

# **SPRING/SUMMER EDITION-2024**



# **NEW ANNOUNCEMENT**

GLORY TOURS VALUES OUR CLIENTS AND YOUR YEARLY MEMBERSHIP AND KINGS POINT RESIDENTS HAVE THE <u>FIRST OPPORTUNITY</u> TO SIGN UP FOR ALL GLORY TOURS BUS TRIPS AND YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED BY AN EMAIL ONCE NEW TOURS ARE PUBLISHED. PLEASE SIGN UP ON OUR EMAIL LIST BY CALLING GLORY TOURS TO BE NOTIFIED.

# MEMBERSHIP FEES

Due to supply cost increases and Glory Tours now covering the printing cost to print the bus books, there is a **\$15 PER PERSON** yearly membership fee starting January 1, 2023 (\$1.25 a month). The membership fee applies to <u>ALL</u> travelers and your membership fee <u>MUST</u> be paid before purchasing a bus tours. Your membership includes <u>ONE FREE GUEST for all NON MEM-</u> <u>BERS</u> that live outside of Kings Point and Sun City Center and includes your free guest for ANY and ALL bus tours purchased for the entire year of your 2023 membership.

# **CANCELLATION POLICY**

I <u>understand that I am holding a spot so reservations for all day bus tours are non-refundable</u>. If I am unable to attend, I understand I can transfer my tickets to a friend or family. If the bus is sold out and we have a waitlist, we will certainly try to re-sell your ticket(s) and then you would receive a refund once it is resold. Once 35 people have signed up and the 35 minimum requirement is met, you will be notified that payment is now due to secure your seat.

ALL TICKETS MUST BE <u>PURCHASED WITHIN 3 DAYS</u> ONCE YOU ARE NOTI-FIED PAYMENT IS DUE OR YOU RISK LOOSING YOUR RESERVATIONS AND BEING PUT ON A WAIT LIST. If you missed the sign up deadline, please check availability. The deadline is to ensure the 35 minimum is met, by that date, <u>NOT the purchase deadline</u>

There is a 35 person minimum requirement on all day tours and **30 minimum requirement on** all day tours. <u>Once the minimum requirement is met, we no longer take sign ups and you will</u> <u>need to purchase your bus tour tickets directly at the KP Box Office</u>. You can always check if the minimum requirement has been met and if tickets are on sale at the Box Office, inside the North Clubhouse or check the KP website at ww.kingspointsuncitycenter.com click "Sign Ups".

<u>PLEASE BE ADVISED</u> that by attending a Glory Tours bus trip, you voluntarily assume all risks related to the potential exposure to COVID-19 and will not hold Glory Tours liable should you contact COVID-19. Please visit CDC's website for its current guidance on people at increased risk.

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All tours and pricing are subject to change. Fla. Glory Tours Seller of Travel Ref. No. ST42594 Any request for handicapped seats or hotel rooms <u>MUST but be requested at time of sign up and/or</u> <u>when you purchase your tickets at the box office and</u> <u>by calling Glory Tours directly.</u> If you are concerned about the amount of walking during each tours, or have specific dietary restrictions, please call Glory Tours directly for questions or further assistance.

# **MULTI-DAY/OVERNIGHT BUS TOURS**

Bus tour cancellation penalties apply to <u>all multi-day tours</u> and are outlined below. Travel Protection Insurance is available for purchase and is <u>HIGHLY</u> recommended

If you cancel 91+ days in advance it is 100% refundable

76 — 90 days in advance 75% refundable

75 — 60 days in advance 50% refundable

59 — 45 days or less 25% refundable

**44 days or less NON-REFUNDABLE** 

#### March 6, 2024— The Powel Crosley Estate \$31.50 / Card \$33.00 It's ONLY the 8TH time the tour has been open to the public in the Estate's 91 YEARS!



Don't miss this **RARE opportunity** to see this grandeur estate on the **WATERFRONT** of Sarasota Bay. The grand Mediterranean Rival-style mansion in 1929. Crosley also built a seawall and a yacht basin along the bay and a mooring area for his seaplane, a terrazzo swimming pool fed by an artesian well. The estate also features a circular tower, adjacent carriage house and servants' quarters on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor. The 2 1/2 story Mediterranean mansion was built, during what was called the **Gulf Coast Golden Age** featuring 11,000-sf. **21 rooms and 10 baths**. Crosley played a pivotal role in inventing and manufacturing a myriad of items, including: The 1st compact economy car (1939), 1<sup>st</sup> auto radio (1930), the 1st night lights on a major league baseball field (1935), airplanes, 35 mm camera, 1<sup>st</sup> radio broadcast from a plane, fax machines, not to mention the **world's most powerful radio station** and many more amazing inventions. Docents will give visitors tours around the mansion. (**stairs required no elevator**), You will not want to miss this amazing RARE opportunity to see the beautiful mansion and hear the history of it. A variety of Crosley radios and other memorabilia will also be on display during the Open House. Lunch stop at St. Armand's Circle-lunch cost on your own. **Tickets on sale at Box Office. Boarding: 9:15 a.m. Return: Approximately 2:45 p.m.** 

#### Thursday, March 7, 2024 - Strawberry Festival – (SENIOR DAY) Plant City - \$36 /Card \$37.50

The festival showcases dozens of <u>FREE</u> entertainment, acts & performers. There will be strawberries galore, shortcake, with homemade whip cream, stage shows, attractions, food galore for purchase to enjoy lunch, exhibits, displays, contests, arts & crafts vendors and competitions. The fun doesn't stop there, for <u>Senior Citizen Day</u>, a giveaway at 11:45 a.m. following the 10:30 a.m. show on the Wish Farm Stage to the lucky senior. Tickets for drawing are available in the stadium. (MUST BE PRESENT TO



#### March 14, 2024 — \$108 / Card \$112.50 Lightening vs. Rangers—Amalie Arena

Come root on your team in this exciting hockey game. The seats are located in section 328. **Board: 5:45 p.m. Return: Approx. 10:30 p.m.** 



#### Saturday, March 16, 2024-DATE CHANGE Mt. Dora Spring Festival — \$39 / Card \$40.75 Enjoy the 25<sup>rd</sup> Annual Spring Festival, where throughout this historic

Enjoy the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Festival, where throughout this historic community, the streets come alive with more than 250 talented crafters & artists offering the finest works. There's food and enter-tainment to round out a perfect day. Enjoy a huge variety of <u>award</u> <u>winning restaurants</u>, wine rooms, boutiques/antiques stores, bars/pubs, coffee and ice cream shops, tea rooms, art galleries and home to the oldest operating hotel in Florida, Lakeside Inn. <u>45 PERSON</u> <u>MINIMUM REQUIRED.</u> Board: 8:30 a.m. Return: Appx. 4:30



#### Sunday, March 17, 2024 - \$36.00 Bloom & Chalk Festival (Safety Harbor)



Escape to downtown beautiful Safety Harbor and stroll quaint Main Street, see historical landmarks, shop eclectic boutiques.and the area's finest restaurants to enjoy lunch on your own as you watch international artists create sidewalk art, as real as Picasso and Rembrandt. Marvel at the intricate details that go into each piece of art created that transforms the quaint town into an outdoor art gallery. Enjoy music, a refreshing cocktail or cold beverage as you sit outside one of their many outdoor seating restaurants, or stop by an art gallery, enjoy goodies and it's a great time of year to be outside with the beautiful Spring weather. **Boarding: 9:45 a.m. Return: Approximately 3:45 p.m.** 



#### Wednesday, March 20, 2024 Cirque Du Soleil BAZZAR — \$92.50 / Card \$96.00



Welcome to Cirque Du Soleil BAZZAR, an eclectic lab of infinite creativity where a joyful troupe of acrobats, dancers and musicians create an awe-inspiring spectacle. They work to-gether to create a quirky one-of-a-kind world under the direction of their maestro, they band together to invent a whimsical one-of-a-kind universe. The dynamic company reimagines, rebuilds, and reinvents vibrant scenarios in a setting where the unpredictable is anticipated in an artistic, acrobatic game of order and disorder. The group reimagines, rebuilds and reinvents vibrant scenes. Come and claim your place amidst this marketplace of enthusiasm and artistic fellowship and creative camaraderie. You just might find that the end of the story is really only the beginning! Seats are 200 Section, Rows 2-4. You can downgrade your seats for \$11 less and it would be 12 rows further back (last 3 rows for \$11 less. Only 16 downgraded tickets available. There is a <u>40 PERSON MINIMUM on this bus tour</u>. Tickets on sale at the Box Office-ONLY A FEW SEATS LEFT. Boarding: 5:45 p.m. Return: Approx. 10:30 p.m.

#### March 23, 2024 — \$95 / By Card \$99 Beautiful — The Carole King Musical Broadway Palms <u>DINNER</u> Theatre Fort Myers

Based on the life and career of legendary Carole King, this <u>Tony & Grammy award-winning</u> show takes you on a journey through King's creation of some of the greatest songs in pop music history. Featuring hit songs such as "I Feel The Earth Move," "One Fine Day," "(You Make Me Feel Like) A Natural Woman," and a talented cast portraying The Righteous Brothers, James Taylor & many others. BEAUTIFUL is a celebration of the music and the woman that has captured the hearts of audiences for generations. <u>INCLUDES LUNCH</u>

> **BUFFET. TICKETS ON SALE AT THE BOX OFFICE.** Boarding: 9:30 a.m. Return: Approx. 5:00 p.m.

#### March 27, 2024—\$138/ Card \$143.50 Tampa Lightening vs. Boston Bruins

Come watch as the Tampa Bay Lightning's take on the Boston Bruins in this action packed game. Seats are located in Section 328. <u>Sign up by February 25.</u> Board: 6:00 p.m. Return: Approx. 11:00 p.m.





Friday, March 29, 2024—\$153/By Card \$160-BLUE ANGELS AIR SHOW - Starlite LUNCH Cruise



Enjoy a thrilling and action-packed airshow, from a VIP waterfront view on the Starlight Yacht Ship. From calm waters to thunderous skies, enjoy the Yacht StarShip 3 hour lunch cruise offering the best views of Tampa Bay AirFest Show! If you've never seen the Tampa Airfest Show, it's a <u>MUST-SEE</u> event, that is nothing less than amazing, thrilling and an adrenaline rush seeing the fantastic aerial demonstrations, United States Navy Blue Angels, aboard the Yacht StarShip. Your cruise tickets includes a gourmet lunch buffet (menu to be posted closer to the date) and a cruise right near the action with a fantastic VIP view of the air show. Enjoy an amazing variety of military and civilian flight performances. The event promises to be a weekend packed with heart-pounding air performances showcasing all five branches of the U.S. military. MacDill Air Force Base is privileged to have called the Tampa Bay Region home for over 80 years and are proud of the superb relationship we share with the surrounding communities. Casual Attire – we recommend wearing comfortable attire for being outside on the top deck for best viewing. Sign up by February 27. Board: 12:00 p.m. Return: 5:30 p.m.

#### April 3-4, 2024 — EVERGLADES TOUR \$279 pp Double Occupancy / \$348 Single Occupancy

Cost if paying by credit card \$289 pp Double Occupancy / \$360 pp Single Occupancy



Enjoy a thrilling 30 minute airboat ride through the Everglades as it glides across 259 private acres on a grassland airboat. This narrated airboat tour goes through the mangroves & weaves into the everglades grasslands while experiencing an adventure of a lifetime! Enjoy the animal sanctuary with a narrated gator show where you can have your picture taken with a gator, see crocodile, panther, lion, tiger and their alligator show and more. Next we will drive 45 minute away to a different part of the everglades to Shark Valley Tram Tours, where you will enjoy a 2 hour tram tour through the Everglades. The Everglades is a unique and fascinating ecosystem. When you take an Everglades National Park tour at Shark Valley, you'll learn about the ecology and history of The Everglades from their friendly and knowledgeable Park-trained naturalists. They'll turn your sightseeing visit into a highly educational tour of the Everglades, and at the halfway point on your adventure, you can walk to the highest accessible point in Everglades National Park, the viewing platform of the Shark Valley Observation Tower. Includes: 30 minute Airboat Ride, Animal Sanctuary, Gator Show, a 2 hour tram tour at a separate location, hotel, bus transportation and bus driver gratuity. The hotel offers a complimentary hot breakfast. **Boarding: 8:00 a.m. Return: Approx. 6:00 p.m.** 

#### Thursday, April 18, 2024 — \$83 / Card \$87 The Underpants adapted by Steve Martin INCLUDES LUNCH BUFFET

Legendary comedian and writer Steve Martin is back with a riotously funny farce. Newly married Louise is bored with her demanding and uptight bureaucrat husband. Then one day at the royal parade, she jumps up on a bench to see the king go by, and oops—wardrobe malfunction!—her bloomers come loose and fall down around her ankles. Her husband is frantic that her faux pas will cost him his job and reputation. But suddenly the room they've been trying to rent out has plenty of takers, and it just might have something to do with...the underpants. Steve Martin brings us a hilarious look at sudden fame and the crazy things people do when they're in the grip of romantic fever. The NY Times calls the play "laugh-out-loud funny!" <u>Lunch buffet included</u>. Boarding: 10:00 am. Return: Approx. 4:00 p.m.



#### April 20, 2024 - \$28.50 / Card \$29.75 Dunedin Craft Festival

Enjoy the town that was <u>Voted Best Walking Town</u> and in the Top 5 for Best Small Towns in Florida. A quaint city along the beautiful water with much to offer, everything from <u>award-winning</u> restaurants, pubs, boutiques, art galleries and the yearly craft festival. Meet some of the country's finest crafters all made in the U.S. ceramic planters, pottery, handmade one-of-a-kind jewelry, an expansive Green Market and much more. <u>There is a 40 PERSON MINIMUM</u>.

**Tickets on sale at Box Office.** Board 9:15 a.m. Return: 3:15 p.m.



#### Wednesday, April 24, 2024 — \$25.00 / Card \$26.00 Mazzaro's Italian Market & Trader Joe's—St. Pete

People come from all over Florida to this unique Italian Market with over 300 varieties of cheese from all over the globe, the largest selection of Italian wine in Florida, imported/craft brews, gourmet desserts and coffee with the finest beans from all over the world, over 300 olive oils, vinegars to exotic spices. Stop by the Meat/
Seafood offering the freshest meats. Don't forget their homemade pasta, they prepare fresh each morning. Purchase a delicious lunch in the dining area. At Trader Joe's, you won't find a lot of branded items. Instead, you'll discover a store full of unique and interesting products, along with everyday basics. Their buyers travel the world searching for products they think are exceptional. To earn a spot on their shelves, each product is submitted to a rigorous tasting panel process, in which every aspect of quality is investigated in context of the price.



Sunday, April 28, 2024 Heights Public Market at Armature Works—Tampa — \$17.00 / Card \$18.00



Armature Heights Public Market is a food-lover's dream and an innovative concept along the city's <u>Riverwalk</u> area. With unobstructed view of the Hillsborough River, the historic structure has been reinvented with innovative eateries & restaurants showcasing their <u>top chefs</u>. <u>Stones Throw</u> is a modern fast-casual pavilion serving fresh seafood, specialty cocktails, and front row views of the Hillsborough River. Steelbach is a Southerninspired kitchen offering Steelbach's grass fed beef and a variety of fresh handpicked flavors to every dish. <u>Oak</u> & Ola EuroAmerican restaurant-where food is hand crafted, and changed seasonally. BnB - Butcher & BBQ

offers cured and house smoked meats and sandwiches. <u>Graze 1910</u> serves house made waffles, egg dishes and artisan cheese burgers. <u>AVA - Authentic Wood Fired Pizza-</u>Chef Joshua rolls his dough daily using the finest Italian flour, tomatoes and Florida made mozzarella for maximum flavor. <u>Kipos</u> offers fresh Mediterranean fare, hand carved gyros, chicken pitas, scratch made hummus and more. <u>Zukku Sushi -</u> Custom-made, masterful sushi creations including rolls, sushi burritos & poke bowls. <u>Hemminways</u> offers traditional Cuban Cuisnes. <u>Dharma</u>

<u>Fine Vittles</u> specializes in high-quality food (with a southern spin) using 100% plant-based ingredients. <u>Muchachas</u>-a Mexican-inspired concept by the team at Empanamas. **Board: 3:45 p.m. Return: 7:45 p.m.** 

#### Sunday, May 5, 2024 — \$30 / Card \$31.25 Cinco De Mayo — Dunedin

Come out and celebrate Cindo De Mayo! The fiesta includes live music, traditional Mexican dancing, food vendors, arts and crafts vendors and a walking parade with the Casa Tina drum line with AJ Vega. The fiesta will take place on Main Street and John R. Lawrence Pioneer Park. Cinco de Mayo Fiesta - The best street party celebrating our beloved Mexico! Enjoy the town that was <u>Voted</u> <u>Best Walking Town</u>. A quaint city along the beautiful water with everything from <u>award-winning</u> restaurants, pubs, boutiques, art galleries. Boarding: 2:00 Return: Approximately 8:00 p.m.

#### Tuesday, May 21, 2024 — \$74.00 Tampa Bay Rays vs. Boston Red Sox

Come enjoy an exciting day of baseball, as the Tampa Bay Rays take on the Boston Red Sox. Purchase a cold beer/beverage and a delicious ballpark hot dog as you cheer on your home team and watch in anticipation of a possible homerun. Seats are located in the 214 Section. **Sign up deadline March 5, 2024.** Please arrive 15 minutes early to check in with the tour guide.

Boarding: 5:15 p.m. Return: Approximately 10:30 p.m.





#### May 22 – 30, 2024—New York and Statue of Liberty \$1475 pp Double Occupancy / \$1799 pp Single Occupancy



Let's set off for the bright lights of "The Big Apple" during this 9 days/8 nights lodging including 4 consecutive nights in the NYC area ◆ 14 meals: 8 breakfasts and 6 dinners ◆ Great experiences and beautiful sights! Two Guided Tours of New York City. See Central Park, Rockefeller Center, Times Square, Wall Street, the 9/11 Memorial, and much more! ◆ Visit Ellis Island and Liberty Island - home of the Statue of Liberty! ◆ Visit the stunning One World Observatory See the National Harbor, a unique waterfront wonderland of shopping, dining, and more. Enjoy the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts in Richmond, VA. Travel Insurance is an additional \$101 pp Double Occupancy and \$137 pp for Single and includes a \$5 processing fee by Glory Tours. A detailed itinerary will be published 4-5 weeks prior.

#### June 8 — 16, 2024 — Mackinac Island, Michigan \$1389 pp Double Occupancy/by card \$1444 / \$1638 Single/card \$1703



Enjoy 9 day/8 nights with 14 meals, to the beautiful city of Mackinac Island. Enjoy an exciting cruise through the SOO Locks, which has been referred to as one of the great wonders of the world and the largest waterway traffic system on earth. Cruise along the international shoreline of the lower harbor to experience the sights and excitement of Michigan's oldest city, Sault Ste Marie, where you will have free time to watch ships enter/depart from the Locks from the observation area or browse the local shops & boutiques. Sault Ste. Marie is a vibrant, picturesque town, situated on the shore of the St. Mary's River at the end of Michigan's spectacular Upper Peninsula and known as the **Northern Gateway to Canada**. It is home to the world-famous Soo Locks, connecting Lake Superior to Lake Huron. Enjoy a ferryboat ride to the quaint town of Mackinac Island, where the only mode of transportation is by Horse & Carriage. Take a leisure carriage ride and see splendid sites like the Arch Rock and Lilac Lane and by far the most enjoyable and authentic way to explore the island. Enjoy free time in the quaint, historic island. Cross the Straits of Mackinac and enjoy a lovely dinner. Enjoy a guided tour of Mackinaw City, see the Old Mackinac Point Lighthouse, dating back to 1892 with free time at Mackinaw Crossings. Visit Colonial Michilimackinac-A 1700's era Village and a visit to "Michigan's Little Bavaria", Frankenmuth, with restaurants, one of a kind shops and Bavarian charm. See Henry Clay Estate, that he resided in from 1806–1852. The house served as residence to 5 generations of the Clay family — each one leaving its mark with distinct changes to the home. Signs of Federal, Greek Revival, Italianate, Eastlake & Aesthetic Movement styles can be seen and more. A detailed itinerary will be published 4-6 week prior.

Friday, June 14, 2024 — Rum Distillery—Sarasota and Siesta Key Village -\$35 / Card \$36.50



Learn the rum making process from mashing to fermentation to distillation, followed by a discussion of barrel aging and an overview of some of the **big awards the company has won**, packaging room to see the bottling process, the history of the company, what makes their spiced and toasted coconut rum taste so amazing. At the end, they will be pouring free samples in the tasting room. You can also purchase a Siesta Key Rum shot glass for \$2. Next we venture over to Siesta Key Village which is a charming, beachy village filled with restaurants, bars, ice cream parlors and shops, where you can enjoy a delicious lunch with a variety of restaurants in this quaint, beach town. with outside patio restaurants to enjoy the nice breeze. Enjoy shopping after lunch or enjoy a refreshing cocktail or beverage. **Sign up by May 5, 2024**. **Boarding: 10:30 a.m. Return: Approximately 4:30 p.m.** 

#### Thursday, June 20, 2024 — \$23 / Card \$24 Hard Rock Casino—Tampa

There are several restaurants to have lunch on your own. Try your luck at the <u>largest Hard Rock Casino in the world from slots to pok-</u><u>er and much more. There is NO TOUR GUIDE, since it is bus trans-</u><u>portation only. 40 PERSON MINIMUM.</u> Boarding: 9:30 a.m. Return: Approximately 3:15 p.m.



#### Wednesday, July 3, 2024 — \$93.00 / by card \$97.00 Bioluminescence Cruise — Port Canaveral



If you want a unique cruise experience like none other, you will not want to miss this 2-2 1/2 hour cruise. During the Summer the waters of the Banana River Lagoon come alive with the arrival of the bioluminescence plankton. Watch as the waves and current stir up this tiny organisms and lights up the water with a blue neon glow, from movement of the water, to a school of mullet, to the glow of a moving manatee or swimming dolphin, the water is illumined. "You will have to see it to believe it! There are very few places in the artise world to see this phonement of the variance. Enjoy a boautiful support and the area is full of

in the entire world to see this phenomenal experience. Enjoy a beautiful sunset and the area is full of wildlife. You will also see beautiful homes along the water, see Port Canaveral Locks and hear history of the area with your entertaining captain. We will have dinner prior. (Dinner cost is on your own). Please keep in mind this is a sightseeing, narrated, sunset, Port Canaveral Locks and a nature cruise and there is never a guarantee of nature always cooperating, but there has bioluminescence the last several years we have done this tour. Sign up deadline June 1. Boarding: 3:00 p.m. Return: Approx.11:30 p.m.

#### Wednesday, July 10, 2024 — \$85.00/Card \$88.50 Tampa Bay Rays vs. NY Yankees

Come enjoy an exciting day of baseball, as the Rays take on the NY Yankees. Purchase a cold beer/beverage and a delicious ballpark hot dog as you cheer on your home team. Seats are located in the 214 Section. Sign up by March 14. Board: 5:15 p.m. Return: 10:30 p.m.



August 11, 2024 — \$118.50 /Card \$124 — Sunday BRUNCH Cruise with Entertainer Donna



Enjoy brunch as you cruise along the Indian River Lagoon with live musical entertainment from the talented Las Vegas style legend Donna Moore. Sit back, relax, enjoy the views, wildlife, and soak up the beautiful Florida sunshine! Donna Moore perform her singing tributes of legends like <u>Cher, Janice Joplin, Dolly Parton</u> & more, which earned her rave reviews in Las Vegas and Atlantic City. She impersonates sixteen celebrities, each week at the Villages, Fl. Her voice is heard on T.V. and radio commercials for numerous well-known companies. Donna is a singer, impersonator and comedian. Donna was voted the "<u>BEST SHOW in Town</u>!", by Show-Biz. Donna will have several costume changes during the show, that is sure to WOW you! <u>Donna continuously sells</u> <u>out shows, please sign up early. BRUNCH INCLUDED</u>. See Box Office for the menu. Board: 9:45 a.m. 6:45 p.m.

#### August 23-September 2, 2024 Mt. Rushmore/Badlands NATIONAL Park of South Dakota \$1764 pp Double—Card \$1839 / \$2115 pp Single Card \$2203



Let's head out West to take in all the beauty Mt. Rushmore, The Badlands and South Dakota has to experience. Enjoy the beautiful scenery along the way, as we head for spectacular Badlands National Park. You will also see the amazing Wall Drug Store before having dinner and checking into your South Dakota area hotel. See the Borglum Historical Center, where you will learn the story of Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor of Mt. Rushmore. Next we head to Mount Rushmore National Memorial, America's "Shrine of Democracy" and a symbol of the nation's rich history, rugged determination and love of freedom. Then eniov a Tour of Wildlife Loop Road at Custer State Park. The Wildlife Loop Road takes you through rolling prairies and pine covered hills, offering the best spots in the region to view animals in the Wild. That evening, we will enjoy dinner and entertainment. You will also see the High Plains Western Heritage Center before we head to Deadwood, South Dakota, the former home of Wild Bill Hickok and Calamity Jane-now the location of gaming establishments in beautifully restored historic hotels and saloons. Enjoy a guided tour of Deadwood, have some gaming excitement and later enjoy a group dinner. Enjoy the unique Journey Museum, which tells the complete history of the mystical Black Hills. Then prepare yourself for an inspirational sight at the magnificent and spectacular Crazy Horse Memorial, destined to be the world's largest memorial upon completion. You will also learn the sculptor Korczak Ziolkowski, his vision and the loving family who continues his life's work. See the famous, World's ONLY Corn Palace. See Willie Nelson & Friends Museum and General Store in Nashville in route with free time to explore the bustling downtown Nashville area with shops, restaurants, bars playing live country music & much more. Sign up by June 15, 2024

## September 9-13, 2024 Savannah, Georgia/Jekyll Island & St. Simon Island \$850 pp Double/Card \$884 / \$1004 pp Single/Card \$1046



Enjoy this fun-filled bus tour to Savannah, Jekyll Island, Saint Simon's Island. The tour includes 5 days and 4 nights lodging in the Savannah area, with 8 meals. Enjoy a guided trolley tour of Savannah, The Belle of Georgia. You will see extraordinary architectural marvels, beautiful oak lined streets and lovely town square with a trolley tour and on/off privileges for the day. Enjoy free time on Historic River Street, featuring 18<sup>th</sup> century ballast stone streets and 19<sup>th</sup> century cotton warehouses, now home to fine eateries, unusual shops and antique galleries. Enjoy a guided tour of Saint Simons Island, where you can take a stroll among moss draped oaks, shop at the interesting boutiques and specialty shops and lunch on your own in the historic town. St. Simons Island is one of Georgia's renowned Golden Isles and is also the largest of the Golden Isles. You will take a guided tram tour of Jekyll Island, where you will see how the nation's wealthiest citizens such as J.P. Morgan and William Rockefeller lived and played, including a stop at the once exclusive Millionaire's Club. Enjoy an evening show at the famous Savannah Theatre. This 200-year-old landmark is one of the oldest continually-operating theaters in the entire country. Most recently restored in 2002 to install state of the art lighting and sound systems, today's Savannah Theatre puts on a variety of musicals throughout the year. Enjoy Parris Island Marine Base, one of the most visited military facilities in the world, hosting more then 120,000 visitor's a year. In addition to a tour of the base, you will stop at the amazing Parris Island Museum, where you will learn about the long and rich legacy of the marine corps. Thousands of artifacts, images and other materials illustrate the varied stories within the exhibits galleries. Travel Insurance available for purchase and includes a \$5 processing fee by Glory Tours.



OCTOBER 5-13, 2024 — 52ND ANNUAL Albuquerque Hot Air Balloon Festival Rocky Mountain NATIONAL Park/Hot Springs/Garden of Gods, Mesa Verda NATIONAL PARK, Colorado Train Ride—\$2535 pp Double Occupancy / \$3379



Drawing over 900,000 visitors and 600 pilots from 7 different countries, this is the largest in the WORLD!. It is a once-in-a-lifetime spectacle to watch over 500 hot air balloons ascend over the Sandia Mountains and New Mexico deserts. Enjoy your VIP Experience at the Albuquerque Hot Air Balloon Festival, with a prime view of the launch field, guaranteed seating, a gourmet buffet dinner, private bathrooms and a hosted bar. Be mesmerized by the Night Glow, followed by fireworks. Be amazed on the *Rocky Mountain NATIONAL PARK guided tour*, taking you to some of the most amazing natural wonders. There will be multiple stops, including the Stanley Hotel, where the movie the Shining was filmed, Alliva Fan, 3M Curve and the Sprague Lake. Enjoy pure blitz at a five-star luxurious resort, that host The Mother Spring, the WORLD'S deepest geothermal hot spring, more than 1,000 feet deep. There is no other place like it in the world and even holds the Guinness Book of World Records title of World's Deepest Geothermal Hot Spring. The resort's hot springs are rich in 13 elements and minerals with scientifically proven therapeutic benefits. There are 25 individual hot spring pools, ranging in temperatures from 45-114 °F. Whether you want to take a cold plunge, relax in multiple natural hot springs, sip a cocktail in a secluded spring or a sunset view, along the Sante Fe River to enjoy a magical experience. Be in awe of the *Garden of the Gods*, featuring dramatic and breathtaking views of 300' sandstone red rock formations against the backdrop of snow-capped Pikes Peak.. Enjoy free time in downtown Manitou *Springs*, a charming historic town. Uncover the mystery of turquoise and its rich history at *The Turquoise Museum in Albuquerque*. Enjoy the scenic *Turquoise Trail National Scenic Byway*. The Scenic and Historic Area is in the heart of central New Mexico, linking Albuquerque and Santa Fe while enjoying breathtaking views and free time in the historic downtown Santa Fe Plaza, where the oldest church in the U.S. to the Palace of the Governors and now inhabited by eclectic restaurants, galleries, boutiques, and museums. Get ready for a truly unique experience as you embark on an Incredible Journey Through the San Juan Mountains aboard the *Durango* & Silverton Narrow Gauge Railroad Train that takes you into the historic town of Silverton. Step back in time, with free time in the historic mining town of *Silverton* to enjoy the sights, shopping, restaurants and librious. Soak in the views, listen as the steam whistle echoes through the canyon and enjoy the unparalleled scenery along the way. Enjoy a guided tour and discover the World Renowned Ruins at *Mesa Verde NATIONAL Park*, take a look into the lives of the Ancestral Pueblo peoples who made Mesa Verde their home for over 700 years, from 600 A.D to 1300, and over 5,000 archaeological sites, including the famous Cliff Palace Loop, Mesa Top Loop and the 700 Year Loo and nearly 600 cliff dwellings. *Enjoy free time in Old Town Albuquerque* with more than 150 galleries, shops & restaurants. Be mesmerized on the scenic This tour is a one-of-a-kind tour offered exclusively by Glory Tours and the only tour operator offering this exact tour. The tour includes 11 meals. This is a FLY IN /OUT of Denver and bus tour after arrival-AIRFARE IS AN ADDITOINAL COST. Airfare is typically \$200-\$300. Travel insurance is available for purchase.



### November 18 – 23, 2024 Gatlinburg and Pigeon Forge, Tennessee HOLIDAY Tour \$1025 pp Double/Card \$1068/\$1188 pp Single/Card \$1235



Let's set off for the breathtaking Smoky Mountains! Enjoy 5 Nights Lodging including 3 Consecutive Nights in the Smokies and 8 meals are included. Enjoy free town in downtown Gatlinburg. Gatlinburg is home to a plethora of specialty shops, most of which are designed with a rustic, mountain theme. Take in Pigeon Forge's newest variety show, "ARRAY", featuring some of the area's most talented musicians, singers and dancers performing songs from all genres of music spanning several decades. Hilarious comedy will have you laughing till your sides hurt. Unbelievable specialty and variety acts will keep you amazed and entertained throughout the entire performance. Enjoy a visit to DOLLYWOOD and the Southern charm of this unique theme park. See the COUNTRY TONITE show, a fast-paced production with a variety of dynamic singing and dancing, side-splitting comedy, powerful gospel, and American patriotism. Enjoy the CHRISTMAS MEMORIES SHOW, "A Holiday Show You'll Never Forget!" Afterward, enjoy free time in HISTORIC DOWNTOWN GATLINBURG. Next, you'll experience the PAULA DEEN'S LUMBERJACK FEUD SHOW. Upon arrival, you'll take in a VIP Backstage Tour, including a personal meet / greet with one of the Lumberjack or Jills. You will also have an opportunity to join in on a private axe throwing on stage. Next, take your seat in a state-of-the-art, climate-controlled grandstand and see the most unique show in all of the Smokies. Enjoy the high-energy events featuring lumberjacks from the feudin' Dawson and McGraw families. Enjoy the PATTY WASZAK SHOW, as this talented entertainer wows you by playing an array of multiple instruments and fun-filled tunes. Travel insurance is available for purchase. Sign up deadline September 10, 2024



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Vesta partners with Glory Tours, a 3rd party vendor, for all of our bus tours! Glory Tours has been working with Vesta in offering day/overnight trips for <u>OVER 10 years</u> as a part of the Kings Point bus tours operation. For all <u>restaurant ONLY tours</u>, Glory Tours will no longer have a tour guide. The goal is to keep these trips affordable by eliminating the expense of a tour guide for these simple outings. Tours board North Clubhouse

### <u>Pre-register at the Box Office in the main lobby or online by going to</u> <u>www.kingspointsuncitycenter.com/sign-ups/ and click "Bus Trips"</u>

All bus tours go rain or shine, unless the event is cancelled by the venue/vendors or Glory Tours due to weather conditions, etc. <u>If you are not at the bus at boarding time at the tour destination</u>, <u>please be aware, that you will be responsible for your own transportation back to Kings Point</u>, <u>PLEASE BE ON TIME for boarding after the tour</u>.

Glory Tours are run independently from Kings Point. All bus tours board at the North Clubhouse. The Tour Director and bus driver gratuity are <u>NOT</u> included in the tour cost.

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Tickets can be purchased Monday—Friday 8:00am—4pm. Trips rely on pre-registration before payment. Once the registration list hits the minimum\* requirement the registrants are phoned to purchase tickets at the Box Office. \*\*If there are less than 35 passengers signed up, the trip will be CANCELLED.\* Early registration ensures successful trips.