



SUMMER 2019



PLATINUM ADVENTURES NEWSLETTER

DAY TRIPS • EXTENDED TRIPS • SEMINARS • AND MORE!

A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Summer is in full swing, and so are our new adventures! We've been busy soaking up the sunshine and planning exciting new events and activities for you.

Join us for a variety of educational seminars, day trips, and extended travel opportunities that will let you enjoy the summer. And, be sure to invite a friend to come along and see what Platinum Adventures has to offer. We can't wait to savor the rest of the season and enjoy new experiences with you!

Summer is full of memories. Which is your favorite? It always brings you back to a time when we had fun with family and friends. We recently visited the American Writers Museum where they had a collection of typewriters on display. Our members didn't miss a beat and picked up like a pro on the keyboard of the typewriters. I hope you will make some new memories with us this summer!

Enjoy,

kimberlyknes



FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ANY OF THE EVENTS YOU SEE IN THIS NEWSLETTER, OR TO RSVP, CONTACT ME:

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UPCOMING
DAY TRIPS,
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DAY TRIPS

You'll have the unique opportunity to explore the wonders we have nearby. We carefully plan each of our day trips, events, and seminars to ensure they are packed with as much adventure and education as possible. Plus, each event offers a great chance to share with friends just what the Platinum Adventures Club is all about.

Pay close attention to the means of transportation for these trips. Often times, we will gather and transport the group by bus, but there are some events that require you to commute on your own. As always, if you should have any questions about any of these day trips, or would like to RSVP, contact your bank's Platinum Adventures director at the phone number or email listed in this newsletter.



THURSDAYS

St. Charles Monthly Movie Meetings

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Classic Cinemas Charlestowne 18 Theatre
3740 E. MAIN ST. | ST. CHARLES, IL

Let us make your cinema experience even better! Join us for our monthly movie meetings the second Thursday of every month. Enjoy coffee, donuts, a guest speaker, and your choice of a first run-movie currently playing in the theaters.

AUGUST 8 | SEPTEMBER 12 | OCTOBER 10

Membership is not required, so please bring a friend! Call our movie meeting hotline for movie choices and details at 630-488-3110.

TIME: DOORS OPEN | 8:15 AM
MEETING BEGINS | 9 AM
COST: MEMBERS \$3 | NON-MEMBERS \$5
RESERVATIONS ARE NOT REQUIRED.



TUESDAYS

Elgin Monthly Movie Meetings

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Marcus Elgin Cinema
111 S. RANDALL RD. | ELGIN, IL

Let us make your cinema experience even better! Join us for our monthly movie meetings the second Tuesday of every month. Enjoy coffee, donuts, a guest speaker, and your choice of a first-run movie currently playing in the theaters.

AUGUST 13 | SEPTEMBER 10 | OCTOBER 8

Membership is not required, so please bring a friend! Call our movie meeting hotline for movie choices and details at 847-888-7976.

TIME: DOORS OPEN | 8:15 AM
MEETING BEGINS | 9 AM
COST: MEMBERS \$3 | NON-MEMBERS \$5
RESERVATIONS ARE NOT REQUIRED.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

Extended Trips Preview

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Wintrust Financial Center

9700 W. HIGGINS RD. | ROSEMONT, IL

Join us for a special trip presentation and travel the world with us! You'll hear all about the exciting trips and see slideshows for great destinations we've planned for you, including Nashville Holiday; Discover Spectacular South Africa; Arizona Getaway featuring Chicago Cubs Spring Training; Virginia Adventure featuring the Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival; Iconic Israel; Michigan Treasures featuring Mackinac Island and the Grand Hotel; Summertime Mystery Trip; Portugal and the Douro River Cruise; Alaska Discovery Land and Cruise; British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals; New York City Holiday; and more. You'll want to start packing your bags! Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15

Extended Trips Preview

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Elgin State Bank

1001 S. RANDALL RD. | ELGIN, IL

Join us for a special trip presentation and travel the world with us! You'll hear about all the great destinations we have planned for you. Trips included are Discover Spectacular South Africa; Virginia Adventure featuring the Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival; Iconic Israel; Summertime Mystery Trip; Alaska Discovery Land and Cruise; Portugal and the Douro River Cruise; British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals; and more!

TIME: 2 TO 4 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

SEATS ARE LIMITED. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20

Aurora Movie Meeting

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Cinemark Tinseltown-USA

320 S. LINCOLNWAY ST. | NORTH AURORA, IL

Start your morning off with coffee, pastries, and the viewing of a first-run movie. The movie we will be showing is "Blinded by the Light." This comedy and drama is set in 1987 during the austere days of Margaret Thatcher's Britain. A teenager learns to live life, understand his family, and find his own voice through the music of Bruce Springsteen. The guest speaker will be from Hesed House, a national model for ending homelessness, one person, one family at a time.

TIME: DOORS OPEN | 9:30 AM

MEETING BEGINS | 10 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

RSVP TO LORENA AT 331-684-9199.



SATURDAY, AUGUST 24

Shred Event

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Elgin State Bank

1001 S. RANDALL RD. | ELGIN, IL

Gather your personal sensitive paper information, and we'll shred it for free! No plastic bags. Limit three paper bags or three small boxes of shredding.

TIME: 9 AM TO NOON

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Let's Go Behind the Scenes

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Lake County, IL

Come to the Temple of Lippizzans and take a walk in the hoof-steps of the Lippizzan stallions. This unique behind-the-scenes tour offers an opportunity to visit a working classical dressage facility. The tour starts in the performance stable where we will learn about the history of the Lippizzans, the farm, and the riding that is practiced. The tour ends with an observation of a daily training session. We then head to Rt. 41 Roadhouse for a delicious family style lunch. After lunch, we'll go to Waukegan, where we will take a behind-the-scenes tour of the beautiful Genesee Theatre, a concert hall and movie palace that opened in 1927. One more stop in Lake Forest at the Popcorn Factory outlet so we can purchase a treat to bring home!

TIME: 8:30 AM TO 5 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$79 | NON-MEMBERS \$89

Price includes: Tours, lunch, and gratuities.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Coin Appraisal Event

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Geneva Bank & Trust

514 W. STATE ST. | GENEVA, IL

Bring your old coins, proof sets, commemorative coins, paper money, and gold jewelry to find out what they are worth. Ron Beckstrom from Golden Rule Coins is a member of the American Numismatic Association and will be appraising your items. If you have something to sell, he is interested in seeing your pieces. This event is on a first-come, first-served basis.

TIME: 10 AM TO 3 PM

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE
RESERVATIONS ARE NOT REQUIRED.**



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

"The Buddy Holly Story"

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Fireside Dinner Theatre

1131 JANESVILLE AVE. | FORT ATKINSON, WI

Before The Beatles and The Rolling Stones ever played a note, popular music was forever changed by a bespectacled kid from Lubbock, Texas: Buddy Holly! Now, you can witness his story on the Fireside stage in a toe-tapping, hand clapping extravaganza, which will have you up and dancing. The show tells the true story of Buddy Holly through his short, yet spectacular, career and features the classic songs including "That'll Be the Day," "Peggy Sue," "Oh Boy," "Everyday," "Not Fade Away," "Heartbeat," "Rave On," as well as The Big Bopper's "Chantilly Lace," Ritchie Valens' "La Bamba," and many more! Viewed by more than 23,000 performances worldwide, "The Buddy Holly Story" opened in London's West End in 1989 and has won numerous awards along the way.

TIME: 8 AM TO 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$100 | NON-MEMBERS \$110

Price includes: Transportation, a three-course gourmet lunch, show, and gratuities.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23 Halim Time & Glass Museum

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

1560 OAK AVE. | EVANSTON, IL

Explore elegant beauty and stunning craftsmanship in one of the finest collections of timepieces in the world. View more than 1,100 restored and preserved tower clocks, chronometers, pocket watches, and tall case clocks at the Halim Time & Glass Museum. The museum galleries also include magnificent treasures by Louis Comfort Tiffany, John La Farge, Frederick Lamb, and more. We'll enjoy lunch in the museum's Wisteria Room, which is crowned by an exquisite stained glass dome and features Tiffany landscape windows and three rare Tiffany portrait windows. During lunch, a museum expert will share highlights about some of the special pieces in the exhibits. Lunch will include salad, entree, and dessert.

COST: MEMBERS \$99 | NON-MEMBERS \$109

Call for departure information.



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26 Halloween Happenings

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Various Locations

Halloween is coming soon and, to celebrate, we're having several Halloween festivities. Bring your grandkids to the bank for these Halloween Happenings!

AURORA BANK & TRUST | 10 AM TO 1 PM

2287 W. Galena Blvd. | Aurora, IL

Face painting, games, pumpkin decorating, and refreshments.

ELGIN STATE BANK | 9 AM TO NOON

1001 S. Randall Rd. | Elgin, IL

Costume contest, face painting, games, treats, and refreshments.

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



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**MONDAY, OCTOBER 28 &
TUESDAY OCTOBER 29**

AARP Driver's Safety Course

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Elgin State Bank | Community Room

1001 S. RANDALL RD. | ELGIN, IL

During this class, you will learn proven safety strategies to help keep you safe while on the road. It will cover defensive driving techniques and the normal changes in vision, hearing, and reaction time associated with aging. After taking the course, you may even be eligible for a discount on your car insurance! Participants should consult their auto insurance agent for details. Payment will be collected at the event.

TIME: 9 AM TO 1 PM

**COST: AARP MEMBERS \$15 | AARP NON-MEMBERS \$20
SPACE IS LIMITED! CALL TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT!**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4

Is Your Money in the Right Place?

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Elgin State Bank | Community Room

1001 S. RANDALL RD. | ELGIN, IL

It is always a good time to review your finances and make sure your investments are on track. Get answers to your financial questions during this informal session. We'll discuss the markets, personal finance, and wealth management. Our featured speaker will be Vice President of Wintrust Investments, Anthony Jovanovich. Bring a list of questions or topics that have you perplexed about managing your money and join us for an informative conversation!

TIME: 10 TO 11 AM

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE
SEATS ARE LIMITED. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.**

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

"Alive Inside: A Story of Music and Memory"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Elgin State Bank

1001 S. RANDALL RD. | ELGIN, IL

Join us to watch "Alive Inside: A Story of Music and Memory," a documentary about music therapy and dementia patients, with Mary Helen Ekstam of JourneyCare. The film demonstrates how music can help improve memory, reduce pain, and improve quality of life. We'll also learn how music can help you communicate with loved ones with dementia and other illnesses. Popcorn and refreshments will be served.

TIME: 1 TO 3 PM

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE
SEATS ARE LIMITED. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.**



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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Barbara Rinella: "Fly Girls"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Biaggi's Ristorante Italiano

1524 S. RANDALL RD. | ALGONQUIN, IL

Join us for a book dramatization of Keith O'Brien's nonfiction work titled "Fly Girls: How Five Daring Women Defied All Odds and Made Aviation History." Performer Barbara Rinella* will recount the thrilling adventures of female pilots during the period of aviation excitement following World War I. When Charles Lindbergh accomplished the first trans-Atlantic flight on May 22, 1927, his journey inspired a new generation of pilots who pushed the boundaries of air travel. These strong women united to fight men in air races because they weren't "Ladybirds" nor "Sweethearts;" they were Fly Girls. We hope you can join us at the luncheon as the stories of five amazing Fly Girls come to life.

TIME: 11:30 AM TO 2 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$47 | NON-MEMBERS \$52

NO TRANSPORTATION OFFERED.

Price includes: Lunch, presentation, and gratuities.

*Barbara Rinella is not an affiliate of Wintrust.



THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5

"A Christmas Story: The Musical"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Fireside Dinner Theatre

1131 JANESVILLE AVE. | FORT ATKINSON, WI

Ralphie wants only one thing for Christmas: an Official Red Ryder Carbine-Action 200-Shot Range Model Air Rifle. "A Christmas Story The Musical" is the hilarious account of Ralphie's desperate quest to ensure that this most perfect of gifts ends up under his tree this Christmas. It is based on the classic 1983 movie that has become a holiday tradition that millions wait for every year. This festive show captures holiday wonder with such deliciously wicked wit that is sure to delight children and grown-ups alike!

TIME: 8 AM TO 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$100 | NON-MEMBERS \$110

Price included: Transportation, a three course gourmet lunch, show, and gratuities.



WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22 | 2020
Platinum Adventures Health Fair

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Wintrust Financial Center

9700 W. HIGGINS RD. | ROSEMONT, IL

New Year, new you! Let's start 2020 off right and work on that New Year's resolution to take control of our health. Join us for a series of informative discussions related to health concerns, including cancer, heart health, nutrition, and more. During the fair, there will be a number of expo tables for participants to pick up information on various important health topics. Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3 | 2020
"Kinky Boots"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Paramount Theatre

23 E. GALENA BLVD. | AURORA, IL

Charlie Price is a factory owner struggling to save his family business. Lola is an entertainer with an exciting idea. Together, this unexpected pair learn to embrace their differences and create a line of sturdy stilettos unlike any the world has ever seen! The winner of six Tony Awards, including Best Musical, "Kinky Boots" will dazzle you with its glorious costumes, choreography, and songs written by Grammy Award-winning and Tony Award-winning pop icon Cyndi Lauper. We'll enjoy lunch before this matinee performance in the Meyer Ballroom. Lunch will include salad, entree, and dessert.

COST: MEMBERS \$120 | NON-MEMBERS \$130

Call for departure information.



Platinum Adventures outing to the American Writers Museum back in April.

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EXTENDED TRIPS

Have you always wanted to explore the world but don't know where to begin to plan your travels? We have the solution for you. Let us handle all of the planning. Our extended trips offer you the chance of a lifetime to see the world like you've never seen it before. Extended trips range in length from a few days to a few weeks. Most transportation, lodging, meals, and

entertainment will be provided and have been thoughtfully planned out by our Platinum Adventures directors alongside experienced and highly-qualified travel professionals. All extended trips that are two nights or longer include at home pick-up and return. Sit back, relax, and join us for this rare opportunity to see the sights you never thought you'd see. If you have any questions, need more information, or would like to make reservations for any of our extended trips, please contact your bank's Platinum Adventures Club director.

DECEMBER 3 - 7 | 2019

Nashville Holiday

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

NASHVILLE, TN

Celebrate the holiday season in the capital of country music! Your toes will be tapping as we tour Music City and see the Country Music Hall of Fame, the Ryman Auditorium, and a performance at the Grand Ole Opry. We'll get into the holiday spirit during a luncheon cruise and entertainment on General Jackson's Showboat. Then, we'll visit President Andrew Jackson's mansion "Hermitage," Barbara Mandrell's log home "Fontanel," Nelson's Green Brier Distillery, and the Opryland Hotel's holiday display featuring more than three million twinkling lights.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,220 PP | SINGLE \$2,725 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,420 PP | SINGLE \$2,925 PP**

FEBRUARY 20 - MARCH 3 | 2020

Discover Spectacular South Africa

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

JOHANNESBURG AND CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA

Journey to a country full of breathtaking mountains, winding coastlines, and wildlife in its natural habitat. You'll visit Sandton, Soweto, Knysna, and Cape Town. Search for the "Big Five" animals on a safari game drive at Kruger National Park, relax on a lagoon cruise to the famous Knysna Heads, enjoy a tour of an ostrich farm, and take a cable car ride to the top of Table Mountain. You can add an optional post-tour extension to Victoria Falls, too. This is a unique experience you won't want to miss!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$6,029 PP | SINGLE \$6,729 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$6,229 PP | SINGLE \$6,929 PP**

Price is guaranteed for bookings through August 21, 2019.

**SAVE THE DATE FOR THE
2020 SUMMERTIME MYSTERY TRIP!**

JULY 7 - 11 | 2020

While the destinations may be a surprise, you'll have an amazing adventure along the way!

MARCH 8 - 13 | 2020

**Arizona Getaway featuring
Chicago Cubs Spring Training**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

PHOENIX, SEDONA, AND TUCSON, AZ

Let's cheer on the Cubs as they prepare for the 2020 baseball season in sunny Arizona! You'll visit Sloan Park to see the Cubs play and enjoy taking in beautiful scenery and warm temperatures as we tour the Phoenix area. Highlights include Scottsdale, Sedona, and Tucson. You'll see the red rock formations in Sedona, the lush gorges and spectacular cliffs of Oak Creek Canyon, and Old Tucson Studios featured in movies and television shows that were set in the "Old West." Come along with Platinum Adventures as we escape the cold weather.

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,999 PP | SINGLE \$3,649 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,199 PP | SINGLE \$3,849 PP

APRIL 28 - MAY 4 | 2020

NEW DATE

**Virginia Adventure featuring the Virginia
International Tattoo Military Festival**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

NORFOLK AND VIRGINIA BEACH, VA

Join us for an adventure full of military history and an opportunity to see the unique Virginia International Tattoo Festival! The Tattoo features more than 1,000 performers including fife and drum corps, bagpipers, military bands, drill teams, and more! We'll also attend the "Hullabaloo," a special pre-Tattoo event. You'll visit the Military Aviation Museum, the Norfolk Naval Station, the General Douglas MacArthur Memorial, and Nauticus National Maritime Center. Lastly, we'll see the NATO Parade of Nations featuring military bands and floats representing the NATO member nations. Come along on this patriotic journey!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,198 PP | SINGLE \$2,898 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,398 PP | SINGLE \$3,098 PP

MAY 19 - 28 | 2020

Iconic Israel

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

TEL AVIV, TIBERIAS, AND JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

Explore the ancient lands and rich traditions of Israel. You'll enjoy energetic Tel Aviv, the ancient Roman capital of Caesarea, the Crusader city of Acre, and the Sea of Galilee. Visit the Church of Annunciation and Mary's Well in Nazareth, as well as the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem. Explore the Old Walled City of Jerusalem, the Western Wall, and walk the path of the Stations of the Cross/Via Dolorosa. You'll also visit Yad Vashem, the World Holocaust Remembrance Center, ascend to the top of the Masada fortress, and more.

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,459 PP | SINGLE \$6,609 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,659 PP | SINGLE \$6,809 PP

Price is guaranteed for bookings through November 13, 2019.



JUNE 14 - 18 | 2020

**Michigan Treasures featuring
Mackinac Island and the Grand Hotel**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

MACKINAC ISLAND, FRANKENMUTH, AND DEARBORN, MI

See Mackinac Island as a horse drawn carriage guides you through the Victorian downtown and past the natural arch, Fort Mackinac, and the historic West Bluff district. Relax in a rocking chair on the world's longest hotel porch at the magnificent Grand Hotel, where you'll also enjoy a two-night stay. Then, we're off to "Michigan's Little Bavaria," Frankenmuth, to stop at the world's largest Christmas store, Bronner's. In Dearborn, we'll visit the Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation and enjoy a Ford automobile factory tour.

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,495 PP | SINGLE \$3,090 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,695 PP | SINGLE \$3,290 PP

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AUGUST 11 - 22 | 2020

Alaska Discovery Land and Cruise

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

DENALI NATIONAL PARK AND PRESERVE, FAIRBANKS, ANCHORAGE, AND SKAGWAY, AK

Join us as we travel north to Alaska! You'll begin by traveling deep into Denali National Park and Preserve for an opportunity to see the region's wildlife. Ride in luxury from Denali to Talkeetna, viewing incredible landscapes from glass-ceiling railcars and an open air observation platform. Relax for seven nights and enjoy the epic Alaskan scenery from aboard one of Princess Cruise Lines' lovely ships. We'll cruise through the Inside Passage and Glacier Bay, taking in rugged natural wonders. Along the way, we'll visit Anchorage, Juneau, Ketchikan, Skagway, and more. Don't miss out on this Alaskan adventure!

COST: STARTING AT \$5,959 PP BASED ON CABIN PREFERENCE. CALL FOR PRICING AND DETAILS ON CABIN UPGRADE OFFER.

SEPTEMBER 16 - 26 | 2020

Portugal and The Douro River Cruise

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

SPAIN AND PORTUGAL

Start your adventure by exploring two nights in Lisbon and then set sail through the Portuguese frontier. Visit expansive vineyards and sample some regional wines throughout your trip. See Spain's walled city of Salamanca and the quaint and historic towns of Portugal as you traverse the Douro River. Each port brings you to spectacular and alluring surroundings. Enjoy and relax on the lovely Emerald Radiance river cruise ship with first class service and a variety of international cuisine, onboard entertainment, and more!

COST: STARTING AT \$5,440 PP BASED ON CABIN PREFERENCE. CALL FOR PRICING.

OCTOBER 1 - 12 | 2020

British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

SCOTLAND, ENGLAND, WALES, AND IRELAND

Discover the history and charms of the British Isles as you visit Scotland, England, Wales, and Ireland. See historic royal castles, the beauty of England's Lake District, and the charm of Ireland's countryside. You'll tour the capital cities of Edinburgh, Cardiff, and Dublin. Learn about the lure of Scotland's famous Gretna Green, known as the "marriage capital of the UK," and explore the Viking city of York. Enjoy a cruise on the tranquil English lake, Windermere; a stop to Stratford-upon-Avon, the birthplace of William Shakespeare; a visit to the House of Waterford Crystal; and experience the Blarney Castle. This will be a magical journey through four magnificent countries!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,630 PP | SINGLE \$6,180 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,830 PP | SINGLE \$6,380 PP**

DECEMBER 6 - 9 | 2020

New York City Holiday

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

NEW YORK CITY, NY

Let's kick off the holidays in the city that never sleeps! We'll start with a city tour where we'll see Broadway, Times Square, the Empire State Building, Central Park, Grand Central Station, and more. You'll marvel at the festive holiday window displays along Fifth Avenue and the magnificent Rockefeller Center Christmas Tree. Enjoy a performance at Radio City Music Hall featuring the famous Rockettes, as well as experience a Broadway show. This adventure is sure to get you in the holiday spirit!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,045 PP | SINGLE \$3,740 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,245 PP | SINGLE \$3,940 PP**

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GENERAL INFORMATION

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The bus cannot wait for late participants. Please arrive at your departure site 15 minutes prior to departure time.

DEPART ELGIN

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1001 S. Randall Road
Elgin, IL 60123

RESERVATION POLICY FOR DAY & EXTENDED TRIPS:

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