



SPRING 2019



PLATINUM ADVENTURES® NEWSLETTER
DAY TRIPS • EXTENDED TRIPS • SEMINARS • AND MORE!

A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Spring is here and so are new adventures! We're ready for the flowers to bloom and the sun to shine, and we know you're ready to see what new experiences Platinum Adventures has in store for you.

Join us this season for a variety of educational seminars, day trips, and extended travel opportunities that will inspire and delight you. Be sure to invite a friend to come along to see what Platinum Adventures has to offer. We can't wait to make the most of the warmer weather and enjoy new experiences with you!

All events need a reservation, except Shred Events, Coin Appraisals, and Open Houses. Make your reservations early, as many day trips and extended trips are selling out quickly and you don't want to miss out! If extended trips are of interest to you, or if you're just curious and want to learn more, join us for a trip preview event showcasing many of these magical trips. I hope to travel with you very soon!

Until our next adventure,



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

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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.



COIN APPRAISAL EVENTS

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

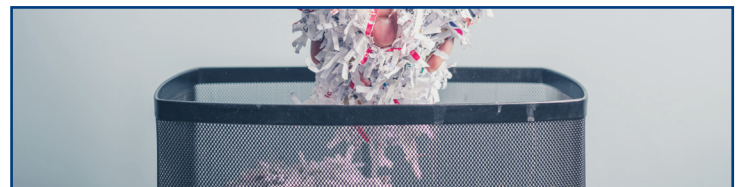
Various Locations

Bring in 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* will be appraising your items. If you have something to sell, he is interested in seeing your pieces. This is a first come, first served event.

TUESDAY, MAY 21 | HOFFMAN ESTATES COMMUNITY BANK
1375 Palatine Rd. | Hoffman Estates, IL

THURSDAY, JULY 25 | BARRINGTON BANK & TRUST
(SOUTH BUILDING)
200 S. Hough St. | Barrington, IL

TIME: 10 AM TO 3 PM
COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



SATURDAY, APRIL 27

Shred Events

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

Various Locations

Gather your personal, sensitive information and we'll shred it here for free! All paper collected is 100 percent broken down and recycled. Limit two paper bags or two small boxes per carload.

Barrington Bank & Trust
233 W. Northwest Hwy. | Barrington

Hoffman Estates Community Bank
1375 Palatine Rd. | Hoffman Estates

TIME: 9 AM TO NOON

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

Reservations are not taken. Events are first come, first serve.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 1

Blenderful Music and Lunch

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Nuova Italia Restaurant

32 E. LAKE ST. | ADDISON, IL

Who doesn't love good Italian food and music? Andrew Blendermann is *not* your average pianist. Starting with a classical background from Baldwin Wallace University's Conservatory of Music, Andrew has been performing professionally in and around Chicagoland for more than 20 years. Maybe you caught him in "Dueling Pianos" at Starved Rock. At this event, we have an opportunity for a private show, where you can make requests as we enjoy his wide repertoire of music.

TIME: NOON TO 2:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$35 | NON-MEMBERS \$45

Transportation not provided.

TUESDAY, MAY 7

Antiques and Heirlooms

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

St. Andrews Golf and Country Club

2241 IL-59 | WEST CHICAGO, IL

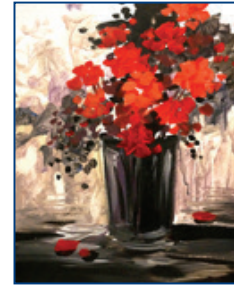
At this unique event, guests will have the opportunity for professional appraiser Gary Piattoni* to tell them about the origin and value of an antique piece. Based on time, each guest will be invited to bring one item to have it appraised, while other guests are invited to listen to his expert opinion. In addition to being a professional appraiser, Gary is the former senior vice president at Christie's International Auction house and Antiques Roadshow appraiser for more than 20 seasons. Firearms, jewelry, coins, and stamps will not be appraised. Space is limited to 60 guests. A continental breakfast will be served.

TIME: 9 TO 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS \$32 | NON-MEMBERS \$37

Transportation not provided. Reservations are required by April 26.

*Gary Piattoni is not an affiliate of Wintrust.



WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

"Red Flowers" Paint Brush and Wine

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Village Bank & Trust

234 W. NORTHWEST HWY. | ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL

Once again, David Becker of Becker Art will guide us as we paint "Red Flowers." You can be creative and make the flowers blue if you want, because it's your art, so there are no rules. You don't have to be an artist to come out and enjoy wine, cheese, and painting with friends. All supplies will be provided, just bring an open mind and we'll take care of the rest.

TIME: 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$35 | NON-MEMBERS \$45

Reservations are required by April 24.

THURSDAY, MAY 23

How To Save Money on Utilities

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Hanover Park Community Bank

6800 BARRINGTON RD. | HANOVER PARK, IL

Join us to hear how you can save money on your monthly utility bills. A representative from the Citizens Utility Board will talk about alternatives to cable, how to read your bills by looking for unnecessary fees, and more. They will also discuss ways to save on your gas and electric bills and how to conserve energy and save money at the same time. They will provide many tips and tricks that everyone can benefit from.

TIME: 10 AM TO NOON

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

TUESDAY, JUNE 4

Maximizing your Social Security Benefits

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Barrington Bank & Trust (South Building)

200 S. HOUGH ST. | BARRINGTON, IL

Are you thinking of retiring? Wondering about the Social Security benefits you will get or trying to decide when is the right time to retire? Then this is the event for you! This event is intended for people who are still working and looking ahead. Learn how to get the most out of your Social Security benefits from Johnny Angel, regional vice president of Pacific Life.* Light refreshments will be served.

TIME: 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

Reservations are required by May 24.

*Johnny Angel and Pacific Life are not affiliates of Wintrust.



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12

Honoring Our Veterans

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Wintrust Financial Center

9700 W. HIGGINS RD. | ROSEMONT, IL

Join us to recognize Flag Day with a moving presentation by Honor Flight, a nonprofit organization created solely to honor America's veterans for all their sacrifices. Honor Flight transports our heroes to Washington D.C. to visit and reflect at the memorials dedicated to their service and remember their friends. We will also enjoy a musical review dedicated to our patriotic songs and the Great American Songbook. Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

THURSDAY, JUNE 13

"That's What I Call Rock 'N Roll"

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

The Fireside Theatre

FORT ATKINSON, WI

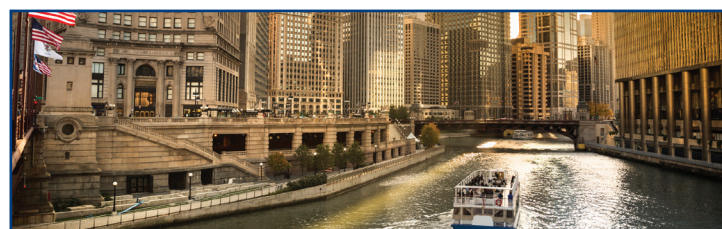
The Fireside will be rockin' with the music of the 50s, 60s, 70s, and 80s! They will be paying tribute to some of the biggest rock superstars of all time such as Elvis Presley, Jerry Lee Lewis, The Beach Boys, The Beatles, Jefferson Airplane, Dusty Springfield, Stevie Wonder, Earth, Wind and Fire, Michael Jackson, Prince, Led Zeppelin, Billy Joel, Van Halen, Queen, Bruce Springsteen, and many more! Music, lunch, and shopping, what more can you ask for? Invite a friend to join you on this event.

TIME: 8 AM TO 6 PM

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

PICK UP: 8 AM | ITASCA

8:45 AM | BUFFALO GROVE



TUESDAY, JUNE 18

Chicago Architecture Cruise

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Chicago, IL

Let's kick off summer with an architecture cruise through Chicago! Join us for a 90-minute tour along the Chicago River. Docents will teach us the history of more than 50 beautiful and historic buildings that line the river's banks. And, we'll also visit the new Chicago Architecture Center to explore the exhibits including the Chicago City Model Experience in the Chicago Gallery. We'll start our day with a delicious brunch at Park Grill.

COST: MEMBERS \$110 | NON-MEMBERS \$120

Call for departure information.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 27

"Citizen Kane" on the Big Screen

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Classic Cinemas Elk Grove Theatre

1050 ELK GROVE TOWN CENTER | ELK GROVE VILLAGE, IL

"Citizen Kane" is a 1941 American mystery drama film by Orson Welles, its producer, co-screenwriter, director, and star. Kane's career in the publishing world is born of idealistic social service, but gradually evolves into a ruthless pursuit of power. Narrated principally through flashbacks, the story is told through the research of a newsreel reporter seeking to solve the mystery of the newspaper magnate's dying word: "Rosebud." Bring a friend and enjoy a classic movie without the crowds. Please pay at the door.

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | \$1

DOORS OPEN: 9 AM | MOVIE STARTS: 9:45 AM



THURSDAY, JULY 18

"The Music Man"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Goodman Theatre

170 N. DEARBORN ST. | CHICAGO, IL

Charming and charismatic con man Harold Hill assumes he can easily fleece the citizens of River City, Iowa with the promise of a marching band. But the smooth-talking swindler can't tell a trombone from a treble clef and Marian, the local librarian, knows it. In his attempt to steal her heart and save his hide, Harold learns about moral responsibility and unexpectedly enriches the town with a love of music. You'll hear memorable favorites such as "Goodnight My Someone," "Seventy-Six Trombones," "Gary, Indiana," and "Till There Was You." We'll have lunch at Petterino's before the performance.

COST: MEMBERS \$138 | NON-MEMBERS \$148

Call for departure information.



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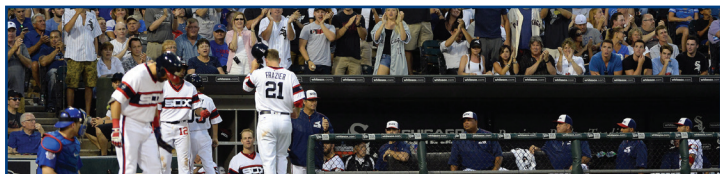
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THURSDAY, AUGUST 1
Chicago White Sox vs. New York Mets

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Guaranteed Rate Field

333 W. 35TH ST. | CHICAGO, IL

Let's cheer on the Chicago White Sox as they welcome the New York Mets to town! You won't want to miss this fabulous day at the ballpark. Before the game begins, we'll have lunch on the patio and enjoy fun activities with a visiting former White Sox player. The view will be great from our lower box seats. The game begins at 1:10 p.m., and the price includes the game ticket, deluxe motor coach transportation, and lunch with unlimited beer, wine, and soft drinks on the patio. It's free tee-shirt Thursday at the ball park too. Let's go, Sox!

COST: MEMBERS \$99 | NON-MEMBERS \$109
Call for departure information.

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 Noah's Ark Encounter; Nashville Holiday; Discover Spectacular South Africa; Arizona Getaway featuring Chicago Cubs Spring Training; Virginia Adventure featuring the Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival; Portugal and the Douro River Cruise; Iconic Israel; Alaska; British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals; New York City; 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
Summer Dish Garden

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Lurvey Garden Center

2550 E. DEMPSTER | DES PLAINES, IL

We will meet at the Lurvey Garden Center at 10 a.m. to make a dish garden to take home and learn about indoor plants. There will be free time to explore the Garden Center before we head across the street for lunch at Andrew's Open Pit. Lunch is included and space is limited for this event.

TIME: 10 AM TO 1:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$55 | NON-MEMBERS \$65

Reservations are required by July 22. Transportation not provided.



THURSDAY, AUGUST 22
Chicago Cubs vs. San Francisco Giants

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Wrigley Field

1060 W. ADDISON ST. | CHICAGO, IL

We're taking you out to the ballgame! Join us as we cheer on our World Series Champion Chicago Cubs at Wrigley Field. It's always a fun day at the ballpark. The view will be great from our terrace reserved preferred seats. Lunch will be on your own at one of the food vendors or restaurants located at Wrigley Field. The game starts at 1:20 p.m., and the price includes the game ticket and deluxe motor coach transportation. Let's go, Cubs!

MEMBERS \$105 | NON-MEMBERS \$115

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4 "The Band's Visit"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Cadillac Palace Theatre

151 W. RANDOLPH ST. | CHICAGO, IL

Come see one of the most Tony Award-winning musicals in history! The winner of 10 Tony Awards including Best Musical, "The Band's Visit" also won the 2019 Grammy award for Best Musical Theater Album. In this delightfully offbeat story, set in a town that's way off the beaten path, a band of musicians arrive lost, out of the blue. Under the spell of the desert sky, and with beautiful music filling the air, the band brings the town to life in unexpected and engaging ways. Even the briefest visit can stay with you forever. We'll enjoy lunch before the performance at Osteria Via Stato.

COST: MEMBERS \$165 | NON-MEMBERS \$175

Call for departure information.



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8 Chicago Cubs at Milwaukee Brewers

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Miller Park

1 BREWERS WAY | MILWAUKEE, WI

We're heading north to cheer on our World Series Champion Chicago Cubs as they take on the Milwaukee Brewers at Miller Park. We'll have a fantastic day at this ballpark, which features a retractable roof. The view will be great from our loge infield box seats. Lunch will be on your own at one of the food vendors or restaurants located at Miller Park. The game time is at 1:10 p.m., and the price includes the game ticket and deluxe motor coach transportation. Let's go, Cubs!

MEMBERS \$99 | NON-MEMBERS \$109

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EXTENDED TRIP PREVIEWS

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Join us for one of these previews of our fabulous trips!

Monday, September 9 | 11:30 AM

Hanover Park Community Bank

6800 Barrington Rd. | Hanover Park, IL

Noah's Ark Encounter, Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival, Portugal & The Douro River Cruise, and the British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals

Tuesday, September 10 | 11:30 AM

Village Bank & Trust

234 W. Northwest Hwy. | Arlington Heights, IL

Noah's Ark Encounter, Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival, Portugal & The Douro River Cruise, and the British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals

Thursday, September 19 | 11:30 AM

Elk Grove Village Bank & Trust

1145 N. Arlington Heights Rd. | Itasca, IL

Discover Spectacular South Africa, Iconic Israel, and more

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2
Lerner & Loewe's Greatest Hits

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Nichols Concert Hall

1490 CHICAGO AVE. | EVANSTON, IL

Alan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe wrote some of the most famous and beloved shows ever to grace a Broadway stage: "Brigadoon," "My Fair Lady," "Gigi," "Paint Your Wagon," and "Camelot." Join us for a concert of Lerner and Loewe's greatest hits, including "I Could Have Danced All Night," "If Ever I Would Leave You," "They Call the Wind Maria," "Almost Like Being In Love," and more! We will enjoy lunch before the performance at Maggiano's Little Italy in the Westfield Old Orchard Mall. Lunch includes appetizer, salad, pasta, chicken entree, and dessert.

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

Call for departure information.



If you're traveling to the Sunshine State, you won't have to worry about leaving your community bank behind. That's because we've opened a brand-new location in Naples! So, you'll have access to your finances and the reliable banking services you've come to expect from us, including wealth management and mortgage options. Sit back, relax, and enjoy the warm weather. We'll be right there and ready to serve you!

Now open!

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BANKING CENTER

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18
Sweetest Day Chocolate and Wings

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Morkes Chocolates & Gators Wing Shack

1890 N. RAND RD. | PALATINE

Who doesn't love chocolate? Just in time for Sweetest Day, we will try our hands at making and decorating with chocolate. You can decorate a chocolate pizza, mold some chocolate sweets, and dip and decorate pretzel twists. Then we will go across the street to Gators Wing Shack for a buffet of pizza, wings, pasta, and salad. Don't let the name fool you, they have some of the best wings in town!

TIME: 10:30 AM TO 1:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$35 | NON-MEMBERS \$45

Transportation not provided.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11
Sanfilippo Holiday Concert

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Sanfilippo Estate

BARRINGTON, IL

Join us for a special holiday event at the Sanfilippo Estate. Our visit begins with an elegant lunch including complimentary wine in the beautiful Carousel Pavilion, featuring an 1890 Eden Palais Carousel, antique music machines, steam engines, an 1890s Pullman passenger car, and more. Next, we'll enjoy a 90-minute live organ concert inside the residence with a surprise musical guest. A self-guided tour of the home and more music machines follows the performance. You'll also see the new Paris Fragrance Passage, General Store Gallery, and Art Deco Gallery. This musical adventure is sure to get you in the holiday spirit!

COST: MEMBERS \$125 | NON-MEMBERS \$135

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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.

AUGUST 3 - 9 | 2019

Canadian Rockies

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

VANCOUVER AND BANFF, CANADA

Let's explore the magnificent Canadian Rockies! Our adventure begins in Vancouver with a visit to Capilano Canyon, a city tour, and free time at picturesque Granville Island Public Market. Then, we'll board the Rocky Mountaineer train for the next two days as we watch the stunning landscape transform from farmland and semi-arid desert to the majestic mountains of the Canadian Rockies. In Banff, we'll see Bow Falls and the hoodoos, visit the unforgettable Icefields Parkway, and stop at stunning Peyto Lake. You won't want to miss this!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$6,474 PP | SINGLE \$7,774 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$6,674 PP | SINGLE \$7,974 PP

Price subject to availability. Call for current prices.

OCTOBER 10 - 18 | 2019

Greece

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

ATHENS, MYKONOS, AND SANTORINI

Join us on an exotic adventure through the islands of Greece! We'll step into history, and discover a place where the mythical Greek gods ruled the world, with a visit to the Parthenon, a city tour of Athens, and a trip to the Acropolis Museum. Next, we're off to the island of Mykonos to explore the villages on an island tour and see the famous windmills. Our next stop is Santorini, an island paradise known for its whitewashed houses and bright blue domed churches. And, there will be plenty of time to relax and immerse yourself in the local culture on this Greek adventure. Opa!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,350 PP | SINGLE \$3,850 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,550 PP | SINGLE \$4,050 PP

NEW DEPARTURE DATE ADDED

TRAVELING AS A SINGLE? LOOKING FOR A ROOMMATE?

Platinum Adventures will now be keeping a roommate request list. If you'd like to be on the list, please contact your Platinum Adventures Director. If we have travelers requesting roommates for the same trip, we'll put you in touch with each other to talk about the possibility of sharing a room. Same sex roommate requests only!

OCTOBER 20 - 22 | 2019

Noah's Ark Encounter

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

KENTUCKY AND INDIANA

Take a trip back in time while visiting a full-sized, wooden replica of Noah's Ark. Built according to dimensions given in the Bible, it is the largest timber frame structure in the country. You'll tour three decks filled with exhibits to explore what Noah's life may have been like aboard this massive boat. Next, we'll visit the Creation Museum, taking you on a journey through history as revealed in the Book of Genesis. Join us on this fascinating experience!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$795 PP | SINGLE \$975 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$995 PP | SINGLE \$1,175 PP



DECEMBER 3 - 7 | 2019

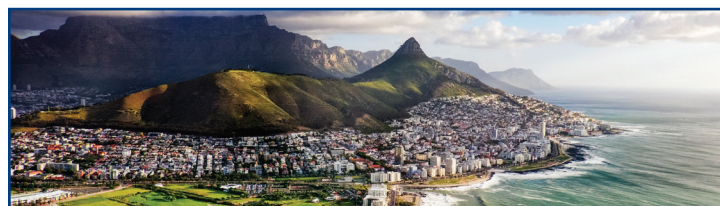
Nashville Holiday

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 and 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 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.

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

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APRIL 21 - 27 | 2020 Virginia Adventure featuring the Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival

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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 corp, 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

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TEL AVIV, TIBERIAS, AND JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

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