



SUMMER 2018



PLATINUM ADVENTURES® NEWSLETTER

DAY TRIPS • EXTENDED TRIPS • SEMINARS • AND MORE!

A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

With the warmer weather and the sunnier days, there's no better time for an adventure. That's why we hope you can join us this summer as new friends, new places, and new experiences await you.

We've got a wide range of events and activities planned throughout the season that promise plenty of fun and excitement along the way. Whether it's a day trip or an extended journey, you can explore your favorites or try something brand new. No matter where your curiosities lie, we've got an adventure for you. Soak up the possibilities of summer and see what you discover!

Do you like music, history, movies, food, and fun? Then bring a friend and come join us on one or more of our upcoming adventures. And, make some memories as we go!

Hope to see you soon,



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.



FRIDAY, JULY 20

"Beehive: The '60s Musical"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Metropolis Performing Arts Centre

111 W. CAMPBELL ST. | ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL

"Beehive" is a rockin' celebration following six women as they honor the legendary music and performers of the 1960s. Filled with classic hits from iconic singers including Aretha Franklin, Tina Turner, The Shirelles, Diana Ross, Lesley Gore, Connie Francis, The Supremes, and more. We will start out with dinner at Peggy Kinnane's and then head to the theatre for this exciting and energetic musical performance.

TIME: 5 PM | DINNER & 7:30 PM | SHOW

COST: MEMBERS \$70 | NON-MEMBERS \$80

NO TRANSPORTATION IS PROVIDED FOR THIS EVENT.

MONDAY, JULY 23

American Writers Museum

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

American Writers Museum

180 N. MICHIGAN AVE. | CHICAGO, IL

Join us as we visit one of Chicago's newest attractions that celebrates the enduring influence of American writers on our history, identity, culture, and daily lives. The museum opened in 2017 and is ranked #1 in USA Today 10Best Readers' Choice Awards for "Best Illinois Attraction" and listed first in Fodor's Travel article "Inside the World's 10 Best New Museums." Best-selling author Scott Turow will be our featured speaker. He has written 11 fiction and three nonfiction books, which have sold more than 30 million copies. Carey Cranston, president of the American Writers Museum, will also address our group about the history of the museum. Then, we'll explore the institution devoted to writers and their works of poetry, lyrics, speeches, drama, fiction, nonfiction, journalism, and more. We'll enjoy lunch at Petterino's.

COST: MEMBERS \$75 | NON-MEMBERS \$85

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**TUESDAY, JULY 24 &
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11**
Online Banking for Beginners

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

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Learn how to check your balance, transfer funds, make a payment, and review bank statements online in this fun, interactive class. All participants will have access to a computer. Bring three to five current credit card or utility bills as well as your last bank account statement, and we'll assist you in setting up online banking, including bill pay.

TUESDAY, JULY 24

1635 W. Algonquin Rd. | Rolling Meadows, IL

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

950 W. Touhy Ave. | Park Ridge, IL

TIME: 9 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 4 &
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**
Annual Paper Shredding Events

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

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

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4

1545 Ellinwood Ave. | Des Plaines, IL

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

606 N. Milwaukee Ave. | Prospect Heights, IL

TIME: 9 AM TO NOON

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

WEDNESDAYS
Coin Appraisal Events

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

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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.*

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8

10 AM TO 3 PM | 1845 E. Rand Rd. | Arlington Heights, IL

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22

9 AM TO NOON | 606 N. Milwaukee Ave. | Prospect Heights, IL
1 TO 4 PM | 950 W. Touhy Ave. | Park Ridge, IL

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

10 AM TO 3 PM | 320 E. Northwest Hwy. | Mt. Prospect, IL

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

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MONDAY, AUGUST 20
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 have planned for you, including Frankenmuth Oktoberfest; Spotlight on San Antonio Holiday; Australia & New Zealand; New Orleans; Southern Charm (Jekyll Island, Savannah, Charleston); Spotlight on Tuscany; America's Canyonlands; a Blue Danube River Cruise; the Canadian Rockies; Nashville; our Mystery Trip; and more! You'll want to start packing your bags immediately! Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

AUGUST 20 - 25
Customer Appreciation Week

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Village Bank & Trust

ALL LOCATIONS

Village Bank & Trust wants to thank our customers for banking with us, so stop by your local office for special treats. Also this week, keep your eye out for the Village Bank & Trust inflatable baseball glove traveling around town. When you find the glove, you'll find another treasure – food! Take a photo with the giant glove and tag our Village Bank & Trust Facebook page. We'd love to see your pictures as the glove makes its way around town!

TIME: 8:30 AM TO 5 PM

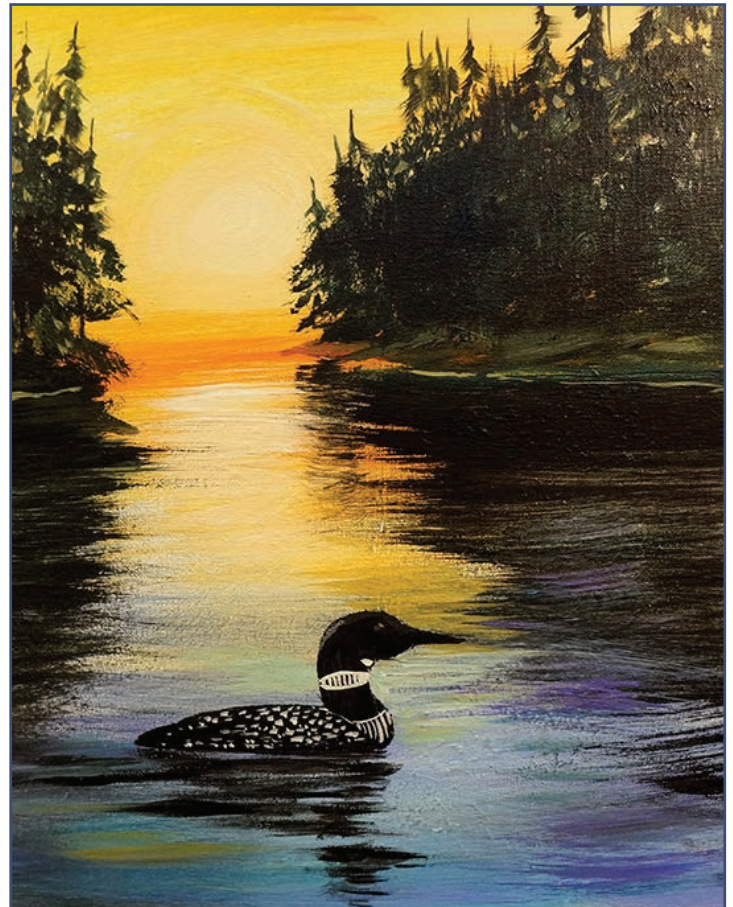
COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



Life can take you many places. Sometimes, it even leads you to a new home. That's why we're here. Our professionals can help you downsize, upgrade or refinance. Whatever your next big decision is, we have the experience and knowledge to create a mortgage solution that's perfect for you.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 21
"Loon Lake"

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

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234 W. NORTHWEST HWY. | ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL

What is better than wine and cheese? Wine, cheese, and a paintbrush! Don't worry if you aren't a skilled artist, David Becker of Becker Art will guide us as we paint "Loon Lake." Bring a friend as we get creative and then take home your painting to remember the night. All supplies will be provided, just bring your imagination and we'll take care of the rest.

TIME: 6 PM

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

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED BY AUGUST 1.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

Extended Trip Preview

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Hanover Park Community Bank

6800 BARRINGTON RD. | HANOVER PARK, IL

Join us for a light lunch as you learn about the travel opportunities Platinum Adventures has to offer. Will you explore San Antonio this holiday season? Maybe you're looking to experience southern charm as we visit Charleston, Savannah, and Jekyll Island. You'll also have a chance to visit the vineyards of Tuscany, the magnificent Canadian Rockies, the lively atmosphere of New Orleans, the beautiful landscapes of America's Canyonlands out West, and Nashville, Tennessee. There's something for everyone! Seating is limited, so make your reservation today.

TIME: 10:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3

Judy Garland: Come Rain or Come Shine

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Nichols Concert Hall

EVANSTON, IL

You'll be "Over the Rainbow" as we spend the afternoon watching Angela Ingersoll live in concert as she superbly captures the emotional and vocal power of Judy Garland. We'll hear "Get Happy," "The Man That Got Away," and more great songs. You won't want to miss this loving homage to an iconic performer. 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

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4
Back in Time with Tony Bernard

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Wood Dale Recreation Complex
111 E. FOSTER AVE. | WOOD DALE, IL

Tony Bernard is one of the most dynamic and energetic entertainers on the scene today. His career has taken him all over the country performing hit songs through the years, from the '40s to today's current hits, for more than 20 years now. He'll take us back in time as we relive the songs of yesteryear. So, come sing along, tap your feet, or dance the afternoon away. Lunch is included with this event.

TIME: NOON

COST: MEMBERS \$25 | NON-MEMBERS \$35

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED BY SEPTEMBER 15.




IT'S NEVER TOO EARLY TO START SAVING AND WE'RE MAKING IT EASIER BY OFFERING \$10

When a new Junior Saver opens an account by 12/31/18 and mentions this offer.²

1. The Junior Savers Club is designed for children and young adults under the age of 22. 2. Limit one bonus per customer within all Wintrust Community Banks. \$10 deposit bonus applies only to new Junior Saver customers. \$10 deposit bonus is IRS 1099-INT reportable. The account must be opened and a positive balance maintained for 30 days to receive the bonus. \$10 deposit bonus will be deposited into Junior Savers account 60 calendar days from the date of account opening. At account opening, child(ren) must be accompanied by a parent or guardian and present a valid social security number(s). A maintenance fee of \$10.00 will be imposed every calendar quarter if the balance in the account falls below \$200.00 any day of the calendar quarter once the Junior Saver has reached the age of 22. Transaction limitations will apply. Fees may reduce earnings. Banker instructions: Enter offer code WFCC00EVS010 during account opening. The promotion is not available to existing Junior Savers customers. Employees of Wintrust and its subsidiaries are not eligible for this promotion.

MEMBER FDIC  

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10
Medicare Made Clear

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Village Bank & Trust
311 S. ARLINGTON HEIGHTS RD. | ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL

Are you getting ready to sign up for Medicare? Or, are you already on Medicare and need to review your options? Then this is the seminar for you. Ron Osiol, Medicare specialist of CLU & Associates,* will discuss what changes have been made, options that are available to you, and answer general questions. He'll also provide information on different prescription drug coverage options and plans available to help with costs not covered by Medicare.

TIME: 10 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11
"Grease"

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

The Fireside Theatre
FORT ATKINSON, WI

The musical "Grease" has had an eight-year run on Broadway and two subsequent revivals, not to mention an iconic film and a live television performance. Join us as we venture to Rydell High in 1959, where we'll meet the teenagers who are part of the Pink Ladies and T-Birds groups. Head "greaser" Danny Zuko and new girl Sandy Dumbrowski will relive their summer romance as the rest of the gang sings and dances their way through songs including "Greased Lightnin'," "It's Raining on Prom Night," and "Alone at the Drive-In Movie." Lunch will include sweet corn chowder soup, chicken and ribs, and lemon pie for dessert.

TIME: 8 AM TO 6 PM

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

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED BY SEPTEMBER 1.

PICK UP: 8 AM | ITASCA

8:45 AM | BUFFALO GROVE

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 15 Should I Stay or Should I Go?

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Wintrust Financial Center

9700 W. HIGGINS RD. | ROSEMONT, IL

Join us for a series of informative discussions related to staying in your home or moving out. Our discussion topics include ways to make a home accessible, planning for a move, and transitioning to a new senior lifestyle. We'll have representatives from multiple senior living facilities who will present the options each has available to its residents. There will also be a number of expo tables with related information. Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25 Devil in the White City Tour

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Chicago, IL

We'll explore the true story told by Erik Larson in his best-selling book, "The Devil in the White City," about two simultaneous events in Chicago history: the World's Columbian Exposition of 1893 and the story of serial murderer Dr. Henry H. Holmes. We will start with a presentation of photographs of the fair, followed by a bus tour to locations and buildings visited by the fair goers. Then, we'll take a short walking tour of Jackson Park, which was home of the fair. If you've read the book, you'll learn more about the fair and Dr. Holmes. If you haven't, you'll be fascinated by the stories. A box lunch is included.

TIME: 8 AM TO 4:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$85 | NON-MEMBERS \$95

PICK UP: 8 AM | BUFFALO GROVE
8:45 AM | ITASCA



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14 The Seven Stages of Alzheimer's

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Village Bank & Trust

311 S. ARLINGTON HEIGHTS RD. | ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL

Every 65 seconds someone develops Alzheimer's and nearly six million Americans and their families are struggling through the stages. Karla Altman, IKOR RN Advocate, BSN MPH RNC* will present a better understanding of this disease and how you can best communicate and support a loved one during their journey. There will also be time for questions and answers.

TIME: 10 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

*Karla Altman, IKOR RN Advocate, BSN MPH RNC is not an affiliate of Wintrust.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16 "An Afternoon with Jackie Kennedy"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Maggiano's Little Italy

1901 E. WOODFIELD RD. | SCHAUMBURG, IL

Historian and actress Leslie Goddard* will portray the elegant and poised First Lady Jacqueline Kennedy. The office of the First Lady has never been truly defined, yet it is a role that ranges from being a hostess to participating in political campaigns and cultural initiatives. Goddard performs a dynamic and dramatic portrayal of Kennedy as she transformed the White House into a museum of history and culture to inspire the nation toward patriotism and public service. Lunch is included.

TIME: NOON TO 2:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$40 | NON-MEMBERS \$50

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED BY OCTOBER 16.



THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6

Sanfilippo Estate

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

BARRINGTON HILLS, 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 will follow the performance. This musical adventure is sure to get you in the holiday spirit!

COST: MEMBERS \$122 | NON-MEMBERS \$132

CALL FOR DEPARTURE INFORMATION.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13

Holiday Movie

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Classic Cinema Elk Grove

1050 ARLINGTON HEIGHTS RD. | ELK GROVE VILLAGE, IL

Mark your calendars for our annual holiday movie. Doors open at 9 a.m. and the movie starts at 9:45 a.m. Pay at the door.

TIME: 9 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | \$1



THURSDAY, JANUARY 24 | 2019

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 2019 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 with health related information. Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13 | 2019

"Mamma Mia!"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Drury Lane Theater

100 DRURY LN. | OAKBROOK TERRACE, IL

Grab your feather boas, lace up your platform shoes, and prepare to be dazzled by one of the most popular musicals of all time! We'll follow bride-to-be Sophie as she prepares for her wedding with her mother, friends, and three men she invites to discover who her father really is. Featuring ABBA's greatest hits, including "Super Trouper," "Take A Chance On Me," "Dancing Queen," "Waterloo," and more, this musical is an enchanting tale of love, laughter, and friendship that will have you dancing in the aisles! We'll enjoy lunch before the performance.

COST: MEMBERS \$69 | NON-MEMBERS \$79

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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.

SEPTEMBER 20 - 22 Frankenmuth Oktoberfest

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

FRANKENMUTH, MI

Enjoy a taste of Germany while in Michigan! Visit Michigan's Little Bavaria, the town of Frankenmuth. German food, lively music, and an Oktoberfest celebration filled with the sights and sounds reminiscent of the world-famous festival in Munich, Germany await you on this tour. Visit St. Lorenz Church, stop and shop at Bronner's Christmas Store, participate in a strudel-making experience, and enjoy a wine tasting. A lunch cruise aboard the "Michigan Princess" along the Grand River is sure to please.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$940 PP | SINGLE \$1,098 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$1,140 PP | SINGLE \$1,298 PP**

DECEMBER 8 - 12 Spotlight on San Antonio Holiday

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

SAN ANTONIO, TX

Relax Texas-style when you settle into your River Walk hotel. Immerse yourself in the sights and sounds of the holidays. Feel the spirit of the season as you stroll along the San Antonio River decorated for the holidays and illuminated with more than 120,000 lights. Discover the bold flavors of Texas as you come to know the history of the region and explore its treasures, from the legendary Alamo to the LBJ Ranch. Browse the El Mercado Mexican Market and discover the German settlement of Fredericksburg.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,449 PP | SINGLE \$2,799 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,649 PP | SINGLE \$2,999 PP**

Price subject to availability, call for current prices.

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!

JANUARY 22 - FEBRUARY 5 | 2019

**Australia & New Zealand:
The Land Down Under**

**LIMITED SPOTS
AVAILABLE!**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

Join us in the land down under where you'll enjoy summer temperatures, while it's winter in Chicago! You'll see natural wonders, vibrant cities, koalas, and more. While in Australia, stay in Sydney and take a guided tour of the Sydney Opera House. Board a catamaran trip to the Great Barrier Reef to see the amazing marine life. Learn about the Tjapukai Aboriginal inhabitants while in Cairns. Then, onward to New Zealand for stays in Christchurch, Queenstown, the Mt. Cook region, Arrowtown, and Milford Sound.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$8,179 PP | SINGLE \$9,679 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$8,379 PP | SINGLE \$9,879 PP**

Price is subject to availability, call for current prices.



MARCH 10 - 13 | 2019

New Orleans: The Big Easy

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

NEW ORLEANS, LA

Join us in the "Big Easy," the fun-filled city of New Orleans! We'll visit the lively French Quarter, French Market, Jackson Square, Old Mint, magnificent St. Louis Cathedral, the Garden District, and more. We'll enjoy a jazz dinner cruise on the Steamboat Natchez, a tour of Mardi Gras World, and take part in a Louisiana cooking demonstration. No trip to New Orleans would be complete without a visit to The National WWII Museum, dedicated to the soldiers who fought so valiantly in World War II.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,140 PP | SINGLE \$2,620 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,340 PP | SINGLE \$2,820 PP**



APRIL 6 - 12 | 2019

Southern Charm

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

FLORIDA, GEORGIA, AND SOUTH CAROLINA

Experience fine southern hospitality this spring as we head Southeast for some sunshine. We'll travel to two of Georgia's barrier islands: St. Simons Island and Jekyll Island. Jekyll Island was once the winter retreat of famous Gilded Age families. Next, we'll step back in time in Savannah where we'll be surrounded by beautiful squares with moss-draped oaks and stately mansions. Finally, we'll visit the elegant city of Charleston, South Carolina to take in spectacular views of the historic homes along the Battery and Rainbow Row.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,499 PP | SINGLE \$4,399 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,699 PP | SINGLE \$4,599 PP**

Price is guaranteed for booking through October 5, 2018.

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MAY 16 - 24 | 2019

Spotlight on Tuscany

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

TUSCAN REGION, ITALY

Stay in the famous resort town of Montecatini Terme for seven nights! You'll journey to Florence for a tour of the "Cradle of the Italian Renaissance" and see Michelangelo's famous statue "David." You'll also make a stop in the medieval city of Lucca, which is encircled by 16th century walls, see the Ponte Del Diavolo (Devil's Bridge) in Borgo a Mozzano, sample delectable wines during a tasting in the Chianti region, and enjoy regional wines with every included dinner. This trip will also include visits to the charming and enchanting cities of Pisa, San Gimignano, and Siena. Ciao!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,369 PP | SINGLE \$4,669 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,569 PP | SINGLE \$4,869 PP

Price is guaranteed for bookings through November 17, 2018.



JUNE 2 - 7 | 2019

America's Canyonlands

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Join us for a memorable trip through the magnificent Canyonlands of the West. On our adventure, we'll visit three national parks, a state park, and an engineering marvel! Our journey will take us through beautiful valleys and canyons made of sandstone and shaped over the years by various forces of nature. We'll see the Navajo Sandstone in Zion National Park, the "hoodoos" in Bryce Canyon National Park, the mighty Colorado River carved through the Grand Canyon, and the remarkable Hoover Dam.

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,700 PP | SINGLE \$3,275 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,900 PP | SINGLE \$3,475 PP

AUGUST 17 - 27 | 2019

The Legendary Blue Danube River Cruise

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

HUNGARY, SLOVAKIA, AUSTRIA,
GERMANY, AND CZECH REPUBLIC

**NEW DEPARTURE
DATE ADDED!**

Experience castles and countrysides as we cruise down the Danube River through Hungary, Slovakia, Austria, and Germany. We'll tour the capital cities of Budapest, Bratislava, and Vienna. Our ship will also visit the towns of Dürnstein and Melk in Austria; and Passau, Regensburg, and Nuremberg in Germany. Each port brings us to another European treasure with spectacular and historic sites. Our tour ends with a two-night hotel stay in the gorgeous city of Prague.

COST: STARTING AT \$4,908 PP BASED ON CABIN PREFERENCE. CALL FOR PRICING.
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GENERAL INFORMATION

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Depart Itasca

Elk Grove Village Bank & Trust

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Itasca, IL 60143

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Reservations may be made by phone to Norma Ahlstrand at 847-483-6013 or by email at nahlstrand@wintrust.com.

For your reservation to be confirmed, payment must be in my office within seven days after reservations are made:

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