



FALL 2021



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

A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Fall is in the air. It's the perfect time of year to enjoy what's left of autumn and get in the holiday spirit with your Platinum Adventures friends! We have some great events planned for the next few months, including exciting day trips, educational seminars, and extended travel opportunities. Why not book your calendar now with interesting and fun experiences to look forward to?

Since your safety is our utmost concern, we will be practicing protective measures at events. Face coverings will be used when required, and event attendees will need to sign a waiver. Also, please know all our extended trips include trip insurance, which can give you peace of mind in uncertain times.

At the time of print, the extended trips, outings, and presentations in this newsletter are all scheduled to occur as planned. However, due to COVID-19 precautions, these events may need to be rescheduled or canceled. Please contact me with any questions you may have.

I look forward to seeing you soon!

Tara Fedorko



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

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FOR DETAILED ITINERARIES ON ANY OF THESE UPCOMING **DAY TRIPS**, CONTACT YOUR PLATINUM ADVENTURES DIRECTOR.

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. Oftentimes, 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.



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1 30th Anniversary Open House

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Wintrust Banking Center

3401 TAMiami TRAIL N. | NAPLES, FL

Cheers to 30 years! Wintrust is celebrating its 30th anniversary this month. To show appreciation for our Platinum Adventures members, visit us today for an anniversary treat and fellowship. Not sure if you're a member? Stop by to learn more about our fun travel and activity club. You can start your free membership today and stay informed about future events! We hope you can join us. Thank you for being our valued customer.

TIME: 10 AM TO 3 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8 Naples Botanical Garden Tour

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Naples Botanical Garden

4820 BAYSHORE DR. | NAPLES, FL

Naples Botanical Garden is a 170 acre, world-class garden paradise that features plants from around the world. The garden is also the youngest garden in history to receive the American Public Garden Association's prestigious Award for Garden Excellence. Join us for a beautiful VIP guided walking tour through the Asian, Brazillian, Carribean and Florida Gardens. Lunch at the Fogg Terrace Cafe is included after the tour.

TIME: 11 AM TO 12:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$19 | NON-MEMBERS \$21

Meet at 11 AM at Naples Botanical Garden.

Event attendees are required to show proof of vaccination or negative COVID test results.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16 Coin Appraisal Event

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

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Bring your old coins, proof sets, commemorative coins, and paper money to find out what they are worth. Numismatist Gary E. Lewis* will appraise your items. If you have something to sell, he is interested in seeing your pieces. No appointments required. This is a first come, first served event.

TIME: 9 AM TO 4 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

*Gary E. Lewis is not an affiliate of Wintrust.



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THURSDAY, JANUARY 13 | 2022 Murder Without a Clue

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Colonial Station

2805 COLONIAL BLVD. | FORT MYERS, FL

All aboard the Murder Mystery Dinner Train for a one-of-a-kind theatrical and culinary experience! Enjoy a five-course dinner with a choice from three entrees, prepared fresh onboard the train while a live murder mystery show is played out in the dining cars during your 3.5 hour, forty-mile round trip from Colonial Station. The latest rage of the 1960s is a scavenger hunt aboard the train. Join us for a fun evening!

TIME: 5:30 TO 9:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$90 | NON-MEMBERS \$95

Meet at 5:30 PM at Colonial Station ticket office.

Event attendees are required to show proof of vaccination or negative COVID test results.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 27 | 2022 Extended Trips Preview

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Wintrust Banking Center

3401 TAMIAMI TRAIL N. | NAPLES, FL

Join us this evening for a special trip presentation, where you'll learn about the itinerary for our upcoming trip to the French Riviera. In May, we're off for seven nights in the seaside paradise of Nice, while making day trips to beautiful places such as St. Tropez, Cannes, Monaco, and more. Don't miss out on these fun adventures. We will be enjoying French pastries and bubbly refreshments during the presentation.

TIME: 5 TO 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10 | 2022
Coin Appraisal

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

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TIME: 9 AM TO 4 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15 | 2022
Domicile Seminar

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Wintrust Banking Center

3401 TAMIAMI TRAIL N. | NAPLES, FL

What should you know about Florida Domicile? Join us for an informative chat and coffee to learn the legal and financial aspects of filing a Florida domicile. Wintrust Wealth Management First Vice President Nina Azwoir will discuss the process and benefits one should consider.

TIME: 10 TO 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

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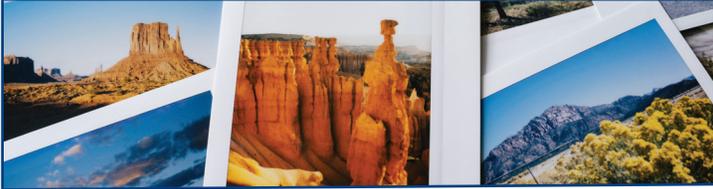
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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17 | 2022

Extended Trips Preview

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

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Join us for a special trip presentation and travel with us. In September, explore the Jewels of the Rhine River on a relaxing river cruise. You'll spend two nights in Lucerne, Switzerland before embarking on a cruise to Germany, France, and The Netherlands. At each port you'll get to explore these unique and historic towns along the way. You'll want to start packing your bags! Enjoy a wine tasting as we take you on a virtual presentation of each destination port.

TIME: 5 TO 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



THURSDAY, MARCH 24 | 2022

Spring Open House

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Wintrust Banking Center

3401 TAMIAMI TRAIL N. | NAPLES, FL

In celebration of National Cocktail Day, we invite you to an open house to meet our team. We will enjoy good conversation with spring inspired refreshments and small bites. This afternoon, learn more about the fun activities Platinum Adventures has planned for the spring and summer. Cheers!

TIME: 3 TO 5 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



THURSDAY, MARCH 3 | 2022

Painting with a Twist

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Wintrust Banking Center

3401 TAMIAMI TRAIL N. | NAPLES, FL

Discover your inner artist! Paint along with step-by step instructions from a professional artist with Painting with a Twist. You will create your own artwork that you will take home at the end of the evening. This is much more than a painting class; it's a paint party!

TIME: 5:30 TO 8 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$40 | NON-MEMBERS \$45

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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 include at home pick-up and return and trip insurance. 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.



MARCH 6 - 11 | 2022 Arizona Baseball Getaway

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

PHOENIX, AZ

Cheer on your favorite Chicago team as they prepare for the 2022 baseball season in sunny Arizona! You'll have the opportunity to see a spring training game for either the Chicago Cubs or the Chicago White Sox. Enjoy the beautiful scenery and warm temperatures as you tour the Phoenix area, visit the gorgeous red rock country of Sedona, and relax on a peaceful cruise around Saguaro Lake. You'll also explore music from around the world at the fascinating Musical Instrument Museum. Whether you're a native Chicagoan or not, it's sure to be a great time!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,550 PP | SINGLE \$4,245 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,750 PP | SINGLE \$4,445 PP**



APRIL 8 - 14 | 2022 Cherry Blossom Time in Our Nation's Capital

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

WASHINGTON, D.C., AND WILLIAMSBURG, VA

Join us for a historical adventure as we explore the nation's capital in springtime. Visit George Washington's Mount Vernon estate; Arlington National Cemetery; Ford's Theatre and the Petersen House; and the National Museum of American History at the Smithsonian Institute. See the Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial, Vietnam Veterans Memorial, Lincoln Memorial, the World War II Memorial and more in the National Mall. Enjoy the beauty of the cherry trees during the National Cherry Blossom Festival Parade. You'll also visit the Jamestown Settlement, the American Revolution Museum at Yorktown, and Colonial Williamsburg. Come along on this patriotic journey!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,115 PP | SINGLE \$4,215 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,315 PP | SINGLE \$4,415 PP**

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MAY 7 - 15 | 2022

Spotlight on the French Riviera

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

NICE, GRASSE, AND ST. TROPEZ, FRANCE, AND MONACO

Enjoy staying in one hotel for seven nights in the sunny seaside paradise of Nice! You'll spend time in the fairy-tale Principality of Monaco. Get a glimpse into the lives of the rich and famous in Cannes and St. Tropez. Shop like a local at Nice's colorful flower market. Discover the opulence of the Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild and its divine gardens. Watch artisans create fragrant perfumes in Grasse. Explore the medieval village of Saint-Paul de Vence. Embrace the breathtaking beauty on this tour of the spectacular French Riviera!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,130 PP | SINGLE \$4,530 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,330 PP | SINGLE \$4,730 PP
Price is guaranteed for bookings through November 7, 2021.

JUNE 17 - 26 | 2022

Switzerland and the Italian Lakes

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

*GENEVA, LUCERNE, AND ZURICH, SWITZERLAND AND
COMO, ITALY*

Experience magnificent mountains and spectacular scenery on a tour of Switzerland. You'll begin in Geneva, where the Jet d'Eau water fountain soars high in the sky. Stroll the waterfront promenade along Lake Geneva in Lausanne. See medieval architecture in the capital city of Bern. Have your camera ready to capture the stunning Staubbachfall waterfall. Travel by cog railway to the top of Mount Rigi for fantastic views of the mountains and Lake Lucerne. Enjoy a cruise on Lake Como and leisure time in picturesque Bellagio, Italy. Delight in delicious Swiss chocolate on a tour at the Lindt Home of Chocolate. Don't miss out on this amazing adventure!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$7,330 PP | SINGLE \$8,415 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$7,530 PP | SINGLE \$8,615 PP

SEPTEMBER 8 - 18 | 2022

Jewels of the Rhine

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

*SWITZERLAND, FRANCE, GERMANY, AND THE
NETHERLANDS*

Start your adventure with two nights in Lucerne, Switzerland, a delightful city with a dramatic backdrop of the magnificent Swiss Alps. Then, set sail along the romantic Rhine River on your way to see Strasbourg's beautiful architecture; experience a wine tasting in Heidelberg; visit the historic towns of Koblenz and Cologne; and finally, arrive in the quintessentially Dutch city of Amsterdam. Enjoy and relax on the lovely Emerald Waterways Star-Ship with first class service and a variety of international cuisine, onboard entertainment, and more!

**COST: STARTING AT \$5,149 PP BASED ON CABIN
PREFERENCE. CALL FOR PRICING.**



OCTOBER 14 - 20 | 2022

Northern California

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

SAN FRANCISCO AND MONTEREY, CA

Your adventure begins in San Francisco, where you'll tour this fabulous city and see the Golden Gate Bridge, Nob Hill, Fisherman's Wharf, crooked Lombard Street, and more. Set sail on a relaxing cruise in San Francisco Bay. Enjoy wine tastings in Napa Valley. Climb aboard a steam locomotive for a thrilling ride through a redwood tree forest. Have your camera ready as you explore the California coastline on the incredible 17-Mile Drive. Visit the charming villages of Sausalito, Carmel-by-the-Sea, and Monterey. Join us as we explore Northern California!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,990 PP | SINGLE \$5,785 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,190 PP | SINGLE \$5,985 PP

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RESERVATION POLICY FOR DAY & EXTENDED TRIPS:

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