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NEW 27 TOURS!

Discover the rich culture, the untamed frontier, and inspirational sights of the American West! Travel to the legendary **Black Hills of South Dakota**, an oasis of pine-clad mountains on the Great Plains. Travel the magnificent backcountry of **Custer State Park** and view the diverse native wildlife on the 71,000 parkland acres, including the world's largest free-roaming bison herds. Visit magnificent **Mt. Rushmore**, a national treasure, and the **Crazy Horse Memorial**, home of the world's largest mountain sculpture in progress.



Travel across the state line into Northeast **Wyoming** to visit **Devils Tower**, the first national monument. Journey through the natural beauty of **Badlands National Park**, a geologic wonderland of bizarre colorful spires and pinnacles, massive buttes, deep gorges and one of the world's richest fossil beds. And, we've also included a visit to **The Field of Dreams Movie Site**. Don't miss this tour full of adventure, history and fun! **Book Early!**

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MT. RUSHMORE, THE BADLANDS CRAZY HORSE & DEVIL'S TOWER

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SAN ANTONIO RIVER WALK CHRISTMAS

Enjoy the **Holiday Spirit Texas-style** as you settle into your **River Walk hotel** for 4 nights on this Southwestern holiday tour! Visit the **San Antonio UNESCO World Heritage** sites of the legendary **Alamo** and **Mission San José**. Cruise along the **Paseo del Rio**. Take in the holiday sights during an evening stroll with over 120,000 lights illuminating the River Walk during the holiday season. Discover the bold flavors of Texas when you dine at an iconic San Antonio River Walk restaurant. Immerse yourself in the laid-back atmosphere of this vibrant Texas city! Also included is a visit to the **Lyndon B. Johnson National Historical Park** in **Stonewall, Texas** to view the grounds of the **LBJ Ranch**, birthplace, home and burial ground of the 36th President of the United States. Additional highlights of this holiday season get-away include a visit to the famed **Gaylord Opryland Hotel** in **Nashville, Tennessee** and legendary **Graceland** in **Memphis, Tennessee**. **Book Early!**

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INTRODUCTION

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION THOROUGHLY

This section covers very important information
and will answer many of your questions.



Booking Your Tour

1. You must call to make your reservations, Monday through Friday from 9:00 am until 5:00 pm.
2. Do not mail in payments before confirming availability.
3. **Please** supply the following information when making your reservation:
 - A. First and last name of each person in your party.
 - B. Daytime phone number for each person in your party.
 - C. Departure point for each person in your party.
 - D. Menu choice (when specified) for each person in your party.
 - E. Inform if a child (age 3-12) is going, if a children's rate applies.
 - F. Any special requests (rooming, arrangements, bus seating).

Making Your Payments:

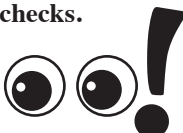
1. You may make your payment by mailing a check or money order to:

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2. **Please** no more than **1 trip per check**. Also, be sure to indicate if it is a deposit or balance payment.
3. Make sure trip date & phone number is on your check.
4. **There will be a \$25.00 fee for any returned checks.**



Prices/Deposits/Balance:

1. All prices for all tours are per person.
2. Children's prices (ages 3-12) only apply to the tours that specify a children's rate.
3. All deposits are due within a 7 day period following your reservation. If deposits are not received within 7 days, your reservation will automatically be cancelled without notice.
4. All balances are due 45 days prior to tour date. If that should fall on a Saturday or a Sunday, the balance is due the next regular business day, (Monday). You will not receive a statement, so please make note of the balance date on your calendar.
5. Please note that we do not mail out any receipts. Your canceled check will be your receipt.
6. On all multi-day tours, you will receive a letter (approximately 2 weeks prior to tour date) with luggage tags, hotel information, etc.



Seating Information:

1. Passengers are assigned seats on all Gunther Tours.
2. Seating will be assigned on the date of reservation. You will be given your seat number on the date of reservation.
3. If you would like to be seated in a specific area, or with friends, please give your request when making your reservation. This is a request - **not a guarantee**.
4. We do not rotate seats on any tours.
5. Those with physical handicaps do get preferred seating, but we must know at time of reservation.
6. We do sympathize with those who suffer from motion sickness, and there are too many to always accommodate, so please check with your doctor about medication and/or patches so that your trip is a pleasant one. You may also want to try *Transderm Scop*, or an over-the-counter product for motion sickness.

Meal Choices:

1. Meal choices are required on some tours. Please give your choice when making your reservation. If you do not give your choice upon booking, we will make the choice of chicken, if available, or a suitable choice as stated in the itinerary.
2. There may be meal choices needed for multi-day tours as well. If so, you will need to fill out the question form that will be mailed to you (approximately 2 weeks prior) and mail it back with your choices.

Departures/Pick Up Points:

1. Specific times for departures are listed in the brochure for each tour. Please be at your selected departure point at least 15 minutes prior to departure time.
2. We have 2 pick-up locations for our tours:

Gunther Charters on Shipley Avenue, off Dorsey Road near BWI airport
and
Carney Park & Ride, exit 31-A off Rt. 695, east and **exit 31-B** off Rt. 695, north 1 block past Joppa Road to Jomat Ave. – this is the 9600 block of Harford Road.
3. We now offer a **Harford County** departure point, (see directions page 10), for all Gunther multi-day motorcoach tours and selected one-day motorcoach tours traveling north only!
4. We now offer a **Howard/Carroll County** departure point, (see directions page 10), for all Gunther multi-day motorcoach tours and selected one-day motorcoach tours traveling west only!

5. If you decide to change your departure point, please **notify the office A.S.A.P.**
6. We will make an additional courtesy pick up for those who have 20 or more in their party. If this occurs pick up and return times may be changed. You will be notified of any changes on an tour.

Cancellations/Refunds:

1. All money will be gladly refunded in full when cancellation is made 45 days prior to departure (which is the same as the balance due date). Any cancellation made after the 45 days will result in forfeiture of any amounts paid by the customer (no option of transferring the money paid onto another tour).
2. **A \$25.00 per person service fee for any canceled tour. If you transfer or hold funds on account, the service charge is waived one time.**
3. We will make every effort to sell your seat, providing we have a waiting list.
4. Gunther Tours strongly suggests trip cancellation insurance. You can obtain an insurance brochure by calling the office; however, you will need to contact the insurance company direct for rates and information. See information under insurance.

Motor Coach Information:

Gunther Tours owns and operates the very best equipment for your traveling comfort. We offer reclining seats, air conditioning, lavatory, picture windows and public address systems.

Tour Managers:

Gunther Tours is very proud of our tour managers, which are provided on every tour, whether a one day or multi-day tour, and they are there to assist you with any situations that may arise.

Smoking:

1. For the courtesy of all passengers, all tours are nonsmoking. There will be no smoking anywhere on the coach at any time - frequent rest stops will be made.
2. If you are going on a multi-day tour and require a smoking room, you must make the request for a smoking room when making your reservation.

Baggage:

1. You may bring 1 bag per person, and a carry on. Gunther Tours will provide 1 luggage tag per person for your main luggage; you will need to provide your own tag for your carry on. Please put your name on your luggage tag.
2. Although we make every effort to handle your luggage carefully, we cannot be responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged articles, including baggage.

Tour Costs:

It is assumed that all portions of the tour will be used by each individual. There will be no refunds for unused sightseeing, meals, or admission tickets.

Articles left on coach:

1. We cannot assume any responsibility for any articles that are left on the coach at any time. Please check your seat and overhead space carefully for any items you may have purchased or brought with you before departing the coach.
2. Gunther Tours does have a "lost & found" where we will hold items left on the coach for 1 week. After that time, all items are sent to different shelters, etc, for the needy.

Insurance:

1. Gunther Tours carries standard liability insurance only.
2. We highly recommend that you get trip cancellation insurance on any overnight tour. You can tell the office to have a brochure mailed to you, but you will need to contact the insurance company direct for rates and information: **Allianz Travel Insurance # 1-800-284-8300, and reference claim #F022404.**
3. Be advised, some of our tours are of a strenuous nature requiring much walking. Check your itinerary. Again, we highly recommend you purchase insurance to avoid any monetary loss to you, in case of a cancelled or interrupted tour. Gunther Tours is not responsible in these cases.

Itineraries:

1. Itineraries are given out on multi-day tours only. You will receive the itinerary with your luggage tags etc., approximately 2 weeks prior to departure date.
2. Itineraries are subject to change without notice. Times, hotel, restaurants, etc. may be changed due to circumstances beyond our control.

Change of Address/Phone Number:

1. Please inform us of any address or phone number changes. This will help eliminate any information being mailed to the wrong address, etc.
2. If your old address and phone number is still on your check, **please** cross it out, and write the correct information on your check.

Method of Payment:

1. Gunther Tours accepts payment on motorcoach, air vacations, and cruise vacations in the form of cash, personal check, or by **credit card!** For your convenience, we accept **Discover, MasterCard, and Visa.**



2. **Seating will be assigned on the date of reservation.**
3. **Please** no more than 1 trip per check. Also, be sure to indicate if it is a deposit of balance payment.

REPREHENSIBLE PEOPLE:

Gunther Charters and Tours and its employees reserve the right to expel from any tour, any passenger(s) acting in an offensive, disruptive or disturbing manner. The passenger(s) will be left in a public area and, if necessary, the authorities will be contacted. The passenger(s) are not eligible for any refund or allowed aboard any future Gunther Tour. Thank you for your cooperation!

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Basic Amenities:

All tours include:

- Fully escorted Deluxe Motor Coach transportation
- Tour Manager tip
- Meals as described in itinerary
- Local and step-on guide tips
- Standard meal tips
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver tip
- All admissions as described in itinerary
- Refreshments, games, and prizes

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LIABILITY: Gunther Charters and/or their agents and/or their suppliers of services pursuant or in connection with these itineraries shall act only as agents for the passengers in making arrangements for hotels, guides, transportation, restaurants or any other service and do not assume any liability whatsoever for any injury, damage, death, loss, accident, or delay to person or property due to an act of default of any hotel, carrier, restaurant, company or person rendering any of the services included in the tour, or by act of God. Further, no responsibilities are accepted for any damage or delay due to sickness, pilferage, accidents, labor disputes,

mechanical break down, quarantine, government restraints, weather or other causes beyond their personal control. No responsibility is accepted for any act, omission or event or event during the time passengers are not on board their motor Coach, planes, boats, or conveyances. Gunther Tours also reserves the right to decline to retain any person as a member of any tour at any time and reserves the right to change their itineraries and substitute arrangements including routing, specified features and hotel accommodations if, in their opinion, circumstances warrant a change. Prices of tours are subject to change without notice.

2024 Calendar

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Independence Day Thursday, July 4, 2024
Labor Day Monday, September 2, 2024
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Directions to Gunther Charters

410-761-3757

Directions from Annapolis:

97 North to Route 100 West to Route 170 (which is exit 11 - Odenton). Go right off exit (toward N. Linthicum) onto Route 170 - follow to first traffic light and turn left onto Dorsey Road - follow to next traffic light and turn right onto Shipley Avenue - follow Shipley Avenue to dead end "lot C." Gunther Bus Company is in the large fenced in paved parking lot....the last warehouse down on the right.

Directions from Washington, D.C.:

Take Route 295 North to Route 100 East onto Route 170 (which is exit 11 - Odenton). Go left off exit (toward N. Linthicum) onto Route 170 - follow to first traffic light and turn left onto Dorsey Road - follow to next traffic light and turn right onto Shipley Avenue - follow Shipley Avenue to dead end "lot C." Gunther Bus Company is in the large fenced in paved parking lot....the last warehouse down on the right.

Directions from Baltimore:

Take I-295 South to 195 (BWI Airport Exit). Take the first exit of 195 (Odenton). You will be on Aviation Boulevard. Follow up to Dorsey Road. Make a right on Dorsey Road. Follow to first traffic light and turn right onto Shipley Avenue - follow Shipley Avenue to dead end "lot C." Gunther Bus Company is in the large fenced in paved parking lot....the last warehouse down on the right.

Directions from Catonsville:

Take Wilkens Avenue past UMBC. At light, turn left on Rolling Road (Route 166). Turn left onto 195 towards BWI Airport. Take exit 1B towards Odenton. You will be on Aviation Boulevard. Follow up to Dorsey Road. Make a right on Dorsey Road. Follow to first traffic light and turn right onto Shipley Avenue - follow Shipley Avenue to dead end "lot C." Gunther Bus Company is in the large fenced in paved parking lot....the last warehouse down on the right.

Directions from Elkridge area (Top part of Dorsey Road):

Take Route 100 East to Route 170 (which is exit 11 - Odenton). Turn left (toward N. Linthicum) onto Route 170 - follow to first traffic light and turn left onto Dorsey Road - follow to next traffic light and turn right onto Shipley Avenue - follow Shipley Avenue to dead end "lot C." Gunther Bus Company is in the large fenced in paved parking lot....the last warehouse down on the right.

Directions to Carney Park & Ride:

From the Baltimore Beltway (I-695) East, take Exit 31-A. At the top of the ramp turn left at the stop light onto Harford Road North (Carney). Cross Joppa Road and just down the hill at Jomat Avenue you will find the park and ride on your left. From the Baltimore Beltway (I-695) North, take Exit 31-B. At the top of the ramp merge right at the traffic light onto Harford Road North (Carney). Cross Joppa Road and just down the hill at Jomat Avenue you will find the park and ride on your left.

Directions to Abingdon Park & Ride:

Interstate 95 North to Exit 77B (toward MD 924 Emmorton Road). Merge onto Maryland 924 and stay in the right lane. At the first traffic signal (Emmorton Road), take a right and stay in the right lane. You will find the MD 924/24 Abingdon Park & Ride on your right - 3510 Woodsdale Road, Abingdon, MD 21009.

Directions to Woodbine Park & Ride:

Interstate 70 West to Exit 73 (toward Woodbine). Merge onto Maryland 94 - North/Woodbine Road. At the traffic circle, take the first exit onto Old Frederick Road. Turn left at Old Woodbine Road. Turn left, then turn right into the Commuter Park & Ride - 94 Lisbon Center Drive, Woodbine, Maryland 21797.

Frequently Asked Questions Regarding Travel & Luggage:

CHECKED LUGGAGE: One piece of luggage per person is allowed on most multi-day tours. Person traveling as a single are permitted two pieces of luggage, and couples are permitted three pieces of luggage on multi-day motor coach / cruise tours longer than 12 days. Please limit each piece of luggage to no more than 45 pounds. It is also important that the overall dimensions of your luggage be reasonable. Keep in mind that over 40+ passengers might be traveling with you and everyone's luggage must fit in the luggage bays under the coach.

CARRY-ON BAGGAGE: Everyone is allowed one carry-on bag. Your carry-on bag must be able to fit in the overhead compartment. The overhead compartments on motor coaches are not necessarily the same size as those on airplanes. The average motor coach compartment size is 8" high x 19" wide x 15" deep. Please make sure that your bag fits these dimensions.

HELPFUL HINTS: Use lightweight luggage when possible. Pack sample or travel sizes of toiletry articles (shampoo, hairspray, deodorant, etc.). Don't over pack. Laundry facilities may be available. Take clothing that can be wore more than once by mixing and matching. Coordinate your wardrobe with one or two basic colors. Pack shoes that can be worn with many outfits. After you are finishing packing, test the weight of your bag. If it weighs more than 45 lbs., please remove items to keep it under 45 lbs. Thank you for your cooperation!

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Hair Needs (dryer, curling iron, pins, etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Travel Iron |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Needs | <input type="checkbox"/> All Weather Coat (\$1 Stores also have those plastic raincoats; they are great and only take up a little space.) |
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**Canada tours do require proof of citizenship*

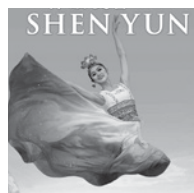
***An Electric wheel chair or electric cart may be taken on tour if there is room available. However, it is the responsibility of the customers to load and unload the equipment.**



Price: \$279.00
Deposit: \$90.00/PP
Balance Due: December 7, 2023

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	6:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	5:45 PM

February 3 (Saturday)



The Kennedy Center
"SHEN YUN"
Washington, D.C.



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.**, and spend a delightful afternoon with the world's premier classical Chinese dance and music company at **The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts**. In 2006, preeminent classical Chinese artist came together in New York with the goal of reviving the glorious, divinely inspired culture of China and sharing it with the world. Through music and dance, **SHEN YUN** weaves a wondrous tapestry of heavenly realms, ancient legends, and modern heroic tales that take you on a journey through 5,000 years of Chinese culture. **SHEN YUN** pushes the boundaries of the performing arts with a unique blend of classical Chinese dance, ethnic and folk dance, colorful costuming, dazzling animated high-tech backdrops, and live orchestral accompaniment. The shows stunning beauty and tremendous energy will leave you uplifted and inspired. The traditional Chinese culture **SHEN YUN** presents cannot be seen anywhere else in the world – *not even in China*. The ruling Chinese communist regime has viewed China's rich spiritual and artistic heritage as a threat to its ideology, and for decades sought to erase it. Chinese artists have suffered untold ordeals over the past century. **Note: SHEN YUN is recommended for ages 5 and older. Children under the age of 5 will not be permitted in the theatre.** Before the show enjoy a delicious lunch **on your own** at **The KC Café** located at the Kennedy Center's roof-level. The café offers a wide variety of menu choices ranging from hot and cold sandwiches, a salad bar, hot entrees including burgers and steaks, fruit cups, sweets, coffee and wine and more. Enjoy spectacular skyline views of Washington from this cafeteria-style restaurant.

Price: \$225.00
Deposit: \$100.00/PP
Balance Due: December 21, 2023

	Depart	Return
Carney	9:30 AM	6:00 PM
Gunther	10:15 AM	5:15 PM

January 20 (Saturday)



The Kennedy Center
"Frozen"
& Lunch at Gadsby's
Washington, D.C.



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.**, and spend a delightful afternoon with the cast of **"Frozen"** at **The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts**. From the producer of *"The Lion King"* and *"Aladdin,"* **"Frozen,"** the Tony-nominated Best Musical, arrives on stage at The Kennedy Center. The *Los Angeles Daily News* proclaims, **"It's simply magical!"** and *Variety* writes **"A brilliant spectacle, jaw-dropping and poignant!"** **"Frozen"** is a musical with music and lyrics by Kristen Anderson-Lopez and Robert Lopez, and book by Jennifer Lee, based on the 2013 Disney film of the same name. **"Frozen"** centers on the relationship between two sisters who are princesses, Elsa and Anna. Elsa has magical powers to freeze objects and people, which she does not know how to control. After inheriting the throne, Elsa flees, inadvertently causes the kingdom to become frozen in an eternal winter, and nearly kills her sister. She must sacrifice and show true love to save the day. **"Frozen"** features songs you love from the original Oscar winning film, plus an expanded score with a dozen new numbers. An unforgettable theatrical experience filled with sensational special effects, stunning sets and costumes, and powerhouse performances, **"Frozen"** is everything you want in a musical: It's moving. It's spectacular. And above all, it's pure Broadway joy! **Note: "Frozen" is recommended for ages 6 and older.** Before the show enjoy a delicious luncheon at **Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant** in **Old Town Alexandria, Virginia**. A U.S. National Historic Landmark, Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant has been offering fine dining since 1770. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Monte Cristo Virginia (puff pastry stuffed with Smithfield ham, smoked turkey and swiss cheese with a fresh berry sauce)**, **Chicken Salad**, **Ale Battered Codfish** or **Butternut Squash Ravioli**. (L)

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February 15 (Thursday)



**The Kennedy Center
"Ain't Too Proud"
& Lunch at Gadsby's
Washington, D.C.**



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.**, and spend a delightful afternoon with the cast of **"Ain't Too Proud"** at **The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts**. **"Ain't Too Proud"** is the life and times of The Temptations. The electrifying musical tells the story of brotherhood, family, loyalty, and betrayal and charts the rise of the legendary R&B super-group from the streets of Detroit to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. Featuring such unforgettable songs as *"My Girl," "Just My Imagination," "Get Ready,"* and *"Papa Was a Rolling Stone,"* this inside look at The Temptations' untold story is ready to rock the Kennedy Center's Opera House. "A force almost as irresistible as any of the powerhouse R&B band's greatest hits" write *The Los Angeles Times*. **Note: "Ain't Too Proud" is recommended for ages 12 and older.** Before the show enjoy a delicious **luncheon** at **Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant** in **Old Town Alexandria, Virginia**. A U.S. National Historic Landmark, Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant has been offering fine dining since 1770. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Monte Cristo Virginia** (*puff pastry stuffed with Smithfield ham, smoked turkey and swiss cheese with a fresh berry sauce*), **Chicken Salad**, **Ale Battered Codfish** or **Butternut Squash Ravioli**. (L)

Price: \$225.00

Deposit: \$85.00/PP

Balance Due: January 2, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	6:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	5:45 PM

February 22-March 3 (Thursday-Sunday)

Sunny Key West, Florida

**Including 3 Nights in Key West
Plus, Deerfield Beach, Florida**



Escape the northeast's winter blues and travel to sunny Florida with Gunther Tours! This 11-day tour travels down the Atlantic coast with stops in St. Augustine and Miami before reaching our destination Key West, Florida for 3 nights. We return up the coast and include a stop in Deerfield Beach, Florida for 2 nights. There's so much to see, yet time to relax! Book Early!

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach as we head south toward the sunny **Florida Keys**. Our first destination is the **Ava Gardner Museum** located in **Smithfield, North Carolina**. A **self-guided tour** of the mu-

seum walks you through the remarkable life, loves, and legacy of one of Hollywood's legendary actress as told to you by some of her close friends and family. View an extensive collection of Ava Gardner memorabilia that includes costumes, jewelry, movie posters and awards that represent Ava's 50-year career as a leading Hollywood actress. Also, see a short biographical film of the actress featuring information about her personal and professional life. Before checking into our hotel in **Florence, South Carolina** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **St. Augustine, Florida**. With more than 450 years of history, St. Augustine is known as The Ancient City, and is the oldest continuously occupied European-established settlement within the borders of the continental United States. Upon our arrival, we meet our **driver/guide and climb aboard the Old Town Trolley for a tour of the city**. Experience "transportainment," a delightful combination of transportation and entertainment, while your friendly conductor entertains you with a fascinating and fun mixture of historical facts, humorous stories and trivia. Tonight, we are treated to a savory **dinner** at a downtown restaurant before checking into our hotel accommodations in **St. Augustine** for the night. (B, D)

Day 3: After **breakfast** settle back, relax and enjoy the scenery on our drive south along the Atlantic coast to **Ft. Lauderdale, Florida**. Following lunch *on your own* we visit **Flamingo Gardens**. A 60-acre tropical paradise, Flamingo Gardens is a non-profit wildlife sanctuary, aviary, and botanical garden. The garden features thousands of rare, exotic and native plants, plus butterfly and hummingbird gardens. The wildlife sanctuary is home to over 90 species of animals native to Florida. The aviary exhibits five native Florida ecosystems, and you can view 250 birds representing more than 45 native species. The Everglades aviary houses one of the largest collections of wading birds in the United States. The Flamingo Pond showcases Caribbean Flamingos amidst their naturalistic environment of tropical vegetation and sparkling waterfalls. Also, you can visit the historic 1930's **Wray Home Museum**. The Wray Home was the weekend residence built in 1933 by Floyd L. and Jane Wray, and it has been restored to provide visitors a glimpse of life in South Florida in the 1930's. So, enjoy a **narrated tram tour through 42 remote acres of Flamingo Gardens**, explore the Wray Botanical Collection and visit historic Wray Home Museum. After our tour, we depart for a tasty **dinner** at a local restaurant. We overnight at a suburban **Miami, Florida** hotel. (B, D)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for Florida's premier airboat attraction, the **Everglades Safari Park**. A **guided tour of the Everglades** including a thrilling **airboat ride** will be included. Our experienced **tour guide** will describe to you the wonders of this unique ecosystem and the native and exotic wildlife that inhabit it. Also, an **alligator wildlife show** and a **walking trail filled with crocodilian exhibits** are included. Later we continue south, traveling across the **Overseas Highway** to our destination – **Key West, Florida**. The anticipation is over as we arrive at our deluxe accommodations for the next **three nights** at the **Doubletree Grand Key Resort**, located close to historic downtown Key West. Following our hotel check in, you will have time to unwind and freshen up before a delicious **dinner** is served at the hotel. (B, D)

Day 5: After **breakfast** we'll board the **Old Town Trolley** and embark on a **90-minute tour through Key West**. The trolley tour showcases all the best of Key West, from Mallory Square and Duval Street to Henry Flagler's historic Railroad Museum, and everything in between. With over 100 points of interest on your tour, the open-air sightseeing tour trolleys are perfect for taking pictures. Included is admission to the **Ernest Hemingway Home & Museum**. You may hop on and off at convenient stops throughout the day. Following an exciting day exploring Key West, we climb aboard a **2-hour Key West Sunset Catamaran Cruise**. Come sail along on an ocean breeze and enjoy some of Key West's best musicians performing live to the backdrop of the setting sun. You'll eat, drink and party the night away on Key West's original live music sunset sail. So, raise a toast to Key West's world famous Key West sunset as it settles into the Gulf of Mexico, grab someone's hand and let the music move you, and experience a sunset cruise you will never forget on this 2-hour catamaran cruise! **Your sunset cruise will include live music, ice cold margaritas, champagne, beer and wine, sodas and water and hot and cold appetizers.** (B)

Day 6: After **breakfast** enjoy a free day in **Key West!** Be sure to take advantage of the **Old Town Trolley**, (*day pass included*), which offers unlimited re-boarding privileges to enjoy the variety of shopping, dining and attractions. Those more adventurous might try snorkeling, fishing or even an exciting fly tour to historic Fort Jefferson. Or sip on refreshing cocktails from the outdoor Tiki Bar while spending the day poolside surrounded by tropical gardens. It's the perfect setting to enjoy America's Caribbean and a lazy day. Tonight, dinner is **on your own**, be adventurous and enjoy the great local cuisine . . . anyone up for conch chowder, hot ballos or Key Lime pie? (B)

Day 7: After **breakfast** look for alligators sunning themselves in swamps next to the highway as we travel north on the **Overseas Highway to Islamorada, Florida** and the **Theater of the Sea**, one of the oldest marine mammal facilities in the world. This educational and entertaining park, where marine animals live in natural saltwater lagoons, offers performances that are up close and personal. Several interactive programs like swimming with dolphins, sea lions or sting rays are offered. **Advanced reservations are required, (305) 664-2431.** Lunch is **on your own**. Later we return to Florida's mainland and travel to our **oceanfront accommodations** at the **Wyndham Deerfield Beach Resort**, for the next **two nights**. Tonight, dinner is **on your own**. (B)

Day 8: After **breakfast**, (a **\$25.00 food voucher** is provided for breakfast), enjoy a free day at the beach! Spend the day splashing in crystal-clear surf and building castles made of sugar-white sand on one of South Florida's best beaches. You may choose to set out on the Atlantic on a sport-fishing trip in search of a legendary catch, have an amazing underwater adventure on a diving excursion, or simply cool off from a day in the sun with a revitalizing dip in the oceanfront pool or hot tub. Do it all or enjoy a day of leisure at our oceanfront hotel! (B)

Day 9: After **breakfast**, (a **\$25.00 food voucher** is provided for breakfast), settle back, and relax in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach and enjoy the scenery on our drive north along the Atlantic coast to reach our suburban **Savannah, Georgia** hotel for the night. Your on-board **Gunther Tours Manager** will help pass the time by playing games, showing a movie or two, and scheduling quiet time to relax and enjoy the scenery along the

highway. After checking into our hotel for the night, we are treated to **dinner** at a **Cracker Barrel Old Country Store**, adjacent to our hotel. (B, D)

Day 10: After **breakfast** it's a short ride to **Savannah, Georgia**, a coastal Georgia city known for manicured parks, horse-drawn carriages and antebellum architecture. Upon our arrival, we meet our **driver/guide** and climb aboard the **Old Savannah Trolley for a tour of the city**. The trolley tour showcases all the best of Savannah, from moss-draped oaks, stately mansions, beautiful squares, expansive riverfront, and over 270 years of history – from the comfort of your nostalgic trolley seat. Your friendly conductor entertains you with a fascinating and fun mixture of historical facts, humorous stories and trivia. A delicious **Low Country Boil lunch** will be served after the tour at **Erica Davis Lowcountry**. Enjoy a memorable meal and dining experience, at this favorite spot for locals and out of town visitors. Always fresh, delicious and guaranteed to satisfy your appetite, Erica Davis Lowcountry serves up the finest coastal southern cuisine, and southern sides in a menu that embodies the Lowcountry and served by an attentive wait staff. Following our lunch, we depart for our hotel accommodations in **Florence, South Carolina**. After checking into our hotel for the night, you will have time to relax and freshen up before going out for tonight's **dinner** at a local restaurant. (B, L, D)

Day 11: After **breakfast** settle back, relax, and enjoy treasured memories from our remarkable days under the warm Florida sunshine as we journey home! (B)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- **James Walls – Gunther Tour Manager**
- 10 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **3 nights at Doubletree Grand Key Resort**
 - **2 nights at Wyndham Deerfield Beach Resort**
- 10 breakfasts
- 1 lunch
- 6 dinners
- Guided Tours, including:
 - **St. Augustine Old Town Trolley Tour**
 - **Flamingo Gardens Tram Tour**
 - **Everglades Safari Park Airboat Ride**
 - **Key West Old Town Trolley Tour**
 - **Old Savannah Trolley Tour**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Ava Gardner Museum**
 - **Flamingo Gardens**
 - **Wray Home Museum**
 - **Everglades Safari Park**
 - **Alligator Wildlife Show**
 - **Ernest Hemingway Home & Museum**
 - **Key West Sunset Catamaran Cruise**
 - **Key West Old Town Trolley Day Pass**
 - **Theater of the Sea**
- A Free Day in Key West, Florida
- A Free Day in Deerfield Beach, Florida
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Tour Guide Gratuities

Price:
\$3,399.00 Double/PP \$5,149.00 Single
Deposit: \$125.00/PP
1st Deposit Non-Refundable after November 26, 2023
2nd Deposit: \$250.00/PP – Due November 26, 2023
Balance Due: January 9, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	6:00 AM	6:45 PM
Gunther	6:45 AM	6:00 PM

February 23 (Friday)

Bird-In-Hand Farmer's Market & Lunch at Bird-in-Hand Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania (Benefit SPCA of AA County)



Join us on a special day tour to **Pennsylvania Dutch Country** and the **Bird-In-Hand Farmer's Market**. A favorite destination for both locals, as well as out-of-town visitors, Bird-in-Hand Farmers Market invites you to shop in a clean, climate-controlled market featuring approximately 30 local vendors offering a wide variety of fresh foods, homemade goodies, and local crafts. Everything from fruits and vegetables, meats and cheeses, canned goods and preserves, homemade baked goods, bulk foods, specialty teas and coffee, extracts and spices, nuts, dips, fudge, and candy. There are homemade quilts, leather goods, wooden toys, and beautiful silk flower arrangements. Watch as soft pretzels are hand rolled and fudge is made on a large marble slab. Please note upon our arrival we will enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** prior to visiting the **Bird-In-Hand Farmer's Market**. On route to **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania** we will make two goody stops where you are sure to find something especially tasty and sweet. The first stop is in **York, Pennsylvania** to visit **Stauffer's Cookie Factory Outlet**. Known worldwide for their Animal Crackers and cookies, Stauffer's Outlet offers a shopper's delight with every visit! The next stop is at **Edwards Nut & Candy Company** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania**. Known for their large selection of chocolates, candy, nuts, dried fruits and baking goods, Edwards Nut & Candy Company provides you the perfect opportunity to indulge your sweet tooth, and will definitely leave you wanting to come back for more! An annual **Gunther Tours** charitable fundraising event, **the funds raised from this year's tour and benefit auction will be donated to the SPCA of Anne Arundel County**. **A benefit auction will be held on the bus**. You are not obligated to participate. If you wish to take part in the auction, please bring an item(s) to be auctioned off. **The SPCA of Anne Arundel County provides shelter and humane care for homeless animals in need and works as advocates for animal welfare in our community**. So, please join us on this special tour, and thank you for your participation and support! (L)

Price: \$50.00
Balance Due: January 10, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	8:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	9:15 AM	4:45 PM

March 2 (Saturday)

Tea Time at The Old Farm House & Brown's Farm Market Thomasville, Pennsylvania



Welcome to **The Old Farm House Tea Room** located in the quaint town of **Thomasville, Pennsylvania** for a **Tea Luncheon**. Relax and enjoy the warm friendly service, and the beauty and quite charm of this Victorian styled farmhouse. Your menu will consist of a fresh fruit medley, garden salad, tea scones & tea breads, cup of soup, an entrée, and concludes with a tasty dessert. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Stuffed Chicken Breast** or **Seafood Fettuccine**. Following your tea luncheon, on our way home, we treat you to a stop at **Brown's Farm Market**, which is nestled among the rolling hills and valleys of Southern York County. At this unique country market, you will find a wide variety of locally grown fruits and vegetables and much, much more, all under one roof. **Note:** Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. (L)

Price: \$109.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: January 17, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:45 AM	5:15 PM
Carney	9:30 AM	4:30 PM
Parkton	10:00 AM	4:00 PM

March 4 (Monday)

Philadelphia Flower Show "United by Flowers" Philadelphia, Pennsylvania



The **Pennsylvania Horticultural Society** invites first-time visitors and longtime Flower Show fans alike to the **Pennsylvania Convention Center** to experience the first taste of Spring and to celebrate the spectacular and unconventional floral displays for which the award-winning Philadelphia Flower Show is known. The theme for the **2024 Philadelphia Flower Show** will be **"United by Flowers"**. The show will illustrate the beauty and power of flowers to transform, inspire, delight, and connect us to one another. The PHS Philadelphia Flower Show is the nation's largest and longest-running horticultural event and features stunning displays by the world's premier floral and landscape designers. When you are ready to relax, refuel and

recharge, enjoy a delicious snack or meal from a wide variety of on-site food vendors.

Price: \$130.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: January 19, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:00 AM	5:30 PM
Carney	7:45 AM	4:45 PM
Abingdon	8:15 AM	4:15 PM

March 5 (Tuesday)

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Price: \$130.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: January 20, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:00 AM	5:30 PM
Carney	7:45 AM	4:45 PM
Abingdon	8:15 AM	4:15 PM

March 14 (Thursday)



Tribute to Billy Joel "All About Joel" Tropicana Casino Atlantic City, New Jersey

For a special day of unforgettable entertainment and gaming excitement travel to **Atlantic City, New Jersey** to see a matinee performance of **"All About Joel,"** a **Musical Tribute to Billy Joel** at the **Tropicana Showroom** at the **Tropicana Casino**.

"All About Joel" is a musical tribute created with an unwavering attention to detail by the talented Long Island singer and piano player David Clark. The show has gained nationwide notoriety with David's stunning accurate piano playing, lead vocals, and an eerily similar stage look to the Piano Man himself while engaging the audience with wit and humor. Spend an afternoon singing along to your favorite **Billy Joel** hits, including **"Piano Man," "New York State of Mind," "She's Always a Woman to Me," "Movin' Out," "Just the Way You Are,"** and **"Scenes from an Italian Restaurant,"** and so many more! If you are a **Billy Joel** fan this tribute show is a must see! So, come spend an afternoon with us as we experience the magic of this exceptional tribute to this legendary artist and hear all his greatest hits. Before the show visit the **Casino** where you will receive a **\$25.00 slot play** and a **\$20.00 food credit** for lunch compliments of **Tropicana Casino** upon arrival. Try your luck, enjoy some time gaming, and hopefully experience the thrill of winning! (L)

Price: \$179.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: January 29, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:15 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	8:00 AM	8:00 PM
Abingdon	8:30 AM	7:30 PM



March 17-22 (Sunday-Friday)

Nashville & Graceland "A Tennessee Twosome" Nashville & Memphis



NEW!

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach towards **"The Volunteer State," Tennessee**. Soon you will discover for yourself why **Nashville**, is fittingly called **"Music City, U.S.A."**. Meanwhile relax, enjoy the changing scenery and have fun with onboard activities as we travel west. Before checking into our hotel in **Knoxville, Tennessee** for the night, enjoy **dinner** at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Nashville, Tennessee**. Upon our arrival we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Nashville**. You will be amazed by Nashville's colorful history, beautiful architecture and hidden treasures that wait to be discovered in **"Music City, U.S.A."**. Following our tour, a **honky-tonk lunch** and **live music** at **Blake Shelton's Ole Red** is included. After lunch we'll visit Nashville's **Broadway Historic District**. Explore and experience the entertainment of Broadway's vibrant musical honky-tonks, including world famous Tootsie's Orchid Lounge, restaurants, local stores, shops, and boutiques, all conveniently located within walking distance of each other. See the street where musical legends were made, and discover how the Broadway Historic District came to be known as **"Honky-Tonk Highway."** You will find Ernest Tubb's Record Store, Betty Boots and several Western Shops, plus, attractions like the Johnny Cash and the Patsy Cline Mu-

seums. Later, we check into our accommodations for the next **two nights** at the **Drury Inn & Suites**, a *perennial favorite* of motor coach travelers! After checking into our hotel you will have time to sit, relax and enjoy a **Manager's Reception with free hot food & cold beverages for guests, including beer, wine and mixed drinks.** (B, L, MR)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we will get to see and walk in the footsteps where country superstars perform and amazing music is made every week for a national audience, when we are treated to a **guided backstage tour of the Grand Ole Opry**. Our backstage tour guide will share an insider's stories of the Opry House, it's place in country music, the stars, and the stage that's home to the unbroken Circle. So, enjoy a peek behind the curtain of Nashville's premier country music stage, hang out backstage, view the dressing rooms, and even stand in the famous center stage circle! Following our tour, we depart for **Historic RCA Studio B** for an up-close look at Nashville's oldest remaining recording studio where Elvis Presley, Dolly Parton and Charley Pride recorded some of their classic hits. Learn the secrets of how each artist recorded their chart-topping music in this famous studio and hear some great classic country music. Next, we visit the **Country Music Hall of Fame & Museum**. To provide you with the best possible tour experience we have included the **official audio guide** to bring history to life and tell the story of America's music. Bill Cody, WSM radio personality takes you on a tour through the different eras of country music and shares with you behind-the-scenes stories, insider tips, personal memories and more. Finally, we end the day on **"Honky-Tonk Highway"** where you can check out a wide variety of celebrated Honky-Tons ranging from Honky Tonk Central, Luke Bryan's 32 Bridge, AJ's Good Time Bar (AJ is Alan Jackson), to Jason Aldean's Kitchen & Rooftop Bar, Dierks Bentley's Whiskey Row and more, for you to enjoy an enthusiastic evening of music, dancing and dinner *on your own*. From late morning to late night, **"Honky-Tonk Highway"** is as much, if not more, music and fun than any Dancin' Fool or Music Fan can handle! (B)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for the **"Home of the Blues"** and the **"Birthplace of Rock and Roll," Memphis, Tennessee** to tour Elvis Presley's famed home, **Graceland**. Highlights of our **Graceland tour** include visiting Elvis Presley's mansion, his original business office, his trophy building, and the Meditation Garden where Elvis and members of his family have been laid to rest. We conclude our tour of Graceland by boarding Elvis' private jet, **"The Lisa Marie."** Before departing for our hotel accommodations in **Horn Lake, Mississippi** for the night, we are served a savory **dinner** at **King's Palace Café**. Located on world famous **Beale Street**, King's Palace Café, serves up appetizing Southern delicacies, such as Memphis style BBQ ribs or Cajun specialties, and for over 30 years it has been a *perennial favorite* of locals and visitors alike! (B, D)

Day 5: After **breakfast** we travel back to **Nashville, Tennessee** to visit the **Gaylord Opryland Resort**. Upon our arrival enjoy lunch *on your own* at one of the hotel's many first-rate restaurants before being treated to a **guided tour** of this iconic Nashville landmark featuring majestic, climate-controlled glass atriums, surrounded by nine acres of lush indoor gardens, winding rivers and pathways, and sparkling waterfalls. Experience charming southern hospitality and marvel at the many wonders

of this extraordinary hotel and the elaborate décor surrounding you. Take a relaxed **Delta River Flatboat ride on the scenic indoor river**, which is included. Later we depart for our hotel accommodations in **Knoxville, Tennessee**. A **dinner** stop will be made en route to Knoxville. (B, D)

Day 6: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us amazing memories of America's **"Music City, U.S.A."**, it's remarkable history, incredible hand-clappin', toe-tappin' contributions to the diverse American music scene, the unique thrill of Honk-Tonkin' in Nashville, plus a special musical tour to Memphis and Elvis Presley's famed home, **Graceland**. Today's **lunch** is included at **Mrs. Rowe's Family Restaurant and Bakery** in **Staunton, Virginia**. Enjoy a buffet lunch at this family owned Shenandoah Valley restaurant, serving up delicious Southern style cooking with homemade breads, pies, and pastries baked fresh daily since 1947. (B, L)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 5 nights hotel accommodations
- 5 breakfasts
- 2 lunches (including 1 honky tonk lunch & music)
- 3 dinners (including 1 with entertainment)
- 1 Manager's Reception w/ hot food & cold drinks
- Guided Tours, including:
 - **Nashville, Tennessee**
 - **Gaylord Opryland Resort**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Blake Shelton's Ole Red**
 - **Nashville's Broadway's Historic District**
 - **Grand Ole Opry Backstage Tour**
 - **Historic RCA Studio B Tour**
 - **Country Music Hall of Fame & Museum**
 - **Elvis Presley's Graceland**
 - **Delta River Flatboat Ride at Opryland**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,429.00 Double/PP \$1,279.00 Triple/PP

\$1,209.00 Quad/PP \$1,879.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: February 1, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	8:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	7:00 PM

\$25.00 per person service fee for any canceled tour. If you transfer or hold funds on account, the service charge is waived one time!

March 20 (Wednesday)



Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre
"The Addams Family"
Lancaster, Pennsylvania



Travel to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **"The Addams Family"**. **"The Addams Family"** brings the darkly delirious world of **Gomez, Morticia, Uncle Fester, Grandma, Wednesday, Pugsley**, and, of course **Lurch** to life. It's a classic, full-tilt, fast paced, old-fashioned musical comedy!" It's every parent's nightmare. Your little girl has suddenly become a young woman, and what's worse, has fallen deliriously in love with a sweet, smart young man from a respectable family. Yes, Wednesday Addams, the ultimate princess of darkness, has a "normal" boyfriend, and for parents Gomez and Morticia, this shocking development will turn the Addams house downside up at the Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre. Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. (L)

Price: \$160.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: February 4, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

March 21 (Thursday)



Sight & Sound Theatre
"DANIEL"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Strasburg, Pennsylvania



The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. (L)

Price: \$209.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: February 5, 2024

Depart

Return

Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

March 26 (Tuesday)



Odyssey Cruise & Cherry Blossoms
Washington, D.C.

Come aboard **Odyssey Cruises**, a unique boat designed to provide the ultimate viewing of Washington DC's sights, including Washington's iconic **Cherry Trees**. Savor a delicious **plated lunch** served at your private table while relaxing in the elegant atmosphere offered aboard a true luxury vessel. Enjoy the pleasant combination of nautical breezes, attentive service, and monumental views. Also, for your entertainment and enjoyment there will be a DJ onboard providing music to dance to, or simply sit back and relax as you cruise along Washington's unique waterfront. Before arriving at Odyssey Cruises an up and close **photo-stop of the Cherry Trees** will be made at the **Tidal Basin**. Do not miss this opportunity to see the nation's capital from an entirely new perspective! (L)

Price: \$165.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: February 10, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	4:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	3:45 PM

March 27 (Wednesday)



Odyssey Cruise & Cherry Blossoms
Washington, D.C.

Come aboard **Odyssey Cruises**, a unique boat designed to provide the ultimate viewing of Washington DC's sights, including Washington's iconic **Cherry Trees**. Savor a delicious **plated lunch** served at your private table while relaxing in the elegant atmosphere offered aboard a true luxury vessel. Enjoy the pleasant combination of nautical breezes, attentive service, and monumental views. Also, for your entertainment and enjoyment there will be a DJ onboard providing music to dance to, or simply sit back and relax as you cruise along Washington's unique waterfront. Before arriving at Odyssey Cruises an up and close **photo-stop of the Cherry Trees** will be made at the **Tidal Basin**. Do not miss this opportunity to see the nation's capital from an entirely new perspective! (L)

Price: \$165.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: February 11, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	4:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	3:45 PM

March 28 (Thursday)

Odyssey Cruise & Cherry Blossoms Washington, D.C.



Come aboard **Odyssey Cruises**, a unique boat designed to provide the ultimate viewing of Washington DC's sights, including Washington's iconic **Cherry Trees**. Savor a delicious **plated lunch** served at your private table while relaxing in the elegant atmosphere offered aboard a true luxury vessel. Enjoy the pleasant combination of nautical breezes, attentive service, and monumental views. Also, for your entertainment and enjoyment there will be a DJ onboard providing music to dance to, or simply sit back and relax as you cruise along Washington's unique waterfront. Before arriving at Odyssey Cruises an up and close **photo-stop of the Cherry Trees** will be made at the **Tidal Basin**. Do not miss this opportunity to see the nation's capital from an entirely new perspective! (L)

Price: \$165.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: February 12, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	4:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	3:45 PM

March 30 (Saturday)

The Cherry Blossom Trail Washington, D.C.



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.** and spend a delightful day **walking** amid the most popular places to view the **Cherry Blossoms**. The National Cherry Blossom Festival celebrates spring and the blooming of the cherry trees along the Tidal Basin, while commemorating the March 27, 1912, gift of Japanese cherry trees from Mayor Yukio Ozaki of Tokyo City to the city of Washington, D.C. Mayor Ozaki donated the trees to enhance the growing friendship between the United States and Japan and also celebrate the continued close relationship between the two nations. Walk along the **Tidal Basin**, and visit the **Jefferson Memorial, FDR Memorial, Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial, Lincoln Memorial** and the **Vietnam Veterans Memorial** surrounded by a spectacular explosion of pale pink and white blossoms. Don't forget your cameras! The first Cherry Blossom Festival was held in 1934, and in 1935 it officially became a national annual event. **Note: This is a walking tour! Please make sure you are an able walker before booking onto this trip. Wear comfortable**

walking shoes, (no heels). This trip is not suitable for people who have trouble with mobility!

Price: \$85.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: February 14, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
Gunther	8:45 AM	4:15 PM

April 3 (Wednesday)

Spirit Cruise & Cherry Blossoms Washington, D.C.



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.** and spend a pleasant afternoon aboard **Spirit Cruises** experiencing a delightful **2-hour buffet lunch cruise on the Potomac River**. Enjoy the spectacular 360-degree views of the nation's capital, and Washington's iconic **Cherry Trees** and landmarks from the boat's observation decks. Also, for your entertainment and enjoyment there will be a DJ onboard providing music to dance to, or simply sit back and relax as you cruise along Washington's unique waterfront. Before arriving at Spirit Cruises an up and close **photo-stop of the Cherry Trees** will be made at the **Tidal Basin**. Do not miss this opportunity to see the nation's capital from an entirely new perspective! (L)

Price: \$149.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: February 18, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	4:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	3:45 PM

April 6 (Saturday)

Tea Time at Sweet Remembrances & Cookie Outlet and Farm Market Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania



Welcome to **Nancy Reppert's Sweet Remembrances**, a full-service tea room located in a beautifully restored post-Civil War era red brick row home in historic downtown **Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania**. Join us in this charming home-like atmosphere for a relaxing and enjoyable **SereniTea Luncheon** with friends or family. In addition to your bottomless pot of properly brewed loose-leaf tea, the menu will consist of a salad, a variety of sandwiches, a homemade warm-from-the-oven scone, fresh fruit, and assorted petite desserts that will "tickle your taste buds". Following our tea luncheon visit the **Rosemary House**, an herb and spice specialty shop located next door.

Take time to browse and shop for teas, herbs, and gifts. Before arriving in Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania we first travel up the I-83 corridor to **York, Pennsylvania** to visit the **Stauffer's Cookie Outlet**. Known worldwide for their Animal Crackers and cookies, Stauffer's Outlet offers a shopper's delight with every visit! Following our tea luncheon, on our way home, we treat you to a stop at **Brown's Farm Market**, which is nestled among the rolling hills and valleys of Southern York County. At this unique country market, you will find a wide variety of locally grown fruits and vegetables and much, much more, all under one roof. **Note:** Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. (L)

Price: \$135.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: February 21, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:15 AM	5:15 PM
Carney	9:00 AM	4:30 PM
Parkton	9:30 AM	4:00 PM

April 6-9 (Saturday-Tuesday)

Total Solar Eclipse Tour Prestonsburg, Kentucky



*If you've not seen a **Solar Eclipse**, then put this **Gunther Tour** on your **Bucket List** and save this date! It is truly a breath-taking sight and you will never regret traveling to see the Sun's corona. Following the 2024 Eclipse, a cross-country total **Solar Eclipse won't happen again until 2045**. The Eclipse will also last longer and cast a wider shadow than the 2017 Eclipse, meaning it will be more easily viewed by more people. **Book this NEW tour early!***

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to the heart of the **Appalachian Mountains of Kentucky**. We arrive at the **Jenny Wiley Lodge** in **Prestonsburg, Kentucky** for a delicious **buffet dinner** and **entertainment**. After enjoying the days entertainment, we make the short ride to the **Comfort Suites**, our hotel for the next **three nights**. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a day of **Kentucky sightseeing**. We begin our touring at the **Middle Creek National Battlefield** where on January 10, 1862 the Union and Southern Forces met seeking military control of this strategic gateway from Virginia. Two thousand soldiers engaged in a 24-hour struggle with gun firing and cannons blazing. Union Col. James Garfield claimed victory, and he later become the 20th President of the United States. Next, we tour the **East Kentucky Science Center and Planetarium**, located on the Campus of the Big Sandy Community and Technical College. The facility offers an interactive exhibit hall, and popular planetarium and laser light shows accompanied by music. We will stop at **Billy Ray's Restaurant** for a delicious

lunch included next. Following lunch, we visit the **Homestead of Loretta Lynn**. First, there is a stop at **Webb's Grocery**. Originally a company coal mine grocery circa 1910, this is the General Store at "Butcher Holler" Kentucky. Loretta Lynn and Crystal Gayle's brother, Herman, who is now deceased, owned and ran this store. Enjoy a **snack of a RC Cola, a moon pie** and **entertainment** while you browse and shop for souvenirs. Next, we go to **Loretta Lynn's Butcher Hollow Home Place**. Loretta's cousin will share with us the story of Loretta and her famous sister Crystal Gayle, and he will provide a first-hand account of his two cousins and what it was like living there 60 years ago. In the afternoon we return to our hotel where you will have time to relax and freshen up before going out for tonight's **dinner** and **entertainment** at the **Mountain Arts Center**. After dinner, we take our reserved seats for tonight's entertainment by **Billie Jean Osborne's Kentucky Opry**. Enjoy a musical variety show featuring bluegrass, country and gospel songs, and homespun, mountain-style comedy from a cast of rising stars, all of who hail from the mountains of eastern Kentucky. (B, L, D)

Day 3: After **breakfast** it's **ECLIPSE DAY!!!** We depart for the amphitheater/convention center for an all-day event. You will enjoy continuous live musical entertainment and various activities (*some of the events will require advance registration and cost extra*) throughout the day. A list of activities will be provided. A dance floor will be provided for those who want to kick up their heels. Multitude of food trucks for food and beverages will be on site. Lunch is **on your own**. Early in the afternoon, you will witness the event that you came here for. **Remember, the next Solar Eclipse won't happen again until 2045**. After all the hoopla we return to our hotel for some relaxation and to freshen up before departing for the "**Moon Shine Hide-A-Way and Tour**." Highlights of our tour will include a **demonstration** of how the old timers distilled famous mountain "white lightin", a policeman who questions the illegal operation, and finally the Shriners who take up their instruments and sing a couple of Moon Shine songs and featuring plenty of foot-stompin' dancing. Before returning to the hotel for a good night's sleep, we are treated to a delicious **Bar-B-Que dinner** and **entertainment** provided by the **Moon Shine Band**. (B, D) **Day 4:** After **breakfast** settle back and enjoy the movie "**Coal Miner's Daughter**" on our drive home, while reminiscing about the sights and sounds of Kentucky, it's amazing people and the heartfelt magic, mystery, and power of the Moon, Earth and Sun experienced during a total solar eclipse! (B)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- **Robin Zahor - Tour Manager**
- 3 nights at **Comfort Suites Prestonsburg West**
- 3 breakfasts
- 1 lunch
- 3 dinners
- Guided Tour of Prestonsburg, Kentucky
- Live entertainment, including:
 - **Entertainment at Jenny Wiley Lodge**
 - **Entertainment at Webb's Grocery Store**
 - **Kentucky Opry at Mountain Arts Center**
 - **Entertainment by The Moon Shine Band**

- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - Middle Creek National Battlefield
 - East Kentucky Science Center & Planetarium
 - Webb's Grocery Store
 - Loretta Lynn's Butcher Hollow Home Place
 - ECLIPSE Day with Entertainment
 - Moon Shine Hide-A-Way and Tour
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$999.00 Double/PP \$919.00 Triple/PP

\$869.00 Quad/PP \$1,249.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: February 21, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	6:00 PM

April 16 (Tuesday)



Menopause The Musical 2 ***Cruising Through 'The Change'*** **Tropicana Casino** **Atlantic City, New Jersey**

For a special day of unforgettable entertainment and gaming excitement travel to **Atlantic City, New Jersey** to see a matinee performance of ***"Menopause The Musical 2"*** at the **Tropicana Showroom** at the **Tropicana Casino**. ***All Aboard, Sisters!*** The hysterical sequel to the smash-hit *Menopause The Musical* is finally here! Five years after their chance encounter in a department store, we set sail with our beloved ladies for more high jinks on the high seas. ***Menopause The Musical 2: Cruising Through 'The Change'*** is a hilarious and heartfelt look at the joys of menopause and friendship – plus hot flashes, mood swings, and memory lapses! Join us on a trip of self-discovery, backed by a new soundtrack of toe-tapping parodied hits from the 70s, 80s and 90s. For these four ladies, menopause was not the end, but the beginning of a beautiful friendship where love conquers all, and friendships never fail. Before the show visit the **Casino** where you will receive a **\$25.00 slot play** and a **\$20.00 food credit for lunch** compliments of **Tropicana Casino** upon arrival. Try your luck, enjoy some time gaming, and hopefully experience the thrill of winning! **(L)**

Price: \$179.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 3, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:15 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	8:00 AM	8:00 PM
Abingdon	8:30 AM	7:30 PM



April 16 (Tuesday)



Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre ***"Piano Men Generations"*** **Lancaster, Pennsylvania**



For a special day of entertainment, travel with ***Gunther Tours*** to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** to see a matinee performance of ***"Piano Men Generations,"*** a ***Billy Joel & Elton John Tribute Show***. ***"Piano Men Generations"*** celebrates the musical influences of ***Billy Joel*** and ***Elton John*** brought to you by the amazing Father and Son team of **Terry & Nick Davis** and their incredible band. Not only have Billy and Elton written and performed music that transcends four decades of music lovers – both have done so, not standing center stage, but seated behind the ebony and ivory of an instrument that will forever define the spirit of their music. You will laugh – you will cry – and this incredible band will mesmerized you! Please join ***Gunther Tours*** for this remarkable tribute show featuring **Terry & Nick Davis** and an unforgettable high-energy journey through the careers of two legendary music icons! Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. **(L)**

Price: \$175.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 3, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

April 18 (Thursday)

Murder Mystery at Mount Hope Mansion ***An Interactive Dinner Theater*** **Manheim, Pennsylvania**



Travel to the **Mount Hope Estate & Winery** in **Manheim, Pennsylvania** for a fun, interactive, culinary ***"Who-Done-It?"*** Upon our arrival, we enter **Mount Hope Mansion**, a thriving historic estate, for a theatrical dining experience. Feast on a delicious **four-course meal** while playing detective, interrogating the suspects, connecting the clues and uncover the truth! You will meet and mingle with intriguing guests inside the Mansion, and be sure to take notes as they visit you at tableside while you dine. After your meal we'll assemble in the Mansion's Theater Room for additional interrogation, hilarity and to reveal the answer to the question on everyone's mind! Who done it? Following our murder mystery adventure, we'll visit the **Mount Hope Estate Winery & Gift Shop**. Our knowledgeable winery host will guide us through seeing, sniffing, swirling, sipping and savoring a **tasting of selected Mount Hope's wines**. Before departing for home, you will have time to visit the gift shop for some last-minute shopping too. In addition to Mount Hope's award-winning wines, the shop offers a wide selection

of wine accessories, event souvenirs, children's items and gourmet food items for purchase. (L)

Price: \$149.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 5, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	7:30 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	6:45 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:15 PM

April 20 (Saturday)

Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island Liberty State Park, New Jersey



The **Statue of Liberty** is one of the abiding images of America, and **Ellis Island** is one of the country's most important historic sites. Spend the day visiting one or both of these two landmark national parks. We will board **Statue Cruises** at **Liberty State Park** located in **New Jersey** to make our way to the islands, and as a bonus we are treated to a fabulous view of the Manhattan skyline en route. **Note: Included in your admission is access to the grounds of Ellis Island and Liberty Island, and an audio tour of Ellis Island and Liberty Island. Fast food stops will be made both en route to Liberty State Park, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$155.00

Price: \$150.00 (Senior Ages 62+)

Price: \$145.00 (Child Ages 4-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 7, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:15 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	7:00 AM	9:00 PM
Abingdon	7:30 AM	8:30 PM

April 24 (Wednesday)



Sight & Sound Theatre "DANIEL" & Lunch at Bird-in-Hand Strasburg, Pennsylvania



The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God

remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. (L)

Price: \$209.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 11, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

April 27 (Saturday)



National September 11 Museum New York City, New York

Today's day trip is to the **National September 11 Memorial Museum**, which was completed and opened to the public in 2014. The National September 11 Memorial Museum is an educational and historical institution honoring the nearly 3,000 people killed in the terror attacks of September 11, 2001 and serves as the country's principal institution for examining the implications of the events of 9/11, documenting the impact of those events and exploring the continuing significance of September 11, 2001. The Museum's 110,000 square feet of exhibition space is located within the archaeological heart of the World Trade Center site. The story of 9/11 is experienced through multimedia displays, archives, narratives and a collection of monumental and authentic artifacts which allow the viewer to understand what happened on 9/11, how people responded in the aftermath of the attacks, and the history and rebuilding of the World Trade Center. **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to New York City, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$155.00

Price: \$150.00 (Senior Ages 65+)

Price: \$145.00 (Child Ages 7-17)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 14, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:30 AM	10:30 PM
Carney	8:15 AM	9:45 PM
Abingdon	8:45 AM	9:15 PM

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April 27 (Saturday)

**Tea Time at The Front Porch
& Brown's Farm Market
Hallam, Pennsylvania**



Welcome to **The Front Porch Tea Room** located in the quaint town of **Hallam, Pennsylvania**, nestled among the rolling hills of Pennsylvania for a **Tea Luncheon**. Relax and enjoy the warm friendly service, and the beauty and quite charm of the Victorian hill top home built in the center of town. From the homes expansive front porch, surrounded by large old trees and flower gardens, you are invited to step back in time and leave the hustle and bustle of the modern world behind. Don't rush! While sipping a cup of their freshly brewed aromatic tea you can easily image an era when ladies wore fashionable hats, and manners and civility were a way of life. Take time to browse through the rooms filled with antiques, gifts, tea items and handmade crafts. Following your tea luncheon, on our way home, we treat you to a stop at **Brown's Farm Market**, which is nestled among the rolling hills and valleys of Southern York County. At this unique country market, you will find a wide variety of locally grown fruits and vegetables and much, much more, all under one roof. **Note:** Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. **(L)**

Price: \$129.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: March 14, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:45 AM	4:45 PM
Carney	9:30 AM	4:00 PM
Parkton	10:00 AM	3:30 PM

April 30 (Tuesday)



**Tribute to Diana Ross
& The Supremes
"Supreme Reflections"
Wind Creek Casino
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania**

For a special day of entertainment and gaming excitement travel to **Bethlehem, Pennsylvania** to see a matinee performance of **"Supreme Reflections"** a Musical Tribute to Diana Ross & The Supremes at the **Wind Creek Event Center** at the **Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem**. **"Supreme Reflections"** presents classic hits like **"Baby Love," "Stop in the Name of Love," "You Can't Hurry Love," "Love Child"** and the true story of the actual Supremes. You'll love this stylish, fun and informative musical gem! The cast of **"Supreme Reflections"** provides vocals that are so spot on to the original Motown recordings, you'll be astonished that these dynamic performers are not lip-syncing. The show does not just stop with the music . . . the

show features costumes that even Cher would envy! **"Supreme Reflections"** is a full-scale musical comedy revue that delivers a delightful and entertaining new appreciation of these three legendary ladies from Detroit who became and remain one of the most popular female vocal groups in the world! Before the show visit the **Casino** where you will receive a **\$30.00 slot play** and a **\$15.00 food credit** for lunch compliments of the **Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem** upon arrival. Try your luck, enjoy some time gaming, and hopefully experience the thrill of winning! **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Bethlehem, and on the return trip home. (L)**

Price: \$189.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: March 17, 2024



	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:30 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:45 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	7:15 PM

May 3 (Friday)

**National Cathedral Flower Mart
Washington, D.C.**



The **National Cathedral Flower Mart** is Washington, D.C.'s annual outdoor festival for garden enthusiasts and families. The Flower Mart features annuals, perennials, landscape exhibits, Olmsted Woods and Garden Tours. The Flower Mart encircles the **Washington National Cathedral** with its tents and includes more than 50 booths offering gardening items, handbags, jewelry, and much, much more! Flower Mart has something for everyone. Visitors can buy a blue-ribbon array of plants for gardening, as well as a range of gardening tools and implements. In addition, you will find herbs, bonsai, orchids, floral arrangements and cut blooms. Also, there will be live entertainment, games and activities for children and rides on an antique carousel to enjoy. Food vendors will be stationed throughout the grounds offering a wide variety of foods including Asian specialties, pizza, BBQ, Southern cuisine, lobster rolls, baked goods and more for purchase. Each year, Flower Mart honors a different country whose ambassador serves as the honorary chair. The food, culture, arts and crafts of that nation are featured. Funds raised by The Flower Mart support the gardens and grounds of the Washington National Cathedral.

Price: \$90.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: March 20, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	7:15 AM	5:15 PM
Gunther	8:00 AM	4:30 PM

BOOK EARLY!
410-761-3757

May 4-9 (Saturday-Thursday)

Beaufort, Savannah & Charleston South Carolina & Georgia



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach towards *“The Palmetto State,”* **South Carolina**. Our first destination is the **Ava Gardner Museum** located in **Smithfield, North Carolina**. A **self-guided tour** of the museum walks you through the remarkable life, loves, and legacy of one of Hollywood’s legendary actress as told to you by some of her close friends and family. View an extensive collection of Ava Gardner memorabilia that includes costumes, jewelry, movie posters and awards that represent Ava’s 50-year career as a leading Hollywood actress. Also, see a short biographical film of the actress featuring information about her personal and professional life. Before checking into our hotel in **Florence, South Carolina** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we travel south along the coast through South Carolina’s Low Country to the charming town of **Beaufort, South Carolina**, the *“Queen of the Carolina Sea Islands.”* Beaufort is South Carolina’s second oldest city. Upon our arrival, we meet our **driver/guide** and **climb aboard the Sea Island Carriage Company for a 55-minute narrated horse-drawn carriage tour**. Let the clippity-clop of the horses take you back to a simpler time as you **tour Historic Beaufort**. Learn about Antebellum and Victorian architecture, as well as local Hollywood movie sites, including *“The Big Chill,”* *“Forrest Gump,”* *“The Great Santini,”* and *“The Prince of Tides.”* Our accommodations for the next **three nights** are at the **Best Western Plus Sea Island Inn**. The Inn is in the heart of the historic district with amazing views of the Beaufort River and Antebellum Homes. Conveniently located, the Inn is just a short walking distance from attractions, entertainment, casual and gourmet dining, local stores, shops, art galleries, Beaufort’s waterfront park, the downtown marina and 18th-century homes. Tonight, a delicious **buffet dinner** is served at the Inn. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for **Savannah, Georgia**. Upon our arrival, we will visit the **Savannah History Museum**. A **self-guided tour** of the museum walks you through Savannah’s history from 1733 to the present day. Here we will see Forrest Gump’s Bench, historic fashions from bygone days, vehicles that rumbled down the port city’s streets decades ago, and much more! A delicious **lunch** will be served after the tour at **The Pirates’ House**. Savannah’s World-Famous Pirates’ House opened in 1753 as an Inn for seafarers, and quickly became a meeting point for pirates and sailors from the Seven Seas. You will enjoy a bounty of delicious food, drink, and rousing good times in this rustic, historic pirate-themed Inn. Following lunch, we meet our **driver/guide** and **climb aboard the Old Savannah Trolley for a tour of the city**. The trolley tour showcases all the best of Savannah, from moss-draped oaks, stately mansions, beautiful squares, expansive riverfront, and over 270 years of history – from the comfort of your nostalgic trolley seat. Your friendly conductor entertains you with a fascinating and fun mixture of historical facts, humorous stories and trivia. After our tour enjoy some leisure time strolling along the cobblestone-paved **Factors Walk** and **River Street**,

where old cotton warehouses have been converted into trendy shops, taverns and restaurants. Before returning to our Inn in Beaufort, enjoy dinner **on your own** at one of Savannah’s well-known restaurants. **(B, L)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and travel back in time to explore the **Gullah and Geechee Heritage of South Carolina’s Sea Islands**. On this tour we’ll visit several areas of Beaufort County and discover its unique history and culture. The Gullah Geechee people are the descendants of West and Central Africans who were enslaved and brought to the lower Atlantic states to work on the coastal rice, Sea Island cotton and indigo plantations. Because their enslavement was on isolated coastal plantations, sea and barrier islands, the Gullah Geechee people were able to retain many of their indigenous African traditions. The traditions are reflected in their eating habits and culinary practices, arts and crafts, and spiritual traditions. Also, they created a new language, Gullah, a creole language spoken nowhere else in the world. On this 3-hour tour, get ready to soak up some history and take in the sights: Discover Lady’s Island, St. Helena, Hunting Island and more. See the site of one of the country’s first schools for freed slaves – a local treasure and National Historic Landmark. Marvel at the ruins of island churches and learn the stories and songs that are part of their rich history. We conclude our tour with a visit to a **historic plantation house**. Upon returning to the Inn you are free to design the rest of your day and do as you wish! Experience the attractions, entertainment, restaurants, local stores, shops, art galleries, Beaufort’s waterfront park, the downtown marina, and 18th-century homes all conveniently located within walking distance of the Inn. Tonight, enjoy dinner **on your own** at a restaurant conveniently located within walking distance of the Inn. **(B)**

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for **Wadmalaw Island, South Carolina**. Upon our arrival, we will visit the **Charleston Tea Plantation**. The sandy soils, sub-tropical climate and average rainfall of 52 inches per year found on Wadmalaw Island possesses idyllic conditions for the Camellia Sinensis tea plant! That’s where you’ll find Bigelow Tea’s Charleston Tea Plantation, America’s largest working tea garden. This plant is currently used to produce both black and green teas and exists in over 320 varieties on the 127-acre grounds of the Charleston Tea Garden. Enjoy a **tour of the factory**, followed by a **narrated trolley ride through the plantation fields**, and a stop at the state-of-the-art greenhouse. Lastly, visit the Gift Shop, home of a wide variety of tea related gifts. A **box lunch** is included at the **Tea Garden**. Next, we depart for **Charleston, South Carolina** where we meet our **step-on guide** for a **tour of Historic Charleston**. Points of interest on our tour will include the old historic city of Charleston, the famous Battery Waterfront district, and a drive through the Citadel – The Military College of South Carolina. Following our tour, we visit the **Old City Market**. Established in the 1790s, the Old City Market stretches for four city blocks, and is one of the nation’s oldest public markets and the cultural heart of Charleston. Featuring more than 300 vibrant entrepreneurs selling everything from local foods to exceptional regional artisan crafts, there is something to see, do, taste, and take home as a souvenir from the Charleston City Market! Later you are treated to **dinner** at **Clark’s Restaurant** in **Santee, South Carolina** before checking into our hotel in **Florence, South Carolina** for the night.

(B, L, D)

Day 6: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us fond memories of Beaufort's Antebellum and Victorian architecture, the rich and amazing history of Savannah and Charleston's southern hospitality! (B)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 5 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **3 nights at BW Plus Sea Island Inn**
- 5 breakfasts
- 2 lunches (including 1 box lunch)
- 3 dinners
- Guided Tours, including:
 - **Beaufort Horse-drawn Carriage Tour**
 - **Old Savannah Trolley Tour**
 - **Gullah and Geechee Heritage Tour**
 - **Charleston Tea Plantation Trolley Tour**
 - **Charleston, South Carolina**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Ava Gardner Museum**
 - **Savannah History Museum**
 - **Factors Walk & River Street**
 - **Historic Plantation House**
 - **Charleston Tea Plantation**
 - **Old City Market**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Tour Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,299.00 Double/PP \$1,179.00 Triple/PP

\$1,119.00 Quad/PP \$1,689.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: March 21, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	6:00 AM	5:45 PM
Gunther	6:45 AM	5:00 PM

May 4 (Saturday)

**Springfest in O.C.
Ocean City, Maryland**



Come celebrate spring and the upcoming summer season with a trip to the beach and the 3-mile boardwalk of **Ocean City, Maryland** for the annual **Springfest** celebration! Springfest is four days of delicious food, free live entertainment and unique arts and crafts under four huge big top tents located in the Inlet Lot at the south end of Ocean City's famous Boardwalk. Springfest serves up a continuous variety of musical performances on two stages. Indulge your appetite and enjoy a variety of delicious foods, which runs the gamut from famous Eastern Shore delicacies to a diverse assortment of ethnic foods, served up by over 30 food vendors. Springfest artisans will amaze and delight you with traditional and contemporary arts and crafts creations. With sandy beaches and the Atlantic Ocean in the background, don't miss out on a day of great live entertainment,

delicious food and unique arts and crafts all along Ocean City's Boardwalk!

Price: \$105.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 21, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	7:00 AM	7:30 PM
Gunther	7:45 AM	6:45 PM

May 8 (Wednesday)



**Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre
"Ragtime"
Lancaster, Pennsylvania**



Travel to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **"Ragtime"**. **"Ragtime"** is an amazing musical set at the dawn of the 20th century, everything is changing . . . and anything is possible in the volatile melting pot of turn-of-the-century New York. Three distinctly American tales are woven together – that of a stifled upper class wife, a determined Jewish immigrant and a daring young Harlem musician – united by their courage, compassion and belief in the promise of the future. Together, they confront history's timeless contradictions of wealth and poverty, freedom and prejudice, hope and despair . . . and what it means to live in America. Featuring many musical styles, from the ragtime rhythms of Harlem and Tin Pan Alley to the klezmer of the Lower East Side, from cakewalks to gospel, bold brass band marches to delicate waltzes, from up-tempo banjo tunes to period parlor songs and expansive anthems. The music includes marches, and ragtime. A truly unique and powerful portrait of America, **"Ragtime"** is sure to inspire actors and audiences alike! Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. (L)

Price: \$160.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 25, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

May 11 (Saturday)

**Amish Country Tour & Market
and Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Lancaster, Pennsylvania**



Today venture out onto the **"Roads Less Traveled"** through the heart of the **Amish Farmlands and Scenic Byways**. Enjoy picturesque scenery as your motor coach tour meander

across country roads, where time seems to stand still, see pristine Amish farms, one-room schoolhouses, wind wheels, Amish “phone booths,” and Amish farmers working their fields with their horse or mule-drawn plows. We stop at an **Amish farm** and visit an **Amish Quilt & Craft Shop**. Here you will have the opportunity to meet the Amish in person while browsing through a colorful array of exquisite handmade quilts, unique country crafts, and locally made jams and jellies. Following our tour we depart for **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant**, located in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania** for a delicious **smorgasbord lunch**. We conclude our day at the **Bird-in-Hand Farmers Market**. At this unique indoor country market you will find approximately 30 vendors offering a wide variety of fresh foods, homemade goodies, and local crafts. Everything from fruits and vegetables, meats and cheeses, canned goods and preserves, homemade baked goods, bulk foods, specialty teas and coffee, extracts and spices, nuts, dips, fudge, and candy. There are homemade quilts, leather goods, wooden toys, and beautiful silk flower arrangements. Watch as soft pretzels are hand rolled and fudge is made on a large marble slab. **Note:** Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. **(L)**

Price: \$135.00

Price: \$125.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: March 28, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:30 AM	5:30 PM
Carney	7:15 AM	4:45 PM
Parkton	7:45 AM	4:15 PM

May 13-16 (Monday-Thursday)

Majestic Thousand Islands & Castles Plus, the Ottawa Tulip Festival Alexandria Bay, NY & Canada



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to the border between northern New York State and southeastern Ontario, Canada and the majestic **Thousand Islands**. Discover a freshwater paradise with hundreds of miles of picturesque coastline and sparkling lakes, rivers, waterfalls, and magnificent state parks. After checking into **Captain Thomson's Resort** for the next **three nights**, we are treated to a delicious **dinner at Riley's by the River**, a great place to meet and dine with friends in an upbeat casual atmosphere. Captain Thomson's Resort is located in downtown **Alexandria Bay, New York**, directly across from Boldt Castle on Heart Island and it is situated adjacent to the main shipping channel of the St. Lawrence Seaway. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast**, have those **PASSPORTS** ready, as we cross the border into **Canada**. Once across the border we continue onto **Ottawa**, the capital of Canada. Upon our arrival lunch is **on your own** at the **Byward Market**, one of Canada's oldest and largest public markets. Following lunch, we will

meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Ottawa** during their annual **Tulip Festival**. We'll learn about Canada's Capitol city, its culture, its government, and view over 2 million tulips in a stunning floral showcase. Before we say goodbye to Canada, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a restaurant located in **downtown Ottawa**. Following dinner have your **PASSPORTS** ready, and once we re-enter the **U.S.A.**, we travel back to our resort in **Alexandria Bay, New York** for a good night's sleep. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we embark on a **narrated sightseeing cruise of the Thousand Islands**. Relax and enjoy the **2-¼ hour cruise**, which includes a colorful historical tapestry of the river, the islands, and the magnificent homes that you'll view on this special cruise. As you travel along the narrow island passages, surrounded by the natural beauty of the islands, you'll marvel at the majesty, diversity and originality of the island homes. This cruise will include a stop at **Singer Castle on Dark Island**, a turn of the century architectural masterpiece tucked away between the American and Canadian shorelines. Millionaire entrepreneur, Frederick Bourne, President of the Singer Sewing Machine Company built the castle in 1905. Enjoy a **guided tour of the castle** which harkens back to a period of wealth, prosperity, and royalty. Entering the Great Hall, you are reminded of medieval times by suits of armor and antique weaponry. The historical tour allows you to personally experience the natural beauty of the original furnishings, and much more! A **box lunch** is included on our **boat cruise** to Historic **Boldt Castle on Heart Island** where you can enjoy a **self-guided tour** of the castle and its grounds. George C. Boldt, millionaire proprietor of the world-famous Waldorf Astoria Hotel in New York City, set out to build a full-size Rhineland castle in Alexandria Bay, on picturesque Heart Island. This grand structure was to be a display of his love for his wife, Louise. Tragedy struck when Louise died suddenly in 1904. Broken hearted, Boldt halted all construction, and he never returned to the island, leaving behind the structure as a monument of his love. Later we return to Alexandria Bay where you can enjoy the rest of the day exploring **downtown Alexandria Bay** browsing, shopping and enjoying dinner **on your own** at a local restaurant. **(B, L)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us wonderful memories of the Thousand Islands, the natural beauty of pristine waterways with inspirational views, storybook castles, and Ottawa, the beautiful capital city of Canada. **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights at **Captain Thomson's Resort**
- 3 breakfasts
- 1 box lunch
- 2 dinners
- Guided Tour of Ottawa, Canada
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Byward Market**
 - **Ottawa Tulip Festival**
 - **Thousand Islands Sightseeing Cruise**
 - **Singer Castle on Dark Island Boat Cruise**
 - **Boldt Castle on Heart Island**
 - **Alexandria Bay, New York**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities



Price:**\$949.00 Double/PP****\$929.00 Triple/PP****\$919.00 Quad/PP****\$1,129.00 Single****Deposit: \$125.00/PP****Balance Due: March 30, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	6:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:00 PM
Parkton	7:15 AM	5:30 PM

May 16 (Thursday)
**Longwood Gardens Springtime
& Lunch at Buckley's Tavern
Kennett Square, Pennsylvania**


Travel to **Longwood Gardens** in **Kennett Square, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon at one of the premier botanical gardens in the United States. Enjoy acres of lush gardens, woodlands, and meadows in the Brandywine Creek Valley. The **Spring Blooms** event celebrates the spectacular symphony of color of unique to spring and featuring burgeoning gardens of daffodils, tulips, magnolias, azaleas, flowering cherries and more than 240,000 flowering bulbs. Indoors – lilies, delphiniums, hydrangeas and other spring blossoms fill the conservatory with color. Before our visit enjoy a delicious **lunch at Buckley's Tavern**, a neighborhood tavern and restaurant located in the heart of historic **Centreville, Delaware**. The two-hundred-year-old building that now houses Buckley's Tavern was originally built in 1817 as a private residence. Throughout the years the tavern was the site of a blacksmith shop and a tollgate to collect fees from those traveling to and from Wilmington, Delaware. In the 1930's, the house became a popular taproom and ice cream store and in 1951 the proprietor gave the tavern its current name. Relax and enjoy the fellowship of friends old and new while you enjoy your meal! Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Curried Chicken Salad Sandwich, French Dip Sandwich (roasted and shaved beef with provolone and creamy horseradish on a sub roll, with au jus), or Quiche Lorraine.** (L)

Price: \$160.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: April 2, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	7:15 PM
Abingdon	10:15 AM	6:45 PM

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May 18 (Saturday)
**Circle Around Manhattan Island Cruise
& Boar's Head Box Lunch, Included
New York City, New York**

Today's day trip to **New York City** features **3 rivers, 7 major bridges, 5 boroughs, over 25 world renowned landmarks** and, of course, a magnificent close-up view of the Statue of Liberty. We embark on a **2-½ hour Circle Line Around Manhattan Island Cruise** aboard **Circle Line Sightseeing Cruises**. Experience and explore Manhattan and the outer boroughs of the city from the waters of New York harbor. You'll enjoy magnificent views of the world's premier skyline! A **box lunch** is included today. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Turkey Wrap, Ham Wrap, Roast Beef Wrap or Garden Salad.** **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to New York City, and on the return trip home.** (BL)

Price: \$185.00**Price: \$175.00 (Child Ages 5-12)****Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: April 4, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:45 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	7:30 AM	9:00 PM
Abingdon	8:00 AM	8:30 PM

May 20-23 (Monday-Thursday)
**Lifestyles of the Rich & Famous
Mansions, Villages & Seacoast
Long Island, New York**


Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to "**New York's Gold Coast,**" **Long Island, New York.** Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, our first destination is **Old Westbury Gardens & Phipps Estate** in **Westbury, New York.** Enjoy a **guided tour of the magnificent Charles II-style mansion** furnished with fine English antiques and decorative arts, and its formal gardens. We continue onto **Riverhead, New York,** located on the tip of Long Island's famed North Fork and situated along the picturesque Peconic River. After checking into the **Hyatt Place**, our waterfront property, for the next **three nights**, we are treated to a delicious **dinner at Jerry & The Mermaid**, located adjacent to the Hyatt Place. (B, D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of the neighborhoods and villages on Long Island's South Fork**, including the Hamptons' Gold Coast, known as the summer playground of the rich and famous. Famous residents include Jerry Seinfeld, Madonna, Calvin Klein, the Hiltons, Steven Spielberg, Kelly Ripa, Paul McCartney and more! Enjoy your "**Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous**" tour

as you view the homes, (from a distance), neighborhoods and towns where the rich and famous come to play and relax! Include is a **photo-stop** at **Coopers Beach**, listed as one of the top 10 beaches in the United States and some free time to explore the **Village of Southampton**, the oldest English settlement in the state of New York, named after the British Earl of Southampton. Next, we make the short drive to the **Village of Montauk** where you will have time to leisurely explore the shops and restaurants. Lunch *on your own*. Following lunch, we will stop at **Montauk Point State Park**, an 862-acre state park located at the eastern tip of Long Island. We'll visit the **Montauk Lighthouse**, for a *self-guided tour*. Commissioned by President George Washington in 1792, the Montauk Lighthouse was the first lighthouse to be built in New York, and today is the fourth-oldest working lighthouse in the nation. Feeling adventurous? Climb the 137 steps to the top of the tower and explore the exhibits in the "keeper's house" museum. After a day of sightseeing on Long Island, we return to our hotel where you will have time to relax and freshen up before going out for tonight's **dinner** at the **Long Island Aquarium** located just steps from the hotel. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for another day of **Long Island sightseeing**. We begin with a **tour of Sag Harbor**. Our guide will bring to life the rich history of the area by sharing stories about this important maritime and whaling village established in 1683. Next, we will tour the **Old Whaler's Church** where the wives of sea captains went to pray for their safe return. Following lunch *on your own* in the **Village of Sag Harbor**, we will travel from **Long Island's South Fork** to the **North Fork** by way of **2 short ferry rides**. Upon our arrival, enjoy a **riding tour of Long Island's North Fork**. View the rural scenery on our drive through the agricultural region, where vineyards and farm stands flourish. Next, we are treated to a **wine tasting** at **Osprey's Dominion Winery**, followed by a stop at **North Fork Chocolate Company** for hand-made artisanal chocolate, gourmet desserts, home-made ice cream and Long Island products. Be sure to check out and enjoy mouthwatering **samples from the chocolate tasting bar**. Later, after returning to the mainland by **ferry**, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a restaurant that serves up great local flavors. **(B, D)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for **Centerport, New York**, and the summer home of William K. Vanderbilt II. Called "**Eagle's Nest**" the estate and spectacular 24-room Spanish-Revival mansion, which was built in stages from 1910 to 1936, are listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Enjoy a stroll around the grounds, visit the museum, and Vanderbilt's mansion – a time capsule of the privileged life from the Jazz Age through the Second World War. Willie K., as he was known, was the great-grandson of Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt, who amassed one of America's largest fortunes with railroads and shipping enterprises. Following our tour, we depart for home with a new appreciation of Long Island, and many rich memories of our Gold Coast vacation! **(B)**

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Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights at **Hyatt Place**
- 3 breakfasts
- 3 dinners
- Guided Tours, including:
 - **Hamptons' Gold Coast**
 - **Sag Harbor, New York**
 - **Long Island's North Fork**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Old Westbury Gardens & Phipps Estate**
 - **Photo-stop at Coopers Beach**
 - **The Village of Southampton**
 - **The Village of Montauk**
 - **Montauk Point State Park**
 - **Montauk Lighthouse**
 - **Old Whaler's Church**
 - **The Village of Sag Harbor**
 - **North & South Shelter Island Ferry Rides**
 - **Osprey's Dominion**
 - **North Fork Chocolate Company**
 - **Vanderbilt Mansion**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guides Gratuities

Price:

\$1,039.00 Double/PP \$979.00 Triple/PP
\$949.00 Quad/PP \$1,269.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: April 6, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:45 AM	6:45 PM
Carney	7:30 AM	6:00 PM
Abingdon	8:00 AM	5:30 PM

May 22 (Wednesday)

Blue Angels Demonstration Cruise & Dinner at Seafood Palace Buffet Annapolis, Maryland



Come join **Gunther Tours** today in a celebration of the United States Naval Academy Graduation Commencement Week on board the "**Harbor Queen**" for a special **Blue Angels Demonstration Cruise**. Our Blue Angels Demonstration Cruise will take you out on the **Annapolis Harbor** for the best seats in town to enjoy the Blue Angels Demonstration Cruise. There is no better way to see these elite Navy pilots perform! The Blue Angels is the United States Navy's flight demonstration squadron. The Blue Angels team was formed in 1946, making it the second oldest formal flying aerobatic team in the world, after the French Patrouille de France formed in 1931. The Blue Angels' six demonstration pilots fly the F/A-18 Hornet in more than 70 shows at 34 locations throughout the United States each year, where they still employ many of the practices and techniques used in the original 1946 aerial displays. After our cruise enjoy a **buffet dinner** at the **Seafood Palace Buffet**. Enjoy dining

on a delicious and wide variety of American, Japanese and Oriental food, all served up in a single buffet. Do not miss out on this opportunity to enjoy a spectacular and memorable Blue Angels Demonstration Cruise on the water at Annapolis Harbor! **Note: In the event of inclement weather and the Blue Angels Demonstration Cruise is cancelled, the “Harbor Queen” will still provide a narrated sightseeing cruise and there will be a partial refund! (D)**

Price: \$205.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: April 8, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	10:45 AM	6:45 PM
Gunther	11:30 AM	6:00 PM

May 23 (Thursday)



Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre
“The Full Monty”
Lancaster, Pennsylvania



Travel to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **“The Full Monty”**. A group of six unemployed Buffalo, New York steelworkers see how much their wives’ enthusiastically enjoy a touring company of Chippendales male dancers during “Girls Night Out,” and so being low on both cash and prospects they devise a novel way to accumulate some cash. They decide they’ll become strippers themselves presenting a strip act at a local club. One of them, Jerry, declares that their show will be better than the Chippendales dancers because they’ll go “The Full Monty” – strip all the way. As they prepare for the show, working through their fears, self-consciousness, and anxieties, they overcome their inner demons and find strength in their camaraderie. **“The Full Monty”** is filled with great songs and a clever story line that is frisky yet heartwarming. You’ll want to bring your mother-in-law! **Note: This production contains adult content for mature audiences but is not unduly risqué.** Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. (L)

Price: \$160.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: April 9, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

\$25.00 per person service fee for any canceled tour. If you transfer or hold funds on account, the service charge is waived one time!

May 25 (Saturday)

C & D Canal Boat Cruise & Lunch at Schaefer’s Canal House
Chesapeake City, Maryland



Welcome to Historic **Chesapeake City, Maryland**, the “Hidden Treasure of the Chesapeake” in Cecil County. Upon our arrival, we will enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch** at **Schaefer’s Canal House**. Steeped with local history and surrounded by many breath-taking views of the C & D Canal, Schaefer’s Canal House is more than just a restaurant and marina, but a place where people come to share stories, be with friends and family, and to create memories. Following lunch, we climb aboard the **“M/V Summer Breeze”** for a **2-hour scenic cruise on the C & D Canal**. Relax and experience the pleasures of traveling on the water and enjoying a unique view of the Upper Chesapeake Bay, as the **“M/V Summer Breeze”** cruises along the C & D Canal. Have your cameras and binoculars ready for sightings of commercial vessels ranging from Cargo and Container ships, tugs, chemical and oil barges, U.S. Navy ships, research vessels, and mega yachts. Also, view the native wildlife of the Upper Bay including Bald Eagles, Blue Herons, and Ospreys. The **“M/V Summer Breeze”** is equipped with an inside salon with paneled windows for bad weather, comfortable custom cushions for seats, bench/booth style seating for 49 passengers, onboard restroom, cash bar, and is handicapped accessible. (L)

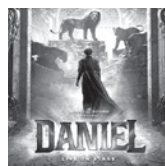
Price: \$155.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: April 11, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Abingdon	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

May 30 (Thursday)



Sight & Sound Theatre
“DANIEL”
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Strasburg, Pennsylvania



The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible’s most epic sagas – **“DANIEL”**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible’s most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage pro-

duction on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania. (L)

Price: \$209.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: April 16, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

June 1 (Saturday)



The Kennedy Center "Dixie's Tupperware Party" & Lunch at Gadsby's Washington, D.C.



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.**, and spend an unforgettably hilarious afternoon with **Dixie Longate** at **The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts**. Dixie is the drag persona of American actor, writer, comedian, and drag performer Kris Andersson, who since 2007 has been performing a solo act called **"Dixie's Tupperware Party"** in five countries while engaging with her audience to sell actual Tupperware products. It's a Tupperware party, but one unlike any you have ever been to before that manages to slip in a message amid the uproarious Tupperware demonstrations and audience participation. Dixie is a fast-talking, gum-chewing, ginger-haired Alabama gal who is bringing your grandma's Tupperware party into the 21st century. Filled with outrageously funny tales, heartfelt accounts, audience participation, and a little bit of empowerment and homespun wisdom, **"Dixie's Tupperware Party"** leaves your heart a little bigger and your food a little fresher. **Note: This production contains adult content for mature audiences. "Dixie's Tupperware Party" is recommended for ages 18 and older.** Before the show enjoy a delicious **luncheon** at **Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant** in **Old Town Alexandria, Virginia**. A U.S. National Historic Landmark, Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant has been offering fine dining since 1770. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Monte Cristo Virginia (puff pastry stuffed with Smithfield ham, smoked turkey and swiss cheese with a fresh berry sauce)**, **Chicken Salad**, **Ale Battered Codfish** or **Butternut Squash Ravioli**. (L)

Price: \$190.00

Deposit: \$55.00/PP

Balance Due: April 18, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	9:00 AM	7:00 PM
Gunther	9:45 AM	6:15 PM

June 2-7 (Sunday-Friday)

**FAVORITE
PICK!**

The Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island Plus, Henry Ford & Warther Museum Mackinac Island, Michigan

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach towards the Victorian-style island of **Mackinac Island, Michigan**. A picturesque island that evokes a bygone era, Mackinac Island is often called the **"Bermuda of the North."** Before checking into our hotel in **Allen Park, Michigan** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at **The Spaghetti Warehouse Restaurant** in **Toledo, Ohio**. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Indian River, Michigan**. Upon our arrival, we visit **The National Shrine of Cross in the Woods**; one of Michigan's best known and most visited shrines. Here we will view the monumental sculpture of the crucified Christ titled **"The Man on the Cross"** created by the renowned Michigan sculptor Marshall Fredericks. The crucifix stands taller than the surrounding trees and is a moving sight to behold! Following our visit, we depart for **Mackinaw City, Michigan** and the **City Dock**, where we will travel by **ferry** to the **"Magical Land"** of **Mackinac Island, Michigan**. A **horse-drawn carriage** will be waiting at the dock to transport you to the world-famous **Grand Hotel**, your luxurious accommodations for the next **two nights**. Experience fine dining and gracious hospitality in the hotels beautifully appointed main dining room this evening when you order **dinner, off the menu**. **At the Grand Hotel, there is a dress code after 6:00 PM. Gentlemen are required to wear a jacket and tie, and the ladies are required to wear a dress, skirt, or pants suit.** (B, D)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **driver/guide** and **climb aboard a horse-drawn carriage for a tour of the lovely Victorian-style island** that has defied time. Following your horse-drawn carriage ride enjoy some leisure time strolling through the cottage-filled village dotted with flowers, and explore the shops along **Huron Street**, or sit and relax in one of the famous **"Rockers on the Longest Porch in the Country."** Tonight, a delicious **dinner, off the menu** awaits you in the main dining room. **At the Grand Hotel, there is a dress code after 6:00 PM. Gentlemen are required to wear a jacket and tie, and the ladies are required to wear a dress, skirt, or pants suit.** (B, D)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we are transported by **horse-drawn carriage** down to the **City Dock**, where we will travel by **ferry** back to the **Michigan mainland**. Once on the mainland settle back, relax and enjoy the scenery on our drive to the unique town of **Frankenmuth, Michigan**, an enchanting town with a rich Bavarian influence and gingerbread-style architecture. Upon our arrival, you will have time to enjoy lunch **on your own** before we climb aboard the **Bavarian Belle Riverboat**, an authentic paddle wheel riverboat, for a **1-hour historical narrated sightseeing cruise**. Following our cruise, we'll visit the world's largest Christmas store, **Bronner's Christmas Wonderland**. Our accommodations for the night are at the **Drury Inn & Suites**, a **perennial favorite** of **Gunther Tours** travelers. Each evening from 5:30 to 7:00 pm, the Drury Inn & Suites hosts a **Manger's Reception with free hot food & cold beverages for guests, including beer, wine and mixed drinks.** (B, MR)

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for the **Henry Ford Museum**, one of America's greatest history attractions. Through themed collections and interactive exhibits, Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation pays homage to some of our nation's most important and prolific thinkers and doers. Go behind-the-scenes and learn how the stories about these remarkable individuals, places, events, and innovations have shaped America. Step inside the bus where Rosa Parks took a stand by taking a seat. Play pilot as you explore flight innovations, starting with the Wright brothers' achievements, or make yourself at home inside Buckminster Fuller's circular Dymaxion House. From race cars to freedom rides, modular houses to microprocessors, the wide-ranging exhibits of the Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation bring you face to face with real things that have the power to inspire, inform and engage you in ways no image or description can do on its own. Next, we travel to **Sugarcreek, Ohio** for a delicious **Amish Country buffet dinner** at **Dutch Valley Restaurant**, "**The Area's Amish Kitchen Cooking Destination**." Following dinner, we depart for **New Philadelphia, Ohio** where we spend a restful night in **Ohio's Amish Country** at our hotel. **(B, D)**

Day 6: After **breakfast** we depart for a **perennial favorite** of **Gunther Tours** travelers, the **Warther Museum** for a **private tour**. Earnest "Mooney" Warther is best known for his ivory and ebony carvings of steam engines. You will see carvings created out of wood, ivory and pearl ranging from entire trains to a hand carved steel mill. You will be amazed by the intricate detail and exceptional craftsmanship required to create this unique collection of carved masterpieces! Following our tour, we depart for home with a rich collection of memories that include a deeper appreciation for the grandeur and romance of the bygone Victorian era; a new-found respect for American German and Bavarian heritage; a great admiration and respect for the genius of American inventors; and the discovery of the unique artistry and craftsmanship of Earnest Warther! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- **Lorrie Erdman - Tour Manager**
- 5 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **2 nights at The Grand Hotel**
- 5 breakfasts
- 1 Manager's Reception w/ hot food & cold drinks
- 4 dinners
- Guided Tour, including:
 - **Mackinac Island Horse-drawn Carriage Tour**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **The National Shrine of Cross in the Woods**
 - **Shepler's Ferry to Mackinac Island**
 - **Bavarian Belle Riverboat Cruise**
 - **Bronner's Christmas Wonderland**
 - **Henry Ford Museum**
 - **Warther Museum**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Tour Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,629.00 Double/PP \$1,509.00 Triple/PP
\$1,449.00 Quad/PP \$2,109.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: April 19, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	6:00 PM

June 6 (Thursday)

Hershey Gardens & Butterflies & Lunch at Fenicci's of Hershey Hershey, Pennsylvania



Called the "**Sweetest Place on Earth**," **Hershey, Pennsylvania** is a wonderful place to celebrate the colors of Spring. We begin our day with a visit to **Hershey Gardens**, created by Milton S. Hershey in 1937. Upon our arrival enjoy a **self-guided walking tour** of these magnificent gardens overlooking the town of Hershey. What started out, as a simple request by Milton Hershey to "Create a nice Garden of Roses" more than 80 years ago, has now grown from the original small rose garden into a 23-acre thriving botanical garden and arboretum. Hershey Gardens boast meticulous maintained theme gardens that feature a breathtaking assortment of flowers and shrubs, a stately collection of rare and signature trees, and a delightful **Butterfly House**. Spring is on full display with the peak bloom of the historic **Hershey Rose Garden**. More than 5,600 roses represent 275 different varieties and a rainbow of 12,000 colorful annuals, representing more than 200 plant species will be in bloom. Some of the theme gardens include an herb garden, a rock garden, ornamental grasses, a Japanese garden, Mrs. Hershey's rose garden and a seasonal display garden. At the Butterfly House you can walk among more than 300 butterflies representing dozens of rare butterflies from South and Central America, Africa and Asia in a tropical setting that features colorful plants and a soothing water feature. If you stand still butterflies may choose to land on you! Next, a delicious **lunch** is included today at **Fenicci's of Hershey**, serving up classic Italian fare since 1935! Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Fettuccini Alfredo**, **Spaghetti Meatballs**, **Chicken Parmigiana** or **Tortellini Blush**. **(L)**

Price: \$135.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: April 23, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:30 AM	4:30 PM
Carney	8:15 AM	3:45 PM
Parkton	8:45 AM	3:15 PM

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June 8 (Saturday)

**Smith Island Cruise &
Family Style Lunch at Bayside Inn
Featuring Smith Island Cake for Dessert
Crisfield, Maryland**



Come aboard the “*Chelsea Lane Tyler*” for a delightful cruise across the Tangier Sound to **Smith Island**, and discover the tranquil lifestyle found in living on this Island in the Chesapeake Bay. See for yourself the rugged beauty and simply charm of its three villages. Be sure to bring your binoculars. As the boat makes the **12-mile trip out to Smith Island**, see the native wildlife and view some of the most beautiful scenery the Chesapeake Bay and the Tangier Sound have to offer. Upon our arrival, we will enjoy a delicious **family style lunch** at the **Bayside Inn Restaurant** which includes the Island’s signature cake for dessert, **Smith Island Cake**. After lunch enjoy a leisurely walk around the Island, or if you prefer to rent a golf cart made for two (\$15.00 for 30 minutes or \$25.00 for 60-minutes; no reservations; first come/first pay basis). As you explore the Island’s many narrow streets, enjoy friendly conversation with the Islanders and learn more about the place they simply call, “Home”. You can browse at the general store, explore the Smith Island Center (*ticket is not included*) where you can discover more about the way of life in this extraordinary community, or simply stop by a gift shop and pick up something to remember your trip before we cruise back to the mainland. **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Crisfield, and on the return trip home. (L)**

Price: \$190.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: April 25, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	7:45 AM	9:45 PM
Gunther	8:30 AM	9:00 PM

June 9-13 (Sunday-Thursday)

**Cape Cod & Nantucket Island
Plus, Provincetown & Hyannis
Cape Cod, Massachusetts**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to the sunny shores, spectacular beaches, and breathtaking sunsets of **Cape Cod, Massachusetts**. After checking into the **Blue Water Resort** for the next **four nights**, we conclude our travel day with a delicious **dinner** in the **Pavilion at the Blue Water Resort**. The Blue Water Resort is an **oceanfront resort hotel** located only steps from the sandy beaches and your own private ocean beach on the Nantucket Sound. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for **Hyannis, Massachusetts** where we will travel by **ferry** to

the island of Nantucket. Upon our arrival, you may choose to spend some leisure time strolling along the waterfront, or you can browse the shops along the cobblestone Main Street. This afternoon we enjoy a **narrated driving tour of Nantucket**, (by school bus), that will take you past beautiful cottages, cranberry bogs, rolling farmland, quiet villages, beaches, lighthouses, and pounding surf. Following our tour, we re-board the **ferry and cruise back to the Cape Cod mainland**. After returning to the mainland, we visit **Main Street** in downtown Hyannis, an interesting and eclectic all-American Main Street that is a wonderful place to visit to shop, dine and be entertained. With specialty shops, boutiques, galleries, restaurants and fun attractions, there is something for everyone on Main Street. Enjoy dinner **on your own** at one of over twenty restaurants; choose from fast food restaurants to sit down dining establishments. **(B)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour that takes us from Hyannis to “Land’s End” Provincetown**, which is located at the tip of the Cape. As we travel the length of the Cape you will hear about the Pilgrim landing in 1620 before reaching Plymouth, and the visionary establishment of the Cape Cod National Seashore by John F. Kennedy’s administration. We will stop at the **Salt Pond Visitors Center**. View a **film on the geological formation of Cape Cod “The Sands of Time,”** explore exhibits on the Cape’s natural and cultural history, shop in the gift store and enjoy beautiful views across Salt Pond. Next, we climb inside an enclosed, **4-wheel drive vehicle** for a fun and informative **driving tour across the sand dunes of the National Seashore Park**. Learn about the history of life saving stations, see dune shacks where artists live during the summer months and enjoy the endless mountains of sand! In the afternoon, you will have some leisure time to enjoy the lively street scene in this diverse community, with its unique and eclectic gift shops, boutiques, galleries and restaurants. Following lunch **on your own** we join the **Dolphin Fleet** for our **narrated whale watching cruise** as we head for the **Stellwagen feeding bank** in search of these remarkable marine mammals. Witness the power, energy and majesty of humpback and fin whales as they play and jump in the food-rich environment. Before returning to South Yarmouth for a good night’s rest, enjoy some additional free time in Provincetown for browsing, shopping and dinner **on your own**. **(B)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Hyannis**. Our tour includes a **photo-stop** at the **John F. Kennedy Memorial** overlooking Lewis Bay, a drive past the Kennedy Family Compound (limited views) and St. Francis Xavier Church, where the Kennedy Family worships, and more. Following our tour, we return to the Blue Water Resort where you’ll find a spectacular beach, soft Cape Cod ocean breezes, and a picture-perfect view right outside your hotel door! A heated outdoor pool lies just steps from the Nantucket Sound and a row of lounge chairs offer rest and relaxation while overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. Bring your bathing suit and take advantage of the beautiful heated indoor/outdoor pools or swim at our private ocean beach. To wrap up our stay at the Blue Water Resort, tonight we experience the gracious hospitality of our resort staff when they host a delicious **dinner** in **Caper’s Restaurant at the Blue Water Resort** for your enjoyment! **(B, D)**

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us fond memories of Cape Cod. The Cape’s rich connection to New England’s unique nautical history and industry, the diverse com-

munities found on mainland and offshore, the amazing coastal scenery and beaches, and the adventure and charm experienced on the island of Nantucket combine to make this Cape Cod getaway unforgettable! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights at **Blue Water Resort**
- 4 breakfasts
- 2 dinners
- Guided Tours of Massachusetts, including:
 - **Nantucket Island**
 - **Cape Cod to Provincetown**
 - **Hyannis**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Hy-Line Ferry to Nantucket Island**
 - **Hyannis, Massachusetts**
 - **Salt Pond Visitors Center**
 - **National Seashore Park Sand Dunes Tour**
 - **Provincetown, Massachusetts**
 - **Dolphin Fleet Whale Watching Cruise**
 - **Photo-stop at John F. Kennedy Memorial**
- An Afternoon at the Blue Water Resort
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,399.00 Double/PP \$1,269.00 Triple/PP

\$1,199.00 Quad/PP \$1,839.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: April 26, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:00 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:15 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	5:45 PM

June 15 (Saturday)

BINGO Lunch Cruise **On the Dorothy-Megan Riverboat** **Hurlock, Maryland**



Come aboard the “*Dorothy-Megan*,” a working replica of an authentic paddlewheel riverboat, for a special **BINGO Lunch Cruise**. Pull up your seat, take out your **BINGO** accessories, make yourself comfortable and get ready for an exciting afternoon of **BINGO** play and much more! **Win prizes!** There will be plenty of fun for everyone while you play 3 cards per **BINGO** game! Before the hour-long **BINGO** bonanza begins, relax and enjoy the fellowship of friends old and new while cruising along the Choptank River enjoying a delicious **crab cake & fried chicken combo platter lunch**. Your meal will include potato of the day, green vegetable, dessert, and non-alcoholic beverage. **Good Luck! (L)**

Price: \$145.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: May 2, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	9:00 AM	5:00 PM
Gunther	9:45 AM	4:15 PM

June 16-19 (Sunday-Wednesday)

Niagara Falls & **Niagara-on-the-Lake** **Ontario, Canada**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to amazing **Niagara Falls, Ontario** where the spectacle and power of Mother Nature is on full display with views of **Niagara Falls**. Following lunch *on your own*, we depart for the **Canadian** and **U.S.A. border**, so have your **PASS-PORTS** ready! Once across the border it’s a short ride to our hotel, the **Country Inn & Suites**, our home for the next **three nights**. Located on the Canadian side of the falls, our hotel provides convenient walking access to the falls, (approximately 4 blocks, a 10-minute walk), with its awe-inspiring views, many fantastic attractions, and plenty of shopping! Tonight, we will enjoy a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Niagara Falls** using your **Niagara Parks Adventure Pass**. Your deluxe passport includes admission to the **Hornblower Niagara River Cruise**, (boat ride to the base of the American Falls and then on to the basin of the magnificent Canadian Horseshoe Falls); **White Water Board Walk**, (stroll alongside and marvel at the relentless power and beauty of nature); and the **Butterfly Conservatory**, (a year round tropical paradise where butterflies are everywhere, and if you stand perfectly still butterflies are likely to land on you). Tonight, dinner is *on your own*. **(B)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for another day of **Canada sightseeing**. We begin with a visit to the 1800’s Victorian seaside village of **Niagara-on-the-Lake**. Enjoy some leisure time exploring the first capital of Ontario, and browse its many specialty shops and restaurants. Lunch is *on your own*. The next stop of the day will be a visit to **Chocolate FX** for a **guided tour** explaining the chocolate making process. From a production viewing window watch chocolates being carefully crafted using artisan chocolate panning and molding techniques, and later enjoy delicious **samples from the chocolate tasting bar**. Don’t forget to visit the large retail store where you’ll find hundreds of sweet treats whether you’re looking for a gift basket, coated nuts or fruits, a cream-filled favorite, or just browsing to get ideas for the decadent chocolate lover in you! Our final stop of the day will be at **Reif Estate Winery**, where we will enjoy a **tasting of selected Reif Estate wines**. Before returning to the hotel, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(B, D)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for the **Canadian** and **U.S.A. border**, so have your **PASSPORTS** ready! Once back in the **U.S.A.** we will make a stop at a **Duty-Free Store** where you will have time for some last-minute souvenir shopping. Next,

we travel home taking with us plenty of fond memories of a spectacular Canadian get-away tour! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights at **Country Inn & Suites**
- 3 breakfasts
- 2 dinners
- Niagara Parks Adventure Pass, including:
 - **Hornblower Niagara River Cruise**
 - **White Water Board Walk**
 - **Butterfly Conservatory**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Niagara-on-the-Lake**
 - **Chocolate FX & Sample Tasting**
 - **Reif Estate Winery Tasting**
 - **Visit a Duty-Free Store**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

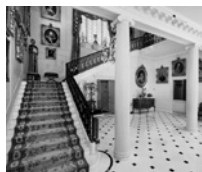
Price:

\$929.00 Double/PP \$849.00 Triple/PP
\$809.00 Quad/PP \$1,189.00 Single
\$589.00 (Child Ages 5-12 with 2 paying adults)
Deposit: \$125.00/PP
Balance Due: May 3, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:15 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:30 PM
Parkton	7:15 AM	6:00 PM

June 18 (Tuesday)

**Hillwood Estate,
Museum & Gardens
& Lunch at Merriweather Café
Washington, D.C.**



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.** for lunch and a tour of **Hillwood Estate, Museum & Gardens**, one of our country's premier art collector's museums. Upon our arrival at the estate located in northwest Washington, D.C., you will enjoy a **docent-guided tour** of the tranquil landscaped gardens which are part of the twenty-five acres estate grounds. A delicious **lunch** is included at **Merriweather Café** following the garden tour. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your sandwich choices are **Coronation Chicken Salad Sandwich, Quiche or Greek Salad with Marinated Chicken**. After lunch, we enjoy a **guided tour of the house museum**. Hillwood is the legacy of Postum Cereal Company heiress Marjorie Merriweather Post, (1887-1973), and features her internationally renowned personal collection of fine and decorative arts. The museum includes the most comprehensive collections of 18th and 19th century Russian imperial art outside of Russia, focusing heavily on the House of Romanov, including Faberge eggs, as well as one of the world's most important collections of 18th century French decorative

arts. The splendor of Hillwood reflects the beauty, elegance, and graciousness Marjorie Merriweather Post valued in her life, and which she wished to share for all to be inspired by and enjoy. To provide you with the best possible tour experience we will view a **15-minute introductory film on Hillwood** on board our deluxe motor coach en route to Hillwood. Later, enjoy a leisurely stroll through the beautiful gardens **on your own** and visit the gift shop before departing for home. **(L)**

Price: \$145.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: May 5, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	7:45 AM	5:45 PM
Gunther	8:30 AM	5:00 PM

June 19 (Wednesday)

**The Painted Ladies of Cape May
& Lunch at The Lobster House
Cape May, New Jersey**



Today we escape to the charming seaside resort town of **Cape May, New Jersey**. This historic Victorian seaside gem is America's original seaside resort and one of the most beautiful spots in the country. With nearly 600 preserved Victorian buildings Cape May is noted for possessing one of the country's largest collections of 19th century framed buildings, and earning the entire city a National Historic District designation. The Victorian houses that line the city's streets are popularly known as **"Painted Ladies"** because of their elaborate and brightly painted gingerbread trim. These Victorian gems present a beautifully harmonious appearance, despite each homes unique detailing. Upon our arrival, we will first enjoy a delicious **lunch** served at **The Lobster House Restaurant**. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Lobster Salad Sandwich, Crab Cake Sandwich or Charbroiled Chicken Sandwich**. Following lunch, we hop aboard the **Cape May Trolley** for a **narrated guided tour around Cape May Historic District** showcasing the lovely and famous **"Painted Ladies"**. Finally, we conclude our day in the Heart of Cape May with some free time to browse along the promenade of shops at the **Washington Street Mall**. **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Cape May, and on the return trip home. (L)**

Price: \$189.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: May 6, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:30 AM	9:30 PM
Carney	8:15 AM	8:45 PM
Abingdon	8:45 AM	8:15 PM

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June 20 (Thursday)

**Suicide Bridge Crab Feast
& Amish Farmers Market
& Harrington Casino
Maryland & Delaware**



We begin our adventure in **Annapolis, Maryland** at the **Amish Farmers Market** run by Amish and Mennonite families from Lancaster, Pennsylvania. The markets goods range from delicious foods to organic produce, as well as desserts and snacks to handmade quilts and crafts. Next, we travel to **Hurlock, Maryland** and the **Suicide Bridge Restaurant**. Relax in the waterside atmosphere while dining on hot and spicy crabs, cool drinks, and the fellowship of friends old and new. The **2-hour all-u-can-eat crab feast** will consist of all the steamed crabs “u” can eat, Maryland crab soup, fried chicken, clam strips, corn-on-the-cob, coleslaw, dessert, iced tea, soda, coffee and draft beer. Following our crab feast, settle back for a relaxing ride to **Harrington, Delaware** for an enjoyable **4-hour visit at Harrington Casino**. Upon our arrival, you will receive a **slot play (to be determined & subject to change)** compliments of **Harrington Casino**. Later we return home after enjoying a wonderful day filled with great food, fun, and experiencing the thrill of winning at one of the myriad of gaming choices at the casino. **Note:** Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. (CF)

Price: \$165.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: May 7, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:15 AM	9:15 PM
Gunther	9:00 AM	8:30 PM

June 22 (Saturday)

NEW!

**??? Girlfriend's Mystery Ride ???
Anywhere, U.S.A.**

Are you in for a little adventure? Guess where you are going? A **mystery destination** (Out of State) has been selected for you which guarantees a good time with your **Best Friend!** (D)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- Dinner
- Entertainment

Price: \$165.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: May 9, 2024

**Girlfriend's
Night Out!**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	3:00 PM	1:00 AM
Carney	3:45 PM	12:15 AM
Abingdon	4:15 PM	11:45 PM

June 24-28 (Monday-Friday)

**Railroad Dining & Coastal Cruising
Featuring 2 Train & 3 Boat Rides!
Coastal New England**



*Return to the bygone era when travel meant leisurely **train journeys** and **scenic cruising**. Explore **Coastal New England** in elegant railroad style, enjoying **2 delicious meals as you travel by train!** Your coastal exploration includes a **river cruise**, a **harbor cruise** and a **cruise through the Cape Cod Canal** offering you a unique and beautiful perspective of New England!*

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Settle back, relax and enjoy a leisurely drive to the **Southern Seacoast of Connecticut** for the beginning of a great get-away! Upon our arrival in **Mystic Connecticut**, enjoy some leisure time at **Olde Mistick Village**, a recreated picturesque 18th-century New England town with small independent shops, boutiques, restaurants and much more! Later we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant after checking into the **Hampton Inn & Suites** for the next **two nights**. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for a day of **sightseeing in the Connecticut River Valley**. We begin at the **Connecticut River Museum**, located on the docks of the Connecticut River, in the charming seaport village of **Essex, Connecticut**. The Museum was established in 1974 as a small, all-volunteer organization dedicated to the dream of establishing a museum that would preserve the history of the Connecticut River Valley and its people. Discover the region's rich heritage and natural beauty through the museum's impressive collection of paintings, manuscripts, books, art, and artifacts. Later, we climb aboard the twin hulled, catamaran **River Quest** for a **sightseeing cruise**. Gliding along on the cool, peaceful waters of the Connecticut River experience the natural beauty of the Connecticut River Valley while viewing the local wildlife and landmarks. Don't forget to visit the museum's gift shop and pick up a unique souvenir to remember the day following our cruise. Next, we climb aboard the **Essex Clipper** for a **2-½ hour train excursion**. Enjoy a **4-course hot luncheon in a restored Pullman Dining Car** while riding through the picturesque countryside of the lower Connecticut River Valley. After our train ride, you will have time to leisurely explore the **Village of Essex** unique shops, galleries, and view beautifully restored sea captain homes. After returning to our hotel enjoy dinner **on your own** at a restaurant conveniently located within walking distance of the hotel. (B, L)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for **Newport, Rhode Island**. Upon our arrival, we meet our **step-on guide** and depart for a **tour of Newport's two famous scenic routes**. First, we will visit **Bellevue Avenue** which is lined with opulent “summer cottages,” and then we travel along **Ten Mile Ocean Drive**

where we will view more stunning estates and enjoy spectacular views of the ocean! Following our riding tour, we'll visit **The Breakers Mansion**, for a *self-guided audio tour*. The grandest mansion in all of Newport, the Breakers is a symbol of Cornelius Vanderbilt's family's social and financial preeminence in turn of the century America. Next, you will have some leisure time to explore **Brick Market Place**, an open-air market, and browse its many specialty shops, galleries and boutiques along the waterfront. We conclude our day of touring in Newport with a **narrated cruise through Newport Harbor and Narragansett Bay**. The 90-minute scenic cruise includes close-up views of the lighthouses, sailing ships and yachts, grand ocean front estates, and more. Following the harbor cruise, we depart for **Mezza Luna Restaurant** in **Buzzards Bay, Massachusetts** for a delicious **dinner**. Celebrating 84 years in business in 2021, this 3rd generation family run Italian Restaurant offers diners a lovely casual family friendly atmosphere, while dining on great Italian cuisine, served by a cheerful wait staff. After dinner we depart for **West Yarmouth, Massachusetts**, where we spend **two nights** at the **Hampton Inn & Suites**. (B, D)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for the **Village of Onset** where we will board our **3-hour Cape Cod Canal sightseeing cruise, the widest sea level canal without locks in the world**. **Sit back, relax and enjoy the live narration** about the fascinating history and points of interest along the Canal. Points of interest include **Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Sagamore Bridge, Bourne Bridge, Vertical Lift Railroad Bridge, Gray Gables (the summer retreat of President Grover Cleveland), Herring Run, Aptuxet Trading Post, Scusset Beach Fish Pier, Sandwich Boat Basin and Cape Cod Bay**. A **box lunch** is included during your cruise. Following our boat cruise, we meet our **step-on guide** and depart on a **driving tour of the Village of Sandwich**, Cape Cod's oldest town, and **Old King's Highway** on our way back to our hotel. View historic homes, coastal scenery and learn about the history of the Cape. The tour includes a **photo-stop** at the **John F. Kennedy Memorial**. Tonight, we depart for the **Cape Cod Central Railroad's Dinner Train**. The **three-hour excursion** takes you past villages, marshland, cranberry bogs, forest and across the Cape Cod Canal on the iconic Vertical Lift Railroad Bridge. Enjoy the traditional and allure of railroad dining when you are served a delicious **five-course meal in a dining car**. (B, L, D)

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home with fond memories of New England's coastal communities, and our railway and cruising adventures! (B)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights hotel accommodations
- 4 breakfasts
- 2 lunches (including 1 luncheon train)
- 3 dinners (including 1 dinner train)
- Railroad Meals, including:
 - **Essex Clipper Dinner Train**
 - **Cape Cod Central Railroad Dinner Train**
- Guided Tours, including:
 - **Newport, Rhode Island**
 - **Cape Cod, Massachusetts**

- Cruises, including:
 - **Connecticut River Cruise**
 - **Newport Harbor Cruise**
 - **Cape Cod Canal Cruise**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Olde Mistick Village**
 - **Connecticut River Museum**
 - **Village of Essex**
 - **The Breakers Mansion**
 - **Brick Market Place**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,549.00 Double/PP \$1,419.00 Triple/PP

\$1,349.00 Quad/PP \$2,049.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: May 11, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:15 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:30 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	6:00 PM

June 26 (Wednesday)



Sight & Sound Theatre
"DANIEL"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Strasburg, Pennsylvania



The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. (L)

Price: \$209.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: May 13, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

June 27-July 7 (Thursday-Sunday)

Faces of South Dakota

**Mt. Rushmore, The Badlands
Crazy Horse & Devil's Tower
South Dakota**



*Discover the rich culture, the untamed frontier, and inspirational sights of the American West! Travel to the legendary **Black Hills of South Dakota**, an oasis of pine-clad mountains on the Great Plains. Travel the magnificent backcountry of **Custer State Park** and view the diverse native wildlife on the 71,000 parkland acres, including the world's largest free-roaming bison herds. Visit magnificent **Mt. Rushmore**, a national treasure, and the **Crazy Horse Memorial**, home of the world's largest mountain sculpture in progress. Travel across the state line into Northeast **Wyoming** to visit **Devils Tower**, the first national monument. Journey through the natural beauty of **Badlands National Park**, a geologic wonderland of bizarre colorful spires and pinnacles, massive buttes, deep gorges and one of the world's richest fossil beds. And, we've also included a visit to **The Field of Dreams Movie Site**. **Don't miss this tour full of adventure, history and fun! Book Early!***

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Today we depart on a journey reminiscent of the adventuresome spirit of the pioneering explorers Lewis and Clark, as we travel west to discover the untamed frontier of the "**Mount Rushmore State,**" **South Dakota**. The major difference is we will travel aboard our deluxe motor coach and stay in comfortable first-class hotels. Before checking into our hotel in **Maumee, Ohio** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at **The Spaghetti Warehouse Restaurant** in **Toledo, Ohio**. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for "**The Hawkeye State,**" **Iowa**. Your on-board **Gunther Tours Manager** will help pass the time by playing games, showing a movie or two, and scheduling quiet time to relax and enjoy the scenery along the highway. After checking into our hotel in **Des Moines, Iowa** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at the hotel. (B, D)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we visit the **Living History Farm**, a short ride from our hotel. The nationally recognized historical museum features more than 22 sites including a turn-of-the-century farm, a Native American village, a town with a one room schoolhouse and much more! Later settle back, relax and enjoy the scenery on our drive across western **Iowa** to our overnight accommodations in **Sioux Falls, South Dakota**, with our included **box lunch**. After checking into the **Country Inn & Suites** for the night, relax and enjoy a leisurely dinner **on your own** at the Falls Landing Restaurant, adjacent to our hotel. (B, L)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for **Mitchell, South Dakota** and **The Corn Palace**. The rich history of this region dates back one thousand years beginning with a tribe of semi-nomadic hunter farmers who first harvested corn in this area. The story continues with the Homestead Act of 1862 and westward expansion of the railroad, and how these events led to the construction of this unique building. More than just a tourist attraction with indoor and outdoor murals made from cobs of corn, this unique building is a community center and serves as a symbol of tribute to the agriculture heritage of South Dakota. Next, we depart for **Chamberlain, South Dakota** and

the **Keelboat Visitor Center**. Climb on aboard a re-creation of a 55-foot Keelboat that the Corps of Discovery traveled on as they explored the Missouri River and experience breathtaking views from the stern of the keelboat. "Re-live" Lewis and Clark's journey with interpretive panels that explain the Corps adventures traveling through present day South Dakota. We depart Chamberlain for the **Town of Wall**, home of the famous **Wall Drug Store**. The drug store first opened as a small pharmacy during the depression and eventually developed into a large roadside tourist attraction. **Lunch** is included at the **Wall Drug Café**. After our visit, we depart for **Keystone, South Dakota** for a **four night** stay at the **K Bar S Lodge**, a boutique style hotel nestled in the hills of the Norbeck Wildlife Preserve and Black Hills National Forest. K Bar S Lodge offers views of Mount Rushmore and conveniently located to area attractions including Rushmore Cave, the President's Alpine Slide, Custer State Park, National Presidential Wax Museum, the Rushmore Borglum Story and Harney Peak. Feeling adventurous? During your free time you will have the opportunity to hike one of the many nearby trails that will lead you to vistas and landscapes you will not see anywhere else! Tonight, **dinner** is included at the lodge. (B, L, D)

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for an exciting day of **sight-seeing** in the **Black Hills**. Don't forget your camera! Our first stop is at **Bear Country U.S.A.**, the home of the largest collection of privately owned black bears in the world. Guests are guaranteed to see more than they bargained for from the comfort of our deluxe motor coach, as visitors watch as these clowns of nature frolic in a pool, climb trees and amble across the road in front of our motor coach. In **Babyland**, you will see black bear cubs and young wolf pups romp through their grassy enclosures. Our next stop, **Mt. Rushmore National Memorial** is known in the Black Hills as the **Shrine of Democracy**, featuring the huge carved faces of Presidents Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln, and Theodore Roosevelt looking down. You will also have the opportunity to visit the **Studio of Gutzon Borglum**, the monuments sculptor, and the gift shop. Later we return to our hotel to relax and freshen up before going out for a fun evening at the **Fort Hays Chuckwagon Supper & Cowboy Music Variety Show**. Enjoy a hearty chuckwagon menu and the most entertaining show in the Black Hills! Experience the Old West like never before with one of the best family-friendly attractions in **Rapid City, South Dakota**. It is truly an authentic western experience – a present day reflection of the early spirit of western frontier! (B, D)

Day 6: After **breakfast** we depart for a **tour of Custer State Park**. Few truly wild places remain in this country, yet Custer State Park is one of them! The 71,000-acre park is home to a variety of wildlife and magnificent scenery. Nearly 1,500 bison, commonly called buffalo, roam the prairies and hills of Custer State Park, which they share with swift pronghorn, shy elk, sure-footed mountain goats and curious burros. Following our tour, we will enjoy a delicious **lunch** before returning to our hotel. You will have leisure time to unwind, relax and freshen up before we go out for this evening's **dinner** and **entertainment**. Later we depart for **Crazy Horse Memorial**, home of the world's largest mountain sculpture in progress. The Memorial's visitor complex includes the 40,000-square foot Welcome Center and theatres, the **Indian Museum of North America**, the **Native American Educational & Cultural Center**, the sculptor's log home studio and workshop, indoor and outdoor

galleries, museum gift shop, restaurant and snack bar areas and an expansive viewing veranda. We conclude our day with **dinner** at the **Crazy Horse Memorial** before returning to our hotel for a restful night's sleep. **(B, L, D)**

Day 7: After **breakfast** get your bearings at the Geographic Center of the Nation, marking the middle of the United States. Cross into **Wyoming** and view the first national monument – **Devils Tower**. Stand in awe before this lofty monolith; the Tower is an astounding geologic feature that protrudes out of the prairie surrounding the Black Hills. Perhaps hiking the 1.3-mile Tower Trail around the base. Although famous as the backdrop in *“Close Encounters of the Third Kind,”* historically many of the Northern Plains Indians and indigenous people of the Black Hills regions had connections with the area around Devils Tower. Stories and histories shared by tribal members indicate that the Tower was a sacred site – a place for winter camps, vision quests, and summer ceremonies. Today, many tribes still utilize the park for traditional ceremonies. Visitors will observe prayer cloths and prayer bundles attached to trees around the park, especially along the Tower Trail. Later we depart for **Deadwood, South Dakota** to explore and experience the rich and colorful history, attractions, entertainment, restaurants, local stores, shops and art galleries. Historic Deadwood, South Dakota was home to western legends like Wild Bill Hickok, Calamity Jane and Seth Bullock, who all roamed the town's wild streets. Lunch and dinner are **on your own**. The town's laid-back nature beckons you to pull up a chair, take a seat and enjoy one heck of a good meal before returning to our hotel in Keystone. **(B)**

Day 8: After **breakfast** we say goodbye to our host city and depart for **Badlands National Park, South Dakota** to **tour The Badlands National Park**. The Lakota gave this land its name, “mako sica”, meaning “land bad.” This land of sharp ridges, steep walled canyons, gullies, pyramids and knobs has been so ruthlessly ravaged by wind and water that it has become picturesque. The Badlands are a wonderland of bizarre colorful spires and pinnacles, massive buttes and deep gorges. Erosion of the Badlands reveals sedimentary layers of different colors, purple and yellow (shale), tan and gray (sand and gravel), red and orange (iron oxides) and white (volcanic ash). Following our tour, we depart for our overnight stay at the **Country Inn & Suites in Sioux Falls, South Dakota**. Tonight, dinner is **on your own** at the Falls Landing Restaurant, adjacent to our hotel. **(B)**

Day 9: After **breakfast** settle back and enjoy the movie *“Field of Dreams”* on our drive across eastern **Iowa** to **The Field of Dreams Movie Site** located in **Dyersville, Iowa**. The Field of Dreams Movie location played host to the 1989 Academy Award nominee for Best Picture of the Year – *“Field of Dreams.”* Since the film's premier, just as foreshadowed in the movie, people from around the world have visited this mystical ball field to experience the magic for themselves. You are invited to play catch on the diamond, explore the gift shop and take a **tour of the main floor of the recognizable farmhouse**. After our tour, we depart for our overnight accommodations in **Dubuque, Iowa**. A **buffet dinner** is included at the hotel tonight. **(B, D)**

Day 10: After **breakfast** we continue our journey eastward, passing through the **Chicago** area, skirting the south shore of **Lake Michigan**, through **Illinois** on our way to the **Studebaker National Museum in South Bend, Indiana**. Home to a priceless collection of vehicles, artwork, archival material and

artifacts spanning nearly 200 years, The Studebaker National Museum displays the first and last vehicles the corporation ever made and boasts the largest Presidential Carriage Collection in the world. Following our visit, we depart for our hotel accommodations in **Maumee, Ohio**. After checking into our hotel for the night, **dinner** is included at a local restaurant. **(D)**

Day 11: After **breakfast** we depart for home having enjoyed the fellowship of friends old and new on our **2024 Faces of South Dakota** tour. Having had a wonderful sense of adventure and of exploration on our journey through the western frontier, we return home filled with many astonishing experiences, cherished memories, marvelous pictures and distinctive souvenirs! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 10 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **4 nights at K Bar S Lodge**
- 10 breakfasts
- 3 lunches (including 1 box lunch)
- 7 dinners
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Living History Farm**
 - **The Corn Palace**
 - **Keelboat Visitor Center**
 - **Wall Drug Store**
 - **Bear Country U.S.A.**
 - **Mt. Rushmore National Memorial**
 - **Fort Hays Chuckwagon Supper & Show**
 - **Custer State Park**
 - **Crazy Horse Memorial**
 - **Indian Museum of North America**
 - **Native American Educational & Cultural Center**
 - **Devils Tower**
 - **Deadwood, South Dakota**
 - **The Badlands National Park**
 - **The Field of Dreams Movie Site**
 - **Studebaker National Museum**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Tour Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$2,499.00 Double/PP \$2,179.00 Triple/PP

\$2,029.00 Quad/PP \$3,459.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

1st Deposit Non-Refundable after March 31, 2024

2nd Deposit: \$250.00/PP – Due March 31, 2024

Balance Due: May 14, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	8:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	7:00 PM

\$25.00 per person service fee for any canceled tour. If you transfer or hold funds on account, the service charge is waived one time!

June 27 (Thursday)



Tribute to Whitney Houston
"Queen of the Night"
Tropicana Casino
Atlantic City, New Jersey

For a special day of unforgettable entertainment and gaming excitement travel to **Atlantic City, New Jersey** to see a matinee performance of **"Queen of the Night,"** a **Musical Tribute to Whitney Houston** at the **Tropicana Showroom** at the **Tropicana Casino**. This show is a stunning celebration of the music and life of one of the greatest singers of our time, **Whitney Houston**. **"Queen of the Night"** conveys the essence and persona of Whitney with an afternoon of exhilarating music. This tribute showcases all your favorite songs, including **"Greatest Love of All,"** **"I Will Always Love You,"** **"I Wanna Dance with Somebody,"** **"How Will I Know?"** **"You Give Good Love,"** and so many more! With the accompaniment of a live band, backup vocalists and choreographed dancers, **"Queen of the Night"** is a beautifully crafted tribute to one of the world's most revered and legendary singers. If you are a **Whitney Houston** fan this tribute show is a must see! Before the show visit the **Casino** where you will receive a **\$25.00 slot play** and a **\$20.00 food credit** for **lunch** compliments of **Tropicana Casino** upon arrival. Try your luck, enjoy some time gaming, and hopefully experience the thrill of winning! (L)

Price: \$179.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: May 14, 2024



	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:15 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	8:00 AM	8:00 PM
Abingdon	8:30 AM	7:30 PM

June 29 (Saturday)

Switzerland of America
& Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway
Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania



Travel with **Gunther Tours** to the quaint Victorian town of **Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania**, nestled in the breathtaking **Lehigh River Gorge**. Jim Thorpe has been called the **"Switzerland of America"** due to the picturesque scenery, mountainous location, and architecture. Also known as the **"Gateway to the Poconos,"** the town has a fascinating history of romance, struggle, survival, boom, bust and revival. Originally named Mauch Chunk, during the Victorian era 19 of the country's 26 millionaires had a residence in Mauch Chunk, and the town was second only to Niagara Falls as the most visited tourist destination. In 1953 following the death of renowned athlete and Olympic medal winner Jim Thorpe, the struggling town decided to memorialize and adopted the name of Jim Thorpe. A

member of the Sac and Fox Nation from Oklahoma, he began his legendary sports career as a student at the Carlisle Indian Industrial School in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and later he would become one of the greatest athletics of all time, breaking racial barriers in the process. You will have leisure time to explore the charming shops, local boutiques, antique shops, Main Street merchants, restaurants, pubs, and art galleries, all within walking distance. Lunch is **on your own**. Next surround yourself with the scenic beauty of the **Pocono Mountains on a 70-minute excursion on board the Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway**. The **narrated round trip** follows the majestic Lehigh River over bridges, through Glen Onoko, and into the Lehigh Gorge State Park. High-rising cliffs, mountain scenery, and wildlife surround the train along the forested route to Old Penn Haven. Join **Gunther Tours** for a day of adventure and exploration in this charming Victorian town and experiencing the beauty of the Pocono Mountains! **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Jim Thorpe, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$149.00
Price: \$139.00 (Child Ages 5-12)
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: May 16, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:30 AM	9:30 PM
Carney	7:15 AM	8:45 PM
Abingdon	7:45 AM	8:15 PM

July 4 (Thursday)

Fireworks Crab Feast Cruise
On the Choptank River Queen
Hurlock, Maryland



Come aboard and celebrate **"Independence Day"** on the **"Choptank River Queen,"** a working replica of an authentic Stern Wheeler Riverboat, for a **Fireworks Crab Feast Cruise on the Choptank River**. Enjoy a delicious crab feast consisting of all the steamed crabs "u" can eat, crab soup, fried chicken, clam strips, corn-on-the-cob, coleslaw, dessert and non-alcoholic beverage. After dinner relax and enjoy the **Festive Fireworks Display** put on by the City of Cambridge, Maryland along the banks of the Choptank River from the decks of the **"Choptank River Queen"**. **Happy 4th of July! (CF)**

Price: \$195.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: May 21, 2024



	Depart	Return
Carney	2:30 PM	2:00 AM
Gunther	3:15 PM	1:15 AM

BOOK YOUR TOUR TODAY!
410-761-3757

July 9-11 (Tuesday-Thursday)



African Lion Safari Canada's Safari Adventure Plus, Niagara River Cruise Ontario, Canada

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Have you ever dreamed of going “On Safari” but not enthusiastically embraced the idea of having to board an airplane and fly across the Atlantic Ocean to the continent of Africa? Travel with **Gunther Tours** by deluxe motor coach today, as we embark on an exciting, exceptional and fun filled Safari experience to our northern neighbor, **Canada**. We will get closer than you ever imagined to over 1,000 exotic birds and animals that roam free in seven large Game Reserves! Following lunch **on your own**, we depart for the **Canadian** and **U.S.A. border**, so have your **PASSPORTS** ready! Once across the border it's a short ride to the **Hornblower Niagara River Cruise**, (boat ride to the base of the American Falls and then on to the basin of the magnificent Canadian Horseshoe Falls). Following our Falls boat cruise, we make the drive to **Brantford, Canada** and the **Best Western Brantford Hotel**, our home for the next **two nights**. After checking into our hotel, enjoy your family-friendly, comfortable and spacious room, and later a relaxing dinner **on your own** at the hotel's restaurant. Also, be sure to bring your bathing suit and enjoy the indoor swimming pool at our hotel.

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Cambridge, Ontario** and the **African Lion Safari**, Canada's original safari adventure. Upon our arrival we board **safari park coaches** and set out to explore a series of large drive-through Game Reserves where we will see over 1,000 exotic animals and birds roaming free! Later enjoy a **boat cruise** aboard the “**African Queen**”; a journey on the “**Nature Boy**” scenic railway; and **live bird and animal shows** as part of your day on safari. The live bird and animal shows features birds of prey flying demonstrations, an elephant round-up and a parrot paradise show. Also included is a delicious **all-u-can-eat buffet lunch**. After returning to our hotel enjoy dinner **on your own** at the hotel's restaurant. **(B, L)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for the **Canadian** and **U.S.A. border**, so have your **PASSPORTS** ready! Once back in the **U.S.A.** we will make a stop at a **Duty-Free Store** where you will have time for some last-minute souvenir shopping. Next, we travel home taking with us an amazing collection of memories, pictures and souvenirs of your “**On Safari**” get-away, and our fun and entertaining Animal Kingdom encounters with exotic birds and animals from the plains of Africa! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 2 nights at **Best Western Brantford Hotel**
- 2 breakfasts
- 1 buffet lunch
- Hornblower Niagara River Cruise
- African Lion Safari, including:
 - **Safari Ride**
 - **Boat Cruise**
 - **Train Ride**
 - **Bird and Animal Shows**

- Visit a Duty-Free Store
 - **Baggage handling (1) per person**
 - **Driver and Tour Manager Gratuities**

Price:

\$669.00 Double/PP \$619.00 Triple/PP
\$599.00 Quad/PP \$849.00 Single
\$449.00 (Child Ages 5-16 with 2 paying adults)

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: May 26, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:15 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:30 PM
Parkton	7:15 AM	6:00 PM

July 11 (Thursday)



**The Kennedy Center
“Funny Girl”
& Lunch at Gadsby's
Washington, D.C.**



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.**, and spend a delightful afternoon with the cast of “**Funny Girl**” at **The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts**. Welcome to musical comedy heaven! A revival of the classic, vivacious and delightfully glitzy bittersweet comedy musical, “**Funny Girl**” is the story of the indomitable Fanny Brice, a girl from the Lower East Side who dreamed of a life on the stage. Everyone told her she'd never be a star, but then something funny happened – she became one of the most beloved performers in history, shining brighter than the brightest lights of Broadway! Featuring one of the greatest musical scores of all time, including classic songs as “*Don't Rain On My Parade*,” “*I'm the Greatest Star*,” and “*People*,” this musical comedy is a love letter to the theatre that has the whole shebang! **Note: “Funny Girl” is recommended for ages 7 and older.** Before the show enjoy a delicious **luncheon** at **Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant** in **Old Town Alexandria, Virginia**. A U.S. National Historic Landmark, Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant has been offering fine dining since 1770. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Monte Cristo Virginia (puff pastry stuffed with Smithfield ham, smoked turkey and swiss cheese with a fresh berry sauce)**, **Chicken Salad**, **Ale Battered Codfish** or **Butternut Squash Ravioli**. **(L)**

Price: \$235.00

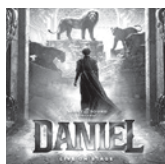
Deposit: \$90.00/PP

Balance Due: May 28, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	6:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	5:45 PM

BOOK YOUR TOUR TODAY!
410-761-3757

July 13 (Saturday)



Sight & Sound Theatre
"DANIEL"
& Dinner at Bird-in-Hand
Strasburg, Pennsylvania



The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord dinner** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. (D)

Price: \$219.00

Price: \$159.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: May 30, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	2:00 PM	12:00 AM
Carney	2:45 PM	11:15 PM
Parkton	3:15 PM	10:45 PM

July 16 (Tuesday)

National Air and Space Museum
at Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center
& Lunch at Bertucci's
Chantilly, Virginia



NEW!

The **National Air and Space Museum** expands with a monumental annex, located near Washington Dulles International Airport. Visitors can walk among artifacts on the floor and view hanging aircraft from elevated walkways (skyways). Many engines, rockets, satellites, helicopters, airliners, ultra-lights, and experimental flying machines are all on display for the first time in a museum setting. See the space shuttle **"Enterprise,"** the B-29 super fortress **"Enola Gay,"** the **Concorde**, and so much more housed in an aviation hangar that's three football fields long and ten stories high. We spend **4-hours** at the **National Air and Space Museum**. Before the visit enjoy a delicious **family style lunch** at **Bertucci's Brick Oven Pizza & Pasta Restaurant** located in **Springfield, Virginia**. With a staff that take great pride in providing stellar service and chefs that produce mouthwatering family style portions that are sure to delight, you will feel like family the moment you walk in the

door. When you want authentic Italian pastas, entrées, and pizzas, there's really no other choice! **Note: There is walking required on this tour! Please make sure you are an able walker before booking onto this trip. Wear comfortable walking shoes, (no heels). This trip is not suitable for people who have trouble with mobility! (L)**

Price: \$139.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: June 2, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:15 AM	8:15 PM
Gunther	9:00 AM	7:30 PM

July 17-19 (Wednesday-Friday)

Mountains, Music & Railroads
Including 2 Shows & 2 Train Rides!
Allegheny Mountains, West Virginia



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Settle back, relax and enjoy a leisurely drive to **"The Mountain State," West Virginia**. Our first destination is the **Green Bank Observatory**, home to the Robert C. Byrd Green Bank Telescope in **Green Bank, West Virginia**. Enjoy a **guided tour of the fascinating world of radio astronomy** from the pioneering instruments of the 1950's to the world's premier single-dish telescope. Included are science demonstrations and an excursion into a restricted area that takes you up-close to the world's largest fully steerable telescope. A **box lunch** is included here. Enjoy your meal and an incredible view of the Green Bank Telescope and surrounding mountains. We continue onto **Elkins, West Virginia**, where we spend **two nights** at the **Wingate by Wyndham Elkins**, nestled in the breathtaking **Allegheny Mountains**. You will have time to unwind and freshen up before we go out for **dinner and entertainment** at **The Gandy Dancer Dinner Theatre**. This evening's show, **"Tribute to Musical Legends"** is a live country music show that is the perfect blend of country classics from some of country music's most legendary artists, and the contemporary country hits of today's country megastars. (L, D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for the **New Tygart Flyer**, a classic streamliner train from the 1930's. We will embark on a **4-hour round trip train excursion through West Virginia's majestic wilderness**. On board, you will find a souvenir shop, comfortable seating, and enjoy a delicious **hobo lunch** that is included. The outing features a stop at the **High Falls of the Cheat River**. Situated in a spruce and laurel grove far from any human activity, the falls are 150' wide and 18' high, and accessible only by rail. Disembark the train and you will find a set of trails and viewing platforms. Following our train ride, we return to our hotel where you will have time to sit, relax and freshen up before we go out for **dinner and entertainment** at **The Gandy Dancer Dinner Theatre**. The evening includes a delicious plated dinner, followed by a 2-hour Branson-style show, **"The Premier Show."** The show features music that spans the 1950's through today. Enjoy country, pop, Motown,

gospel, and patriotic music provided by the **Mountain Memories Show Band**. This musical extravaganza featuring a terrific cast of singers, dancers, comedians and musicians that will entertain all! **(B, L, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we travel to the historic town of **Cass, West Virginia** for a ride on West Virginia's newest train ride, the **Greenbrier Express**. The original 95-mile section of this railroad was first constructed in 1902 by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway to encourage the development of the lumber industry. Our train excursion today takes us on the northern 15-mile portion of the original railroad, and will travel through the rugged and beautiful Greenbrier River Valley, and the iconic Cass Scenic Railroad State Park to the century-old town of **Durbin, West Virginia**. Our ride upriver to Durbin passes through a secluded wilderness portion of the Monongahela National Forest and offering unparalleled river and mountain views at every turn of the river. Sightings of deer, river otters, and black bear along with a wide variety of eagles, hawks, ospreys, and other species of aquatic birds are common along the way. A delicious **lunch** is included in Durbin upon our arrival. This adventure is popular for anyone who has an interest in railroads and history! Later we head for home, concluding our exciting get-away filled with many fond memories of picturesque mountains, delightful regional music and exhilarating railway adventures recalling an era when train travel was an essential part of everyday life! **(B, L)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 2 nights at **Wingate by Wyndham Elkins**
- 2 breakfasts
- 3 lunches (including 1 box lunch & 1 lunch train)
- 2 dinners (including 2 dinner shows)
- 2 shows, including:
 - **Tribute to Musical Legends**
 - **The Premier Show**
- 2 train rides, including:
 - **New Tygart Flyer Train Ride**
 - **The Greenbrier Express Train Ride**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **National Radio Astronomy Observatory**
 - **High Falls of the Cheat River**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver and Tour Manager Gratuities

Price:

\$799.00 Double/PP \$749.00 Triple/PP

\$719.00 Quad/PP \$969.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: June 3, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	10:30 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	9:45 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	8:45 PM

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July 18 (Thursday)

**Suicide Bridge Crab Feast
& Amish Farmers Market
Hurlock, Maryland**



We begin our adventure in **Annapolis, Maryland** at the **Amish Farmers Market** run by Amish and Mennonite families from Lancaster, Pennsylvania. The markets goods range from delicious foods to organic produce, as well as desserts and snacks to handmade quilts and crafts. Next, we travel to **Hurlock, Maryland** and the **Suicide Bridge Restaurant**. Relax in the waterside atmosphere while dining on hot and spicy crabs, cool drinks, and the fellowship of friends old and new. The **2-hour all-u-can-eat crab feast** will consist of all the steamed crabs "u" can eat, crab soup, fried chicken, clam strips, corn-on-the-cob, coleslaw, dessert, iced tea, soda, coffee and draft beer. **Note:** Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. **(CF)**

Price: \$139.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: June 4, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Gunther	9:45 AM	5:15 PM

July 20 (Saturday)

**Jim Thorpe By Land & Rail
Trolley Tour and Train Ride
& Buffet Lunch at Macaluso's
Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania**

NEW!



Travel with **Gunther Tours** to the quaint Victorian town of **Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania**, nestled in the breathtaking **Lehigh River Gorge**. Jim Thorpe has been called the **"Switzerland of America"** due to the picturesque scenery, mountainous location, and architecture. Also known as the **"Gateway to the Poconos,"** the town has a fascinating history of romance, struggle, survival, boom, bust and revival. Originally named Mauch Chunk, during the Victorian era the town was second only to Niagara Falls as the most visited tourist destination in the country. In 1953 following the death of renowned athlete and Olympic medal winner Jim Thorpe, the struggling town decided to memorialize and adopted the name of Jim Thorpe. We begin our day in Jim Thorpe at the Visitor Center where we will meet our **driver/guide and climb aboard the nostalgic Jim Thorpe Trolley for a narrated tour** highlighting the history of the area and its natural beauty. The trolley tour showcases all the best of Jim Thorpe, . . . the Jim Thorpe Memorial, the Lehigh Gorge State Park, up Broadway past all the shops, restaurants, museums and historic buildings downtown on to Mauch Chuck Lake before returning to the Visitor Center. Following a **buffet**

lunch, enjoy the scenic beauty of the **Pocono Mountains on a train excursion on board the Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway**. The **narrated round trip** follows the majestic Lehigh River over bridges, through Glen Onoko, and into the Lehigh Gorge State Park. High-rising cliffs, mountain scenery, and wildlife surround the train along the forested route to Old Penn Haven. Join **Gunther Tours** for a day of adventure and exploration in this charming Victorian town and experiencing the beauty of the Pocono Mountains! **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Jim Thorpe, and on the return trip home.** (L)

Price: \$205.00

Price: \$195.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: June 6, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:30 AM	10:30 PM
Carney	7:15 AM	9:45 PM
Abingdon	7:45 AM	9:15 PM

July 22-26 (Monday-Friday)

Chattanooga Choo Choo & Great Smoky Mountains Railroad Chattanooga, Tennessee



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach as we make our way through the southern countryside of the **Blue Ridge Mountains** towards the **“Scenic Center of the South,” Chattanooga, Tennessee**. Before checking into our hotel in **Knoxville, Tennessee** for the night, enjoy a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Chattanooga, Tennessee** for a day of **sightseeing**. We begin at **Ruby Falls**, America’s deepest commercial cave, which features the highest, most-visited underground waterfall in the United States. Enjoy a **guided tour through this fascinating attraction with its 145-foot waterfall, and extraordinary natural geological formations**. At the tour’s conclusion enjoy the panoramic view from the **Lookout Mountain Tower** and visit the newly renovated gift shops. Our next stop will be a visit to **Rock City**. Located atop Lookout Mountain in Georgia, Rock City showcases soaring rock formations, a 100-foot waterfall that cascades down the mountain, the famous **Swing-A-Long Bridge** that spans nearly 200-feet, and the world-famous lover’s leap and lush gardens. Enjoy a **self-guided tour along the brow of Lookout Mountain**, which offers you a sweeping bird’s eye view of the surrounding area. We enjoy an unhurried **lunch** in Rock City today. Next, we take a ride on **“America’s Most Amazing Mile,” the Incline Railroad**. Sit back, and relax as trolley-style railcars slowly carry you up historic Lookout Mountain, and Chattanooga’s surrounding peaks and valleys come alive through the clouds. The railway achieves an incline of 72.7% at one point along the way, making the Incline Railway one of the steepest railways in the world, and it is also designated as a National Historic Site and a National Historic Mechanical En-

gineering Landmark. After our train ride, we continue on to our hotel, the **DoubleTree by Hilton** where we will spend the next **two nights**. Following our hotel check in, you will have time to unwind and freshen up before a delicious **dinner** is served at the hotel. (B, L, D)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for an exciting day filled with fun and adventure which includes a train ride, an aquarium visit and a sunset boat cruise! We begin with a **train ride** on board the **Tennessee Valley Railroad**. From the comfort of a vintage train car settle into the clickety-clack of the rails as you enjoy riding on one of Chattanooga’s original railroad lines. Highlights of your excursion include crossing four bridges and passing through the pre-Civil War **Missionary Ridge Tunnel**, which was completed in 1858. The train stops at East Chattanooga, where you will be able to **view the locomotive rotating on a turntable and tour the railroad restoration shop** before we re-board the train for our return to Chattanooga. Next, we’ll make a stop at the **Tennessee Aquarium**. Dive into two worlds of wonder and excitement at the top-rated aquarium in America. Begin with the freshwater exhibits in the River Journey building. The adventure continues with the Ocean Journey building. Experience two aquariums in one great city. You’ll see cuddly penguins and otters, alligators and sturgeon, along the way, and hundreds of fluttering butterflies in the rooftop garden. Also included, prepare to meet some of the ocean’s strangest and most spectacular creatures in the new **IMAX film Secrets of the Sea!** Secrets of the Sea takes you face-to-face with an astonishing array of marine critters, showing the fascinating ways they interact with each other and their environment. To wrap up our day in Chattanooga, we climb aboard the **Southern Belle Riverboat** tonight for a **sunset cruise on the Tennessee River**. Enjoy a unique view of Chattanooga while relaxing at the end of the day cruising along the beautiful Tennessee River and listening to live music, before returning to our hotel for a good night’s sleep. (B)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for the historic mountain town of **Bryson City, North Carolina** and the **Great Smoky Mountains Railroad**. We will embark on a **4-½ hour, 44-mile round trip train ride** along the Tuckasegee River, over the impressive Fontana Lake Trestle and into the Nantahala River Gorge. Listen to Bluegrass music and hear Appalachian stories while traveling along the Tennessee and Nantahala Rivers. The excursion features a **one-hour stop at the Nantahala Outdoor Center** where you will find three restaurants and a pub, a fully stocked Outfitter’s Store, the Wesser General Store and Fly Shop, and the Nantahala Welcome Center. Enjoy relaxing by the river or sightsee **on your own** before we re-board the train for our return to Bryson City. A **box lunch** will be included during your excursion. Following our train excursion, we board our deluxe motor coach and depart for our overnight accommodations in **Asheville, North Carolina** at the **Hampton Inn & Suites**. After checking into our hotel for the night, unwind and freshen up before going out for **dinner** at a local restaurant. (B, L, D)

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us fond memories of **Chattanooga, Tennessee**, the **“Scenic Center of the South”** and its traditional southern charm, and the scenic wonders and spectacular adventures experienced in the magnificent Blue Ridge Mountains and the Great Smoky Mountains! (B)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **2 nights at DoubleTree by Hilton**
- 4 breakfasts
- 2 lunches (including 1 box lunch)
- 3 dinners
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Ruby Falls**
 - **Lookout Mountain Tower**
 - **Rock City**
 - **Swing-A-Long Bridge**
 - **Incline Railroad**
 - **Tennessee Valley Railroad Train Ride**
 - **Tennessee Aquarium & IMAX**
 - **Southern Belle Riverboat Sunset Cruise**
 - **Great Smoky Mountains Railroad Train Ride**
 - **Nantahala Outdoor Center**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver and Tour Manager Gratuities

Price:**\$1,349.00 Double/PP \$1,239.00 Triple/PP****\$1,179.00 Quad/PP \$1,689.00 Single****Deposit: \$125.00/PP****Balance Due: June 8, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	6:00 PM

July 25 (Thursday)


Sight & Sound Theatre
"DANIEL"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Strasburg, Pennsylvania


The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. (L)

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Price: \$209.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: June 11, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

July 27 (Saturday)

Coney Island**"Come Out & Play!"****Brooklyn, New York**

Bring the whole family for an experience they'll never forget . . . explore **Coney Island** in **Brooklyn, New York**. Coney Island offers a festive atmosphere for great family fun and plenty of places for delicious foods including; Nathan's Famous Hot Dog's, Ruby's Bar and Grill, the famous Grimaldi's Pizza and more for the entire family to enjoy! A historic New York City neighborhood, Coney Island features an amusement area that includes more than 50 separate rides and attractions, and a sea-side resort. It's a beach and entertainment destination for the whole family to enjoy for the day! The day is unscheduled, so celebrate the day and explore the amusement area, the seaside attractions, and enjoy delicious food **on your own** at your leisure. **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Coney Island, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$125.00**Price: \$115.00 (Child Ages 5-12)****Deposit Due: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: June 13, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:45 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	7:30 AM	9:00 PM
Abingdon	8:00 AM	8:30 PM

July 30 (Tuesday)

Eastern State Penitentiary
& Lunch at Buckley's Tavern
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
**NEW!**

Today we travel to **Philadelphia, Pennsylvania**, officially nicknamed the **"City of Brotherly Love"** in 2014, for a tour that guarantees a unique and interesting look into crime and punishment. Upon our arrival, we embark on an amazing tour at the **Eastern State Penitentiary**, once the most famous, and expensive prison in the world, for a **guided walking tour**. The first true "penitentiary," the prison was designed to encourage

penitence or true regret in the hearts of prisoners. Our tour will highlight Eastern State's fascinating 142-year history, revolutionary architecture and notorious law-breaking inmates. Cellblock 12 is known for cackling and echoing voices, Cellblock 6 for shadowy figures darting along the walls, so you may wish to ask our guide if Eastern State Penitentiary is haunted? Also included as part of our tour are the central rotunda, restored cells, the solitary confinement yards, the baseball diamond, death row and Al Capone's Cell. Before our tour enjoy a delicious **lunch** at **Buckley's Tavern**, a neighborhood tavern and restaurant located in the heart of historic **Centreville, Delaware**. The two-hundred-year-old building that now houses Buckley's Tavern was originally built in 1817 as a private residence. Throughout the years the tavern was the site of a blacksmith shop and a tollgate to collect fees from those traveling to and from Wilmington, Delaware. In the 1930's, the house became a popular taproom and ice cream store and in 1951 the proprietor gave the tavern its current name. Relax and enjoy the fellowship of friends old and new while you enjoy your meal! Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Curried Chicken Salad Sandwich**, **French Dip Sandwich** (*roasted and shaved beef with provolone and creamy horseradish on a sub roll, with au jus*), or **Quiche Lorraine**. **Note:** Please make sure you are an able walker before booking onto this trip. Wear comfortable walking shoes, (no heels). This tour is not suitable for people who have trouble with mobility! (L)

Price: \$149.00

Price: \$139.00 (Child Ages 5-16)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: June 16, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:30 AM	7:00 PM
Carney	9:15 AM	6:15 PM
Abingdon	9:45 AM	5:45 PM

July 31 (Wednesday)

Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre
"The Sound of Music"
Lancaster, Pennsylvania



Travel to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **"The Sound of Music"**. When a postulant proves too high-spirited for the religious life, she is dispatched to serve as governess for the seven children of a widowed naval Captain. Her growing rapport with the youngsters, coupled with her generosity of spirit, gradually captures the heart of the stern Captain, and they marry. Upon returning from their honeymoon they discover that Austria has been invaded by the Nazis, who demand the Captain's immediate service in their Navy. The family's narrow escape over the mountains to Switzerland on the eve of World War II provides one of the most thrilling and inspirational finales ever presented in the theatre. Enjoy timeless hits including *"My Favorite Things," "Do-Re-Mi," "Climb Ev'ry Mountain," "Edelweiss,"*

and the title song. The beloved musical with music by Richard Rodgers, lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II are based on the memoir of Maria von Trapp has won numerous awards including Tony, Grammy and Academy Awards. So please join **Gunther Tours** at **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** for a splendid and memorable afternoon of musical theatre! Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. (L)



Price: \$160.00

Price: \$120.00 (Child Ages 5-18)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: June 17, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

August 3 (Saturday)

Bronx Zoo
Bronx, New York



Travel today to the **Bronx Zoo**, the largest urban zoo in the United States. Take a walk on the wild side, enter the wild world of the Bronx Zoo and wander through the award-winning exhibits. There is so much to see and do at the Bronx Zoo, it is impossible to get bored! You will see more than 4,000 animals, all in their natural habitat, plus enjoy a day of fun-filled rides and attractions. Your ticket includes the Bronx Zoo's premium attractions including; the Bug Carousel, Congo Gorilla Forest, Sea Lion and Penguin Feedings, Wild Asia Monorail, Children's Zoo, Unlimited Zoo Shuttle, and Butterfly Garden. At the Children's Zoo and the Farmyard area you can meet, greet, pet and even feed goats, sheep, donkeys, and more. The Zoo houses thousands of animals, ranging from lions and monkeys to sea lions and sloths. The Congo exhibit features lowland gorillas, pythons and other central African animals. Other exhibits include Jungle World, Aquatic Bird House & Sea Bird Aviary, Baboon Reserve, Carter Giraffe Building, Himalayan Highlands, World of Reptiles and World of Birds and much more! There's something for everyone at the largest urban zoo in the country! **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to the Bronx Zoo, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$165.00

Price: \$160.00 (Senior Ages 65+)

Price: \$155.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: June 20, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:30 AM	10:30 PM
Carney	7:15 AM	9:45 PM
Abingdon	7:45 AM	9:15 PM

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August 4-8 (Sunday-Thursday)

**Montreal, Quebec City
& Vermont
Canada & U.S.A.**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach through the lush green landscape of central and upstate New York en route to **Montreal, Canada**. After checking into our hotel in **Plattsburgh, New York** for the night, relax and enjoy a leisurely dinner *on your own* at a restaurant conveniently located within walking distance of the hotel.

Day 2: After **breakfast** have those **PASSPORTS** ready, as we cross the border into **Canada**. Once across the border we continue on to **Montreal**, the second largest French-speaking city in the world. Upon our arrival we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Montreal**. The tour will include both historic and modern sites, and admission to Montreal's famous **Notre Dame Basilica**, which is a replica of the one in France, complete with its ornate alters and statues. Next, we will have some leisure time to explore **Place Jacques Cartier in the Old Port** for shopping and lunch *on your own*. Later we depart for **Quebec City, Canada**, known for its European flavor, French foods, language and fashion! Upon arriving we check into the **Hotel Chateau Laurier**, located just outside the Old City Walls, for the next **two nights**. Tonight, **dinner and entertainment** are served up in a quaint, French restaurant located in **Old Quebec**. After dinner explore the **Boardwalk, (weather permitting)**, which comes alive with street performers, entertainment and artists for your enjoyment! **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a day of **Quebec sightseeing**. Experience the beauty and history of both Old and New Quebec on our tour while we view such landmarks as the "Place d'Armes," the Parliament, Plains of Abraham and a **walking tour** of the Place Royale, the site of the original settlement of the city of Quebec. Following our tour, a delicious **luncheon** is included at the stately **Le Chateau Frontenac**. This afternoon we will have some leisure time to explore **Old Quebec** and experience its culture while you browse its many quaint shops, boutiques, cafés and restaurants. Later return to our hotel to sit back, relax and enjoy dinner *on your own* at your leisure in the hotel's restaurant. **(B, L)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we say goodbye to our host Canadian cities and Canada. Have your **PASSPORTS** ready! Once we cross over the border and re-enter the **U.S.A.** relax and enjoy the scenic ride as we travel south to **Quechee, Vermont**. Upon our arrival, we visit **Quechee Gorge Village** for a shopping experience that is both fun, interesting, and rewarding, and shoppers are sure to find something for every budget and taste! A collection of shops and attractions that just scream "Vermont," Quechee Gorge Village is stuffed with locally made edible treats, hand-crafted jewelry, home décor items, clothing, and a vast array of antique, vintage, and collectible treasures. Located at the heart of the **Quechee Gorge, "Vermont's Little Grand Canyon"** the village was originally established in 1985 as a Woodsman Museum, Country Store, and Antique Mall. It has since evolved into a wonderful shopping and dining attraction featuring The Vermont Toy & Train Museum, Cabot Cheese Store, artisans, live alpacas, seasonal amusement rides and much more. Before checking into the **Best Western Inn &**

Suites in Rutland, Vermont for the night, we make a **photo-stop at Quechee Gorge**, followed by a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant that serves up great local flavors. **(B, D)**
Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home with fond memories of our fascinating and delightful tours of two of Canada's most exciting cities and the best of Vermont shopping. **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **2 nights at Hotel Chateau Laurier**
- 4 breakfasts
- 1 luncheon at Chateau Frontenac
- 2 dinners (including 1 with live entertainment)
- Guided Tours, including:
 - **Montreal**
 - **Quebec City**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Notre Dame Basilica**
 - **Place Jacques Cartier in the Old Port**
 - **Old Quebec**
 - **Quechee Gorge Village**
 - **Photo-stop at Quechee Gorge**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,339.00 Double/PP \$1,249.00 Triple/PP
\$1,239.00 Quad/PP \$1,759.00 Single
\$999.00 (Child Ages 5-10 with 2 paying adults)

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: June 21, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	6:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:00 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	5:30 PM

August 6 (Tuesday)

**Fun with the Amazing Animals
at Lake Tobias Wildlife Park &
Amish Lunch at Lena's Place
Halifax, Pennsylvania**



Today we will experience a truly unique and **"Wild" Safari ride**. At **Lake Tobias Wildlife Park**, you'll come face-to-face with some of the friendliest and craziest animals you'll ever meet! We board specially designed, open-air land cruisers that will transport you across 150 acres of rolling countryside, where you'll come nose-to-nose with herds of wild and exotic animals from around the world. **Tour guides** will accompany you and share their expert knowledge of the various species observed and their native habitats. You may even have the opportunity to feed a herd of deer, kiss a camel and dance with crazy monkeys all in one day! Following our tour spend your free time exploring the **Zoo Exhibits** which include monkeys, tigers, ostriches, African lions, bears, Bengal tigers, and much, much more! Pea-

cocks, chickens and guineas roam freely about the zoo grounds. At the Reptiles and Exotics building you'll find snakes, lizards, amphibians, tortoises, marmosets, tropical birds, sloths, lemurs and a few surprises! **You can take a seat and enjoy one of the shows** or simply enjoy walking thru the great exhibits. Either way, it is a real crowd-pleaser! You may wish to conclude our day with a visit to the **Petting Zoo**. A favorite among children, and adults alike, the petting zoo offers a collection of happy creatures from the smallest African pygmy goats to the long-necked llamas. You'll find the camels, Patagonian cavies and armadillos here. Bring your camera for some spectacular photo opportunities! Before our Wild Safari tour, we first enjoy an authentic Amish **family style lunch** at **Lena's Place**, located in **Millersburg, Pennsylvania**. Served up by Lena and her family, the dishes are made with delicious homegrown, farm-raised ingredients. At Lena's Place, relax and be a part of her Amish home. **Join Gunther Tours for an amazing and unforgettable day on this remarkable family friendly adventure! (L)**

Price: \$145.00
Price: \$135.00 (Child Ages 5-13)
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: June 23, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:15 AM	7:15 PM
Carney	9:00 AM	6:30 PM

August 7 (Wednesday)

Olney Theatre Center
"BEAUTIFUL,"
The Carole King Musical
& Lunch at Mamma Lucia
Olney, Maryland



Travel to the **Olney Theatre Center** in **Olney, Maryland** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **"Beautiful," The Carole King Musical**. **"Beautiful," The Carole King Musical is a musical telling the story of Carole King's life through her music.** Long before Carole King was a chart-topping music legend, she was a Brooklyn teenager (named Carol Klein) struggling to enter the record business. Driven by passion and chutzpah, **"Beautiful"** tells the inspiring true story of King's remarkable rise to stardom, from being part of a hit songwriting team with her husband Gerry Goffin, to her relationship with fellow writers and best friends Cynthia Weil and Barry Mann, to becoming one of the most successful solo acts in popular music history. Along the way, she made more than *Beautiful* music, she wrote the soundtrack for an entire generation. **Note: "Beautiful," The Carole King Musical is recommended for ages 10 and older.** Before the show enjoy a delicious **lunch** at **Mamma Lucia Olney**. With a staff that take great pride in providing stellar service and chefs that produce mouthwatering family style portions that are sure to delight, you will feel like family the moment you walk in the door. When you want au-

thentic Italian pastas, entrées, and pizzas, there's really no other choice! **(L)**

Price: \$169.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: June 24, 2024



	Depart	Return
Carney	9:15 AM	5:45 PM
Gunther	10:00 AM	5:00 PM

August 12-15 (Monday-Thursday)

The Creation and The Ark
Kentucky



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Settle back, relax and enjoy a leisurely drive to **"The Bluegrass State," Kentucky** for the start of an exceptional tour of biblical proportions! After checking into the **Hilton Hotel in Florence, Kentucky** for the next **three nights**, enjoy dinner **on your own** at a local restaurant located within easy walking distance of the hotel.

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Petersburg, Kentucky** and the **Creation Museum**. The state-of-the-art 75,000-square-foot museum brings the pages of the Bible to life, casting its characters and animals in dynamic form and placing them in familiar settings. Adam and Eve live in the Garden of Eden. Children play and dinosaurs roam near Eden's Rivers. The serpent coils cunningly in the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil. Majestic murals, great masterpieces brimming with pulsating colors and details, provide a backdrop for many of the settings. You'll journey through a visual presentation of the history of the world, based on its 7 C's of History: Creation, Corruption, Catastrophe, Confusion, Christ, Cross, and Consummation, where you will discover an interpretation of how science confirms biblical history. In addition to the Stargazer's Planetarium and the dozens of informative videos throughout the Creation Museum, there are several more shows that you don't want to miss, including: **"The Last Adam," "Six Days of Creation,"** and **"Men in White" (tickets are not included).** Don't miss a chance to explore the **Botanical Gardens** with a mile of walking paths, enjoy the wonders of God's creation in the **Petting Zoo** and browse its extensive Gift Shop before we arrive at **Noah's Café for lunch**. Following lunch, we return to our hotel for some time to sit, relax and freshen up before departing for the **Queen City Riverboat**. It's **"All Aboard!"** for a celebration of fun and inspiration as we embark on our special **Gospel Dinner Cruise**. Enjoy a festive and fun atmosphere filled with good fellowship and harmonious melodies while you dine on a delicious **buffet dinner** served against spectacular views of Cincinnati's skyline from the water. Come sing along, tap along, clap along and lift your voice to the heavens while enjoying the performance of many of your favorite gospel songs, including: **"Put Your Hand in the Hand," "How Great Thou Art," "I Believe," "You Will Never Walk Alone," "Go Tell It On the Mountain"** and many more. Following our dinner

cruise, we return to our hotel for a good night's sleep. **(B, L, D)**
Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for **Williamstown, Kentucky** and the **Ark Encounter**, a full-size Noah's Ark experience built according to the dimensions given in the Bible. The largest wooden timber-framed structure in the world, the Ark Encounter is a one-of-a-kind historically themed attraction. Spanning 510 feet long, 85 feet wide, and 51 feet high, this modern engineering marvel will amaze the young and old. From the moment you step inside the Ark you will experience the pages of the Bible like never before and you'll be entertained and educated by the jaw-dropping exhibits. Also enjoy a visit with the friendly animals in the zoo. Explore the Ark's three levels – beginning with the first level depicting **Before the Flood**; the 2nd level depicting **During the Flood**; and conclude with the 3rd level depicting **After the Flood**. See hundreds of different displays including: Noah's study, living quarters, cages, storage vessels, recreations of how Noah and his family may have lived, animals, and even an animatronics version of Noah that will answer your questions. There is so much to see and do that you will be left both amazed and awestruck by this one-of-a-kind-in-the-world structure! A tasty **buffet lunch** is included at **Emzara's Kitchen**, adjacent to the Ark. We conclude our day at the Ark Encounter by attending a **concert presented by well-known Christian artists and hearing encouraging messages shared by renowned guest speakers**. After returning to our hotel, relax and enjoy a leisurely dinner **on your own** at a restaurant conveniently located within walking distance of the hotel. **(B, L)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us fond memories of our tour of biblical proportions! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights at **Hilton Hotel**
- 3 breakfasts
- 2 lunches
- 1 dinner cruise
- 1 night of live entertainment, including:
 - **Queen City Riverboat Gospel Cruise**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Creation Museum**
 - **Ark Encounter**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver and Tour Manager Gratuities

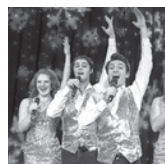
Price:

\$989.00 Double/PP \$899.00 Triple/PP
\$859.00 Quad/PP \$1,259.00 Single
\$589.00 (Child Ages 11-17 with 2 paying adults)
\$459.00 (Child Ages 5-10 with 2 paying adults)
Deposit: \$125.00/PP
Balance Due: June 29, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	9:00 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	8:15 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	7:15 PM

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August 14 (Wednesday)



Magic & Wonder Theater **"Jukebox Jive"** **& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand** **Paradise, Pennsylvania**

Join **Gunther Tours** and spend a high-spirited afternoon being entertained by the amazing cast of **"Jukebox Jive"** at the **Magic and Wonder Theater in Paradise, Pennsylvania**. **"Jukebox Jive"** is a music variety show that celebrates the biggest hits of the 50s, 60s, 70s, and 80s with music, comedy, and lots of surprises all built around the theme of a Jukebox. Travel back in time to experience the greatest hits from artists such as the Beatles, Elvis, and Jerry Lee Lewis when the Jukebox was the center of the fun, and learn more about the fascinating history of some of your favorite hits. This original music variety show blends breath-taking vocals together with exciting elements like a juggler, an aerialist, quick-change artists, magic, figure skating, and more. You'll find yourself tapping your toes and swaying to the beat of some of the best music from decades gone by. So, journey back in time and enjoy a bit of nostalgia with this dynamic cast as they create an immersive experience full of song, comedy, dancing, variety arts and more! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. **(L)**

Price: \$149.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 1, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:30 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:45 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	5:15 PM

August 15 (Thursday)

The Harriet Tubman Visitor Center & Suicide Bridge Restaurant Crab Feast **Church Creek, Maryland**



Today we travel across the Chesapeake Bay to **Church Creek, Maryland** on Maryland's Eastern Shore. Operated jointly by Maryland Park Service and the National Park Service, **The Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad Visitor Center** opened to the public in March 2017. The visitor's center will immerse you in Tubman's world through informative, powerful and thought-provoking multimedia exhibits. Harriet Tubman grew up in slavery in Maryland's Choptank Region of Dorchester County, lived, worked, and worshipped in places near the visitor center. It's from this area that she first escaped slavery, and where she returned about 13 times over a decade, risking her life time and again to lead some 70 friends and family members to freedom. To carry out the dangerous missions, she used the Underground Railroad, a secret network of places and people.

We will conclude our day on Maryland's Eastern Shore with a **2-hour all-u-can-eat crab feast at Suicide Bridge Restaurant in Hurlock, Maryland.** Enjoy plenty of hot and spicy crabs, cool drinks, and the fellowship of friends old and new while dining in the waterside atmosphere of the Suicide Bridge Restaurant. Your crab feast will consist of all the steamed crabs "u" can eat, crab soup, fried chicken, clam strips, corn-on-the-cob, coleslaw, dessert, iced tea, soda, coffee and draft beer. **Note:** On the return trip home, we will make a stop at an **Eastern Shore Market.** Bring along a cooler and take home some Eastern Shore foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. (CF)

Price: \$149.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 2, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	7:30 AM	6:00 PM
Gunther	8:15 AM	5:15 PM

August 16 (Friday)

The Harriet Tubman Visitor Center & Suicide Bridge Restaurant Crab Feast Church Creek, Maryland



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Price: \$149.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 3, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	7:30 AM	6:00 PM
Gunther	8:15 AM	5:15 PM

August 17 (Saturday)

Choptank River Queen Cruise & Suicide Bridge Restaurant Crab Feast Hurlock, Maryland



Welcome aboard the **"Choptank River Queen,"** a working replica of an authentic Stern Wheeler Riverboat, for a **sightseeing cruise on the Choptank River.** Relax and experience the pleasures of traveling on the water, as the **"Choptank River Queen"** cruises along the Choptank River, and we enjoy a unique view of the natural beauty of Maryland's Eastern Shore. Later enjoy plenty of hot and spicy crabs, cool drinks, and the fellowship of friends old and new while dining in the waterside atmosphere of the **Suicide Bridge Restaurant.** Your **2-hour all-u-can-eat crab feast** will consist of all the steamed crabs "u" can eat, crab soup, fried chicken, clam strips, corn-on-the-cob, coleslaw, dessert, iced tea, soda, coffee and draft beer. **Note:** On the return trip home, we will make a stop at an **Eastern Shore Market.** Bring along a cooler and take home some Eastern Shore foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. (CF)

Price: \$175.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 4, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	6:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	5:45 PM

August 21 (Wednesday)



Sight & Sound Theatre "DANIEL" & Lunch at Bird-in-Hand Strasburg, Pennsylvania



The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the

show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. (L)

Price: \$209.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 8, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

August 25-29 (Sunday-Thursday)

White Mountains Railway Adventures Including 4 Train Rides & 1 Boat Ride! New Hampshire



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to the majestic **White Mountains of New Hampshire**. After checking into the **Silver Fox Inn** for the next **four nights**, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at the Inn. Located at the center of Waterville Valley Resort, the Silver Fox Inn is within walking distance to the Town Square and Shops. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a day of **New Hampshire sightseeing**. We begin with a stop at the **White Mountains Visitors Center**. Here you will find in-depth information and excellent displays that provide visitors with a thorough overview of the White Mountains. While you're at the Center take time to visit the Gift Shop. Next, we climb aboard the **Conway Scenic Railroad** for a **train ride through the picturesque valley to Conway, New Hampshire**. Upon our arrival, you will have leisure time to enjoy strolling through the quaint New England community of **North Conway Village**. **North Conway Village** is in the heart of New Hampshire's Mt. Washington Valley, and is home to more than one hundred fifty stores, fine art galleries, and factory outlets. Following lunch **on your own** we embark on a **riding tour along the Kancamagus Highway** as we travel to the **Loon Mountain Gondola Ride**. We'll ride New Hampshire's longest sky ride to the 2,733-foot summit of Loon Peak for stunning views of the surrounding White Mountains. Before returning to the Inn for a good night's sleep, a delicious **dinner** is included at a local restaurant that serves up great local flavors. (B, D)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for another day of **New Hampshire sightseeing**. We begin our day of touring on board a **pontoon boat for a narrated cruise on Squam Lake**. This unforgettable boat cruise has something to delight everyone! Learn about the natural history of the lake, the wildlife that makes Squam so special, and the people who enjoyed these lakes for over 5,000 years. View locations where the movie **"On Golden Pond"** was filmed over 30 years ago. Watch for Common Loons, Bald Eagles, and other wildlife. Next, we will have some leisure time to explore the picturesque New England community of **Meredith, New Hampshire** and browse its many specialty shops and restaurants. After lunch **on your own** we will visit **Kellerhaus**. For over 100 years the Kellerhaus family has proudly made the finest quality ice cream

and candies in the Lakes Region of New Hampshire. Also, you will find a gift shop full of unique confections and specialty gifts. We will conclude our day of touring on board the **Lake Winnepesaukee Scenic Railroad**. Enjoy a nostalgic scenic excursion along the shores of the lake while dining on a delicious **roast turkey dinner** with all the trimmings. The relaxing train trip provides terrific views of this sparkling lake and a unique view of some of the beautiful lakeside homes and summer cottages. Following our train ride, we return to the Inn for a restful night's sleep. (B, D)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for our final day of **New Hampshire sightseeing**. Our guided tour takes us through the White Mountains, from **Franconia Notch** to **Mount Washington**, to our first destination of the day, **Clark's Trading Post** in **Lincoln, New Hampshire**. Clark's Trading Post is a family owned attraction since 1928. Enjoy a **trained bear show** that demonstrates the intelligence and talents of the North American black bear. Next settle into the clickety-clack of the rails on a **30-minute steam train ride on the White Mountains Central Railroad**. Following our tour, we continue our day of sightseeing by traveling to the **Mount Washington Cog Railway**, located in scenic **Bretton Woods, New Hampshire**, in the heart of the White Mountains. Enjoy lunch **on your own** at the Base Station of Mount Washington. After lunch we will embark on one of the world's greatest railway adventures on the World's First Mountain-Climbing Cog Railway train! **The scenic train ride takes passengers to the summit of Mount Washington**. You will enjoy the spectacular panorama that stretches out before you as the diesel locomotives climb the tallest mountain in the Northeast. After returning to the Inn, unwind and freshen up before this evening's **dinner** at the Inn. (B, D)

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home with many fond memories of New England's spectacular lake and mountain scenery, and of our delightful railway adventures! (B)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights at **Silver Fox Inn**
- 4 breakfasts
- 4 dinners (including 1 dinner train)
- 4 Train Rides, including:
 - **Conway Scenic Railroad Train Ride**
 - **Lake Winnepesaukee Scenic Railroad Train Ride**
 - **White Mountains Central Railroad Train Ride**
 - **Mount Washington Cog Railway Train Ride**
- Guided Tours, including:
 - **White Mountains**
 - **Kancamagus Highway**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **White Mountains Visitors Center**
 - **North Conway Village**
 - **Loon Mountain Gondola Ride**
 - **Squam Lake Pontoon Boat Cruise**
 - **Meredith Village**
 - **Kellerhaus Ice Cream and Candies**
 - **Clark's Trading Post**
 - **Trained Bear Show**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,269.00 Double/PP \$1,209.00 Triple/PP
\$1,199.00 Quad/PP \$1,549.00 Single
\$1,039.00 (Child Ages 5-10 with 2 paying adults)
Deposit: \$125.00/PP
Balance Due: July 12, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:15 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	6:45 PM

August 27 (Tuesday)



Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre
"Jersey Boys"
Lancaster, Pennsylvania



Travel to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **"Jersey Boys"**. They had a look, an attitude, and a sound like no other. Sure, they were born in Jersey. But they were made in America. **"Jersey Boys"** is a musical about Rock and Roll Hall of Famers – **The Four Seasons: Frankie Valli, Bob Gaudio, Tommy DeVito** and **Nick Massi**. This is the story of how a group of blue-collar boys from the wrong side of the tracks became one of the biggest American pop music sensations of all time. They wrote their own songs, invented their own sounds and sold 175 million records worldwide – all before they were thirty. Featuring such unforgettable classic songs as **"Sherry," "Big Girls Don't Cry," "Dawn,"** and **"My Eyes Adored You,"** **"Jersey Boys"** is the international musical sensation that tells the untold story, and takes you behind the scenes and behind the music of Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons. If you are looking for a great day out, join us at Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre for this high-spirited, high energy musical that is guaranteed to make you want to dance in the aisles. **Note: This production contains adult themes and strong language and is recommended for mature audiences.** Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. (L)

Price: \$160.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: July 14, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

\$25.00 per person service fee for any canceled tour. If you transfer or hold funds on account, the service charge is waived one time!

August 29 (Thursday)



The Kennedy Center
"MAMMA MIA!"
& Lunch at Gadsby's
Washington, D.C.



Travel today to our nation's capital, **Washington, D.C.**, and spend a delightful afternoon with the cast of **"MAMMA MIA!"** at **The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts**. **A mother, a daughter. Three possible dads. And a trip down the aisle you will never forget!** Everyone has fallen in love with the music, the story and characters that make **"MAMMA MIA!"** an ultimate feel-good show! Now it's your turn to fall for this smash-hit musical that combines the storytelling magic of ABBA with an enchanting tale of love, laughter, and friendship. **"MAMMA MIA!"** leaves audiences singing and dancing in the aisles after every show and critics around the world are calling it **"ABBA-solutely fabulous."** **Note: "MAMMA MIA!" is recommended for ages 7 and older.** Before the show enjoy a delicious **luncheon** at **Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant** in **Old Town Alexandria, Virginia**. A U.S. National Historic Landmark, Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant has been offering fine dining since 1770. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Monte Cristo Virginia (puff pastry stuffed with Smithfield ham, smoked turkey and swiss cheese with a fresh berry sauce), Chicken Salad, Ale Battered Codfish** or **Butternut Squash Ravioli**. (L)

Price: \$235.00
Deposit: \$90.00/PP
Balance Due: July 16, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:30 AM	6:30 PM
Gunther	9:15 AM	5:45 PM

September 1-6 (Sunday-Friday)

The Opryland Hotel in Nashville
Nashville, Tennessee



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach towards **"The Volunteer State," Tennessee**. Soon you will discover for yourself why **Nashville**, is fittingly called **"Music City, U.S.A."**. Meanwhile relax, enjoy the changing scenery and have fun with onboard activities as we travel west. Before checking into our hotel in **Knoxville, Tennessee** for the night, enjoy **dinner** at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Nashville, Tennessee**. Upon our arrival we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Nashville**. You will be amazed by Nashville's colorful history, beautiful architecture and hidden treasures that wait to be discovered in **"Music City, U.S.A."**. Following our tour, a **honky-tonk lunch** and **live music** at **Blake Shelton's Ole Red** is included. After lunch we'll visit Nashville's **Broadway**

Historic District. Explore and experience the entertainment of Broadway's vibrant musical honky-tonks, including world famous Tootsie's Orchid Lounge, restaurants, local stores, shops, and boutiques, all conveniently located within walking distance of each other. See the street where musical legends were made, and discover how the Broadway Historic District came to be known as "**Honky-Tonk Highway.**" You will find Ernest Tubb's Record Store, Betty Boots and several Western Shops, plus, attractions like the George Jones, the Johnny Cash and the Patsy Cline Museums. Later, we check into the world-famous **Gaylord Opryland Hotel**, and our **Atrium Garden View accommodations** for the next **three nights**. The Opryland Hotel is more than just a hotel – it is an experience! From the moment you arrive, you will discover a unique blend of southern hospitality and sophisticated style that has established the Opryland Hotel as a world-class resort! Our rooms overlook one of the three stunning gardens, featuring tropical plants, sparkling waterfalls and indoor rivers. Enjoy the beautiful view from your private balcony! Tonight, dinner is **on your own**. For your convenience, there are several restaurants located within the Opryland Resort. (B, L)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we will get to see and walk in the footsteps where country superstars perform and amazing music is made every week for a national audience, when we are treated to a **guided backstage tour of the Grand Ole Opry**. Our backstage tour guide will share an insider's stories of the Opry House, it's place in country music, the stars, and the stage that's home to the unbroken Circle. So, enjoy a peek behind the curtain of Nashville's premier country music stage, hang out backstage, view the dressing rooms, and even stand in the famous center stage circle! Following our tour, we climb aboard the **General Jackson Showboat**, an authentic paddle wheel riverboat, for a **2-hour lunch cruise down the Cumberland River** that includes an entertaining **country music variety show**. Next, we visit **Opry Mills**, Tennessee's largest outlet mall where you will find a diverse collection of great dining options to choose from for dinner **on your own**. Finally, we end the day on a musical note by taking our **reserved seats** for an evening of **entertainment** at the **Grand Ole Opry**. Don't be surprised if you see one of your favorite Grand Ole Opry members such as Connie Smith, Marty Stuart, Jeannie Seely, Bill Anderson, Pam Tillis, or Lorrie Morgan, performing tonight. (B, L)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for **Historic RCA Studio B** for an up-close look at Nashville's oldest remaining recording studio where Elvis Presley, Dolly Parton and Charley Pride recorded some of their classic hits. Learn the secrets of how each artist recorded their chart-topping music in this famous studio and hear some great classic country music. Next, we visit the **Country Music Hall of Fame & Museum**. To provide you with the best possible tour experience we have included the **official audio guide** to bring history to life and tell the story of America's music. Bill Cody, WSM radio personality takes you on a tour through the different eras of country music and shares with you behind-the-scenes stories, insider tips, personal memories and more. Following our tour, we return to the Opryland Resort for a free afternoon to do as you wish! The Opryland Resort offers you a wide variety of attractions for you to enjoy and create a day of adventure and exploration **on your own**. Find fun in the sun at SoundWaves (**tickets are not included**), Opryland's exclusive, four-acre oasis filled with indoor and out-

door play structures, slides, lazy and rapid rivers, and even the city's only double FlowRider. Take a pleasurable **Delta River Flatboat ride on the scenic indoor river**, which is included. Be amazed and delighted while taking a **self-guided tour** leisurely exploring this Nashville landmark featuring majestic, climate-controlled glass atriums, surrounded by nine acres of lush indoor gardens, winding rivers and pathways, and sparkling waterfalls. Experience charming southern hospitality and marvel at the many wonders of this extraordinary hotel and the elaborate décor surrounding you. Or, you may simply wish to sit, relax and experience the serenity of this spectacular resort from your balcony room. Tonight, enjoy dinner **on your own** at any of the Opryland Resort's restaurants conveniently located within the resort. (B)

Day 5: After **breakfast** settle back, and relax in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach and enjoy the scenery on our drive across eastern **Tennessee** through the **Great Smoky Mountains**, to reach **Sevierville, Tennessee**. We'll stop for **lunch** at **Applewood Farmhouse Restaurant**, a delightful complex surrounded by orchards in a serene setting in the heart of Sevierville. Located in a historic farmhouse on a working apple orchard, the restaurant serves up delicious, hearty authentic farm-style southern cuisine, with a country flare, while you relax and enjoy the serenity and beauty of the grounds. Following lunch enjoy some free time browsing and shopping at the **Apple Barn Cider Mill & General Store**, the candy factory, winery, creamery, and bakery all located at the farm complex. Later, we continue traveling on to our hotel accommodations in **Wytheville, Virginia**. A dinner stop will be made en route to Wytheville. Dinner is **on your own**. (B, L)

Day 6: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us amazing memories of America's "**Music City, U.S.A.,**" it's remarkable history, incredible hand-clappin', toe-tappin' contributions to the diverse American music scene, the thrill of Nashville's fun and entertaining attractions, and a beautiful architectural wonder – the Opryland Hotel! Today's **buffet lunch** is included at **Michie Tavern**, an authentic 1784 pub in **Charlottesville, Virginia**. Enjoy a delicious lunch in a rustic Tavern setting served to you by servers dressed in period attire. Before we depart for home, we conclude our day with some free time to browse and shop at **The Tavern Shop** and the **General Store**. The Tavern Shop has your favorite colonial and 18th century items while the General Store has beautiful home décor items, equestrian themed gifts, Virginia food products and local wines. (B, L)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 5 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **3 nights at Opryland with Atrium Garden View**
- 5 breakfasts
- 4 lunches (including 1 lunch cruise)
- 1 dinner
- 2 shows, including:
 - **General Jackson Showboat Lunch Cruise**
 - **Grand Ole Opry Show**
- Guided Tour of Nashville, Tennessee

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- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - Blake Shelton's Ole Red
 - Nashville's Broadway Historic District
 - Grand Ole Opry Backstage Tour
 - Opry Mills
 - Historic RCA Studio B Tour
 - Country Music Hall of Fame & Museum
 - Delta River Flatboat Ride at Opryland
 - Apple Barn Cider Mill & General Store
- An Afternoon at the Opryland Hotel
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,749.00 Double/PP \$1,559.00 Triple/PP

\$1,459.00 Quad/PP \$2,399.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: July 19, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	5:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	5:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	4:00 PM

September 4-6 (Wednesday-Friday)

NEW!

**The Dirty Dancing Get-Away
at Mountain Lake Lodge
Pembroke, Virginia**



In the middle of a 2,600-acre nature preserve and surrounded by Appalachian Mountains, is the rustic and historic Mountain Lake Lodge, the set location for the 1987 pop culture phenomenon movie – “Dirty Dancing,” starring Jennifer Grey and the late Patrick Swayze. Breathe in crisp, fresh mountain air; dine on gourmet fare and enjoy indoor and outdoor activities. It is the ideal destination for those seeking the serenity only the mountains can provide. Off the beaten path, Mountain Lake Lodge offers an unhurried pace and the perfect escape where you can relax and recharge your senses. Book early and join Gunther Tours on this NEW get-away!

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Settle back, relax and enjoy a scenic drive to the Appalachian Mountains of Virginia for an unexpected and memorable “New Tour” get-away filled with sight-seeing, delicious food, and entertainment! As we drive up the mountain to Mountain Lake Lodge in Pembroke, Virginia you’ll feel as though you’ve entered a new world! Upon checking in discover several themed goodies within your deluxe accommodations and enjoy a Welcome Cocktail in the Stony Creek Tavern while your bags are delivered to your room. After check-in, you will have access to the grounds, outdoor pool, restaurants, adventure center (*additional cost*), and recreation facilities. We will reconvene for dinner in the Farm to Table Harvest Restaurant. Following dinner, dance the night away in the Grand Ballroom; learn the same moves as Baby and

Johnny before retiring to your room for a good night’s sleep. **(D)**
Day 2: After an unhurried breakfast we depart for the Wohlfahrt Haus Dinner Theater. Located in Wytheville, Virginia in the majestic Southwestern Appalachian Mountains, the state-of-the-art German-themed dinner theater showcases both classic and contemporary American musicals featuring captivating songs, elaborate production numbers, and unforgettable dancing. Upon our arrival, you will be served a **four-course meal** prepared by the in-house chef. After lunch, be entertained by a high energy, first-rate **Broadway caliber musical**. Don’t forget to visit the Edelweiss Gift Shoppe, which is filled with German collectibles and theater memorabilia. Following the show, we travel back to the Mountain Lake Lodge where we join our fellow travelers for a delicious **dinner**. The remainder of your evening is free to enjoy the hotel’s amenities, bars, and recreational offerings. **(B, L, D)**

Day 3: After breakfast experience the beauty and serenity of nature surrounding you. There will be ample time to stroll the nature preserve, enjoy the adventure center (*additional cost*), and boutique shops. Enjoy a **guided tour through the various filming locations featured in the cult classic “Dirty Dancing.”** By Mid-afternoon we’ll be boarding our deluxe motor coach, and enjoy the movie “*Dirty Dancing*” on our drive home, while reminiscing about our amazing and tranquil Mountain Lake Lodge get-away! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- Robin Zahor - Tour Manager
- 2 nights at Mountain Lake Lodge
- 2 breakfasts
- 1 lunch
- 2 dinners
- 1 Broadway caliber musical
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - Welcome Cocktail
 - Dirty Dancing Lessons
 - Wohlfahrt Haus Dinner Theater
 - Guided Dirty Dancing Tour
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver and Tour Manager Gratuities

Price:

\$749.00 Double/PP \$709.00 Triple/PP

\$679.00 Quad/PP \$899.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: July 22, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	9:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	8:00 PM

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September 6 (Friday)

**Suicide Bridge Crab Feast
& Amish Farmers Market
& Harrington Casino
Maryland & Delaware**



We begin our adventure in **Annapolis, Maryland** at the **Amish Farmers Market** run by Amish and Mennonite families from Lancaster, Pennsylvania. The markets goods range from delicious foods to organic produce, as well as desserts and snacks to handmade quilts and crafts. Next, we travel to **Hurlock, Maryland** and the **Suicide Bridge Restaurant**. Relax in the waterside atmosphere while dining on hot and spicy crabs, cool drinks, and the fellowship of friends old and new. The **2-hour all-u-can-eat crab feast** will consist of all the steamed crabs “u” can eat, Maryland crab soup, fried chicken, clam strips, corn-on-the-cob, coleslaw, dessert, iced tea, soda, coffee and draft beer. Following our crab feast, settle back for a relaxing ride to **Harrington, Delaware** for an enjoyable **4-hour visit at Harrington Casino**. Upon our arrival, you will receive a **slot play (to be determined & subject to change)** compliments of **Harrington Casino**. Later we return home after enjoying a wonderful day filled with great food, fun, and experiencing the thrill of winning at one of the myriad of gaming choices at the casino. **Note:** Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. (CF)

Price: \$165.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 24, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	8:15 AM	9:15 PM
Gunther	9:00 AM	8:30 PM

September 7 (Saturday)

**Historic Cape May
Trolley Tour & Estate Tour
& Lunch at Lobster House
Cape May, New Jersey**



Today we escape to the charming seaside city of **Cape May, New Jersey**. This historic Victorian seaside gem is America’s original seaside resort and one of the most beautiful spots in the country. With nearly 600 preserved Victorian buildings Cape May is noted for possessing one of the country’s largest collections of 19th century framed buildings, and earning the entire city a National Historic District designation. The Victorian houses that line the city’s streets are popularly known as **“Painted Ladies”** because of their elaborate and brightly painted gingerbread trim. These Victorian gems present a beautifully harmonious appearance, despite each homes unique detailing. Upon our arrival, we enjoy a delicious **lunch** served at **The Lobster House Restaurant**. Please provide a meal

choice when making your reservations. Your choices are **Lobster Salad Sandwich, Crab Cake Sandwich or Charbroiled Chicken Sandwich**. Following lunch, we hop aboard the **Cape May Trolley** for a **narrated guided tour around Cape May Historic District** showcasing the lovely and famous **“Painted Ladies”**. Next, we take a **guided tour of Cape May’s Emlen Physick Estate**, a magnificent Stick Style mansion attributed to renowned Victorian architect Frank Furness. You will **tour 15 beautifully restored rooms** that give you a glimpse into the lifestyle of this Victorian-era Cape May family. Finally, we conclude our day in the Heart of Cape May with some free time to browse along the promenade of shops at the **Washington Street Mall**. **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Cape May, and on the return trip home.** (L)

Price: \$210.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 25, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:00 AM	11:00 PM
Carney	7:45 AM	10:15 PM
Abingdon	8:15 AM	9:45 PM

September 8 (Sunday)

NEW!

**? Grandparents & Grandkids Mystery Ride ?
“Grandparents Day”
Anywhere, U.S.A.**

Back by Popular Demand! It’s Grandparents Day! Are you in for a little adventure with your grandkids? Guess where you are going and what today’s destination will be? Join **Gunther Tours** for an exciting **mystery destination** that has been selected for you and guarantees a good time with your grandkids! A **box lunch** is included today. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Ham Club Wrap, Turkey Club Wrap, Chicken Salad Wrap or Veggie Wrap**. Bring your camera for some photo opportunities with your grandkids! (BL)

Included:

- Deluxe Motor Coach Transportation
- Box Lunch
- Attraction and Admission

Price: \$120.00

Price: \$115.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 26, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:45 AM	6:15 PM
Carney	9:30 AM	5:30 PM

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September 9-13 (Monday-Friday)

**Cape Cod & Martha's Vineyard
Plus, Provincetown & Hyannis
Cape Cod, Massachusetts**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to the sunny shores, spectacular beaches, and breathtaking sunsets of **Cape Cod, Massachusetts**. After checking into the **Blue Water Resort** for the next **four nights**, we conclude our travel day with a delicious **dinner** in **Caper's Restaurant at the Blue Water Resort**. The Blue Water Resort is an **oceanfront resort hotel** located only steps from the sandy beaches and your own private ocean beach on the Nantucket Sound. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for **Falmouth, Massachusetts** where we will travel by **ferry to the island of Martha's Vineyard**. We will begin our visit to the **island with a tour aboard our deluxe motor coach**. The tour will highlight many of the island's unique, charming and historic points of interest, and detail Martha's Vineyard role as a famous whaling port during the 18th-century. Also, the tour will expose you to many of the distinct architectural gingerbread-style cottages, and the resplendent sea captain's homes with roof top widow's walks. Later you will have some leisure time to explore the shops and restaurants in the quaint **Village of Edgartown**, before we re-board the **ferry and cruise back to the Cape Cod mainland**. Before returning to our resort for a good night's rest, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour that takes us from Hyannis to "Land's End" Provincetown**, which is located at the tip of the Cape. We will learn about the cranberry bogs, kettle ponds, "half-Cape" architecture, sea captains and whaling, and the "Graveyard of Ships." In the afternoon, you will have some leisure time to enjoy the lively street scene in this diverse community with its unique and eclectic gift shops, boutiques, galleries and restaurants. Lunch is **on your own**. Next, we join the **Dolphin Fleet** for our **narrated whale watching cruise** as we head for the **Stellwagen feeding bank** in search of these remarkable marine mammals. Witness the power, energy and majesty of humpback and fin whales as they play and jump in the food-rich environment. Before returning to South Yarmouth for a good night's rest, enjoy some additional free time in Provincetown for browsing, shopping and dinner **on your own**. **(B)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Hyannis**. Our tour includes a **photo-stop** at the **John F. Kennedy Memorial** overlooking Lewis Bay, a drive past the Kennedy Family Compound (limited views) and St. Francis Xavier Church, where the Kennedy Family worships, and more. Following our tour, we visit **Main Street** in downtown Hyannis, an interesting and eclectic all-American Main Street that is a wonderful place to visit to shop, dine and be entertained. With specialty shops, boutiques, galleries, restaurants and fun attractions, there is something for everyone on Main Street. Enjoy lunch **on your own** at one of over twenty restaurants; choose from fast food restaurants to sit down dining establishments. After lunch we return to the Blue Water Resort where you'll find a spectacular beach, soft Cape Cod ocean

breezes, and a picture-perfect view right outside your hotel door! A heated outdoor pool lies just steps from the Nantucket Sound and a row of lounge chairs offer rest and relaxation while overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. Bring your bathing suit and take advantage of the beautiful heated indoor/outdoor pools or swim at our private ocean beach. To wrap up our stay at the Blue Water Resort, tonight we experience the gracious hospitality of our resort staff when they host a delicious **dinner** in the **Pavilion at the Blue Water Resort** for your enjoyment! **(B, D)**

Day 5: After **breakfast**, we depart for home taking with us fond memories of Cape Cod. The Cape's rich connection to New England's unique nautical history and industry, the diverse communities found on mainland and offshore, the amazing coastal scenery and beaches, the remarkable encounters with marine life and the adventure and charm experienced on the island of Martha's Vineyard combine to make this Cape Cod get-away unforgettable! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights at **Blue Water Resort**
- 4 breakfasts
- 3 dinners
- Guided Tours of Massachusetts, including:
 - **Martha's Vineyard Island**
 - **Cape Cod to Provincetown**
 - **Hyannis**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Steamship Ferry to Martha's Vineyard**
 - **Village of Edgartown, Massachusetts**
 - **Provincetown, Massachusetts**
 - **Dolphin Fleet Whale Watching Cruise**
 - **Photo-stop at John F. Kennedy Memorial**
 - **Hyannis, Massachusetts**
- An Afternoon at the Blue Water Resort
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guides Gratuities

Price:

\$1,389.00 Double/PP \$1,239.00 Triple/PP

\$1,169.00 Quad/PP \$1,899.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: July 27, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:00 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:15 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	5:45 PM

September 13 (Friday)

**Green Dragon Market
& Lunch at Shady Maple
Ephrata, Pennsylvania**



As the rooster crows to announce the start of a new day, the **Green Dragon Market** comes alive every Friday morning in

the little country town of **Ephrata, Pennsylvania** in Lancaster County. The Green Dragon Market features over 400 local growers, merchants and craftsmen so it is no surprise that thousands of area shoppers have visited this local attraction weekly since 1932 to do their shopping. Located on a thirty-acre site in the heart of the Pennsylvania Dutch Country, the market is now one of the largest Farmers Markets in the area, and offers visitors the choice of shopping indoors or outdoors. With 7 large market buildings and many other small shops, the Green Dragon merchants offer everything from “soup to nuts”. There is a local saying, “if you can’t buy it at the Green Dragon, it chust ain’t for sale”. After our visit, we depart for **East Earl, Pennsylvania**. Upon our arrival, we enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Shady Maple Smorgasbord**. After lunch visit the **Shady Maple Gift Shop** which features over 20,000 square feet of unique gift items, collectibles, dolls, Fenton Glassware, accessories, Amish crafted oak furniture, baskets, and much, much more! Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. **Note: Please make sure you are an able walker before booking onto this trip. Wear comfortable walking shoes. This trip is not suitable for people who have trouble with mobility! (L)**

Price: \$129.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: July 31, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:15 AM	7:15 PM
Carney	9:00 AM	6:30 PM
Parkton	9:30 AM	6:00 PM

September 14 (Saturday)

Gospel Lunch Cruise On the Choptank River Queen Hurlock, Maryland



Come join **Gunther Tours** today in a celebration of fun and inspiration on board the “**Choptank River Queen**,” a working replica of an authentic Stern Wheeler Riverboat, for a special **Gospel Lunch Cruise**. Enjoy a festive and fun atmosphere filled with good fellowship and harmonious melodies while you dine on a delicious **crab cake & fried chicken combo platter lunch** served against the unique view of the natural beauty of Maryland’s Eastern Shore. Come sing along, tap along, clap along and lift your voice to the heavens while enjoying the performance of many of your favorite gospel songs, including “*Put Your Hand in the Hand*,” “*How Great Thou Art*,” “*I Believe*,” “*You Will Never Walk Alone*,” “*Go Tell It On the Mountain*” and many more of your favorite gospel songs. Your meal will include potato of the day, green vegetable, dessert, and non-alcoholic beverage. **(L)**

Price: \$139.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: August 1, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	9:00 AM	5:00 PM
Gunther	9:45 AM	4:15 PM

September 14-19 (Saturday-Thursday)

Mackinac Island and The Grand Hotel & The Henry Ford & Greenfield Village Mackinac Island, Michigan



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach towards the Victorian-style island of **Mackinac Island, Michigan**. A picturesque island that evokes a bygone era, Mackinac Island is often called the “*Bermuda of the North*.” Before checking into our hotel in **Allen Park, Michigan** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at **The Spaghetti Warehouse Restaurant** in **Toledo, Ohio. (D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Indian River, Michigan**. Upon our arrival, we visit **The National Shrine of Cross in the Woods**; one of Michigan’s best known and most visited shrines. Here we will view the monumental sculpture of the crucified Christ titled “*The Man on the Cross*” created by the renowned Michigan sculptor Marshall Fredericks. The crucifix stands taller than the surrounding trees and is a moving sight to behold! Following our visit, we depart for **Mackinaw City, Michigan** and the **City Dock**, where we will travel by **ferry** to the “*Magical Land*” of **Mackinac Island, Michigan**. A **horse-drawn carriage** will be waiting at the dock to transport you to the world-famous **Grand Hotel**, your luxurious accommodations for the next **two nights**. Experience fine dining and gracious hospitality in the hotel’s beautifully appointed main dining room this evening when you order **dinner, off the menu**. **At the Grand Hotel, there is a dress code after 6:00 PM. Gentlemen are required to wear a jacket and tie, and the ladies are required to wear a dress, skirt, or pants suit. (B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **driver/guide** and **climb aboard a horse-drawn carriage for a tour of the lovely Victorian-style island** that has defied time. Following your horse-drawn carriage ride enjoy some leisure time strolling through the cottage-filled village dotted with flowers, and explore the shops along Huron Street, or sit and relax in one of the famous “*Rockers on the Longest Porch in the Country*.” Tonight, a delicious **dinner, off the menu** awaits you in the main dining room. **At the Grand Hotel, there is a dress code after 6:00 PM. Gentlemen are required to wear a jacket and tie, and the ladies are required to wear a dress, skirt, or pants suit. (B, D)**

Day 4: Enjoy **breakfast** at your leisure. With part of the morning free you may wish to simply sit back, relax, and enjoy the grand comforts of this luxurious hotel prior to departing Mackinac Island. In the early afternoon we are transported by **horse-drawn carriage** down to the **City Dock**, where we will travel by **ferry** back to the **Michigan mainland**. Once on the mainland settle back, relax and enjoy the scenery on our drive to

Allen Park, Michigan. Before checking into the **Best Western Greenfield Inn** for the next **two nights**, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(B, D)**

Day 5: After **breakfast** we'll explore the genius of American transportation, industry and entertainment at the **Henry Ford Museum** by stepping into a world where past innovations fuel the imagination of generations to come. We begin with a **tour at the Ford Rouge Factory** where you will get an inside look at game-changing technology, sustainable design and American grit at America's greatest manufacturing experience. Experience the awe-inspiring scale of a real factory floor as you walk through a real-life truck plant and see the making of America's most iconic truck, the Ford F-150, view one of the world's largest "living roofs," and see a gallery of iconic Ford vehicles produced at the Rouge. Next, we visit the **Henry Ford Museum** and **Greenfield Village**. We will tour historic homes and workshops of famous Americans, including those of The Wright Brothers, Thomas Edison, Henry Ford, and Robert Frost. We have included the **Village Ride Trio** offered by the museum as part of your tour package so that you may best experience and enjoy the fascinating historic nature of Greenfield Village, which features over 80 acres of American ingenuity and innovation. The pass entitles you to ride on the historic steam locomotive, in a vintage Model T and the 1913 Herschell-Spillman Carousel. Later we enjoy a tasteful **buffet dinner** at the hotel. **(B, D)**

Day 6: After **breakfast** we depart for **Somerset County, Pennsylvania** to visit the hallowed ground of the **Flight 93 National Memorial and Memorial Chapel** honoring the victims of 9/11 Flight 93. The Flight 93 National Memorial and Memorial Chapel are moving tributes to the 40 passengers and crew who died while thwarting a terrorist attack on the United States Capitol. Located in **Friedens, Pennsylvania, The Memorial Chapel** houses moving personal items from the victims, as well as numerous tributes. Next, we visit the **Flight 93 National Memorial in Stoystown, Pennsylvania**. The Memorial pays tribute to those who gave their lives to save the lives of countless others, and forever transformed this common field one day into a field of honor forever! Following our visit, we depart for home with a rich collection of memories that include a deeper appreciation for the grandeur and romance of the bygone Victorian era, a greater admiration and respect for the genius of American inventors, and never forgetting the heroic sacrifices made and courageous actions of the passengers and crew of Flight 93. **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- **Robin Zahor – Gunther Tours Manager**
- 5 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **2 nights at The Grand Hotel**
- 5 breakfasts
- 5 dinners
- Guided Tour, including:
 - **Mackinac Island Horse-drawn Carriage Tour**

- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **The National Shrine of Cross in the Woods**
 - **Shepler's Ferry to Mackinac Island**
 - **Ford Rouge Factory Tour**
 - **Henry Ford Museum**
 - **Greenfield Village**
 - **Village Ride Trio**
 - **Flight 93 Memorial Chapel**
 - **Flight 93 National Memorial**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Tour Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,879.00 Double/PP \$1,699.00 Triple/PP

\$1,609.00 Quad/PP \$2,779.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: August 1, 2024

	Depart	Return
Bel Air	6:00 AM	10:15 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	9:30 PM
Gunther	7:30 AM	8:45 PM
Woodbine	8:15 AM	8:00 PM

September 16-20 (Monday-Friday)

Maine's Seaside Villages & Towns Featuring Boothbay Harbor, Maine



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach as we make our way north towards the resort town of **Boothbay Harbor, Maine, "The Boating Capital of New England"**. Our first destination is **Thimble Island Cruises** located in **Branford, Connecticut** for a delightful, **45-minute narrated cruise to the Thimble Islands**. The archipelago of islands was actually hilltops before the last ice age. Called **"The Beautiful Sea Rocks,"** by the Mattabesec Indians, the Thimble Islands are formed of pink granite rocks, ledges, and outcroppings, and are estimated to number between 100 and 365 depending on how you differentiate between an island and a rocky outcropping. First discovered in 1614 by Adrien Block, these islands were used for everything from farming to quarrying granite, from bootlegging to hiding Captain Kidd's treasure. Today some of the wooded islands are topped with beautiful summer cottages built during the Victorian Era-complete with gingerbread trimmings. Following our cruise settle back and enjoy the scenery on our drive to **Massachusetts**. Before checking into our hotel in **Billerica, Massachusetts** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Boothbay Harbor, Maine**. Upon our arrival we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Boothbay** that includes a **photo-stop at Ocean Point**. The Ocean Point area offers the perfect vantage point for taking in the rocky coastline, the islands, boat traffic, sea birds, and salt air. Following our tour, you will have leisure time to enjoy strolling through the winding streets of **Boothbay Harbor Village** while exploring the vast array of

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galleries, shops and restaurants along the waterfront. Lunch is **on your own**. Following lunch, we climb aboard **Cap'n Fish's Boat Trips** for a delightful **Boothbay Harbor cruise**, which takes us past beautiful summer homes, picturesque lighthouses, small islands, snug coves, and offers us the opportunity to view seals in their natural habitat on rock ledges. After checking into the **Boothbay Harbor Inn**, a waterfront hotel located on the east side of beautiful Boothbay Harbor for the next **two nights**, we conclude our day with a delicious **dinner** at the hotel. The Boothbay Harbor Inn is conveniently located near the famous Boothbay Harbor Footbridge, and is a short walking distance from the center of town. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for the postcard town of **Camden, Maine, "The Windjammer Tall Ship Capital of Maine"**. En route we will make a **photo-stop** at the **Summit of Mount Battie in Camden Hills State Park**, with its panoramic view of Penobscot Bay. Camden offers you a wide variety of attraction **options** for you to enjoy and create a day of adventure and exploration **on your own** including a schooner cruise; the Farnsworth Art Museum; the Maine Lighthouse Museum; and the Sail, Power and Steam Museum. Additionally, the charming Village of Camden offers you quaint shops, boutiques, galleries, and restaurants to explore. Lunch is **on your own**. Later we return to our Inn in Boothbay Harbor where you are free to design the rest of your day and do as you wish! Be captivated by the independent spirit and friendliness of the people, as you stroll through the winding streets and explore the diverse array of interesting shops. Tonight, enjoy dinner **on your own** at a local restaurant that serves up great local flavors. **(B)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for **Portland, Maine** and **Portland Discovery Tours** for a very special adventure on the water. Enjoy discovering the undeniable magic found along Maine's coast when we embark on a **2-hour narrated Lights and Sights Cruise**. Sit back, relax as we cruise through the bustling Inner Harbor and main shipping channel and make our way past Civil War era fortifications and the lighthouses that have guided mariners into Portland Harbor for over two centuries – including a close-up view of Maine's oldest and most photographed lighthouse, **Portland Head Light**. This historic lighthouse was commissioned by George Washington and built in 1791. Get a glimpse into island life while cruising past the villages and Victorian cottages among the islands. We enter Diamond Pass, long considered to be the **"Gateway to the Calendar Islands,"** view Great Diamond Island in Casco Bay, one of the most picturesque in Maine. Following our boat cruise, you will have leisure time to explore Portland's renovated **Old Port** area. So, look around, do some shopping and have lunch **on your own**. Next, we depart for **Perkins Cove in Ogunquit, Maine**, a seaside town on Maine's southern coast. Enjoy some leisure time exploring and browsing the specialty shops, stroll beautiful Ogunquit Beach and walk the Marginal Way Ocean Walk for some spectacular views along the rocky coastline. Ogunquit is one of the most photogenic spots on the Maine coast! Before checking into our hotel in **Billerica, Massachusetts** for the night, we are treated to a traditional **Maine Lobster Bake at Oarweed Restaurant** in Perkins Cove. Gorgeous views of the Atlantic Ocean and the Marginal Way await us! **(B, D)**

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home with many fond memories of our delightful tour of coastal Maine. Our relax-

ing get-away adventures allowed us to discover, sample and enjoy some of the magic created by Maine's spectacular lakes, magnificent mountains, sweeping coastal scenery and unique seaside communities! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **2 nights at Boothbay Harbor Inn**
- 4 breakfasts
- 3 dinners (including 1 lobster dinner)
- Guided Tour of Boothbay Harbor, Maine
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Thimble Islands Boat Cruise**
 - **Photo-stop at Ocean Point**
 - **Boothbay Harbor Village**
 - **Boothbay Harbor Boat Cruise**
 - **Village of Camden, Maine**
 - **Photo-stop at Summit of Mount Battie**
 - **Portland Lights and Sights Cruise**
 - **Close-up View of Portland Head Light**
 - **Portland Old Port**
 - **Ogunquit Perkins Cove**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,199.00 Double/PP \$1,079.00 Triple/PP

\$1,049.00 Triple/PP \$1,579.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: August 3, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	5:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	5:00 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	4:30 PM

September 19 (Thursday)



The Temptations Revue Tropicana Casino Atlantic City, New Jersey

For a special day of entertainment and gaming excitement travel to **Atlantic City, New Jersey** to see a matinee performance of **"The Temptations Revue"** at the **Tropicana Showroom** at the **Tropicana Casino**. One of the greatest Motown acts of all time, **The Temptations** were the most consistently commercially successful and critically acclaimed male vocal group of the 1960's and early 1970's. Featuring lead singer and Music Hall of Famer **Nate Evans**, who joined **The Temptations** after the passing of the original members, **"The Temptations Revue"** is a musical extravaganza highlighting classic songs from **The Temptations** catalog. The moves and arrangements performed by the group are adapted from original **Temptations** shows. Enjoy the timeless sounds of hits including **"The Way You Do the Things You Do," "Get Ready," "Just My Imagination," "Since**

I Lost My Baby,” and their signature #1 hit, “*My Girl.*” It’s a show of musical memories you won’t want to miss! Before the show visit the **Casino** where you will receive a **\$25.00 slot play** and a **\$20.00 food credit for lunch** compliments of **Tropicana Casino** upon arrival. Try your luck, enjoy some time gaming, and hopefully experience the thrill of winning! (L)

Price: \$179.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: August 6, 2024



	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:15 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	8:00 AM	8:00 PM
Abingdon	8:30 AM	7:30 PM

September 21 (Saturday)

Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island Liberty State Park, New Jersey



The **Statue of Liberty** is one of the abiding images of America, and **Ellis Island** is one of the country’s most important historic sites. Spend the day visiting one or both of these two landmark national parks. We will board **Statue Cruises** at **Liberty State Park** located in **New Jersey** to make our way to the islands, and as a bonus we are treated to a fabulous view of the Manhattan skyline en route. **Note: Included in your admission is access to the grounds of Ellis Island and Liberty Island, and an audio tour of Ellis Island and Liberty Island. Fast food stops will be made both en route to Liberty State Park, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$155.00
Price: \$150.00 (Senior Ages 62+)
Price: \$145.00 (Child Ages 4-12)
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: September 8, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:15 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	7:00 AM	9:00 PM
Abingdon	7:30 AM	8:30 PM

September 23-26 (Monday-Thursday)

Niagara Falls & Toronto Ontario, Canada



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to amazing **Niagara Falls, Ontario** where the spectacle and power of Mother Nature is on full display with views of **Niagara Falls**. Following lunch **on your own**, we depart for the **Canadian** and **U.S.A. border**, so have your **PASSPORTS** ready! Once across the border it’s a short ride to our

hotel, the **Country Inn & Suites**, our home for the next **three nights**. Located on the Canadian side of the falls, our hotel provides convenient walking access to the falls, (approximately 4 blocks, a 10-minute walk), with its awe-inspiring views, many fantastic attractions, and plenty of shopping! Tonight, we will enjoy a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Niagara Falls** using your **Niagara Parks Adventure Pass**. Your deluxe passport includes admission to the **Hornblower Niagara River Cruise**, (a boat ride to the base of the American Falls and then on to the basin of the magnificent Canadian Horseshoe Falls); **White Water Board Walk**, (stroll alongside and marvel at the constant power and beauty of nature); **Butterfly Conservatory**, (a year round tropical paradise where butterflies are everywhere, and if you stand perfectly still butterflies are likely to land on you); and a delicious **buffet lunch** at the **Fallsview Restaurant**, located inside the Sheraton Fallsview Hotel, 14 floors above Niagara Falls. While you dine, enjoy spectacular panoramic views of Niagara Falls, the Upper Niagara River, and scenic parklands below. Tonight, dinner is **on your own**. (B, L)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for **Toronto, Ontario**, Canada’s largest city! Upon our arrival, we meet our **step-on guide** and depart for a **tour of Toronto**. The tour will include visiting **Casa Loma**, the massive castle residence built by a Toronto financier during the early 20th-century; sprawling Queens Park; the lively entertainment district; stately University Avenue and the Provincial Parliament Buildings. After lunch **on your own**, we board a local tour boat for a delightful **Toronto harbor cruise**, which takes us past the scenic Toronto skyline and a close up look at the beautiful Toronto Islands and waterfront. Before returning to our hotel in Niagara Falls, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. (B, D)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for the **Canadian** and **U.S.A. border**, so have your **PASSPORTS** ready! Once back in the **U.S.A.** we will make a stop at a **Duty-Free Store** where you will have time for some last-minute souvenir shopping. Next, we travel home taking with us plenty of fond memories of a spectacular Canadian get-away tour! (B)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights at **Country Inn & Suites**
- 3 breakfasts
- 1 buffet lunch
- 2 dinners
- Guided Tours of Ontario, including:
 - **Niagara Falls**
 - **Toronto**
- Niagara Parks Adventure Pass, including:
 - **Hornblower Niagara River Cruise**
 - **White Water Board Walk**
 - **Butterfly Conservatory**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Casa Loma**
 - **Toronto Harbor Boat Cruise**
 - **Visit a Duty-Free Store**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:**\$999.00 Double/PP****\$929.00 Triple/PP****\$899.00 Quad/PP****\$1,249.00 Single****Deposit: \$125.00/PP****Balance Due: August 10, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:15 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:30 PM
Parkton	7:15 AM	6:00 PM

September 25 (Wednesday)

Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre
"Jersey Boys"
Lancaster, Pennsylvania

Travel to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **"Jersey Boys"**. They had a look, an attitude, and a sound like no other. Sure, they were born in Jersey. But they were made in America. **"Jersey Boys"** is a musical about Rock and Roll Hall of Famers – **The Four Seasons: Frankie Valli, Bob Gaudio, Tommy DeVito** and **Nick Massi**. This is the story of how a group of blue-collar boys from the wrong side of the tracks became one of the biggest American pop music sensations of all time. They wrote their own songs, invented their own sounds and sold 175 million records worldwide – all before they were thirty. Featuring such unforgettable classic songs as **"Sherry," "Big Girls Don't Cry," "Dawn,"** and **"My Eyes Adored You,"** **"Jersey Boys"** is the international musical sensation that tells the untold story, and takes you behind the scenes and behind the music of Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons. If you are looking for a great day out, join us at Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre for this high-spirited, high energy musical that is guaranteed to make you want to dance in the aisles. **Note: This production contains adult themes and strong language and is recommended for mature audiences.** Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. (L)

Price: \$160.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: August 12, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

\$25.00 per person service fee for any canceled tour. If you transfer or hold funds on account, the service charge is waived one time!

September 26 (Thursday)

Sight & Sound Theatre
"DANIEL"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Strasburg, Pennsylvania



The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. (L)

Price: \$209.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: August 13, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

September 27-29 (Friday-Sunday)

Neptune Festival
Virginia Beach, Virginia



Travel to **Virginia Beach, Virginia** with **Gunther Tours** to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the **Virginia Beach Neptune Festival**. The festival weekend is three fun-packed days and nights of events and entertainment which attracts visitors and guests to the **Virginia Beach oceanfront boardwalk**. The signature event of the festival is the **North American Sand Sculpting Competition**. One of the largest competitions of its kind on the East Coast, the event has one of the biggest prize purses in the U.S. and draws more than 300 artists in its professional masters and amateur divisions. Other festival weekend highlights include daily outdoor concerts along 32 blocks of the boardwalk, featuring a variety of live musical performances, more than 300 artisans displaying and selling their works, a spectacular fireworks display over the Atlantic Ocean, a volleyball tournament, a surfing classic, an Atlantic Regatta, and a 5K and 8K run. Our **oceanfront accommodations** for the next **two nights** are at the **Surfbreak Oceanfront Hotel**, which has private balconies with stunning views of the Atlantic Ocean. Be

sure to bring your bathing suit and take advantage of the hotel's seasonal outdoor pool. **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 2 nights at **Surfbreak Oceanfront Hotel**
- 2 breakfasts
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Neptune Festival**
 - **Sand Sculpting Competition**
 - **Virginia Beach Trolley One Day Pass**
 - **Chesapeake Bay Bridge Tunnel**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver and Tour Manager Gratuities

Price:

\$599.00 Double/PP \$509.00 Triple/PP

\$469.00 Quad/PP \$869.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: August 14, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	7:00 AM	7:45 PM
Gunther	7:45 AM	7:00 PM

September 27 (Friday)

Switzerland of America & Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania



Travel with **Gunther Tours** to the quaint Victorian town of **Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania**, nestled in the breathtaking **Lehigh River Gorge**. Jim Thorpe has been called the **"Switzerland of America"** due to the picturesque scenery, mountainous location, and architecture. Also known as the **"Gateway to the Poconos,"** the town has a fascinating history of romance, struggle, survival, boom, bust and revival. Originally named Mauch Chunk, during the Victorian era 19 of the country's 26 millionaires had a residence in Mauch Chunk, and the town was second only to Niagara Falls as the most visited tourist destination. In 1953 following the death of renowned athlete and Olympic medal winner Jim Thorpe, the struggling town decided to memorialize and adopted the name of Jim Thorpe. A member of the Sac and Fox Nation from Oklahoma, he began his legendary sports career as a student at the Carlisle Indian Industrial School in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and later he would become one of the greatest athletes of all time, breaking racial barriers in the process. You will have leisure time to explore the charming shops, local boutiques, antique shops, Main Street merchants, restaurants, pubs, and art galleries, all within walking distance. Lunch is **on your own**. Next surround yourself with the scenic beauty of the **Pocono Mountains on a 70-minute excursion on board the Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway**. The **narrated round trip** follows the majestic Lehigh River over bridges, through Glen Onoko, and into the Lehigh Gorge State Park. High-rising cliffs, mountain scenery, and wildlife surround the train along the forested route to Old Penn Haven.

Join **Gunther Tours** for a day of adventure and exploration in this charming Victorian town and experiencing the beauty of the Pocono Mountains! **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Jim Thorpe, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$149.00

Price: \$139.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: August 14, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:30 AM	9:30 PM
Carney	7:15 AM	8:45 PM
Abingdon	7:45 AM	8:15 PM

October 1 (Tuesday)

Root's Country Market & Lunch at Shady Maple Manheim, Pennsylvania



The **Root's Market** comes alive every Tuesday morning in the little country town of **Manheim, Pennsylvania** in Lancaster County. Root's Market features over 200 vendors, merchants, and craftsmen, so it is no surprise that thousands of area shoppers have visited this local market weekly since 1925. Root's Market is filled with bakeries, delis, butchers, local and imported produce, handmade crafts and much more! Also, bargain hunters will enjoy browsing at variety of vendors offering antiques, collectibles, estate jewelry, household items and more at the Root's Old Mill Flea Market. From fresh local produce to grocery shopping to antiques, this booming country market can satisfy any shopper . . . there's something for everyone at Root's! After our market visit, we depart for **East Earl, Pennsylvania**. Upon our arrival, we enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch at Shady Maple Smorgasbord**. After lunch visit the **Shady Maple Gift Shop** which features over 20,000 square feet of unique gift items, collectibles, dolls, Fenton Glassware, accessories, Amish crafted oak furniture, baskets, and much, much more! Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. **Note: Please make sure you are an able walker before booking onto this trip. Wear comfortable walking shoes. This trip is not suitable for people who have trouble with mobility! (L)**

Price: \$129.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: August 18, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:45 AM	6:15 PM
Carney	7:30 AM	5:30 PM
Parkton	8:00 AM	5:00 PM

**BOOK EARLY!
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October 1-13 (Tuesday-Sunday)

**Texas Lone Star Adventure
& The Pioneer Woman Mercantile
& Magnolia Market & The Silos**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach today as we make our way to the twenty-eighth state in the Union – **Texas**. Soon you will discover for yourself why **Texas** is fittingly called “*The Lone Star State*”. Meanwhile relax, enjoy the ride, the changing scenery, and the on-board activities as we travel westward. After checking into our hotel in **Dayton, Ohio** for the night, enjoy dinner *on your own* at a local restaurant, (Panera Bread or Red Lobster), adjacent to our hotel.

Day 2: After **breakfast** settle back, relax, and enjoy the changing landscape on our drive through **Indiana** and **Illinois** and crossing over the **Mississippi River**, to reach the “*Gateway to the West*,” **St. Louis, Missouri**. The Gateway Arch, located on the banks of the Mississippi River, is a 630-foot tall arch that stands as a symbol of the city of St. Louis and the western expansion of the United States. A lunch break and **photo-stop** at the **Gateway Arch** is included. Lunch is *on your own*. Next, we depart for our overnight accommodations at the **Drury Inn & Suites** in southwest **St. Louis, Missouri**. Tonight, we are treated to the **Manager’s Reception with free hot food & cold beverages, including beer, wine and mixed drinks** before retiring to our room for a good night’s sleep. (B, MR)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for “*The Sooner State*,” and **Pawhuska, Oklahoma**, the hometown of the Food Network TV show host **Ree Drummond**, known as the “*Pioneer Woman*”. **The Pioneer Woman Mercantile** is Ree Drummond’s beloved restaurant, bakery, and general store in the heart of Osage County, Oklahoma. Ree and Ladd Drummond spent years renovating the hundred-year-old Osage Mercantile building on Main Street so that they could welcome visitors from near, and far and give them a slice of small-town hospitality. Upon our arrival, we will visit the **Pioneer Woman’s Mercantile** for some shopping. “The Merc” has gorgeous goods, comfort foods, fresh-made pastries, delicious coffee, and plenty of fun to dish out. The general store boasts every kind of merchandise from beaded bracelets and handmade leather goods to apparel. Before checking into our hotel in **Stillwater, Oklahoma** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **4-course dinner at the Mercantile Event Venue**. (B, D)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for **Oklahoma City, Oklahoma**. Upon our arrival, we will visit the **National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum**. The complex is a national memorial to the men and women who pioneered the West. The museum features an extensive collection of western art, historic artifacts, exhibits of American Indian and pioneer life, and statues of Buffalo Bill and “The End of the Trail”. Following our tour, we depart for our **Frisco, Texas** hotel. Our accommodations for the next **three nights** are at the **Drury Inn & Suites**, a *perennial favorite* of **Gunther Tours** travelers! After checking into our hotel, rest, and refresh in the comfort of your spacious room before we go out for a delicious authentic **family style Italian dinner**. (B, D)

Day 5: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Fort Worth**. Highlights of our tour will include the **Longhorn Cattle Drive in the Stockyards National Historic District**, and a delicious **lunch** at a restaurant that serves up great local flavors. Following lunch, “Giddy Up” to the **Stockyards National Historic District** and explore the **Stockyards Museum** where legends are memorialized and shop for unique Texas gifts. You’ll find authentic boots, hats, and apparel at **Stockyards Station**. Soak up history at the **National Cowgirl Museum and Hall of Fame**, the world’s only museum dedicated to honoring women of the American West. From Annie Oakley to Jessie the Cowgirl from Toy Story, you will discover rare photographs, fascinating artifacts and interactive displays. We conclude the day with dinner *on your own* at **Sundance Square**, a 35-block shopping and entertainment district where charming, beautifully restored buildings stand alongside glittering skyscrapers before we return to our hotel for a restful night’s sleep. (B, L)

Day 6: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Dallas**. Dallas is most noted as the site of the assassination of John Fitzgerald Kennedy, the 35th President of the United States in Dealey Plaza on November 22, 1963. We will visit **The Sixth Floor Museum**, located on the sixth floor within the former Texas School Book Depository building, which became the primary crime scene and epicenter of the nation’s shock, grief, and outrage. The Museum chronicles the assassination, its aftermath and legacy of President John F. Kennedy. Following our tour, we depart for **Grapevine, Texas**, a cultural and historic gem in North Texas, known for its restored 19th and 20th century buildings. Grapevine is a mix of small-town charm and urban style. The vibrant downtown area is home to specialty shops, boutiques, galleries, entertainment, numerous restaurants and fun attractions. There is something for everyone on Grapevine’s Main Street. Enjoy dinner *on your own* at one of many restaurants; choose from fast food restaurants to sit down dining establishments. (B)

Day 7: After **breakfast** we depart for **Waco, Texas**, the hometown of **Chip & Joanna Gaines**. Upon our arrival we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart on “*The Amazing Fixer Upper Tour*,” stopping at all the familiar spots from Chip and Joanna’s HGTV’s Fixer Upper television show. We will see many of the homes, shops, and historical landmarks featured on the show as well as the Gaines’ upcoming projects in the area. Following our tour, you will have free time for lunch *on your own* and for shopping at **Magnolia Market & the Silos**. You can immerse yourselves in Chip and Joanna Gaines’ collection of boutiques showcasing housewares, gifts, garden supplies, and apparel. At The Silos Baking Company café refuel from shopping while enjoying something sweet from a delicious selection of cupcakes, pastries, and other treats. Next, we will visit the **Texas Ranger Hall of Fame & Museum**. This museum is dedicated to the history and lore of the legendary Texas Rangers, the oldest state law enforcement agency with statewide jurisdiction in the nation. Enjoy a *self-guided tour* learning about these famous lawmen and see exhibits with more than 14,000 artifacts. These objects represent more than two centuries worth of material culture relating to the history of the Rangers and Texas. Later we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant after checking into our hotel in Waco for the night. (B, D)

Day 8: After **breakfast** we depart for **Austin, Texas**. Upon our arrival, we will visit the **Bullock Texas State History Museum**, located a few blocks north of the Texas State Capitol. Named for the state's former Lieutenant Governor Bob Bullock, who championed the preservation and exhibition of Texas history and worked to establish its creation, the Museum is dedicated to interpreting the continually unfolding "Story of Texas" through three floors of interactive exhibits. Following our tour, we depart for **lunch at County Line**. Located in a historic old "Speak-easy," the County Line on the Hill offers an incredible 20-mile view of the beautiful Texas Hill Country, and serves up award winning barbeque in a relaxed setting, that's so good you'll want to **"Get It all Over Ya!"** After lunch, we depart for our **San Antonio, Texas** hotel. Our accommodations for the next **two nights** are at the **Drury Inn & Suites River Walk**, a **perennial favorite** of **Gunther Tours** travelers! Tonight, we are treated to the **Manager's Reception with free hot food & cold beverages, including beer, wine and mixed drinks** before retiring to our room for a good night's sleep. **(B, L, MR)**

Day 9: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of San Antonio**. Highlights of our tour include visiting the **Mission San José**, the **"Queen of the Missions,"** built in 1777 and once occupied by over 300 people. The Spanish and Moorish design is reflected in the Cathedral and surrounding buildings. Spanish missions were not churches, but communities with the church as the focus. Next, we discover more of San Antonio's rich history at **The Alamo**, where Davey Crockett, Jim Bowie, and 185 Texans under the command of Col. William Travis, 189 Texan soldiers bravely defended the fort for 13 days before finally succumbing to Dictator Santa Anna and 5,000 Mexican troops in early 1836. The Alamo is by far the most famous historical site in Texas, playing a significant role in Texas' quest for independence from Mexico. After our tour you are free to design the rest of your day and do as you wish! Soak up the Spanish flavor of this picturesque city as you climb aboard **Go Rio's 35-minute San Antonio River Walk boat cruise** at your leisure. Sit back and relax as you travel up the river surrounded by the city's culture, history, architecture, and timeless charm while passing by sidewalk cafés, cabarets, boutiques, and hotels that line the famous San Antonio River Walk. Tonight, dinner is **on your own**. **(B)**

Day 10: After **breakfast** we depart for **Houston, Texas**. Upon our arrival, we will visit the **Space Center Houston**. We'll go behind the scenes on the NASA Tram Tour and you will have the opportunity to get an up-close look at real NASA facilities. Highlights of our behind-the-scenes journey may include visiting the Historic Mission Control Center, the Space Vehicle Mockup Facility or the current Mission Control Center. After checking into our hotel rest and refresh in the comfort of your spacious room before we go out for a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(B, D)**

Day 11: After **breakfast** we depart for **Scott, Louisiana** for an included **lunch**. Following lunch, enjoy a stop at **Martin Accordions**. Junior Martin and his family will show you how they build their world-famous hand-crafted accordions, and later the Martin's keep the legacy of Cajun music alive when they play a sampling of Cajun music. Cajun music is a native Louisiana art form rooted in the ballads of the Acadians of Canada. After checking into our hotel in **Mobile, Alabama**, for the night, enjoy dinner **on your own** at a local restaurant, located within easy

walking distance of the hotel. **(B, L)**

Day 12: After **breakfast** we depart for **"The Palmetto State," South Carolina**. Your on-board **Gunther Tours Manager** will help pass the time by playing games and showing a movie or two to enjoy, and scheduling quiet time to relax, while taking in the changing scenery along the highway. After checking into our hotel in **Greenville, South Carolina**, for the night, enjoy dinner **on your own** at a local restaurant (Cracker Barrel Old Country Store), adjacent to our hotel. **(B)**

Day 13: After **breakfast** we depart for home having enjoyed the fellowship of friends old and new on our **2024 Texas Lone Star Adventure** tour. We return filled with many cherished memories of a wonderful visit to **"The Lone Star State"** and a deeper appreciation for the unique character of the West South Central Region of the country and our nation's westward expansion, its historical legacy, culture, and its amazing people! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- **Robin Zahor – Gunther Tours Manager**
- 12 nights hotel accommodations
- 12 breakfasts
- 3 lunches
- 4 dinners
- 2 Manager's Reception w/ hot food & cold drinks
- Guided Tour of Texas, including:
 - **Fort Worth and Dallas**
 - **Waco and San Antonio**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Photo-stop at Gateway Arch**
 - **Pioneer Woman's Mercantile**
 - **National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum**
 - **Stockyards National Historic District**
 - **Stockyards Museum**
 - **National Cowgirl Museum & Hall of Fame**
 - **The Sixth Floor Museum**
 - **Magnolia Market & The Silos**
 - **Texas Ranger Hall of Fame & Museum**
 - **Bullock Texas State History Museum**
 - **Mission San Jose**
 - **The Alamo**
 - **San Antonio River Walk Boat Cruise**
 - **Space Center Houston**
 - **Martin Accordions**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guides Gratuities

Price:

\$3,549.00 Double/PP \$3,189.00 Triple

\$2,999.00 Quad/PP \$4,749.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

1st Deposit Non-Refundable after July 5, 2024

2nd Deposit: \$250.00/PP – Due July 5, 2024

Balance Due: August 18, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	8:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	7:00 PM

October 3 (Thursday)

BINGO Lunch Cruise **On the Choptank River Queen** **Hurlock, Maryland**



Come aboard the “*Choptank River Queen*,” a working replica of an authentic Stern Wheeler Riverboat, for a special **BINGO Lunch Cruise**. Pull up your seat, take out your **BINGO** accessories, make yourself comfortable and get ready for an exciting afternoon of **BINGO** play and much more! **Win prizes!** There will be plenty of fun for everyone while you play 3 cards per **BINGO** game! Before the hour-long **BINGO** bonanza begins, relax and enjoy the fellowship of friends old and new while cruising along the Choptank River enjoying a delicious **crab cake & fried chicken combo platter lunch**. Your meal will include potato of the day, green vegetable, dessert, and non-alcoholic beverage. **Good Luck! (L)**

Price: \$145.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: August 20, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	9:00 AM	5:00 PM
Gunther	9:45 AM	4:15 PM

October 5 (Saturday)



National September 11 Museum **New York City, New York**

Today's day trip is to the **National September 11 Memorial Museum**, which was completed and opened to the public in 2014. The National September 11 Memorial Museum is an educational and historical institution honoring the nearly 3,000 people killed in the terror attacks of September 11, 2001 and serves as the country's principal institution for examining the implications of the events of 9/11, documenting the impact of those events and exploring the continuing significance of September 11, 2001. The Museum's 110,000 square feet of exhibition space is located within the archaeological heart of the World Trade Center site. The story of 9/11 is experienced through multimedia displays, archives, narratives and a collection of monumental and authentic artifacts which allow the viewer to understand what happened on 9/11, how people responded in the aftermath of the attacks, and the history and rebuilding of the World Trade Center. **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to the New York City, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$155.00

Price: \$150.00 (Senior Ages 65+)

Price: \$145.00 (Child Ages 7-17)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: August 22, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:30 AM	10:30 PM
Carney	8:15 AM	9:45 PM
Abingdon	8:45 AM	9:15 PM

October 7-11 (Monday-Friday)

Autumn in Vermont **“A Colorful Journey”** **Killington, Vermont**



Immerse yourself in the autumnal beauty of “The Green Mountain State,” Vermont, and enjoy the picturesque scenery filled with blazing autumn foliage of yellow, red, and orange! Vermont is one of the most breathtaking states to visit in America during this time of year. Discover Vermont's fascinating cultural and historical sites, natural beauty, mountains, small towns and pastoral landscapes, and tasty flavors all set against a spectacular backdrop of gold, rust and crimson fall foliage. Join Gunther Tours on this vivid fall adventure and colorful get-away! Book Early!

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Welcome to “The Green Mountain State,” Vermont with its spectacular mountains, white steeple-crowned villages, covered bridges and the brilliant colors of the fall foliage! Before checking into the **Hampton Inn in Rutland, Vermont** for the next **three nights**, enjoy a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. Our accommodations are set amidst Killington's breathtaking mountain views! **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a day of **Vermont sightseeing**. We begin at the **Shelburne Museum** in **Shelburne, Vermont**. Known as “The Best Collection of Americana in New England,” you will have time to discover its historic buildings, gardens and galleries **on your own**. Spread out over 39 buildings, the unique museum not only pays homage to New England architecture, but also houses a world-renowned collection of art and whimsical Americana including the steamboat *Ticonderoga*. You will see a vast collection of fine and decorative art, paintings, folk sculptures, and more. Lunch is **on your own** at the museum cafeteria. The next stop of the day will be a visit to the **Vermont Teddy Bear Company**. During our fun, clever, and educational tour, you will learn how teddy bears are put together from start to finish as you view the creative process in action. Enjoy the tour and watch the teddy bears come to life! Before returning to our hotel for a good night's rest, we are treated to a **gourmet dinner** and **live cooking demo featuring a local Vermont chef**. Enjoy being entertained “in the kitchen,” learning cooking tips and recipes, and in the end **TASTE** the delicious results! **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for another day of **Vermont sightseeing**. We begin at **Hildene**, Robert Todd-Lincoln's family estate for a **self-guided tour**. The only child of Abraham and Mary Todd Lincoln to survive to maturity, Robert Todd Lincoln built Hildene, a Georgian revival mansion, at the turn of the 20th century. At the time, he was president of the Pullman Company, the largest manufacturing cor-

poration in the country. Today the 412-acre estate includes the stately home, formal gardens and observatory, a 1903 Pullman car, and much, much more! Next, we travel to the picturesque New England community of **Manchester, Vermont**, where you will have some leisure time to explore the town's popular outlet stores, specialty and boutique shops and restaurants before we continue onto **Weston, Vermont**. Lunch is *on your own*. The next stop of the day will be a visit to the **Vermont Country Store**, a general store from yesteryear owned and operated by 7th and 8th generation Vermonters. Browse the shelves for Vermont made products including fudge, candies, and cheeses, and much, much more! We conclude our Vermont touring day in **Plymouth Notch, Vermont**, with a visit to the **Coolidge Historic Site**, the birthplace and boyhood home of President Calvin Coolidge for a *self-guided tour*. Calvin Coolidge is brought to life through an interactive exhibit, objects, photographs, newsreels, personal correspondence, political cartoons and the renowned work of Jim Cooke, the re-enactor acclaimed for his insightful portrayal of President Coolidge. The historic site dedicated to our 30th President includes President Coolidge's birthplace, his homestead, a one-room schoolhouse, a general store, a carriage barn, and historical museum. Before returning to the hotel, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a restaurant that serves up great local flavors. **(B, D)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for one of the most historic cities in the United States – **Boston, Massachusetts** to visit the **John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum**, dedicated to the memory of our nation's thirty-fifth president. Designed by the architect I. M. Pei, the Modernist structure, the library and museum are considered by many to be an architectural masterpiece. Enjoy an included **box lunch**, prior to reliving the story of the Kennedy years on a *self-guided tour*. The building holds official presidential documents and correspondence, a wealth of multimedia exhibits and artifacts, and literary gems such as some unpublished writings of Ernest Hemingway. Get a first-hand experience as you enter the recreated world of Kennedy's life, legacy and leadership. Later we depart for **Billerica, Massachusetts**, a suburb of Boston, where we spend the night at the **Hampton Inn**. After checking into our hotel, you will have time to unwind and freshen up before going out for an Italian style **dinner**. Enjoy a savory meal at the **Tuscan Kitchen**, one of the most beloved restaurants in New England. Feast on delicious regional Italian cuisine that combines the freshest ingredients with time-honored preparation to create a truly incredible culinary experience! **(B, L, D)**

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home with many pleasant memories of Vermont's rich history and its brilliant landscape highlighted with the colors of fall on an amazing Autumn getaway! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **3 nights at Hampton Inn – Rutland, Vermont**
- 4 breakfasts
- 1 box lunch
- 4 dinners (including 1 gourmet dinner & cooking demo)
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Shelburne Museum**
 - **Vermont Teddy Bear Company**
 - **Hildene**

- **Manchester, Vermont**
- **Vermont Country Store**
- **Coolidge Historic Site**
- **John F. Kennedy Presidential Library & Museum**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$1,349.00 Double/PP \$1,259.00 Triple/PP

\$1,209.00 Quad/PP \$1,719.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: August 24, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	6:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	6:00 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	5:30 PM

October 8 (Tuesday)



Tribute to Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons "Oh, What A Night!" Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

For a special day of entertainment and gaming excitement travel to **Bethlehem, Pennsylvania** to see a matinee performance of **"Oh, What A Night!"** a **Musical Tribute to Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons** at the **Wind Creek Event Center** at the **Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem**. This four-member vocal group includes performers from the National Touring company of the **"Jersey Boys"** and includes the hit songs **"Sherry," "Big Girls Don't Cry," "Walk Like a Man," "Can't Take My Eyes Off You," "My Eyes Adored You," "Let's Hang On"** and **"Who Loves You"** along with many more from the dynamic songbook of those boys from Jersey. **"Oh, What A Night!"** stays true to the original recordings, it must be pointed out that the cast is singing live and not lip-syncing! This exhilarating matinee show full of ageless pop songs that have become classics, continues to delight audiences with great choreography, boundless energy and humor! Before the show visit the **Casino** where you will receive a **\$30.00 slot play** and a **\$15.00 food credit** for **lunch** compliments of the **Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem** upon arrival. Try your luck, enjoy some time gaming, and hopefully experience the thrill of winning! **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Bethlehem, and on the return trip home. (L)**

Price: \$189.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: August 25, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:30 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:45 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	7:15 PM



October 12 (Saturday)

**Penn's Cave & Wildlife Park
& Charmed Box Lunch, Included
Centre Hall, Pennsylvania**



America's only all-water cavern and wildlife park are nestled in Central Pennsylvania's scenic Penn State Country. The **cavern tour is a guided one-hour tour by motorboat on an underground stream.** Along the limestone corridors, stalagmites, stalactites, flowstone cascades and draperies decorate the interior rooms, while underwater, trout swim and jump for feed! The **farm and wildlife tour is a guided 90-minute motorized tour over the thousand acres of Penn's Cave forests and fields** which have been carefully preserved as a natural habitat for birds, plants, and animals. North American animals, such as deer, elk, wolves, bears, bison, and mustangs are seen, as well as longhorn cattle. Come to Penn's Cave – it's a beautiful journey you will always remember! A **box lunch** is included today. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Ham Club Wrap, Turkey Club Wrap, Chicken Salad Wrap** or **Veggie Wrap.** *Note:* Fast food stops will be made both en route to Centre Hall, and on the return trip home. Please make sure you are an able walker before booking onto this trip. Penn's Cave does not have an elevator and there are 48 steps located at the main entrance to the cave. A sweater or jacket is recommended because the temperature is 52 degrees, and wear comfortable walking shoes, (no heels). This tour is not suitable for people who have trouble with mobility! (BL)

Price: \$175.00

Price: \$170.00 (Teen Ages 13-18)

Price: \$165.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: August 29, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:00 AM	10:00 PM
Carney	7:45 AM	9:15 PM
Parkton	8:15 AM	8:45 PM

October 14-17 (Monday-Thursday)

**Lobsterfest & Newport Playhouse
Plus, Marble & Rosecliff Mansions
Newport, Rhode Island**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Settle back, relax and enjoy a leisurely drive to "**The Ocean State,**" Rhode Island for the beginning of a great get-away filled with sightseeing, delicious food, entertainment, and shopping! Our first destination today is **Mystic, Connecticut.** Upon our arrival, enjoy some leisure time at **Olde Mistick Village,** a recreated picturesque 18th-century New England town with small independent shops, boutiques, restaurants and much more! Following our visit, we travel to

Middletown, Rhode Island, a suburb of Newport, where we spend the next **three nights** at the **Wyndham Newport Hotel.** After checking into our hotel, rest and refresh in the comfort of your spacious room before we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at the hotel. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide,** and depart for a **tour of Newport's two famous scenic routes.** First, we will visit **Bellevue Avenue** which is lined with opulent "summer cottages," and then we travel along **Ten Mile Ocean Drive** where we will view more stunning estates and enjoy spectacular views of the ocean! Following our riding tour, we visit the **Newport Playhouse & Cabaret Restaurant** for the highlight of our tour. You will dine on a **Lobsterfest** for lunch, followed by a lighthearted play, and after the "curtain falls" watch as the dining room is transformed into a delightful Cabaret where the Company Members continue to entertain us with songs and laughter! Next, we enjoy a visit to the **Brick Market Place** for some shopping and dinner **on your own.** Containing over 25 unique shops and eateries, Brick Market Place includes three parallel rows of businesses offering everything you could dream of from Fashion to Shoes to handmade Gifts and Souvenirs. (B, L)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we'll visit the **Marble House,** for a **self-guided audio tour.** Built between 1888 and 1892 by Mr. William K. Vanderbilt as a birthday gift for his dynamic wife Alva, a leading hostess in Newport society who envisioned Marble House as her "temple to the arts" in America. The house contains 500,000 cubic feet of marble and a Chinese Tea House built on the seaside cliffs, where Alva hosted rallies for women's right to vote. Next, we visit **Bowen's Wharf,** the Anchor of the Newport Waterfront, and premiere shopping and dining destination! Along brick walks and granite quays are redeveloped 18th-century sailmaker's shops, sail-drying lofts, and a variety of commercial wharf buildings that were essential for a busy maritime wharf and the establishing of Newport as a thriving seaport in one of the finest natural harbors in New England. Here you will find fragrant soaps and body lotions, unique jewelry, the latest fashions for women and men, and a diverse selection of tasty eateries and great restaurants. Lunch is **on your own.** Next, we climb aboard the **Amazing Grace** for a **narrated cruise through Newport Harbor and Narragansett Bay.** The **one-hour scenic cruise** includes close-up views of the lighthouses, sailing ships and yachts, grand ocean front estates, and more. Tonight, enjoy dinner **on your own** at the hotel's restaurant. (B)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we will visit **Rosecliff,** for a **self-guided audio tour.** Commissioned by Nevada silver heiress Theresa Fair Oelrichs in 1899, architect Stanford White modeled this mansion after the Grand Trianon, the garden retreat of French Kings at Versailles. The magnificent ballroom, the largest in Newport, was the site of fabulous parties, including a fairy tale dinner and a party featuring famed magician Harry Houdini. Rosecliff has been the setting for several movies including "**The Great Gatsby,**" "**True Lies,**" "**Amistad**" and "**27 Dresses**". Following our tour, settle back for a relaxing drive home while you enjoy fresh memories from a terrific "**Ocean State**" get-away, the New England seacoast and maritime history and the opulence of America's Gilded Age. (B)

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- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
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- 3 breakfasts
- 1 Lobsterfest
- 1 dinner
- Guided Tour of Newport, Rhode Island, including
 - **Bellevue Avenue**
 - **Ten Mile Ocean Drive**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Olde Mistick Village**
 - **Newport Playhouse & Cabaret Restaurant**
 - **Brick Market Place**
 - **Marble House**
 - **Bowen's Wharf**
 - **Newport Harbor Cruise**
 - **Rosecliff**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:**\$1,019.00 Double/PP \$959.00 Triple/PP****\$929.00 Quad/PP \$1,289.00 Single****Deposit: \$125.00/PP****Balance Due: August 31, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	9:00 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	8:15 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	7:45 PM

October 18-20 (Friday-Sunday)

**Ghosts, Witches & Gravestones &
The Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular!**
Coastal New England


Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Are you ready for a chilling, thrilling, and frightening ghostly tour that will keep you smiling throughout your coastal New England weekend get-away? Settle back and enjoy a scary movie on our drive to **Providence, Rhode Island** and the **Roger Williams Park Zoo**. Upon our arrival, we are treated to a delicious **harvest buffet dinner**. After dinner, we are escorted to the park entrance for **priority admission** to the area's most exciting Halloween event, the **Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular!** You will be delighted and amazed by this breathtaking display of thousands of **illuminated Jack-O-Lanterns**, with over 125 of them artistically carved and displayed in scenes to play out the annual theme. Hundreds of glowing Jack-O-Lanterns on the ground and high up in the trees surround carved giants (pumpkins weighing well over 1,000 pounds) enhanced by professional lighting, amid spooky fog and music and sound effects, this must-see event is a delight for all senses! Later we travel to **Billerica, Massachusetts**, a suburb of Boston, where we spend **two nights** at the **Hampton Inn**. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Salem, Massachusetts**. Upon our arrival, we meet our **tour guide** and depart for a *walk-*

ing introduction to Salem. We will visit the **Salem Witch Museum** and relive the hysteria of the famous 1692 Witch Trials, and learn about the witch hysteria that overtook Salem in the 17th-century. Next, we attend a **live performance of "Cry Innocent."** You are the jury at the trial of Bridget Bishop, accused of witchcraft. Hear the testimony, ask questions and you decide the verdict – *innocent, or guilty?* After the performance, lunch is *on your own* in one of Salem's restaurants or at one of the food vendors at the festival grounds. Today the **Village of Salem** comes alive with the spirit of Halloween in celebration of **Salem's Haunted Happenings**. Enjoy the fun-filled festivities which include haunted houses, psychic readers, live entertainment, special museums events and delicious eateries. Dinner is *on your own* at the festival grounds in Salem, followed by **Haunted Footsteps Ghost Tour**, a spooky *walking tour* featuring tales of local murders, spectral assaults and haunted houses! After a day of entertainment, shopping and sightseeing, we return to our hotel for a good night's sleep. **(B)**
Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for **Fall River, Massachusetts** and the **Lizzie Borden House**, site of one of the most famous crimes in American history. Relive the shocking and sensational 1892 murders of the Borden family, as we tour this Victorian home turned into a Bed & Breakfast Inn. Following lunch *on your own*, settle back and enjoy another scary movie on our drive home, while conjuring up your own haunting memories from your ghostly New England weekend get-away. **Happy Halloween! (B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 2 nights at **Hampton Inn**
- 2 breakfasts
- 1 harvest buffet dinner
- 1 afternoon of live entertainment
- Guided Walking Introduction to Salem, Massachusetts
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular!**
 - **Salem Witch Museum**
 - **Performance of "Cry Innocent"**
 - **Salem's Haunted Happenings**
 - **Haunted Footsteps Ghost Tour**
 - **Lizzie Borden House**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Tour Guides Gratuities

Price:**\$719.00 Double/PP \$679.00 Triple/PP****\$649.00 Quad/PP \$889.00 Single****\$559.00 (Child Ages 5-17 with 2 paying adults)****Deposit: \$125.00/PP****Balance Due: September 4, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	9:00 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	8:30 PM

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October 19 (Saturday)

**Pocono Mountains Fall Foliage
Plus, Fall Foliage Festival
Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania**



Come celebrate all things fall with **Gunther Tours** by spending the day in the quaint Victorian town of **Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania**, nestled in the breathtaking **Lehigh River Gorge**. The town of Jim Thorpe is bursting with history, romance, and family fun adventure! You will have leisure time to explore the charming shops, local boutiques, antique shops, Main Street merchants, restaurants, pubs, and art galleries, all within walking distance. The **Jim Thorpe Fall Foliage Festival** will be taking place, so explore and enjoy the free activities, live music, delicious foods, and check out the local artisans selling handmade arts and crafts. Lunch is *on your own*. Next you will be surrounded with the colors and splendor of autumn in the **Pocono Mountains** on a **45-minute excursion on board the Lehigh Gorge Scenic Railway**. The **narrated round trip** follows the majestic Lehigh River over bridges, through Glen Onoko, and into the Lehigh Gorge State Park. High-rising cliffs, mountain scenery, and wildlife surround the train along the forested route to Old Penn Haven. Enjoy the splendor of fall in the Pocono Mountains with **Gunther Tours**! **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Jim Thorpe, and on the return trip home.**

Price: \$140.00

Price: \$120.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: September 5, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:15 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	6:45 PM

October 21-24 (Monday-Thursday)

**Coastal Maine in the Fall
“Beautiful Place by The Sea”
Ogunquit, Maine**

NEW!



*If you are looking for an idyllic New England getaway, **Ogunquit, Maine**, “Beautiful Place by The Sea” is the perfect destination to visit with **Gunther Tours**! With tourist centers, beaches, quaint boutiques, galleries and shops, a vibrant artistic community and more, there are many fun things to discover and experience in **Ogunquit Maine**! There is something enchanting about visiting a seaside town! **Do not miss this NEW tour! Book Early!***

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach as we make our way north towards the resort town of **Ogunquit, Maine**, a seaside town on Maine’s southern coast. This delightful coastal community is home to **Ogun-**

quit Beach, a long, sandy peninsula with grassy dunes, which lies between the Atlantic Ocean and the Ogunquit River. After checking into the luxurious **Anchorage by the Sea** for the next **three nights**, we conclude our travel day with a delicious **dinner** at the hotel’s restaurant. Ogunquit’s premier waterfront resort offers heated pools and hot tubs, and has direct access onto the **Marginal Way**, a cliff walk with spectacular views of the surrounding coastline, benches, and a lighthouse. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a day of **Maine sightseeing**. We begin with a **tour of York, Maine**, one of the nation’s oldest cities, originally settled in 1624. Included on our tour is a **photo-stop** at the **Nubble Lighthouse**, one of the most frequently photographed and painted lighthouses on the New England coast. Our tour continues onto **Kennebunkport** to view Colonial Mansions, a drive past former President Bush’s summer estate on Walker’s Point, and the Wedding Cake House, a treasured local landmark. We will stop at the **St. Anthony Franciscan Monastery**, an active monastery, where you can experience the beauty and serenity of the monastery grounds, designed by Frederick Law Olmstead Brothers. Explore the English gardens, walking paths, statuary, outdoor grotto, and shrine, plus the Chapel with stained glass from Lithuania, and gift shop by the chapel. Following our tour, you will have free time to enjoy exploring **Dock Square**, nestled in the center of **downtown Kennebunkport**, with its galleries, shops, and restaurants. After lunch *on your own*, we depart for **Portland, Maine**. Portland is Maine’s largest city, situated on Casco Bay at the beginning of the **“Rocky Coast of Maine.”** The **tour of Portland** will take us into Portland’s beautifully preserved Victorian district, and past the grand dame of Portland architecture, the “Victoria Mansion,” and the Wadsworth Longfellow House, where four generations of one remarkable family lived, and made significant contributions to the political, literary, and culture life of New England and the United States. We will also view Portland’s busy, working waterfront and Casco Bay Islands. A **photo-stop** will be included at **Portland Harbor Lighthouse**. Following our tour enjoy some leisure time at Portland’s renovated **Old Port** area browsing, shopping, and having dinner *on your own* before returning to our resort for a good night’s sleep. **(B)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** you are free to design the rest of your day and do as you wish! Ogunquit offers you a wide variety of attractions for you to enjoy and to create a day of adventure and exploration *on your own*. Enjoy miles of sandy beaches, scenic coast, art galleries along with great shopping opportunities and wonderful local dining. Be sure to bring your bathing suit and take advantage of the heated pools and hot tubs at the resort. So, unwind, explore, shop, dine and be entertained to your heart’s desire in Ogunquit, one of the most photogenic spots on the Maine coast! Tonight, we wrap up our stay at Anchorage by the Sea with a delicious dinner full of tasty Maine favorites, when served an authentic Maine **lobster dinner** with all the trimmings at **Foster’s Clambakes**. **(B, D)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for home with many fond memories of our delightful tour of coastal Maine. Our relaxing get-away adventures allowed us to discover, sample and enjoy the allure of Maine’s sandy beaches, sweeping coastal scenery, great shopping and dining and unique seaside communities! **(B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights at **Anchorage by the Sea**
- 3 breakfasts
- 2 dinners (including 1 lobster dinner)
- Guided Tours of Maine, including:
 - **York**
 - **Kennebunkport**
 - **Portland**
- Photo-stops, including:
 - **Nubble Lighthouse**
 - **Portland Harbor Lighthouse**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Marginal Way**
 - **Franciscan Monastery**
 - **Dock Square**
 - **Old Port**
- Free Day in Ogunquit, Maine
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:**\$1,039.00 Double/PP \$949.00 Triple/PP****\$899.00 Triple/PP \$1,379.00 Single****Deposit: \$125.00/PP****Balance Due: September 7, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:15 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:30 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	7:00 PM

October 21 (Monday)
Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre
"Walkin' After Midnight"
Lancaster, Pennsylvania


For a special day of entertainment, travel with **Gunther Tours** to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** to see a matinee performance of **"Walkin' After Midnight,"** a **Patsy Cline Tribute Show**. Through a colorful tapestry of iconic songs and witty personal storytelling, Carter Calvert uses her own award-winning vocal talents to create this captivating musical tribute. Previously, Miss Calvert, a veteran Broadway star, gained rave reviews and triumphant accolades for her heartfelt portrayal of this legendary country recording artist in the title role in **"Always . . . Patsy Cline"** (opposite Emmy Award winner Sally Struthers). She vocally captures Patsy Cline's musical stylings pitch-perfectly in mega-hits including **"Crazy," "I Fall to Pieces," "She's Got You"** and **"Walkin' After Midnight"**. So, join us for this surprising **one-woman salute to Patsy Cline**, which is both captivating and endearing, and is sure to delight audiences of all ages! Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. (L)

Price: \$175.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: September 7, 2024****Depart****Return**

Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

October 22 (Tuesday)
Sight & Sound Theatre
"DANIEL"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Strasburg, Pennsylvania


The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. (L)

Price: \$209.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: September 8, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

October 23 (Wednesday)
Leaf-Peepers Autumn Train Ride
& Lunch at Buckley's Tavern
Wilmington, Delaware


We travel to **Wilmington, Delaware** for a scenic **1-½ hour round-trip "Leaf-Peepers Autumn Train Ride Excursion"** to the **Mt. Cuba Picnic Grove**, where you'll enjoy a **½-hour layover at a secluded grove along the banks of the Red Clay Creek**. Today's trip on the **Wilmington & Western Railroad** will take you back to a time when the diesel locomotive travel ruled the rails. Sit back, relax and enjoy the clickety-clack of the rails, while you find yourself surrounded by the colors, splendor and beauty of autumn. You will travel round trip in antique passenger coaches pulled by an early-generation diesel locomotive. From your seat on the vintage train, you'll see the

past as never before. History will come alive, senses will be excited, and a forgotten era will be relived, and you just might have a little fun along the way! Experience the golden age of railroading as you chug across bridges, clickety-clack through lush tall forests, wind through narrow rock cuts, and whistle past homes in the beautiful valley of the Red Clay Creek. Before our train ride, enjoy a delicious **lunch at Buckley's Tavern**, a neighborhood tavern and restaurant located in the heart of historic **Centreville, Delaware**. The two-hundred-year-old building that now houses Buckley's Tavern was originally built in 1817 as a private residence. Throughout the years the tavern was the site of a blacksmith shop and a tollgate to collect fees from those traveling to and from Wilmington, Delaware. In the 1930's, the house became a popular taproom and ice cream store and in 1951 the proprietor gave the tavern its current name. Relax and enjoy the fellowship of friends old and new while you enjoy your meal! Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Curried Chicken Salad Sandwich, French Dip Sandwich (roasted and shaved beef with provolone and creamy horseradish on a sub roll, with au jus), or Quiche Lorraine. (L)**

Price: \$145.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: September 9, 2024



	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:30 AM	6:30 PM
Carney	10:15 AM	5:45 PM
Abingdon	10:45 AM	5:15 PM

October 25-27 (Friday-Sunday)

Ghosts, Witches & Gravestones & The Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular! Coastal New England



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Are you ready for a chilling, thrilling, and frightening ghostly tour that will keep you smiling throughout your coastal New England weekend get-away? Settle back and enjoy a scary movie on our drive to **Providence, Rhode Island** and the **Roger Williams Park Zoo**. Upon our arrival, we are treated to a delicious **harvest buffet dinner**. After dinner, we are escorted to the park entrance for **priority admission** to the area's most exciting Halloween event, the **Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular!** You will be delighted and amazed by this breathtaking display of thousands of **illuminated Jack-O-Lanterns**, with over 125 of them artistically carved and displayed in scenes to play out the annual theme. Hundreds of glowing Jack-O-Lanterns on the ground and high up in the trees surround carved giants (pumpkins weighing well over 1,000 pounds) enhanced by professional lighting, amid spooky fog and music and sound effects, this must-see event is a delight for all senses! Later we travel to **Billerica, Massachusetts**, a suburb of Boston, where we spend **two nights** at the **Hampton Inn. (D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Salem, Massachusetts**. Upon our arrival, we meet our **tour guide** and depart for a **walking introduction to Salem**. We will visit the **Salem Witch**

Museum and relive the hysteria of the famous 1692 Witch Trials, and learn about the witch hysteria that overtook Salem in the 17th-century. Next, we attend a **live performance of "Cry Innocent."** You are the jury at the trial of Bridget Bishop, accused of witchcraft. Hear the testimony, ask questions and you decide the verdict – **innocent, or guilty?** After the performance, lunch is **on your own** in one of Salem's restaurants or at one of the food vendors at the festival grounds. Today the **Village of Salem** comes alive with the spirit of Halloween in celebration of **Salem's Haunted Happenings**. Enjoy the fun-filled festivities which include haunted houses, psychic readers, live entertainment, special museums events and delicious eateries. Dinner is **on your own** at the festival grounds in Salem, followed by **Haunted Footsteps Ghost Tour**, a spooky **walking tour** featuring tales of local murders, spectral assaults and haunted houses! After a day of entertainment, shopping and sightseeing, we return to our hotel for a good night's sleep. **(B)** **Day 3:** After **breakfast** we depart for **Fall River, Massachusetts** and the **Lizzie Borden House**, site of one of the most famous crimes in American history. Relive the shocking and sensational 1892 murders of the Borden family, as we tour this Victorian home turned into a Bed & Breakfast Inn. Following lunch **on your own**, settle back and enjoy another scary movie on our drive home, while conjuring up your own haunting memories from your ghostly New England weekend get-away. **Happy Halloween! (B)**

Included:

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- 2 nights at **Hampton Inn**
- 2 breakfasts
- 1 harvest buffet dinner
- 1 afternoon of live entertainment
- Guided Walking Introduction to Salem, Massachusetts
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular!**
 - **Salem Witch Museum**
 - **Performance of "Cry Innocent"**
 - **Salem's Haunted Happenings**
 - **Haunted Footsteps Ghost Tour**
 - **Lizzie Borden House**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Tour Guides Gratuities

Price:

\$719.00 Double/PP \$679.00 Triple/PP
\$649.00 Quad/PP \$889.00 Single
\$559.00 (Child Ages 5-17 with 2 paying adults)

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: September 11, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	9:00 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	8:30 PM

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October 26 (Saturday)

**Autumn Leaf Train Ride
& Lunch at Golden Corral
Wilmington, Delaware**



We travel to **Wilmington, Delaware** for an exciting 2-½ hour round trip “*Autumn Leaf Train Ride Excursion*” from **Wilmington to Hockessin, Delaware**, and surround yourself with the colors, splendor and beauty of autumn. Today’s trip on the **Wilmington & Western Railroad** will take you back to a time when the steam locomotive ruled the rails. You will travel round trip in antique passenger coaches pulled by a coal-burning steam locomotive or an early-generation diesel locomotive. From your seat on the vintage train, you’ll see the past as never before. History will come alive, senses will be excited, and a forgotten era will be relived, and you just might have a little fun along the way! Experience the golden age of railroad-ing as you chug across bridges, clickety-clack through lush tall forests, wind through narrow rock cuts, and whistle past homes in the beautiful valley of the Red Clay Creek. Before the train ride, we first enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch** at the **Golden Corral Buffet & Grill** in Elkton, Maryland. (L)

Price: \$130.00

Price: \$120.00 (Child Ages 5-12)

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: September 12, 2024



	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:30 AM	7:30 PM
Carney	10:15 AM	6:45 PM
Abingdon	10:45 AM	6:15 PM

October 27-30 (Sunday-Wednesday)

**Mohegan Sun, Boston & Foxwoods
Plus, Connecticut River Cruise
Connecticut & Massachusetts**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Enjoy the breathtaking fall foliage scenery along every turn of the highway as we travel to the **Southern Seacoast of Connecticut** for the beginning of a fun get-away! Our adventure starts with a stop at the **Submarine Force Museum** in Groton, Connecticut. Enjoy a *self-guided tour through the museum*, which is home to the nation’s finest collections and displays of America’s submarine artifacts, documents and photographs relating to U.S. Submarine Force history. Feeling daring? Board the **USS Nautilus** and peer into the lives of the men and women who bravely serve our nation traveling the ocean depths in “sharks of steel.” Explore the spaces where the crew of this amazing submarine worked, ate, slept, and entertained themselves on their long voyages far beneath the ocean’s waves. Later we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant after checking into the **Hampton Inn &**

Suites in Mystic, Connecticut for the next **three nights**. (D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for one of the most historic cities in the United States – **Boston, Massachusetts** and **Fenway Park**, the home of the Boston Red Sox’s. Upon our arrival, we meet our official **Fenway Park Tour Guide** and depart on a *walking tour* (approximately 50 minutes) of what has been called “America’s Most Beloved Ballpark.” The tour will feature the Press Box, the luxury suites, and the infamous “Green Monster.” You’ll hear about the “Curse of the Bambino” and see where Ted Williams longest hit landed! Next, we will have some leisure time to explore Boston’s # 1 tourist attraction – **Quincy Market**, and browse its many specialty shops and restaurants. Lunch is *on your own*. Following lunch, we meet our **step-on guide** and depart for a **tour of Historic Boston**. The tour will highlight Boston’s history and sites along the Freedom Trail, Boston’s diverse neighborhoods and the unique shopping districts. A fast food stop will be made for dinner before returning to our hotel in Mystic. Dinner is *on your own*. (B)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for a day of **sightseeing in the Connecticut River Valley**. We begin at the **Connecticut River Museum**, located on the docks of the Connecticut River, in the charming seaport village of **Essex, Connecticut**. The Museum was established in 1974 as a small, all-volunteer organization dedicated to the dream of establishing a museum that would preserve the history of the Connecticut River Valley and its people. Discover the region’s rich heritage and natural beauty through the museum’s impressive collection of paintings, manuscripts, books, art, and artifacts. Later, we climb aboard the twin hulled, catamaran *River Quest* for a **sightseeing cruise**. Gliding along on the cool, peaceful waters of the Connecticut River experience the natural beauty of the Connecticut River Valley while viewing the local wildlife and landmarks. Don’t forget to visit the museum’s gift shop and pick up a unique souvenir to remember the day following our cruise. Next, we depart for the historic **Griswold Inn**, the most famous landmark building in Essex, built by Sala Griswold in 1776, it is one of the oldest continuously run Inns in the United States. Enjoy a delicious included **lunch** of classic American cuisine prepared to perfection served in one of the Inn’s historic dining rooms. After lunch, you will have time to leisurely explore the **Village of Essex** unique shops, galleries, and view beautifully restored sea captain homes. We conclude our day with a visit to the **Mohegan Sun Casino**, one of the largest, most distinctive, and spectacular entertainment, gaming, and shopping destinations in the world, prior to returning to our hotel. You’ll find more than 60 premier shops and restaurants and two of the most exhilarating casinos with over 6,000 slots and over 300 table games. Tonight, dinner is *on your own* before returning to the hotel for a good night’s sleep. (B, L)

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for **Foxwoods Resort Casino**. The largest casino in the world, Foxwoods Resort Casino offers six casinos featuring over 5,000 of the newest and most popular slots and 370 table games from Blackjack and Craps to Roulette, plus the only Poker Room and High Stakes Bingo Hall in New England. The resort complex is also home to an eclectic mix of restaurants and lounges, and lots of shops with brand name merchandise to round out your visit at this distinct destination! Following lunch *on your own* settle back, relax and enjoy a movie on the drive home. Today’s **dinner** is included at **Town & Country Diner** in **Bordentown, New Jersey**.

Enjoy a memorable meal and dining experience, at this favorite spot for locals and out of town visitors. Always fresh, delicious and guaranteed to satisfy your appetite, Town & Country Diner serves up the finest cuisine served by an attentive wait staff. Following dinner, we wrap-up our great get-away, and depart for home with many fond memories of a unique maritime heritage experience, a scenic boat ride, the Best of Boston, and a fun filled double dose of spectacular casino entertainment! **(B, D)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights at **Hampton Inn & Suites**
- 3 breakfasts
- 1 lunch
- 2 dinners
- Guided Tours, including:
 - **Fenway Park**
 - **Boston, Massachusetts**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Submarine Force Museum**
 - **USS Nautilus**
 - **Quincy Market**
 - **Connecticut River Museum**
 - **Connecticut River Cruise**
 - **Village of Essex**
- Visit 2 Casinos, including:
 - **Mohegan Sun Casino**
 - **Foxwoods Resort Casino**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$879.00 Double/PP \$829.00 Triple/PP

\$799.00 Quad/PP \$1,139.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: September 13, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:00 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	7:45 AM	9:00 PM
Abingdon	8:15 AM	8:30 PM

November 4-8 (Monday-Friday)

Myrtle Beach Christmas Spectacular Including 3 Super Christmas Shows! Myrtle Beach, South Carolina



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Travel in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach to one of America's most popular resort towns, **Myrtle Beach, South Carolina**. This delightful coastal community is home to glorious beaches, fantastic holiday shows, and unbeatable shopping! Before checking into our **oceanfront accommodations** at the **Dayton House Resort**, for the next **four nights**, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Myrtle Beach** where we will discover the rich history and fascinating tales of Myrtle Beach and the Grand Strand. Hear the stories of the early settlers to the earliest beach goers. Along the way, we'll make some **photo-stops** and conclude our tour at **Barefoot Landing** for lunch **on your own** and souvenir shopping. Barefoot Landing is a shopping complex of over 100 shops, restaurants, entertainment, and attraction options, located in North Myrtle Beach. After lunch, we take our **reserved seats** at the **Alabama Theatre**. Enjoy the merriest **Christmas Show on the Grand Strand**. Filled with song, dance, laughter, this Christmas spectacular features both traditional and contemporary holiday favorites for you to enjoy. A southern family tradition, the Alabama Theatre's holiday show is guaranteed to put you in a festive spirit! We conclude our day with a delicious **dinner** at **Joe's Bar & Grill**. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we will offer transportation to **Broadway at the Beach** and **Tanger Outlets** for lunch **on your own** and souvenir shopping. At Broadway at the Beach you'll find over 100 specialty shops that sell everything from T-shirts and sunglasses to fine jewelry and high-end shoes. Additionally, there are more than 20 restaurants that feature all kinds of food, from hamburgers to great local specialties. Broadway at the Beach also contains a 23-acre lake surrounded by boardwalk, making it a great place to stroll on a sunny day. At Tanger Outlets find great savings on merchandise from your favorite designer and name-brands direct from the manufacturer at stores like: Polo Ralph Lauren, Tommy Hilfiger, Under Armour, Chico's, Coach, J. Crew, Nike, QVC Outlet, Gap, Kenneth Cole and many more! Later, we take our **reserved seats** at **Legends in Concert** for their **Holiday Spectacular**. Known as the pioneer of live tribute shows, Legends live tribute shows are known for their elaborate theatrical sets, magnificent costumes, full array of incredible special effects and state of the art lighting and sound systems, and each legendary performer not only looks like the star they portray, but use their own natural voices to pay homage to their music counterpart. Backed up by an outstanding cast of talented singers, dancers and some of the top musicians in the industry the World's Greatest Impersonators will entertain you with incredible live vocals which will amaze and delight you! We conclude our day with a delectable **dinner** at **Yamato Steak House**. **(B, D)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** you are free to design your day and do as you wish! You may choose to relax and pamper yourself by taking advantage of our oceanfront hotel's facilities that include indoor and outdoor swimming pools, a spa tub, a fitness center and direct access to the beach. For the convenience of those passengers who do not wish to spend the whole day at the hotel, we will offer transportation to **Ripley's Aquarium of Myrtle Beach** to view the amazing holiday celebration that is **Ripley's Festival of Trees**. The Festival of Trees exhibit proudly celebrates the heritage and diversity of the United States. The aquarium will be all decked out in its finest, adding holiday warmth and sparkle to every corner! The themed trees are adorned in decorations and ornaments representing each of our 50 states and 5 major territories. For example, the South Carolina features seashells, magnolias, and golf balls; marvel at Louisiana's Mardi Gras tree with masks and beads; or Nevada's creative vision represented by a Las Vegas-style tree with a feather headdress, and so much more! Test your knowledge of each

state with a customized **scavenger hunt**. Also, you can enter into an underwater world of wonder at **Ripley's Aquarium**, and come face-to-fin with exotic fish, sharks, sea turtles, rays, and penguins! All of this is included with your general admission to Ripley's Aquarium of Myrtle Beach. So, join in this spectacular event and enjoy oceans of holiday fun! Later return to our hotel where you will have time to sit, relax and freshen up before going out for a mouthwatering **dinner** at the **Original Benjamin's Calabash Seafood**, followed by a wonderful holiday performance of **The Carolina Opry Christmas Special**. An attraction in and of itself, The Carolina Opry Theater is transformed into a winter wonderland featuring over 35 Christmas trees, 75 wreaths, 5 miles of tree lighting wire, countless tree ornaments, and mounds of Christmas snow, all presided over by the stunning 30-foot tree with more than 25,000 lights. The Carolina Opry Christmas Special, often called "The Christmas Show of the South," will bring warm, wonderful, and fun spirit of Christmas to life with music, comedy and dance. **(B, D)**

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us wonderful memories of an unforgettable holiday experience filled with spectacular shows, astonishing holiday displays and joyous seasonal music, all enjoyed on a great Myrtle Beach getaway! **Happy Holidays! (B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 4 nights at **Dayton House Resort**
- 4 breakfasts
- 4 dinners
- 3 shows, including:
 - *"The South's Grandest Christmas Show"*
 - *"Legends in Concert Holiday Spectacular"*
 - *"The Christmas Show of the South"*
- Guided Tour of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Barefoot Landing**
 - **Broadway at the Beach**
 - **Tanger Outlets**
 - **Ripley's Aquarium of Myrtle Beach**
 - **Festival of Trees & Scavenger Hunt**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:

\$899.00 Double/PP \$849.00 Triple/PP

\$829.00 Quad/PP \$1,109.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: September 21, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	6:00 PM

\$25.00 per person service fee for any canceled tour. If you transfer or hold funds on account, the service charge is waived one time!

November 6 (Wednesday)



Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre
"Hairspray"
Lancaster, Pennsylvania



Travel to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **"Hairspray"**. Can a big girl with a big heart, big dreams, and even bigger hair, turn the whole town around and still have time to win the boy she loves? Don't miss this dancing, romancing musical comedy hit based on **John Waters' 1988 film classic set in 1962 Baltimore**. Featuring an upbeat score, including unforgettable songs such as *"You Can't Stop the Beat," "Good Morning Baltimore,"* and the title song *"Hairspray"*. You can't stop the beat in this big, bold, energetic musical about one girl's inspiring dream to dance. Winner of eight Tony Awards, including Best Musical, **"Hairspray"** is a family-friendly musical, piled bouffant-high with laughter, romance and deliriously tuneful songs! Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. **(L)**

Price: \$160.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: September 23, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

November 10-14 (Sunday-Thursday)

Holly Dolly Christmas
in the Mountains
Including Dollywood
& GSMR Train Ride
Pigeon Forge, Tennessee



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Join us for a fun-filled get-away full of picturesque scenery, holiday cheer and yuletide spirit in the foothills of the **Great Smoky Mountains** and a **celebration of all things Dolly Parton**. This spectacular tour includes attending **two amazing and entertaining dinner shows at Dolly Parton theatres**, experiencing the wonder and magic of a **Smoky Mountain Christmas at Dollywood**, and a **photo-stop at the Dolly Parton statue** located in **Sevierville, Tennessee** honoring the hometown's internationally acclaimed daughter. Even diehard Dolly fans will find this tour only adds to their appreciation of this multi-talented and celebrated American Master! Before checking into the **Fairfield Inn & Suites** for the next **four nights**, we are treated to **dinner** at a local restaurant that serves up great local flavors. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park**, America's most visited national park. Following our park tour

we visit **downtown Gatlinburg, Tennessee**, where you can enjoy free time exploring the various shops and entertainment attractions along **Gatlinburg's Main Street**. Later we return to our hotel to rest, relax and freshen up before going out for a **dinner and show at Dolly Parton's Stampede Dinner Attraction**. We have **reserved seats** for a fun-filled, action-packed spectacular **Christmas extravaganza** that will warm your heart and touch your soul! The Stampede arena is magically transformed into a true fantasyland complete with twinkling lights, evergreens, poinsettias, old-fashioned holiday costumes and familiar holiday music. Snow falls softly as the breathtaking yuletide scenes fill you with tidings of good cheer. The holiday festivities get playful as Elves from the North Pole and South Pole compete in a friendly rivalry while serving up a **festive four-course feast**. Following the show, we return to our hotel for a good night's sleep. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for more **touring of the Great Smoky Mountains**. Highlights of our morning tour will include visiting **downtown Sevierville**, the eighth oldest town in Tennessee. There will be a **photo-stop** at the **Dolly Parton statue**. Then, we travel the back roads to our destination – **Bush Beans General Store and Visitor Center in Chestnut Hill, Tennessee**. We visit the original general store A.J. Bush first opened in 1897 and view a short film featuring information about how Bush Beans got started. Don't forget to visit the gift store for clothing, home goods and plenty of Jay and Duke memorabilia. Following our tour, we make our way to **Dollywood** amusement and theme park to experience a **Smoky Mountain Christmas**. It's a winter wonderland of spectacular holiday shows, old-time crafts and festive holiday foods. You are sure to create countless pleasant holiday memories enjoying this mixture of fun amusements, friendly folks and terrific Christmas displays constructed with more than 4,000,000 sparkling lights. Dinner is **on your own** at Dollywood. Tonight, en route back to our hotel we enjoy a **riding tour through Pigeon Forge to view the annual Winterfest**. See the town decorated for the holidays with amazing Christmas themes, brightly colored lighted trees and colorful animated displays. **(B)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for the historic mountain town of **Bryson City, North Carolina** and the **Great Smoky Mountains Railroad**. We will embark on a **4-hour, 32-miles round trip train ride** along the Tuckasegee River and through the quiet countryside on our way to **Dillsboro, North Carolina**. Highlights of your excursion include passing by the famed movie set location used in the filming of *"The Fugitive,"* starring Harrison Ford and a **1-½ hour layover in Dillsboro**. Enjoy leisurely browsing the many unique shops in this small town in Western North Carolina before we re-board the train for our return to Bryson City. A **box lunch** will be included during your excursion. Following our train excursion, we board our deluxe motor coach and depart for a **dinner and show**. We begin by celebrating the Pirate Spirit with fun and adventure at **Dolly Parton's Pirates Voyage Dinner and Show**. We'll sail into the holidays at this lavishly staged **Christmas show** that offers a spectacular swashbuckling spin on "A Christmas Carol" with Captain Scrooge, his faithful first mate Bob Crachit, and his lofty crew. The journey to Christmas past, present and future includes a "dream" where giant toys come to life and perform amazing acrobatics high above a 15-foot-deep indoor hideaway

lagoon! Other adventures during this holiday extravaganza at Pirates Voyage include a live Nativity, an angel with a special message and a comical Christmas castaway and her sea lion. You will be thrilled by an epic battle between the Crimson and Emerald pirates as they compete for the coveted Christmas treasure on land, on deck, in water and high above two pirate ships. Also included, is a **four-course holiday feast** straight from Captain Scrooge's yuletide gallery for you to enjoy! Following the show, we return to our hotel for a good night's rest. **(B, L, D)**

Day 5: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us splendid memories of *"The Queen of Appalachia"* and a Great Smoky Mountain Christmas get-away, Pigeon Forge's dazzling yuletide displays, joyous holiday music and a delightful railway adventure! **Happy Holidays! (B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- **Robin Zahor – Gunther Tours Manager**
- 4 nights at **Fairfield Inn & Suites**
- 4 breakfasts
- 1 box lunch
- 3 dinners (including 2 dinner shows)
- 2 shows, including:
 - **Dolly Parton's Stampede Dinner Attraction**
 - **Dolly Parton's Pirates Voyage Dinner & Show**
- Guided Tours of Tennessee, including:
 - **Great Smoky Mountains National Park**
 - **Great Smoky Mountains**
 - **Sevierville Mini-Back Roads Tour**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Gatlinburg, Tennessee**
 - **Photo-stop at Dolly Parton Statue**
 - **Bush Beans General Store & Visitor Center**
 - **Dollywood Smoky Mountain Christmas**
 - **Christmas Lights at Pigeon Forge's Winterfest**
 - **Great Smoky Mountains Railroad Train Ride**
 - **Dillsboro, North Carolina**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guides Gratuities

Price:

\$1,249.00 Double/PP \$1,109.00 Triple/PP

\$1,039.00 Quad/PP \$1,649.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: September 27, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:30 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:45 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	6:45 PM

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November 12 (Tuesday)



American Music Theatre
"Joy to the World"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Lancaster, Pennsylvania



It's the time of year to be dazzled and delighted with musical merriment! The **American Music Theatre** presents an original show, **"Joy to the World"**. The ringing of church bells in a quaint town square set the scene for **"Joy to the World,"** American Music Theatre's holiday spectacular. Evoking the revered holiday nostalgia of hometowns across the United States, the stage will transform into a small-town winter carnival brimming with family and friends – featuring scenes filled with entertaining elves, dramatic dancing, sensational singing, and grand moments galore. The incredible AMT singers, dancers, and orchestra will perform favorites such as *"Away in a Manger," "Jingle Bells," "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing," "Let it Snow,"* and *"Carol of the Bells"* all live on stage. **"Joy to the World"** is an awe-inspiring production filled with brilliant music and dance, phenomenal voices, and light-hearted holiday humor, all of the best ingredients, which make this season's all-new extravaganza a holiday celebration not to be missed! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$160.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: September 29, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

November 13 (Wednesday)

Christmas Tea at The Front Porch
& Cookie Outlet and Farm Market
Hallam, Pennsylvania



Your holiday day trip to **Hallam, Pennsylvania**, nestled among the rolling hills of Pennsylvania, begins with a festive atmosphere at **The Front Porch Tea Room**. This Victorian hill top home, built in the center of town, will be decorated to set the mood for a wonderful holiday experience with displays of lights indoor and outdoor, feature a decorated antique sleigh on the outside patio that will serve as the perfect backdrop for your own photographic memories, and once inside the tea room, several **decorated Christmas trees and holiday ornaments** will be on display. Here you can relax and enjoy having your taste buds delighted with the sweets and savories of a **Christmas Tea Luncheon**, among a collection of holiday decorations. Visit the Victorian boutique upstairs and the holiday gift shop down-

stairs for some holiday gift shopping. Before arriving in **Hallam, Pennsylvania** we first travel up the I-83 corridor to **York, Pennsylvania** to visit the **Stauffer's Cookie Outlet**. Known worldwide for their Animal Crackers and cookies, Stauffer's Outlet offers a shopper's delight with every visit! Following our tea luncheon, on our way home, we treat you to a stop at **Brown's Farm Market**, which is nestled among the rolling hills and valleys of Southern York County. At this unique country market, you will find a wide variety of locally grown fruits and vegetables and much, much more, all under one roof. **Note:** Bring along a cooler and take home some Pennsylvania Dutch foods, fresh baked breads, meats, soups, and salads made fresh daily. **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$130.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: September 30, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:00 AM	4:30 PM
Carney	8:45 AM	3:45 PM
Parkton	9:15 AM	3:15 PM

November 14 (Thursday)



Sight & Sound Theatre
"DANIEL"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Strasburg, Pennsylvania



The **Sight & Sound Theatre** in **Strasburg, Pennsylvania** presents one of the Bible's most epic sagas – **"DANIEL"**. Taken from his people, **Daniel** is exiled far from home in the powerful kingdom of Babylon. Now this faithful servant of God must navigate his new life inside a palace filled with golden statues and shifting empires. As royal pressures mount, **Daniel** is faced with a dangerous choice. Will his trust in the one true God remain steadfast through every test of faith? Please come join **Gunther Tours** and witness one of the Bible's most hope-filled stories as it comes to life in this brand-new original stage production on the Sight & Sound Theatre stage. From the fiery furnace to the infamous den of lions, **"DANIEL"** is a spectacular theatrical experience for the whole family to enjoy! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. **(L)**

Price: \$209.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 1, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

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November 15 (Friday)

Peddler’s Village Grand Illumination **NEW!**
and \$25.00 Gift Card for Dinner
Lahaska, Pennsylvania

Begin your holiday shopping season with “de-light-ful” enchantment! Thousands of tiny white lights outline the many Peddler’s Village buildings, colorful lights in hues of teal, peach, and fuschia adorn trees and shrubs, and before a beautifully landscaped backdrop, a grouping of reindeer glows in white lights. Santa will “switch-on” the Village’s outdoor holiday lights display on Friday night to kick off the holiday season, followed by **free cider** and **marshmallow toasting**. Before dinner, indulge your holiday spirit as you explore **Peddler’s Village**, a colonial-style country village featuring 75 quality shops for your holiday gift giving. A **\$25.00 dinner gift card** is provided for you to enjoy fine dining or casual fare in one of Peddler’s Village Restaurants, *(for restaurant dining, it is suggested you make a reservation prior to departing on the tour)* before departing for home. Whether you’re in the mood for a relaxing sit-down dinner or simply want to grab a burger, you’ll find just what you are looking for among the many eateries! **Happy Holidays! (D)**

Price: \$130.00
Deposit: \$25.00/PP
Balance Due: October 2, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:15 AM	10:15 PM
Carney	11:00 AM	9:30 PM
Abingdon	11:30 AM	9:00 PM

November 16 (Saturday)



RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR
New York City, New York

What better way to celebrate the holiday season than to experience the **2024 Radio City Christmas Spectacular** starring the world-famous **Radio City Rockettes**. The **Christmas Spectacular** features classic show stopping numbers including the iconic “Parade of the Wooden Soldiers,” the awe-inspiring “Living Nativity,” the dynamic “New York at Christmas,” and be delighted and dazzled as Santa flies high overhead, and much more! **Radio City Music Hall**, the largest indoor theatre in the world, is transformed into a magical winter wonderland, making a perfect backdrop for the incomparable, high kicking **Radio City Rockettes**, America’s longest running precision dance company. You won’t want to miss this holiday extravaganza! So, please join **Gunther Tours** and enjoy this iconic family friendly tradition filled with Christmas spirit and cheer, and create new memories that will last a lifetime! **Note: Upon arriving in New York City, you will have some free time (approximately 3-½ hours) before the show to explore the The-**

atre District, Times Square, and shop and enjoy lunch on your own. Fast food stops will be made both en route to New York City, and on the return trip home. **Happy Holidays!**

Price: \$269.00
Deposit: \$100.00/PP
Balance Due: October 3, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:45 AM	11:45 PM
Carney	8:30 AM	11:00 PM
Abingdon	9:00 AM	10:30 PM

November 17-20 (Sunday-Wednesday)

**Christmas at the Biltmore Estate
Plus, Pigeon Forge, Tennessee
Asheville, North Carolina**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Join us for a fun-filled get-away full of spectacular scenery, and plenty of holiday cheer and yuletide spirit in the mountains of **Asheville, North Carolina** and **Pigeon Forge, Tennessee**. Before checking into the **Hampton Inn & Suites**, our hotel for the next **three nights**, enjoy a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. Our accommodations are set amidst Asheville’s breathtaking Blue Ridge Mountains! **(D)**
Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for the legendary **Biltmore Estate** for a day of **sightseeing**. The Biltmore Estate is the largest privately-owned home in America. To provide you with the best possible tour experience we have included the **official audio guide** to capture the feeling of being personally guided through Biltmore’s grand rooms. Highlights of the Biltmore Estate tour include access to George Vanderbilt’s French chateau style mansion and its formal gardens. **The mansion will be decorated with more than 35 magnificent holiday trees to view.** A delicious **luncheon** is included at Biltmore’s **Stable Café**. In the afternoon we return to our hotel where you will have time to relax and freshen up before going out for tonight’s **dinner** at the **Stone Ridge Tavern**. A family friendly restaurant, Stone Ridge Tavern uses the freshest vegetables and local sourced ingredients from local farmers and the Western North Carolina farmer’s market to prepare mouthwatering, original recipes and create desserts made from scratch. **(B, L, D)**
Day 3: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Asheville**. You will be amazed by the Art Deco architecture and hidden treasures that wait to be discovered in “**The Land of the Sky**.” Following our tour, settle back and relax in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach and enjoy the picturesque scenery on our drive across the mountains to **Sevierville, Tennessee**. We’ll stop for **lunch** at **Applewood Farmhouse Restaurant**, an exceptional dining and shopping complex surrounded by orchards in a tranquil setting in the heart of Sevierville. Located in a historic farmhouse on a working apple orchard, the restaurant serves up delicious, hearty authentic farm-style southern cuisine, with a country flare. After lunch we take our **reserved seats** at the **Country Tonite Theatre** for a memorable show that is a perfect blend of Pigeon Forge’s best

live country music and a joyful celebration of Christmas! Later en route back to our hotel, we'll stop for an included **dinner** and enjoy a **riding tour through Pigeon Forge to view the annual Winterfest**. See Pigeon Forge decorated for the holidays with brightly lighted trees and colorful animated displays. **(B, L, D)**
Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for home taking with us many pleasant memories of a wonderful get-away to the mountains of North Carolina and Tennessee full of yuletide spirit, holiday music and cheer, and an unforgettable visit to the Biltmore Estate! Today's **lunch** is included at **Mrs. Rowe's Family Restaurant and Bakery** in **Staunton, Virginia**. Enjoy a buffet lunch at this family owned Shenandoah Valley restaurant, serving up delicious Southern style cooking with homemade breads, pies, and pastries baked fresh daily since 1947. **Happy Holidays! (B, L)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights at **Hampton Inn & Suites**
- 3 breakfasts
- 3 lunches
- 3 dinners
- Guided Tour of Asheville, North Carolina
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Christmas at the Biltmore Estate**
 - **Biltmore Estate Audio Guide**
 - **Country Tonite Christmas Show**
 - **Christmas Lights at Pigeon Forge's Winterfest**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guides Gratuities

Price:

\$889.00 Double/PP \$829.00 Triple/PP
\$799.00 Quad/PP \$1,079.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: October 4, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	6:00 PM

November 19 (Tuesday)

**Christmas on the Potomac & ICE!
and Luncheon at Gadsby's Tavern
National Harbor, Maryland**



Start your holiday adventure in **Old Town Alexandria, Virginia** at **Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant** with a delicious **luncheon**. A U.S. National Historic Landmark, Gadsby's Tavern Restaurant has been offering fine dining since 1770. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Monte Cristo Virginia (puff pastry stuffed with Smithfield ham, smoked turkey and swiss cheese with a fresh berry sauce)**, **Chicken Salad**, **Ale Battered Codfish** or **Butternut**

Squash Ravioli. Relax and relish the fellowship of friends old and new while you enjoy your meal! Following our luncheon, we depart for **National Harbor, Maryland** and the **Gaylord National Hotel**. National Harbor is a 300-acre waterfront destination located in southern Maryland along a panoramic stretch of the Potomac River. Upon our arrival, we visit **ICE!** the Gaylord National's signature holiday attraction. Unlike anything you've ever seen before, **ICE!** is a fantastical, indoor winter wonderland created by 40 international artisans. Explore this unique world of imagination entirely hand-carved out of ice, and celebrating the spirit of Christmas! We conclude our visit at the Gaylord National Hotel with some free time to explore the lavish and elaborate holiday décor of this fabulous hotel. **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$165.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 6, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	11:30 AM	8:30 PM
Gunther	12:15 PM	7:45 PM



November 20 (Wednesday)



**American Music Theatre
"Joy to the World"
& Lunch at Shady Maple
Lancaster, Pennsylvania**

It's the time of year to be dazzled and delighted with musical merriment! The **American Music Theatre** presents an original show, **"Joy to the World"**. The ringing of church bells in a quaint town square set the scene for **"Joy to the World,"** American Music Theatre's holiday spectacular. Evoking the revered holiday nostalgia of hometowns across the United States, the stage will transform into a small-town winter carnival brimming with family and friends – featuring scenes filled with entertaining elves, dramatic dancing, sensational singing, and grand moments galore. The incredible AMT singers, dancers, and orchestra will perform favorites such as **"Away in a Manger," "Jingle Bells," "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing," "Let it Snow,"** and **"Carol of the Bells"** all live on stage. **"Joy to the World"** is an awe-inspiring production filled with brilliant music and dance, phenomenal voices, and light-hearted holiday humor, all of the best ingredients, which make this season's all-new extravaganza a holiday celebration not to be missed! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Shady Maple Smorgasbord** in East Earl, Pennsylvania. **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$175.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 7, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	6:45 PM

November 21 (Thursday)



RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR

New York City, New York

What better way to celebrate the holiday season than to experience the **2024 Radio City Christmas Spectacular** starring the world-famous **Radio City Rockettes**. The **Christmas Spectacular** features classic show stopping numbers including the iconic “Parade of the Wooden Soldiers,” the awe-inspiring “Living Nativity,” the dynamic “New York at Christmas,” and be delighted and dazzled as Santa flies high overhead, and much more! **Radio City Music Hall**, the largest indoor theatre in the world, is transformed into a magical winter wonderland, making a perfect backdrop for the incomparable, high kicking **Radio City Rockettes**, America’s longest running precision dance company. You won’t want to miss this holiday extravaganza! So, please join **Gunther Tours** and enjoy this iconic family friendly tradition filled with Christmas spirit and cheer, and create new memories that will last a lifetime! **Note: Upon arriving in New York City, you will have limited free time (approximately 2 hours) before the show to explore the Theatre District, Times Square, and shop and enjoy lunch on your own.** Fast food stops will be made both en route to New York City, and on the return trip home. *Happy Holidays!*

Price: \$269.00

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: October 8, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	10:00 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	9:15 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	8:45 PM

November 22 (Friday)

Yuletide at Winterthur & Lunch at Buckley’s Tavern Winterthur, Delaware

Welcome to **Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library** for some 19th-century yuletide cheer. Experience the grand traditions of the past and enjoy dazzling entertaining displays. Upon



our arrival, enjoy a ½-hour guided garden tram tour (*weather permitting*), meander along a re-created woodland path in the winter garden, walk through beautifully furnished rooms and elaborate holiday food displays, and view the many **decorated trees** on display during this special wintertime tour. **Yuletide at Winterthur** will delight you with visions of holidays of old and inspire you to create your own spectacular celebrations. Your family and friends will be inspired by Henry Francis du Pont’s dazzling home decorated in holiday style! Before our tour enjoy a delicious **lunch** at **Buckley’s Tavern**, a neighborhood tavern and restaurant located in the heart of historic **Centreville, Delaware**. The two-hundred-year-old building that now houses Buckley’s Tavern was originally built in 1817 as a private residence. Throughout the years the tavern was the site of a blacksmith shop and a tollgate to collect fees from those traveling to and from Wilmington, Delaware. In the 1930’s, the house became a popular taproom and ice cream store and in 1951 the proprietor gave the tavern its current name. Relax and enjoy the fellowship of friends old and new while you enjoy your meal! Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Curried Chicken Salad Sandwich**, **French Dip Sandwich (roasted and shaved beef with provolone and creamy horseradish on a sub roll, with au jus)**, or **Quiche Lorraine**. *Happy Holidays! (L)*

Price: \$165.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 9, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	7:30 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	6:45 PM
Abingdon	10:15 AM	6:15 PM

December 3-5 (Tuesday-Thursday)

NEW!

Christmas in Cape May Plus, The Rat Pack Holiday Show at Tropicana Casino Atlantic City Cape May, New Jersey



Cape May is at its holiday best when it’s decked out for the Christmas season with bright twinkling lights, fragrant evergreen wreaths and garland, red bows and sparkling ornaments! Book this NEW holiday tour early!

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Join **Gunther Tours** for a fun-filled get-away full of spectacular scenery, holiday cheer and yuletide spirit in the charming seaside resort town of **Cape May, New Jersey**. Upon our arrival, we will first enjoy a delicious **lunch** served at **The Lobster House Restaurant**. Following lunch, we hop aboard the **Cape May Trolley** for a **guided tour around Cape May Historic District** showcasing the lovely and famous “**Painted Ladies**”. The Victorian houses that line the city’s streets are popularly known as “Painted Ladies” because

of their elaborate and brightly painted gingerbread trim. These Victorian gems present a beautifully harmonious appearance, despite each home's unique detailing. After checking into **The Grand Hotel** for the next **two nights**, rest and refresh in the comfort of your spacious room before going out for a delicious **dinner** and **entertainment** at a local restaurant. While you are finishing your meal, enjoy a **Victorian Christmas Traditions Presentation**. Much of what we associate with the celebration of Christmas comes from the Victorian Era, including Christmas trees, Christmas cards, our image of Santa Claus, and many other traditions. You will learn how Prince Albert brought these traditions to England from Germany when he married Queen Victoria, and how they in turn spread to America. Later we return to our hotel for a restful night's sleep. **(L, D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for a **tour at the 1879 Physick Estate** decorated in authentic Victorian style and hear from members of the Physick family household about Victorian Christmas decorations and holiday traditions. The Physick Estate sparkles for the holidays and invites you to step back into Christmas past to an era of Victorian opulence and experience the feeling of an 1890's Christmas. Also see the wonderful Christmas exhibit at the Carroll Gallery. Next, a delightful holiday atmosphere will surround you at the **Washington Street Mall**, as you browse the many festively decorated shops, and discover unique holiday gifts for your loved ones back at home. Enjoy lunch **on your own** at one of the many restaurants while leisurely strolling along the beautiful Victorian streets. We later return to our hotel to unwind and freshen up before a delicious **dinner** is served at the hotel. Finally, we conclude our day with a **Holiday Lights Trolley Ride**. Enjoy a front row view of Cape May's holiday decorations as our heated trolley winds its way through town splendidly decorated for the holidays. Our trolley guide will entertain and enlighten us about a Victorian Christmas and all its traditions. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for a special day of holiday entertainment and gaming excitement in **Atlantic City, New Jersey** to see a matinee performance of **"The Rat Pack Holiday Show,"** starring **tribute artists** as **Frank, Dean** and **Sammy** at the **Tropicana Showroom** at the **Tropicana Casino**. Swing into the Christmas season with **Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin** and **Sammy Davis Jr.** – The Rat Pack – and their famous Christmas Concert! Hear seasonal classics like **"Winter Wonderland," "Let It Snow,"** and of course **"White Christmas"** along with all their popular tunes. Before the show visit the **Casino** where you will receive a **\$25.00 slot play** and a **\$20.00 food credit** for **lunch** compliments of the **Tropicana Casino** upon arrival. Try your luck, enjoy some time gaming, and experience the thrill of winning at any of the table games and slot machines! If great shopping appeals to you then visit the Tropicana's **Marketplace** for that special holiday gift. Later we return home with many pleasant memories of a Victorian Christmas get-away, and the thrill and enjoyment of contemporary gaming and entertainment. **Happy Holidays! (B, L)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 2 nights at **The Grand Hotel Cape May**
- 2 breakfasts
- 2 lunches
- 2 dinners

- Tropicana Casino package, including:
 - **\$25.00 Slot Play**
 - **\$20.00 Food Credit**
 - **The Rat Pack Holiday Show**
- Guided Trolley Tour of Cape May, New Jersey
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Victorian Christmas Traditions Presentation**
 - **Physick Family Christmas House Tour**
 - **Washington Street Mall**
 - **Holiday Lights Trolley Ride**
 - **Tropicana Casino Marketplace**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Trolley Guide Gratuities



Price:

\$939.00 Double/PP \$919.00 Triple/PP

\$909.00 Quad/PP \$1,119.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: October 20, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:30 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	8:15 AM	8:00 PM
Abingdon	8:45 AM	7:30 PM

December 3 (Tuesday)



American Music Theatre
"Joy to the World"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Plus, Hershey Sweet Lights
Lancaster, Pennsylvania



It's the time of year to be dazzled and delighted with musical merriment! The **American Music Theatre** presents an original show, **"Joy to the World"**. The ringing of church bells in a quaint town square set the scene for **"Joy to the World,"** American Music Theatre's holiday spectacular. Evoking the revered holiday nostalgia of hometowns across the United States, the stage will transform into a small-town winter carnival brimming with family and friends – featuring scenes filled with entertaining elves, dramatic dancing, sensational singing, and grand moments galore. The incredible AMT singers, dancers, and orchestra will perform favorites such as **"Away in a Manger," "Jingle Bells," "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing," "Let it Snow,"** and **"Carol of the Bells"** all live on stage. **"Joy to the World"** is an awe-inspiring production filled with brilliant music and dance, phenomenal voices, and light-hearted holiday humor, all of the best ingredients, which make this season's all-new extravaganza a holiday celebration not to be missed! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. We conclude our holiday season celebration with a ride to **Hershey, Pennsylvania** where a winter wonderland awaits you at **Hershey Sweet Lights**, a holiday drive-thru spectacular. From the comfort of your seat enjoy nearly 600 illuminated, animated displays created by roughly 2 million LED lights, as we drive

through two miles of decorated trails featuring unique light displays depicting the 12 Days of Christmas, Fairy Tales, a Victorian Village and much more! **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$175.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 20, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	9:30 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	8:45 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	8:15 PM

December 4-14
(Wednesday-Saturday)

San Antonio Riverwalk Christmas San Antonio, Texas



*Enjoy the **Holiday Spirit Texas-style** as you settle into your **River Walk hotel** for **4 nights** on this Southwestern holiday tour! Visit the **San Antonio UNESCO World Heritage** sites of the legendary **Alamo** and **Mission San José**. Cruise along the **Paseo del Rio**. Take in the holiday sights during an evening stroll with over 120,000 lights illuminating the River Walk during the holiday season. Discover the bold flavors of Texas when you dine at an iconic San Antonio River Walk restaurant. Immerse yourself in the laid-back atmosphere of this vibrant Texas city! Also included is a visit to the **Lyndon B. Johnson National Historical Park** in **Stonewall, Texas** to view the grounds of the **LBJ Ranch**, birthplace, home and burial ground of the 36th President of the United States. Additional highlights of this holiday season get-away include a visit to the famed **Gaylord Opryland Hotel** in **Nashville, Tennessee** and legendary **Grace-land** in **Memphis, Tennessee**. **Book Early!***

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Join us for a fun-filled motor coach vacation full of spectacular scenery, holiday cheer and yuletide spirit in **“The Lone Star State,” Texas**. One visit to **San Antonio, Texas** and it’s easy to see why it is often referred to as the **“American Venice”**. Historic missions, River Walk restaurants, Spanish architecture and a beautiful river centerpiece make this a truly memorable and remarkable city! After checking into our hotel in **Knoxville, Tennessee** for the night, enjoy the **Manager’s Reception with free hot food & cold beverages, including beer, wine and mixed drinks** before retiring to your room for a good night’s sleep. **(MR)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we depart for **Nashville, Tennessee**. Upon our arrival, we climb aboard the **General Jackson Showboat**, an authentic paddlewheel riverboat, for a **2-hour lunch cruise down the Cumberland River** that includes an entertaining **country music holiday show**. Following our cruise, we check into the world-famous **Opryland Hotel** for the night. Each year the Opryland Resort is decorated with 2 million twinkling lights, acres of larger-than-life decorations, thousands of poinsettias and decorated trees, which transport you into a musical paradise and a land of enchantment! Experience charming southern hospitality and marvel at the splendor and elaborate

holiday décor of this fabulous world-class resort! You will have some time to freshen up before attending a **festival holiday dinner** and an **evening performance** by a **country music superstar** at the **Gaylord Opryland Resort**. **(B, L, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** settle back, and relax in comfort aboard our deluxe motor coach and enjoy the scenery on our drive across western **Tennessee**, crossing over the **Mississippi River**, to reach **Nick’s Bar-B-Q & Catfish** restaurant in **Carlisle, Arkansas** for an included **lunch**. After lunch, we continue traveling west through **Arkansas** on to our hotel for the night in **Texarkana, Arkansas**. A dinner stop will be made en route to Texarkana. Dinner is **on your own**. **(B, L)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we depart for **Dallas, Texas**. Upon our arrival, we enjoy a delicious **lunch** at one of Dallas’s straight-up, down-home Texas-style barbecue restaurants. Following lunch, a **photo-stop** at the beautiful bronze life size sculptures of **Texas Long Horn Steers and Cowboys** will be made en route to **San Antonio, Texas**. Our accommodations for the next **four nights** are at the **Drury Plaza Hotel**, a **perennial favorite** of **Gunther Tours** travelers! The **River Walk** is adjacent to our hotel. Bring your bathing suit to take advantage of the rooftop outdoor pool & whirlpool. A refrigerator and microwave are provided in your hotel room. Each evening from 5:30 to 7:00 pm, the Drury Plaza Hotel hosts a **Manger’s Reception with free hot food & cold beverages for guests, including beer, wine and mixed drinks**. Tonight, take a stroll along the River Walk, on the lush banks of the San Antonio River, and enjoy the relaxed holiday atmosphere while being guided along by more than 6,000 luminaries. **Fiesta de las Luminaries** will take place Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, beginning at dusk. **(B, L, MR)**

Day 5: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of San Antonio**. Highlights of our tour include visiting the **Mission San José**, the **“Queen of the Missions,”** built in 1777 and once occupied by over 300 people. The Spanish and Moorish design is reflected in the Cathedral and surrounding buildings. Spanish missions were not churches, but communities with the church as the focus. Next, we discover more of San Antonio’s rich history at **The Alamo**, where Davey Crockett, Jim Bowie, and 185 Texans under the command of Col. William Travis, 189 Texan soldiers bravely defended the fort for 13 days before finally succumbing to Dictator Santa Anna and 5,000 Mexican troops in early 1836. The Alamo is by far the most famous historical site in Texas, playing a significant role in Texas’ quest for independence from Mexico. The afternoon is free to soak up the Spanish flavor of this picturesque city or do a little holiday shopping. Tonight, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant that serves up great local flavors. Following dinner, we climb aboard **Rio San Antonio Cruises** for a relaxing **riverboat ride on the River Walk**. Sit back and admire the many holiday decorations while you enjoy the **narrated cruise along the San Antonio River Walk**. The River Walk shines brighter than ever as thousands of colorful Christmas lights decorate the building facades and are reflected off the river. **(B, D)**

Day 6: After **breakfast** we depart for **Johnson City, Texas** where we will enjoy a visit to the **LBJ National Historic Park**. The Lyndon B. Johnson National Historical Park tells the story of our 36th President beloved LBJ Ranch, beginning with his ancestors through his post-presidency years and ultimately his final resting place. To provide you with the best possible tour

experience we will first view two video presentations in the Visitor's Center. Next take a **self-guided tour** inside the permanent exhibit gallery showcasing Lyndon Johnson's life and accomplishments. A tribute to Mrs. "Lady Bird" Johnson is also included as part of the exhibit. It highlights Mrs. Johnson's commitment to the environment and guests can view her crimson suit and the White House china designed for the Johnson administration. Next, we depart for **Stonewall, Texas** and the **LBJ Ranch**. Our **riding tour of the ranch** will include stops at the President's birthplace, the Johnson family cemetery, and a **photo-stop at the Johnson's ranch house known as the "Texas White House"**. A **box lunch** is included. After returning to our hotel, you will have time to unwind and freshen up before going out for a delicious **dinner at Paesanos**, an iconic San Antonio River Walk Italian restaurant. The use of fresh ingredients and bold flavors to create legendary dishes, Paesanos menu breaks the boundaries of traditional Italian cuisine to explore modern Mediterranean specialties. Following dinner, enjoy the joyous caroling which fills the evening air along the San Antonio River Walk as school, church, company, and civic choral groups ring in the holidays by singing traditional carols on cruising boats. The eclectic mix of participants includes bell choirs, folk groups, and Latino ensembles. **Holiday Boat Caroling** will take place 6:15 pm to 9:15 pm nightly. **(B, L, D)**

Day 7: After **breakfast** you are free to design the rest of your day and do as you wish! Centrally located, the Drury Plaza Hotel offers you a wide variety of **options** for creating a day of adventure and exploration **on your own**. Browse for one-of-a-kind goods and souvenirs at **El Mercado**, the Mexican Marketplace. Visit the **South Texas Heritage Center**, an interactive museum dedicated to sharing the stories of San Antonio's people and the land that has shaped their lives. This is your last day in San Antonio, so please enjoy a final helping of the unforgettable Texas hospitality! **Reminder:** Each evening from 5:30 to 7:00 pm, the Drury Plaza Hotel hosts a **Manager's Reception with free hot food & cold beverages for guests, including beer, wine and mixed drinks**. **(B, MR)**

Day 8: After **breakfast** settle back, relax and enjoy the scenery on our drive to **"The Natural State," Arkansas**. Your on-board **Gunther Tours Manager** will help pass the time by playing games, showing a movie or two, and scheduling quiet time to relax. Before checking into our hotel in **Texarkana, Arkansas** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(B, D)**

Day 9: After **breakfast** we depart for **Memphis, Tennessee**. Upon our arrival, we will enjoy a visit to **Graceland**, all decked out in yuletide finery for the holidays. Highlights of our **Grace-land tour** include visiting Elvis Presley's mansion, his original business office, his trophy building, and the Meditation Garden where Elvis and members of his family have been laid to rest. We conclude our tour of Graceland by boarding Elvis' private jet, **"The Lisa Marie"**. **During the holiday season, the tour of Graceland is extra special with the interior and exterior of the mansion decorated for the holidays!** See traditional lights and decorations including hundreds of blue lights along the driveway, a life-size Nativity scene, Santa and his sleigh and much more originally displayed by Elvis. The interior of Graceland mansion is decked out in Christmas décor and includes his traditional red velvet drapes and Presley family Christmas artifacts on display. Before departing for our hotel

accommodations in **Horn Lake, Mississippi** for the night, we are served a savory **dinner** at **King's Palace Café**. Located on world famous **Beale Street**, King's Palace Café, serves up appetizing Southern delicacies, such as Memphis style BBQ ribs or Cajun specialties, and for over 30 years it has been a **perennial favorite** of locals and visitors alike! **(B, D)**

Day 10: After **breakfast** we travel back to **Nashville, Tennessee** to visit the **Gaylord Opryland Resort**. Upon our arrival enjoy lunch **on your own** at one of the hotel's many first-rate restaurants. The Opryland Resort offers you a wide variety of family-friendly attractions, activities and events for you to enjoy! So, **on your own** create an adventure. Admissions to **ICE**, a fantastical, indoor winter wonderland entirely hand-carved out of ice celebrating the spirit of Christmas, and the **Delta River Flatboat ride on the scenic indoor river** are both **included** for you to enjoy at your leisure. Unwind, explore, shop, dine and be entertained to your heart's desire amidst this Christmas wonderland! Later we depart for our hotel accommodations in **Knoxville, Tennessee**. A **dinner** stop will be made en route to Knoxville. **(B, D)**

Day 11: After **breakfast** settle back and enjoy a holiday themed movie on our drive home, while reminiscing about the amazing sights and sounds experienced along the way on our San Antonio Christmas Holiday Get-Away, and the indelible memories created by San Antonio's Southern hospitality, vibrant history, and the uniquely special yuletide cheer and joy experienced along the famous River Walk! **Happy Holidays! (B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- **Robin Zahor – Gunther Tours Manager**
- 10 nights hotel accommodations, including:
 - **1 night at Gaylord Opryland Hotel**
 - **4 nights at Drury Plaza Hotel River Walk**
- 10 breakfasts
- 4 lunches (including 1 lunch cruise & 1 box lunch)
- 6 dinners (including 1 dinner show)
- 3 Manager's Receptions w/ hot food & cold drinks
- 2 shows, including:
 - **General Jackson Showboat**
 - **Christmas Dinner Show at Opryland**
- Guided Tour of San Antonio, Texas
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Photo-stop at Texas Long Horn Steers & Cowboys**
 - **Fiesta de las Luminaries**
 - **Mission San José**
 - **The Alamo**
 - **Riverboat Ride on the River Walk**
 - **LBJ National Historic Park & Ranch**
 - **Holiday Boat Caroling**
 - **El Mercado**
 - **South Texas Heritage Center**
 - **Christmas at Graceland**
 - **Beale Street**
 - **Gaylord Opryland Resort**
 - **ICE!**
 - **Delta River Flatboat Ride at Opryland**
- A Free Day in San Antonio, Texas
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Tour Guide Gratuities

Price:**\$2,999.00 Double/PP \$2,649.00 Triple/PP****\$2,479.00 Quad/PP \$4,099.00 Single****Deposit: \$125.00/PP****1st Deposit Non-Refundable after September 7, 2024****2nd Deposit: \$250.00/PP – Due September 7, 2024****Balance Due: October 21, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	8:00 PM
Woodbine	7:45 AM	7:00 PM

December 5 (Thursday)
**Christkindlmarkt Bethlehem
& Luncheon at Hotel Bethlehem
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania**


Today we travel to “*Christmas City*,” Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, located in the Lehigh Valley of Pennsylvania, and the historic **Hotel Bethlehem**. Here we will enjoy a delicious **lunch** at the hotel, which has been restored to its original 1922 grandeur. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Grilled Chicken Caprese** or **Char-Grilled Skirt Steak**. One of a kind, the Hotel Bethlehem is elegantly appointed, **beautifully decorated for the holidays**, and proudly continues a long tradition of welcoming hospitality, excellent service, and serving award-winning cuisine. Seven large murals painted by George Gray in 1937 to depict the history of Bethlehem currently adorn the walls of the Mural Ballroom. One of the larger murals retells the story of how Count Zinzendorf and other early settlers named the city of Bethlehem on Christmas Eve in 1741. Following lunch, we will visit one of the top **holiday markets** in the world, **Christkindlmarkt Bethlehem**. The market features aisles of exquisite handmade works created by some of the nation’s finest artisans, hear the heart-warming sounds of live holiday music, and enjoy authentic German and Austrian food and much, much more! Later settle back and enjoy a holiday themed movie on our drive home, while reflecting on your Bethlehem one-day get-away filled with holiday history and tradition, wonderful sights, dazzling lights, and a one-of-a-kind family event that celebrates the spirit of the season in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. **Note: Fast food stops will be made both en route to Bethlehem, and on the return trip home.** **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$195.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: October 22, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:00 AM	9:00 PM
Carney	7:45 AM	8:15 PM
Parkton	8:15 AM	7:45 PM

December 5 (Thursday)
**The Rat Pack Holiday Show
Tropicana Casino
Atlantic City, New Jersey**


For a special day of holiday entertainment and gaming excitement travel to **Atlantic City, New Jersey** to see a matinee performance of “*The Rat Pack Holiday Show*,” starring **tribute artists** as **Frank, Dean and Sammy** at the **Tropicana Showroom** at the **Tropicana Casino**. Swing into the Christmas season with **Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin** and **Sammy Davis Jr.** – The Rat Pack – and their famous Christmas Concert! Together they amaze audiences with their recreation of a magical Christmas at The Sands Hotel, Las Vegas. Hear seasonal classics like “*Winter Wonderland*,” “*Let It Snow*,” and the perennial favorite “*White Christmas*” along with all their popular tunes. Come share the holiday spirit in festive Rat Pack style! Before the show visit the **Casino** where you will receive a **\$25.00 slot play** and a **\$20.00 food credit** for lunch compliments of **Tropicana Casino** upon arrival. Try your luck, enjoy some time gaming, and hopefully experience the thrill of winning! **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$179.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: October 22, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:15 AM	8:45 PM
Carney	8:00 AM	8:00 PM
Abingdon	8:30 AM	7:30 PM

**December 6 (Friday)**
**Holidays at Nemours Estate
& Lunch at Buckley’s Tavern
Wilmington, Delaware**


Welcome to **Nemours Estate**, a 300-acre country estate of Alfred I. Du Pont, the late industrialist and philanthropist for some 19th-century yuletide cheer. An outstanding example of a French chateau in the style of Louis XVI, you will tour the former Du Pont estate **decked out for the holidays with Christmas trees, hand-painted ornaments and antique decorations**. You will hear how Jesse and Alfred Du Pont celebrated the holidays, and glimpse historical artifacts, some of which have never before been displayed. Many of the rooms featured on the tour will be decorated, as they would have been when Du Pont resided there in the early 1900s, while others will retain their traditional period decorations. Christmas trees, garlands, sprays, paper filigree “quilling,” hand-painted ornaments, miniature churches, original holiday cards, a manger scene and original toys from the Du Pont estate all add to the old-fashioned holiday atmosphere. **Holidays at Nemours Estate** will delight you with the grand traditions of the past and visions of holidays of old! Your fam-

ily and friends will be inspired by Alfred I. Du Pont's dazzling home decorated in holiday style, and hopefully encourage you to create your own spectacular holiday memories. Before our tour enjoy a delicious **lunch** at **Buckley's Tavern**, a neighborhood tavern and restaurant located in the heart of historic **Centreville, Delaware**. The two-hundred-year-old building that now houses Buckley's Tavern was originally built in 1817 as a private residence. Throughout the years the tavern was the site of a blacksmith shop and a tollgate to collect fees from those traveling to and from Wilmington, Delaware. In the 1930's, the house became a popular taproom and ice cream store and in 1951 the proprietor gave the tavern its current name. Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Curried Chicken Salad Sandwich**, **French Dip Sandwich** (*roasted and shaved beef with provolone and creamy horseradish on a sub roll, with au jus*), or **Quiche Lorraine**. **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$150.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 23, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	7:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	6:15 PM
Abingdon	10:15 AM	5:45 PM

December 6-9 (Friday-Monday)

Nantucket Island Christmas Stroll & Festive Newport Mansions Massachusetts & Rhode Island



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Join **Gunther Tours** for an exciting get-away filled with holiday cheer and yuletide spirit, set against the spectacular backdrop of "**The Bay State**," **Massachusetts** and the "**The Ocean State**," **Rhode Island**. Settle back, relax and enjoy a holiday themed movie on our drive to the seaside town of **West Yarmouth, Massachusetts** and our accommodations at the **Hampton Inn** for the next **two nights**. After checking into our hotel, enjoy your comfortable and spacious room before departing for a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant. **(D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast** we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Hyannis**. Our tour includes a **photo-stop** at the **John F. Kennedy Memorial** overlooking Lewis Bay, a drive past the Kennedy Family Compound (limited views) and St. Francis Xavier Church, where the Kennedy Family worships, and more. Following our tour, we climb aboard **Steamship Authority's High-Speed Ferry** and depart for the island of **Nantucket**. Upon our arrival, you are free to enjoy your day, and do as you wish at the **51st Annual Nantucket Island Christmas Stroll**. Stroll the cobblestone streets lined with more than 160 glittering, decorated trees; listen to strolling carolers dressed in Victorian garb; enjoy the scent of wood smoke wafting through a bustling, European-style marketplace; take in the Festival of Trees at the historic whaling museum (*ticket not included*);

stop by and see Santa and Mrs. Claus greeting children beside a glowing hearth. This picture-perfect backdrop makes Nantucket's annual Christmas Stroll weekend a truly enchanting experience! Enjoy lunch **on your own** at one of the many restaurants to choose from located on the island. Later we cruise back to the mainland for a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant before returning to the hotel for a good night's sleep. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast** we depart for **Newport, Rhode Island** to experience the splendor of **Christmas at the Mansions of Newport**. The elegance of the Gilded Age is recreated as you **tour three magnificent mansions – Marble House, The Elms Mansion, and The Breakers**. The mansions will be beautifully decorated for the holidays with thousands of poinsettia plants, spectacular evergreens, trees, wreaths, and fresh flowers! We begin with **Christmas at the Marble House**. Built by Mr. William K. Vanderbilt as a birthday gift for his dynamic wife Alva, a leading hostess in Newport society who envisioned Marble House as her "temple to the arts" in America. The house contains 500,000 cubic feet of marble and a Chinese Tea House built on the seaside cliffs, where Alva hosted rallies for women's right to vote. Next enjoy a visit to the **Brick Market Place** and **Bowen's Wharf** for lunch **on your own** and some holiday shopping. Containing over 25 unique shops and eateries, Brick Market Place includes three parallel rows of businesses offering everything you could dream of from Fashion to Shoes to handmade Gifts and Souvenirs. Bowen's Wharf is the Anchor of the Newport Waterfront, and premiere shopping and dining destination! Along brick walks and granite quays are redeveloped 18th-century sailmaker's shops, sail-drying lofts, and a variety of commercial wharf buildings that were essential for a busy maritime wharf and the establishing of Newport as a thriving seaport in one of the finest natural harbors in New England. Here you will find fragrant soaps and body lotions, unique jewelry, the perfect Christmas gift, the latest fashions for women and men, and a diverse selection of tasty eateries and great restaurants. Later, we will add a new sparkle to your holiday tradition with a visit to **The Breakers Mansion**. **Sparkling Lights at The Breakers** features The Breakers façade bathed in color and its landscape aglow with tens of thousands of festive colored lights illuminating the paths and trees. The gardens will be decorated in different themes as holiday music fills the air. Your ticket includes admission to **The Breakers Mansion**, all decked out in yuletide finery for the holidays. The grandest mansion in all of Newport is a symbol of the Vanderbilt family's social and financial preeminence during the Gilded Age of the late 19th-century in America. Before checking into the **Holiday Inn Express** for the night, we are treated to a delicious **dinner** at a local restaurant that serves up great local flavors. **(B, D)**

Day 4: After **breakfast** we visit **The Elms Mansion**, a French-style chateau decorated in lavish Christmas holiday splendor. The summer retreat of coal magnate Charles Berwind of Philadelphia, The Elms contained every technological marvel of its time when constructed, and features monumental Venetian wall paintings and great tapestries. The elaborate Classical Revival gardens were recently restored and display marble and bronze sculptures. Later we depart for home taking with us wonderful holiday memories of Nantucket Island's enchanting Christmas Stroll, and the magnificent glitter and sparkle of yuletide finery on display experienced at Newport's imposing stately mansions. **Happy Holidays! (B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 3 nights hotel accommodations
- 3 breakfasts
- 3 dinners
- Guided Tour of Hyannis, including
 - **Photo-stop at John F. Kennedy Memorial**
- Christmas at Mansions of Newport, including:
 - **Marble House**
 - **The Breakers Mansion**
 - **The Elms Mansion**
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **High-Speed Ferry to Nantucket Island**
 - **51st Nantucket Island Christmas Stroll**
 - **Brick Market Place**
 - **Bowen's Wharf**
 - **Sparkling Lights at The Breakers**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities

Price:**\$839.00 Double/PP \$819.00 Triple/PP****\$809.00 Quad/PP \$1,019.00 Single****Deposit: \$125.00/PP****Balance Due: October 23, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	7:45 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	7:00 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	6:30 PM

December 7 (Saturday)
Pennsylvania Christmas & Gift Show
Plus, Hershey Sweet Lights
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

It's Big! It's Beautiful! It's All Indoors! It's Christmas in Harrisburg! Christmas shop at the largest holiday show in the country, over 500 specialty shops selling a wide array of exclusive, unique gifts for family and friends. See a life-size re-creation of Olde Christmas Village, decorated trees and mantles, 110-foot train display, cooking clinics, and much more! We conclude our holiday season celebration with a ride to **Hershey, Pennsylvania** where a winter wonderland awaits you at **Hershey Sweet Lights**, a holiday drive-thru spectacular. From the comfort of your seat enjoy nearly 600 illuminated, animated displays created by roughly 2 million LED lights, as we drive through two miles of decorated trails featuring unique light displays depicting the 12 Days of Christmas, Fairy Tales, a Victorian Village and much more! **Happy Holidays!**

Price: \$109.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: October 24, 2024**
**Girlfriend's
Day Out!**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	8:30 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	9:15 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	9:45 AM	6:45 PM

December 9 (Monday)
Koziar's Christmas Village
& Lunch at Shady Maple
Bernville, Pennsylvania


Driving through the darkened countryside on an unlit country road and coming over that last hill you suddenly find yourself in a dazzling valley set aglow with more than half-million Christmas lights, it is like driving into a winter wonderland filled with the awe and magic of all things Christmas, and Santa and his helpers. A reflective lake adds to the stunning beauty of this enchanting place. We have arrived at **Koziar's Christmas Village**, a spectacular seasonal attraction that has become a Christmas tradition for multiple generations. At your leisure stroll along the Christmas Village pathways lit by more than one-half million Christmas lights adorning buildings, gift barns, and the landscape. Visit the various buildings filled with trim the tree ideas, indoor and outdoor Christmas displays and souvenirs. See your favorite cartoon and fairy tale characters throughout the village. Enjoy freshly baked cookies and other treats in the country kitchen, and browse in Santa's Toy Shoppe for unique gifts, ornaments, toys and souvenirs. See the unique handmade train platform and follow the many trains through the tunnels, across the trestles, and around the miniature town located in the large Refreshment Barn. Before departing for home be sure to visit Santa's headquarters located on Santa Claus Lane and talk with Santa and his helpers. Before our visit to Koziar's we stop in **East Earl, Pennsylvania** for a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Shady Maple Smorgasbord**, Lancaster County's largest smorgasbord featuring tasty authentic Pennsylvania Dutch cooking. After lunch take time to visit the **Shady Maple Gift Shop** where you will find unique gift items, collectibles, dolls, Fenton Glassware, accessories, Amish crafted oak furniture, baskets, and the list goes on. **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$140.00**Deposit: \$25.00/PP****Balance Due: October 26, 2024**

	Depart	Return
Gunther	12:00 PM	11:00 PM
Carney	12:45 PM	10:15 PM
Parkton	1:15 PM	9:45 PM

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December 10 (Tuesday)

**Longwood Gardens Christmas
& Dinner at Buckley's Tavern
Kennett Square, Pennsylvania**



Travel to **Longwood Gardens** in **Kennett Square, Pennsylvania** and celebrate the yuletide season with a **night-blooming garden of half a million brilliant lights**. Thousands of poinsettias, towering Christmas trees, and fragrant flowers transform the indoor garden into a cherished holiday celebration. Outdoors, lights glitter in the trees after dark and, (*weather permitting*), rainbow-hued fountains dance to seasonal music! Before our visit enjoy a delicious **dinner** at **Buckley's Tavern**, a neighborhood tavern and restaurant located in the heart of historic **Centreville, Delaware**. The two-hundred-year-old building that now houses Buckley's Tavern was originally built in 1817 as a private residence. Throughout the years the tavern was the site of a blacksmith shop and a tollgate to collect fees from those traveling to and from Wilmington, Delaware. In the 1930's, the house became a popular taproom and ice cream store and in 1951 the proprietor gave the tavern its current name. Relax and enjoy the fellowship of friends old and new while you enjoy your meal! Please provide a **meal choice** when making your reservations. Your choices are **Meatloaf with Beef Gravy, Seared Salmon with Champagne Mustard Sauce, Chicken Pot Pie or Chicken Penne Alla Vodka. Happy Holidays! (D)**

Price: \$169.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 27, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	12:30 PM	10:30 PM
Carney	1:15 PM	9:45 PM
Abingdon	1:45 PM	9:15 PM

December 11-13 (Wednesday-Friday)

**Christmas in Bethlehem &
The Radio City Rockettes
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania**



Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Join **Gunther Tours** for a fun-filled get-away filled with sightseeing, shopping, entertainment and holiday cheer! We begin our tour by taking our **reserved seats** at the **American Music Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** for their holiday production of **"Joy to the World"**. The ringing of church bells in a quaint town square set the scene for **"Joy to the World,"** American Music Theatre's holiday spectacular. Evoking the revered holiday nostalgia of hometowns across the United States, the stage will transform into a small-town winter carnival brimming with family and friends – featuring scenes filled with entertaining elves, dramatic dancing, sensational singing, and grand moments galore! After the show

we are treated to a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in **Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania**. Following lunch, we travel to **"Christmas City," Bethlehem, Pennsylvania**, located in the Lehigh Valley of Pennsylvania, and check into the **Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem** for the next **two nights**. Relax and indulge yourself in your first-class accommodations and the exceptional amenities that surround you at the hotel. You'll find an inviting spa, more than 20 renowned designer and brand name outlet shops, restaurants to suit any mood and appetite, and the Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem with over 3,000 slots and over 180 table games. This evening enjoy **dinner** at your leisure. A **\$20.00 food voucher** is provided for you. **(L, D)**

Day 2: After **breakfast**, (a **\$15.00 food voucher** is provided for breakfast), we meet our **step-on guide**, and depart for a **tour of Bethlehem**. While we view some of Bethlehem's most significant landmarks our guide will share stories of the people and places that made Bethlehem a city known for its rich colonial and industrial history. Included on our tour will be a visit to **The Moravian Museum of Bethlehem**, designated a National Historic Landmark. Discover the remarkable stories behind Bethlehem's founders, including early Moravian medicinal practices, communal living, missionary work, and a progressive educational system. The Moravian Museum of Bethlehem complex includes some of the most important and oldest buildings in the Lehigh Valley. Next, you will see a **Christmas Community Putz**. The Christmas Putz is a retelling of the Nativity story through miniatures. The figures in the Christmas Community Putz, many of them antiques of German origin, are displayed amidst live moss, driftwood and rocks. After lunch **on your own** we will visit one of the top holiday markets in the world, **Christkindlmarkt Bethlehem**. The market features aisles of exquisite handmade works created by some of the nation's finest artisans, hear the heart-warming sounds of live holiday music, and enjoy authentic German and Austrian food and much, much more! Following our visit at the Christkindlmarkt, we return to the Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem. Tonight, enjoy **dinner** at your leisure and the excitement of all of the best table games and slot machines! A **\$20.00 food voucher** is provided for you. **(B, D)**

Day 3: After **breakfast**, (a **\$15.00 food voucher** is provided for breakfast), we depart for America's most exciting metropolis, **New York City** for a day filled with entertainment, shopping, sightseeing, and yuletide cheer! Enjoy shopping on 5th Avenue, view amazing holiday window displays, and visit Rockefeller Center to see the spectacular holiday decorations, including the iconic **Christmas Tree at Rockefeller Center**. This afternoon we take our **reserved seats** at **Radio City Music Hall** for their holiday production of the **"Radio City Christmas Spectacular,"** starring the world-famous **Radio City Rockettes**. Enjoy an unparalleled show featuring the Rockettes signature eye high kicks, and precision choreography in multiple show stopping numbers including; the legendary **"Parade of the Wooden Soldiers,"** and **"New York at Christmas,"** a dynamic holiday celebration. Later settle back and enjoy a holiday themed movie on our drive home, while reflecting on your Bethlehem get-away filled with holiday history and tradition, wonderful sights, dazzling lights, the inspirational musical sounds of the yuletide season and the Radio City Rockettes! **Happy Holidays! (B)**

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 2 nights at **Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem**
- 2-\$15.00 breakfast food vouchers
- 1 smorgasbord lunch
- 2-\$20.00 dinner food vouchers
- 2 shows, including:
 - **American Music Theatre**
 - **Radio City Christmas Spectacular**
- Wind Creek Casino Bethlehem package
 - **\$70.00 Slot Free Play**
 - **The Outlets at Wind Creek Coupon Booklet**
- Guided Tour of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **The Moravian Museum of Bethlehem**
 - **Christmas Community Putz**
 - **Christkindlmarkt Bethlehem**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver, Tour Manager & Step-on Guide Gratuities



Price:

\$829.00 Double/PP \$759.00 Triple/PP

\$729.00 Quad/PP \$1,049.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: October 28, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	7:15 AM	9:45 PM
Carney	8:00 AM	9:00 PM

December 11 (Wednesday)

Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre "White Christmas" Lancaster, Pennsylvania



Travel to **Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre** in **Lancaster, Pennsylvania** and spend an afternoon with the cast of **"White Christmas"**. A heart-warming musical based on the beloved movie which starred **Bing Crosby**, **Danny Kaye** and **Rosemary Clooney**. Veterans Bob and Phil are a successful song and dance team when they meet a sister duo and follow them to a Vermont lodge to see their holiday act. When they discover that it's owned by their old General who has fallen on hard times, they decide to bail the guy out and put on a show! The memorable Irving Berlin score features **"Blue Skies," "The Best Thing Happen When You're Dancing," "Sisters," "Count Your Blessings,"** and the perennial favorite **"White Christmas"**. Irving Berlin's **"White Christmas"** promises a merry and bright theatrical experience for the whole family at Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre. Before the show enjoy a delicious **buffet lunch**. **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$160.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 28, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Carney	9:45 AM	5:15 PM
Parkton	10:15 AM	4:45 PM

December 12 (Thursday)



RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR

New York City, New York

What better way to celebrate the holiday season than to experience the **2024 Radio City Christmas Spectacular** starring the world-famous **Radio City Rockettes**. The **Christmas Spectacular** features classic show stopping numbers including the iconic **"Parade of the Wooden Soldiers,"** the awe-inspiring **"Living Nativity,"** the dynamic **"New York at Christmas,"** and be delighted and dazzled as Santa flies high overhead, and much more! **Radio City Music Hall**, the largest indoor theatre in the world, is transformed into a magical winter wonderland, making a perfect backdrop for the incomparable, high kicking **Radio City Rockettes**, America's longest running precision dance company. You won't want to miss this holiday extravaganza! So, please join **Gunther Tours** and enjoy this iconic family friendly tradition filled with Christmas spirit and cheer, and create new memories that will last a lifetime! **Note: Upon arriving in New York City, you will have limited free time (approximately 2 hours) before the show to explore the Theatre District, Times Square, and shop and enjoy lunch on your own.** Fast food stops will be made both en route to New York City, and on the return trip home. **Happy Holidays!**

Price: \$269.00

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: October 29, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	6:00 AM	10:00 PM
Carney	6:45 AM	9:15 PM
Abingdon	7:15 AM	8:45 PM

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December 13-15
(Friday-Sunday)



Williamsburg Christmas Illumination Plus, Berkeley Plantation & Jamestown Williamsburg, Virginia

Day 1: Welcome Aboard! Join us for a fun-filled get-away full of holiday cheer and yuletide spirit in historic **Williamsburg, Virginia**. Our first destination is **Berkeley Plantation**, located in **Charles City, Virginia**. Upon our arrival at Virginia's most historic plantation on the James River, we enjoy a **box lunch**. Following lunch, we step back in time to a bygone era and experience a genteel 18th century lifestyle. Berkeley's history dates back to 1619 when settlers observed the first official Thanksgiving in America. Berkeley's 1726 Georgian mansion is the birthplace of Benjamin Harrison V, signer of the Declaration of Independence and three times governor of Virginia. The estate is also the birthplace of William Henry Harrison, 9th President of the United States. During the Civil War, Berkeley was occupied by General George McClellan's Union troops. While at Berkeley, General Daniel Butterfield composed the familiar tune "Taps," first played by his bugler, O.W. Norton. You will enjoy a **docent-guided tour of Berkeley's elegant 1726 mansion** beautifully decorated with traditional holiday decorations of fresh greenery and natural arrangements from Berkeley's gardens. Plus, our costumed guides will add a special touch with stories of Christmas at Berkeley throughout four centuries of history. A **self-guided tour of the grounds** leading to the James River, monuments to the First Thanksgiving and to Taps, and the Harrison family graveyard is also included. Also, visit the exhibit where you can see the reconstructed slave quarters located on the approximate site of the original slave quarters, and learn about the enslaved people who lived and worked at Berkeley. Before checking into the **Comfort Inn in Williamsburg, Virginia** for the next **two nights**, enjoy a delicious **dinner** at the **Aberdeen Barn Steakhouse**. (L, D)

Day 2: After **breakfast** we visit the nation's largest and oldest outdoor living museum, **Colonial Williamsburg**. Step into the past and join in the creation of a new nation. Enjoy being swept up in the daily life of a busy 18th-century city as we are greeted by shopkeepers, slaves, and outspoken patriots. Visit the original and restored homes, public buildings and shops, and stroll the more than 90-acres of landscaped gardens and courtyards. Your admission provides full access to historic exhibition buildings, including the Governor's Palace, Capital, Museums and The Revolutionary City. Lunch is **on your own**. After lunch we continue our exploration of Colonial Williamsburg. Strolling through Colonial Williamsburg's Historic Area during the holiday season is a treat for the senses with windows and doors decorated in 18th-century fashion, handcrafted wreaths, fresh greenery, and festive garlands. Later enjoy a delicious **dinner** in the **Merchants Square** at your leisure using your **\$25.00 gift card**. Inspired by the 18th Century architectural history of Williamsburg, Merchants Square is a lovely blend of old charm and new flair. Beautiful colonial buildings house a variety of boutiques, shops and restaurants, with menus that range from seafood, to comfort food. Following dinner, we attend **The Grand Illumination** celebration. Williamsburg's Grand Illumination

event signals the start of the holiday season, and features the lighting of candles, the illumination of the buildings, caroling, dancing, music, and concludes with a **festive fireworks display**. (B, D)

Day 3: After **breakfast** we escape from the modern day and travel back in time at the **Jamestown Settlement**, a living history museum. Here, near the site of the original colony, you'll dive into the cultures of the Powhatan Indians, English colonists and West Central Africans who converged in 17th-century Virginia through immersive films, gallery exhibits and outdoor re-creations. From the galleries, walk outdoors to climb aboard a re-creation of one of the three ships that sailed from England to Virginia in 1607, and explore life-size re-creations of the colonists' fort and the world of the Powhatan Indians in a Paspahegh town. The Settlement is a vibrant classroom where you can learn about the cross-cultural encounters and events that planted the seeds of a new nation. Following a delicious **lunch**, which is included, settle back and enjoy a holiday themed movie on our drive home. Or maybe reminisce about the diverse stories of the people who inspired a revolution and the nations rich and complex history, enduring traditions, charming decorations, holiday excitement, and an illuminated night sky above a beautiful colonial capital. **Williamsburg celebrates Christmas with a bang! Happy Holidays!** (B, L)

Included:

- Fully escorted Gunther Motor Coach transportation
- 2 nights at **Comfort Inn**
- 2 breakfasts
- 2 lunches (including 1 box lunch)
- 2 dinners (including 1-\$25.00 gift card)
- Attractions and admissions per itinerary, including:
 - **Berkeley Plantation**
 - **Colonial Williamsburg**
 - **Merchants Square**
 - **The Grand Illumination Celebration**
 - **Festive Fireworks Display**
 - **Jamestown Settlement**
- Baggage handling (1) per person
- Driver and Tour Manager Gratuities

Price:

\$619.00 Double/PP \$559.00 Triple/PP

\$529.00 Quad/PP \$779.00 Single

Deposit: \$125.00/PP

Balance Due: October 30, 2024

	Depart	Return
Carney	7:00 AM	7:45 PM
Gunther	7:45 AM	7:00 PM



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December 14 (Saturday)



American Music Theatre
"Joy to the World"
& Lunch at Bird-in-Hand
Lancaster, Pennsylvania



humor, all of the best ingredients, which make this season's all-new extravaganza a holiday celebration not to be missed! Before the show enjoy a delicious **smorgasbord lunch** at **Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant** in Bird-in-Hand, Pennsylvania. **Happy Holidays! (L)**

Price: \$165.00

Deposit: \$25.00/PP

Balance Due: October 31, 2024

	Depart	Return
Gunther	10:00 AM	8:00 PM
Carney	10:45 AM	7:15 PM
Parkton	11:15 AM	6:45 PM

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It's the time of year to be dazzled and delighted with musical merriment! The **American Music Theatre** presents an original show, **"Joy to the World"**. The ringing of church bells in a quaint town square set the scene for **"Joy to the World,"** American Music Theatre's holiday spectacular. Evoking the revered holiday nostalgia of hometowns across the United States, the stage will transform into a small-town winter carnival brimming with family and friends – featuring scenes filled with entertaining elves, dramatic dancing, sensational singing, and grand moments galore. The incredible AMT singers, dancers, and orchestra will perform favorites such as *"Away in a Manger," "Jingle Bells," "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing," "Let it Snow,"* and *"Carol of the Bells"* all live on stage. **"Joy to the World"** is an awe-inspiring production filled with brilliant music and dance, phenomenal voices, and light-hearted holiday

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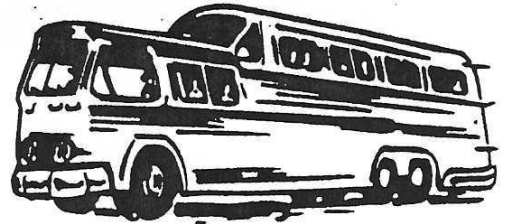
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5. If Siberia is warmer than Florida, put an A on the line. If not, put an O . _____
6. If Egypt is known for its pyramids, put a U on the line. If not, put an N . _____
7. If this bus has a destination, put an R on the line. If not, put an E . _____
8. If Mississippi is not further south than Tennessee put a W on the line. If it is, put an S . _____
9. If the Oregon Trail does not go through Wyoming, put an F on the line. If it does, put an A . _____
10. If pink is brighter than fire engine red, put an R on the line. If not, put an R . _____
11. If buses do not have a luggage storage area, put an I on the line. If they do, put an E . _____
12. If Thomas Jefferson's Home is in Tennessee, put an E on the line. If not, put an F . _____
13. If a bus is sometimes called a coach, put a U on the line. If not, put an N . _____
14. If the Fountain of Youth is in Georgia, put a D on the line. If not, put an N . _____

What did the letters on the lines spell out?

What do the unused letter spell out?

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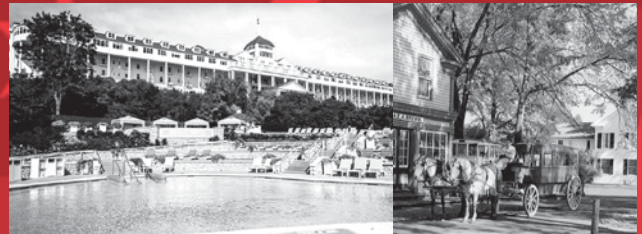
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