



## Welcome to Minneapolis, Minnesota!

Dear Packers Fan:

Thank you for choosing Event USA as your host for a weekend of Green Bay Packers football in exciting Minneapolis. To facilitate your planning, please carefully review this information.

Contents of this envelope include:

- ✓ Game Ticket
- ✓ Tailgate Party Description Card
- ✓ Tailgate Party Ticket & Two Drink Coupons

If you are missing ANY of the above documents, contact our office immediately.

Your enjoyment is our primary concern. We look forward to providing you with a wonderful weekend. . . highlighted by a Packers victory!

### EVENT USA STAFF

## ITINERARY

### LAND TOURS

If you require airport transfers, go to Ground Transportation in the baggage claim area. **Super Shuttle** services downtown Minneapolis hotels for \$28 round trip per person. Reservations are not required upon arrival but are required for your return. To make reservations call 1-800-258-3826 or visit [www.supershuttle.com](http://www.supershuttle.com).

Another transportation service between the hotel and the airport is the **Metro Blue Line** to US Bank Stadium Station (2 blocks from hotel). Walk to the Aloft or call the hotel for complimentary shuttle. The cost is \$1.75—\$2.25 pp depending on the time of day.

### ARRIVAL DAY

If your scheduled arrival is prior to standard hotel check-in time, your room may not be ready. You may check your bags with the bell staff until your room becomes available.

### EMERGENCY NUMBER

In the event of an emergency call the Event USA office at 1-800-851-7225. If your call is outside of office hours please call Amy in our Tour Department at 920-445-2103.

### EVENT USA TAILGATE PARTY

The **Event USA Tailgate Party** will be held from 9:00-11:00 AM. See enclosed Tailgate Party Description Card for details and location.

### GAME DAY

Walk at your leisure to the US Bank Stadium for the Noon Kickoff.

### DEPARTURE DAY

Be sure to pay incidental hotel expenses.



## HOTEL

### The Aloft Minneapolis

900 Washington Ave S  
Minneapolis, MN 55415  
(612) 455-8400  
<http://www.aloftminneapolis.com/>  
Standard hotel check-in and check-out times are 3PM and Noon. The Bell stand will store luggage for early arrivals if rooms are not available.

### ABOUT THE HOTEL

#### Location

Aloft Minneapolis is located in the heart of downtown in the trendy riverside Mill District, and minutes from U.S. Bank Stadium (2 blocks from hotel), Target Field, and the Guthrie Theater. Enjoy stunning views of the Mississippi River from the park directly across the street from our Minneapolis hotel. Hop the Metro Blue Light (2 blocks from the hotel) to the Mall of America—shop 'til you drop.

#### Accommodations

155 non-smoking guestrooms with in-room safe, hairdryer, coffeemaker, iron/board, mini-fridge, complimentary WiFi and MORE!

#### Features

24 hour fitness center, Splash indoor pool and 24 hour business center

#### Dining

*Re:fuel by Aloft*—self serve eatery open 24 hours  
*w xyz bar*—lobby bar serves everything from pints to Pinot Noirs plus a snack-attack menu, mood music and can't – miss events.

### AIRLINES

Please confirm your flight times at least 24 hours prior to departure with your airlines. The airline websites & toll-free numbers are listed below:

*Air Tran	<a href="http://www.airtran.com">www.airtran.com</a>	800-247-8726
*American	<a href="http://www.aa.com">www.aa.com</a>	800 433-7300
*Delta Airlines	<a href="http://www.delta.com">www.delta.com</a>	800 221-1212
*Southwest	<a href="http://www.southwest.com">www.southwest.com</a>	800 435-9792
*United Airlines	<a href="http://www.united.com">www.united.com</a>	800 241-6522

## ABOUT MINNEAPOLIS

Some people call it "Minnesota Nice." Others consider it Midwest hospitality...whatever the definition, the Twin Cities are friendly places where all the sophistication and excitement of a bustling metropolitan area meld seamlessly with the charm and comfort of a small town. Locals see the cities as fraternal twins, each with its own distinct personality. Minneapolis, the modern twin with its contemporary skyscrapers, trendy neighborhoods and flashy entertainment, complements the style of its traditional twin, St. Paul, with its historical buildings, cobblestone streets and family-oriented events. Exciting yet relaxing. Sophisticated yet unpretentious. You are sure to enjoy the dual nature of the Twin Cities.

### MINNEAPOLIS

The **Metro Blue Line** (formerly Hiawatha Light Rail) runs 12 miles, starting in downtown Minneapolis' Warehouse District, through Minnehaha Park, both of the airport terminals and then on to the world-renowned Mall of America for its final stop. Trains run every 10 minutes during midday, every 15 minutes in the early evening and every 30 minutes late evening/early morning. Trains run between 4:00 AM & 1:00 AM. Fares for METRO lines are: \$2.25 during rush hour; \$1.75 off-peak and weekends, and an all-day pass for \$4.50 weekdays and \$3.50 weekends. Downtown Zone (no transfers) is \$.50 any time.

[www.metrotransit.org/light-rail](http://www.metrotransit.org/light-rail)

### WEATHER

The average daily temperatures in October are 61 degrees for the high and 43 degrees for the low. For the latest weather information visit: [www.weather.com](http://www.weather.com)

If you are shopping in Minneapolis downtown, remember you can stay out of the weather by using Minneapolis' 2nd story skyway system which is lined with stores, restaurants, and hotels in the downtown area.



## POINTS OF INTEREST

There is so much to see and do in Minneapolis. Listed below are some SUGGESTED attractions. For more ideas, contact the Greater Minneapolis Convention & Visitors Association at (888) 676-6757 or online at [www.minneapolis.org](http://www.minneapolis.org). Additional information will be available at the hotel upon arrival.

### AREA ATTRACTIONS

#### A SHOPPER'S DREAM

No sales tax on clothing PLUS the largest shopping center in the nation are just two reasons millions of people come from around the world to shop in the Twin Cities. Downtown Minneapolis boasts more shopping in a four-block radius than anywhere else in the country. Lined with department stores, boutiques and upscale malls, the **Nicollet Mall** is easily traveled at street level or through the city skyway system.

#### MALL OF AMERICA

The **Mall of America**, the largest shopping center in the nation, features over 520 stores, 50 restaurants, nightclubs, Nickelodeon Universe, A.C.E.S Flight Simulation, SEA LIFE aquarium, a spa, and star-studded entertainment and events. Accessible by the Metro Blue Line (formerly Hiawatha Light Rail)

[www.mallofamerica.com](http://www.mallofamerica.com)

#### THEATER

Minneapolis' theater community is among the country's largest. If you are interested in attending any theater performances, we will be more than happy to assist you with obtaining your tickets.



#### SPORTS

In addition to the Vikings, the Twin Cities boasts a variety of other sports teams. If you are interested in attending an additional sporting event, we will be more than happy to assist you with obtaining your tickets.

#### MYSTIC LAKE CASINO

Midwest's premier gambling facility features 128 blackjack tables, over 2,300 slots, high-stakes bingo, nightly entertainment, 5 restaurants, 10 retail stores and more!

[www.mysticlake.com](http://www.mysticlake.com)

**Event USA**   
Unforgettable Packers Fan Experiences

# INFORMATION BOOKLET LAND TOUR PACKAGE



## GREEN BAY PACKERS AT MINNESOTA VIKINGS

Sunday, October 15, 2017  
Kick-Off: Noon CST

[www.eventusa.com](http://www.eventusa.com)

