

Great Day! Group Tours Ideas

SIGNATURE DAY TOURS

Pricing varies by departure city . . . call for your customized package and pricing.

PITTSBURGH CHURCH TOUR

- Local guide with your group as you tour historic churches in Pittsburgh neighborhoods with information about historic architecture, ethnic heritage and cultural events
- Lunch in a lovely restaurant that was formerly a church

Scheduled Tour, June 12, 2017 for groups unable to fill a bus



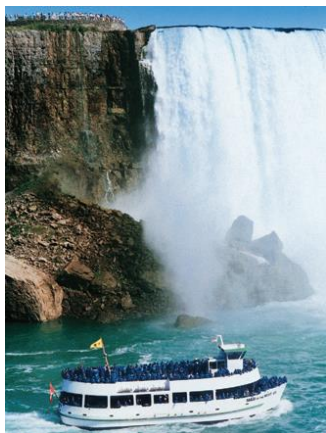
JIMMY STEWART HOME TOWN

- Amish Wedding Feast - A narrator will explain the traditions of an Amish Wedding before a family style meal is served
- Guided driving tour of Indiana, Pennsylvania, the birthplace of Jimmy Stewart. See his boyhood home, birthplace, grandfather's home, a statue dedicated to Mr. Stewart on his 75th birthday and more
- Tour the Jimmy Stewart Museum which features memorabilia. Take time to watch a film in the 1930's vintage movie theater

FALLINGWATER OR KENTUCK KNOB

- Frank Lloyd Wright's Fallingwater or Kentuck Knob
- Special luncheon
- Visit to the Flight 93 Memorial Site, Quecreek Mine Rescue Site or a candy company
- *Note: Children under 8 years and cameras are not permitted into Fallingwater*

Scheduled Tours, July 6 and August 19, 2017 for smaller groups, to Fallingwater



NIAGARA FALLS ~ EXPLORE THE ROAR

- New York Power Authority's Project Power Vista - a state of the art exhibit on energy, history and the environment
- Luncheon at a popular restaurant
- Maid of the Mist - a spectacular ride for a close-up view to "explore the roar" of the 100,000 cubic feet of water that flows over the Falls every second

Scheduled Tour, July 8, 2017 for groups unable to fill a bus

SAFARI, STATES AND SAVINGS

- The Made in America Store is the only “brick and mortar” general merchandise store in the United States (and indeed, the world) that sells exclusively 100% American made products. Even the packaging and the glue on the labels are made in America
- Luncheon
- Hidden Valley Animal Adventures - Interact with over 30 species of animals from all over the world. The adventure begins with a Guided Safari Tram Ride (handicap accessible) covering two miles of this 60-acre park. Each member receives a cup of grain to feed the animals
- A 5 & Dime Store - Take a trip down memory lane as you walk across the wooden floors of the four connected 19th century buildings which make this one of the largest old-time variety stores you'll ever see. Don't forget the 10¢ popcorn
- Visit East Aurora, New York, birthplace of President Millard Fillmore and home of Elbert Hubbard who created the Roycroft Arts & Crafts movement



GRAND LADY YACHT LUNCHEON CRUISE & THE AMERICAN DREAM

- Two-hour Luncheon Cruise aboard the Grand Lady
- A 5 & Dime Store – take a trip down memory lane as you walk across the wooden floors and buy a 10-cent bag of popcorn
- Made in America Store - Featured on numerous television shows, everything in the store including the packaging and glue for the labels is made in the USA

LOCKPORT LOCKS & ERIE CANAL CRUISE

- Buffet lunch in a casual, yet elegant banquet room which has over 100 windows directly overlooking the Canal
- Two-hour cruise through the Lockport Locks and Erie Canal ~ This unique narrated cruise along the Old Erie Canal passes through historic sites and five original locks built in 1825. You will be raised and lowered 50 feet in the only double locks on the Erie Canal
- Made in America Store - This is the only “brick and mortar” general merchandise store in the United States (and indeed, the world) that sells exclusively 100% American made products. Even the packaging is made in America

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CRUISIN' WITH THE FISHES

- Cleveland Aquarium - more than 35 tanks that are home to thousands of living creatures; be awed with an underwater walk-through experience
- Luncheon cruise aboard the Nautica Queen or the Goodtime III
- Guided tour of Cleveland including the West Side Market (Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday) or Gallucci's Italian Market

LUNCHEON CRUISE ABOARD A YACHT

- Luncheon cruise aboard a yacht-type cruise ship that is perfect for the beauty of Chautauqua Lake
- Lucy & Desi Museum
- Can include Desilu Playhouse or guided tour of Lucy's hometown
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Scheduled Tour, July 8, 2017 for smaller groups unable to fill a bus



PITTSBURGH LUNCH / CRUISE

- Narrated cruise of glorious Pittsburgh sights
- Upscale luncheon at Station Square
- Package can be modified to include:
 - Luncheon cruise plus a tribute show (available on Fridays from June - August)
 - Rivers Casino
 - National Aviary - America's premier bird zoo. Its diverse collection comprises more than 500 birds of 150 different species from around the world, many of them threatened or endangered in the wild. Ask us about the Condor exhibit starting in Spring, 2015

Scheduled Tour, June 20, 2-17 and July 12, 2017 for smaller groups unable to fill a bus

LAKE ERIE "ISLAND HOPPING" CRUISE

- Cruise to both Kelley's Island and Put-In-Bay
- Tram tour of Put-In-Bay or golf carts on Kelley's Island
- Luncheon buffet aboard the ship
- Time to explore Put-In-Bay

Scheduled Tour, August 5, 2016 for smaller groups



PUT-IN-BAY ABOARD THE JET EXPRESS

- Jet Express Cruise to Put-In-Bay
- Tram tour of Put-In-Bay
- Luncheon
- Time to explore Put-In-Bay; wineries, fudge and souvenir shops or its entertainment district

Scheduled Tour, August 11, for smaller groups



RAVEN'S GLENN WINERY . . . "Ohio's Crown Jewel of Wineries"

These tours center around Ohio's fourth largest winery located on the banks of the beautiful Tuscarawas River in East Central Ohio. Each of these tours features lunch (buffet or sit-down), winetasting in an elaborate tasting room & gift shop designed to easily accommodate your group, a winery tour and a complimentary etched wine glass.

Raven Meets the Amish

Raven's Glenn package (above)

- Holmes County Flea Market (Open Thursday – Saturday from mid-April through December. Also open Wednesdays in September and October)
- Choose one or two of the following:
 - Shearer's Potato Chip Outlet Store
 - Bulk foods or a historic general store
 - Farm to buy apples (mid-Sept through mid-Oct)
 - The new Amish meats and cheeses shop
 - David Warther Carvings



Progressive Three-Winery Tour

- Begin your day with appetizers and winetasting located in a winery of a renovated one room schoolhouse
- Raven's Glenn package (above)
- Complete your day with dessert and winetasting at a third winery
- Any of the tours can include the new Age of Steam Round house as presented at the September Marketplace

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Cruisin' With The Raven

- Raven's Glenn package (above)
- Holmes County or Walnut Creek Flea Market (Open Thursday - Saturday from mid-April through December. Also open Wednesdays in September and October.)
- Cruise aboard the Monticello III - This forty-five-minute horse-drawn ride along the Ohio and Erie Canal is an experience not to be missed!

"All Aboard" The Raven

- Raven's Glenn package (above)
- Warther Museum - view the priceless carvings, watch their finest kitchen cutlery being made, enjoy the Swiss Gardens and visit the button house



The Raven and the Village

- Raven's Glenn package (above)
- Cruise aboard the Monticello III - This forty-five-minute horse-drawn ride along the Ohio and Erie Canal is an experience not to be missed!
- Johnson-Humrickhouse Museum located in Historic Roscoe Village. This museum has four permanent exhibit galleries including the American Indian, Historic Ohio, Golden Gallery and East Asian
- Time to shop or wander through historic Roscoe Village

SHAWSHANK IN A DAY

Travel in Hollywood's footsteps as you immerse yourself in the highlights of the "Shawshank Redemption" filming sites. The Ohio State Reformatory is one of the biggest castle-like structures in the USA and houses the world's tallest free-standing steel cell block. Four major motion pictures have been filmed there including the "Shawshank Redemption". Even the lunch is themed.

- Ohio State Reformatory Tour
- Bissman Building (site of the movies Brewer Hotel and Portland Daily Bugle)
- Buffet Lunch featuring such items as "guard"en salad, pardon potatoes, Brooks beans, solitary stew, cellblock chicken, prison pies and lock-up libations
- Central Park - to see the bench that Brooks sat on while feeding the pigeons
- Renaissance Theatre - a 1928 vintage movie palace where Shawshank Redemption premiered in 1994
- Squirrel's Den - shop for homemade fudge and chocolates

BOGART & BACALL

- Malabar Farms admissions and wagon ride – marriage site of Humphrey Bogart and Lauren Bacall
- Family-style Amish luncheon or at the Malabar Inn, Kingwood Gardens and Mansion Tour - a French provincial house with beautiful gardens
- Cheese Barn & Village Shoppes
- Indoor car
- Carousel ride

MYSTERY TREASURE BAG TOUR

- Pine Tree Barn. You will receive a muffin and beverage
- Everything Rubbermaid (receive gift)
- Luncheon plus time in the gift shop and bakery
- P. Graham Dunn Gallery for a tour (receive gift)
- Lehman's Hardware (receive gift)
- JM Smucker Store (receive gift)
- Tour can also include a \$20 gift card drawing at each stop

AMISH GIFT BAG TOUR

Most stops include a gift for the bag!

- Family-Style Luncheon - jar of peanut butter for the bag
- Warther's Carvings - hand-carved pliers for the bag
- A Cheese House with Victorian Gifts - cheese nibbles for the bag
- Backroads Tour - a loaf of homemade bread for the bag
- Chocolate shop - a box of chocolates for the bag
- Swiss Village Bulk Foods - an ice cream cone to enjoy

COVERED BRIDGE TOUR

- Covered bridge tour with a local guide
- Marine Museum (built in 1898)
- Winery tour
- Ashtabula's Historic Bridge Street
- Lunch at a local restaurant or one of the wineries

Scheduled Tour, September 23, 2017 for smaller groups



GRIDIRONS IN THE SKY

- Pro Football Hall of Fame
- Luncheon
- Military Aircraft - learn the impact of aviation upon society and see some of the finest ready-to-fly aircraft in the hangars of this unique museum
- Tour a chocolate factory (shopping-only on Saturday)



HOLMES COUNTY AMISH TOUR

Customized for your group

Our most popular Amish Tour

- Family-style meal (several restaurant choices)
- Stops for Amish meats, cheeses and baked goods
- Winetasting at a country market
- Carlisle House and Farmer's Wife Gift Shop
- Stop at a farm to buy apples (seasonal)
- Tour can be customized to include:
 - Age of Steam Roundhouse - new attraction
 - Amish farm and house with buggy ride
 - Potato Chip Outlet Store
 - Flea Market (open Thursday - Saturday from mid- March through December. Also open Wednesdays in September and October)
 - David Warther Carvings (miniature ships)
 - P. Graham Dunn - inspirational art and home decor
 - The Amish and Mennonite Heritage Center
 - Tis the Season Christmas Shoppe
 - Warther Museum train, carvings & great knives
 - A ranch featuring exotic animals

Scheduled Tour, April 15, 2017 for smaller groups

CHEESE, CHOCOLATE AND CHAOS

- Kutter's Cheese Factory Store (samples and shopping)
- Luncheon Show "Sherlock Holmes, The Case of the Telltale Teapot" - Watson has opened a Tea Shop, but one of his teapots seems to have been a murder weapon! There's as much comedy and chaos as mystery as Holmes rescues the hilariously-befuddled Watson while being thoroughly perplexed himself
- Valvo's Candies (samples and shop)

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CANTEENS, CARRIAGE AND COLLECTIONS

- Dennison Railroad Museum (closed on Mondays) – This depot is the most significant remaining example in the nation of a railroad canteen still reflecting its WWII heritage. During WWII, 1.3 million service members were served free meals by 4,000 working volunteers at this depot which also contains an orientation theater, historical railroad exhibits, the Whistle Stop Railway Shop and themed railroad cars . . . Explore steam locomotives, a nickel plate caboose, freight and other passenger cars
- Lunch is included in the package
- TV and Radio Museum - TV's that date back to the first one at the world's fair plus games, lunch boxes, etc. that went with the classic TV shows. There are numerous radios and a display of Dick Goddard's old meteorological equipment and Alan Freed's DJ booth
- J.E. Reeves Victorian Home & Carriage House Museum- Step back into the elegance of the late 19th Century in the former home of this prominent Dover industrialist

BOMBERS, BOATS AND BOULEVARD

This tour was designed to focus on the men in your group but the women will also find it interesting.

- David Warther Carvings - See "the history of the ship" as you view over 80 major pieces in this collection. Many groups see David carve in his workshop as he works to add to this unique and amazing display
- Air Museum - Tour this hidden treasure which acquires, restores, preserves and exhibits vintage military and significant civilian aircraft
- Lunch at a local restaurant
- Car Museum - Bring back memories of cruising down the boulevard as you see the antique and collectible cars



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