little Haiti and general events happening in the city, please visit miamiandbeaches.com | visittlithaiti.com

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Hours of Operation

Weekdays
6:30 AM to 8:00 PM

Saturday
6:30 AM to 8:00 PM

Sunday
6:30 AM to 8:00 PM



