



FALL 2021



PLATINUM ADVENTURES NEWSLETTER

DAY TRIPS • EXTENDED TRIPS • SEMINARS • AND MORE!

A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

The crisp, cool days and colorful leaves are reminders that 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!

Mary Jo Babiarez



**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. 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.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Frank 2 Frankie

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Maravela's Banquets & Catering

4 WASHINGTON ST. | INGLESIDE, IL

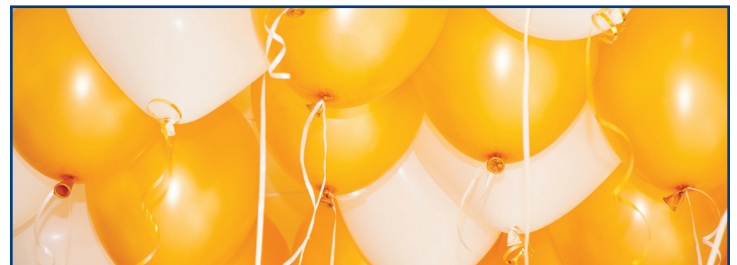
Celebrations become merrier with dear ones, so please join us at Maravela's armed with good cheer! Today's performance, "Frank 2 Frankie" will highlight the lives of two Jersey boys, Frank Sinatra and Frankie Valli, featuring songs and stories about the lives and careers of these legendary performers from New Jersey to Las Vegas. Performance by John Ludy and David Allen Mehner. Please specify your choice of roast loin of pork with bread dressing or tenderloin beef tips with noodles.

TIME: 11:30 AM TO 2:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$45 | NON-MEMBERS \$55

Transportation is not provided

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



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3

30th Anniversary Open House

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Crystal Lake Bank & Trust

5100 NORTHWEST HWY. | CRYSTAL LAKE, IL

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

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15

Dancing Horses Holiday Show

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Dancing Horses Theatre

5065 HIGHWAY 50 | DELAVAN, WI

This dazzling holiday spectacle features an array of horse breeds that perform alongside their trainers in this fantastic cavalcade of equestrian artistry. Visually stunning, and performed in a state-of-the-art, yet intimate, 300-seat theatre, this live show is truly a must-see for any horse lover. Although the theatre is quite large, this will be a private performance for our group. We will also have lunch on site consisting of turkey, salad, vegetable, dessert, iced tea, lemonade and coffee. Space is limited, so reserve your spot today!

TIME: 11 AM TO 4 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$95 | NON-MEMBERS \$100

Pick-ups: Antioch and Crystal Lake

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20

Christmas Cookie Decorating!

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Crystal Lake Bank & Trust

5100 NORTHWEST HWY. | CRYSTAL LAKE, IL

Join your Platinum Adventures friends for Christmas cookie decorating! Individual cookie kits will be provided and we will have fun decorating them together. They will not only be beautiful to see, but they will be delicious to eat. Afterward, we will enjoy light refreshments as we share our favorite Christmas traditions and memories. Bring a copy of your favorite cookie recipe to share. The recipes will be compiled and shared with you at a later date so you can create new memories and try a new recipe at the same time!

TIME: 10:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS \$20 | NON-MEMBERS \$30

MONDAY, JANUARY 10 | 2022

Consumer Fraud Presentation

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

State Bank of The Lakes

440 LAKE ST. | ANTIOCH, IL

Please join us for a consumer fraud presentation presented by the Office of the Illinois Attorney General. Hear about the persistent and new scams that Illinoisans might encounter such as: COVID-19 pandemic scams, government payments, and fraudulent products or services. Learn about the broad range of services provided by the office and how Illinois residents can get assistance. Illinois Attorney General Community Outreach Liaison, Iwona Przonak-Garcia, will lead this informative discussion.

TIME: 11 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



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TUESDAY, JANUARY 11 | 2022

Unaccompanied Minor in Germany

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

State Bank of the Lakes

50 COMMERCE DR. | GRAYSLAKE, IL

Award-winning author Fern Schumer Chapman* has written five books about her mother's immigration journey as an unaccompanied minor fleeing Nazi Germany in 1938 and the legacy of that experience. Listen to Fern present the story of how eighth graders reunited two separated childhood friends 73 years after they last saw each other. This dramatic reunion was captured on the Oprah Winfrey Network (OWN) in 2011. Fern has shared her remarkable, true stories at schools, luncheons, and charity events. Light refreshments will be served.

TIME: 10 AM

COST: MEMBERS \$15 | NON-MEMBERS \$25

**Fern Schumer Chapman is not an affiliate of Wintrust.*



WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12 | 2022

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 2022 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, lung health, and Alzheimer's disease. Before the presentations, 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

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



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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19 | 2022 National Popcorn Day

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Pop on by one of our drive up locations below for a popcorn treat in honor of National Popcorn Day. Popcorn is America's favorite go-to snack. Americans consume about 17 billion quarts of popcorn each year. Stop by to pick up your treat to enjoy in the comfort of your own home.

Cary Bank & Trust
60 E. Main St. | Cary, IL

McHenry Bank & Trust
2205 N. Richmond Rd. | McHenry, IL

TIME: 9 AM TO NOON
COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

THURSDAY, JANUARY 27 | 2022 Online Banking 101

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

McHenry Bank & Trust

2205 N. RICHMOND RD. | MCHENRY, IL

Have you ever wanted to use online banking but haven't felt comfortable taking the leap? Come and learn from the pros! Join us for an educational presentation as we discuss enrolling in online banking and its benefits and features. We will discuss mobile banking, bill pay, and external transfers, as well as the security benefits of online banking and how it can provide some cost savings.

TIME: 10 AM
COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4 | 2022 National Homemade Soup Day

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

All Crystal Lake Bank & Trust Locations

In honor of National Homemade Soup Day, please stop by your local Crystal Lake Bank & Trust or State Bank of The Lakes branch between February 1st and February 4th to pick up a coupon that you can redeem for a free cup of soup at a participating restaurant. Then, present the coupon at your choice of one of the following restaurants on FEBRUARY 4TH: RJ's Eatery in Lindenhurst; The Vegas Café in Antioch; Chick-fil-A in Crystal Lake; or, Kosta's Gyros in Algonquin to redeem this "soup" delicious treat!

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 | 2022 Valentine's Wine & Chocolate Tasting

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

State Bank of the Lakes

50 COMMERCE DR. | GRAYSLAKE, IL

Join us for a variety of heavy appetizers followed by an afternoon of decadent pleasure with two of Grayslake's premier purveyors of wine and chocolate. A representative from Glunz Family Winery & Cellars will walk us through an adventure of carefully selected wines that pair perfectly with chocolates from Uniquely Sweet. Don't miss out on this sweet adventure! Reserve your spot as space is limited.

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

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14 | 2022

Be My Valentine

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Crystal Lake Bank & Trust

5100 NORTHWEST HWY. | CRYSTAL LAKE, IL

Join your Platinum Adventures Director for some Valentine's fun! We will start by making a Valentine's Day mouse out of Hershey's Kisses. Next, we will play candy themed games and activities. Sweet treats and tea will be served as we mix and mingle and reminisce about our favorite Valentine's memories. Bring a friend and introduce them to a lighthearted and fun adventure. We can discuss upcoming trips and ideas for new ones. Be sure to register as space is limited due to room size.

TIME: 1 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16 | 2022

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 Arizona Baseball Getaway; Cherry Blossom Time in Our Nation's Capital; Spotlight on the French Riviera; Switzerland and the Italian Lakes; Summertime Mystery Trip; Mount Rushmore, Deadwood, and the Badlands; Jewels of the Rhine River; Northern California; and more. You'll want to start packing your bags! Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

The destinations presented may change based upon availability at time of trip preview.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2 | 2022

"Come From Away"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Cadillac Palace Theatre

151 W. RANDOLPH ST. | CHICAGO, IL

One of Broadway's newest musicals is here for us to enjoy! Experience the remarkable true story of 7,000 stranded passengers and the small town in Newfoundland that welcomed them. On September 11, 2001, the world stopped. On September 12, their stories moved us all. Cultures clashed and nerves ran high, but uneasiness turned into trust, music soared into the night, and gratitude grew into enduring friendships. Join us for this emotional new musical. We'll enjoy lunch before the performance.

COST: MEMBERS \$175 | NON-MEMBERS \$185

Call for departure information.

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

LIMITED TICKETS
AVAILABLE!



TUESDAY, MARCH 8 | 2022

Financial Preparation and Recovery

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Algonquin Bank & Trust

4049 W. ALGONQUIN RD. | ALGONQUIN, IL

Algonquin Bank & Trust Branch Manager, Mary Caporale, will discuss how to prepare financially for disasters. She will share tips on how to save time, money, and stress when a disaster strikes by making financial preparations. Learn how disasters can affect your finances and how to prepare in advance for them. She will also share tips on how to avoid scams after a disaster hits. Light refreshments will be served.

TIME: 11 AM TO 12 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

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TUESDAY, MARCH 22 | 2022

Extended Trips Preview

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

State Bank of the Lakes

1906 HOLIAN DR. | SPRING GROVE, IL

Let's sit back and travel the world through photos and videos during this extended trip preview. We will share with you the places Platinum Adventures is visiting this year. Learn about the French Riviera; Mount Rushmore, Deadwood, and The Badlands; river cruising on the Rhine River; and Cherry Blossom Time in our Nation's Capital. Invite a friend to join you on this virtual voyage. Light snacks will be provided.

TIME: 2 TO 4 PM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

The destinations presented may change based upon availability at time of trip preview.

MONDAY, APRIL 11 | 2022

National Pet Day

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

State Bank of The Lakes

1906 HOLIAN DR. | SPRING GROVE, IL

Join us on National Pet Day to get a professional photo taken of your pet (or you and your pet). Liz Mazur, of Liz Mazur Photography, is a lifestyle photographer who specializes in pet and family photography. Her goal is to capture their personality as well as their funny and sweet moments that make life so special and magnificent. You will receive one fully edited digital download and one 5"x7" print in lustre finish.

TIME: 10 AM

COST: MEMBERS \$12 | NON-MEMBERS \$15

MONDAY, APRIL 18 | 2022

Grandma Goes to Hawaii

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Marvela's Banquets & Catering

4 WASHINGTON ST. | INGLESIDE, IL

Is eight hours too long of a flight? Don't worry, we've got you covered. "Grandma Goes to Hawaii" is the story of how Jeanne Roppolo* relocated to the Big Island of Hawaii and lived for 14 years. Join Grandma Jeanne and her family as she shows us what it was like to live life as a local. Get in the spirit by wearing your favorite Hawaiian shirt or coconut bikini. A festive and flavorful lunch of baked ham or teriyaki chicken will be served. Please specify your entree choice when making your reservation. Paradise is a footstep away.

TIME: 11:30 AM

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

Transportation is not provided.

**Jeanne Roppolo is not an affiliate of Wintrust.*

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

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TUESDAY, APRIL 26 | 2022

Paint Your Own Pottery

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Handmade on Main

320 S. MAIN ST. | ALGONQUIN, IL

Let's get together and paint our own masterpiece. The staff at Handmade on Main will assist us in choosing colors and painting our project from start to finish. There are over 120 colors to choose from. You can either make a teacup and saucer or a venti mug. No experience is necessary. A light snack and beverage will be provided. You may bring your own beverages as well.

TIME: 11 AM

COST: MEMBERS \$15 | NON-MEMBERS \$20

Transportation is not provided.

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

FRIDAY, MAY 6 | 2022

Escape From Boredom

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Twisted Limits Escape Rooms

3735 W. ELM ST. (RTE. 120) | MCHENRY, IL

Are you good at puzzles? Do you like mysteries? Work with your Platinum Adventures friends in teams to problem solve and unlock clues to escape the room before your time is up! We will enjoy a lunch from Jersey Mike's on site after the game and discuss the challenges we faced and all the fun we had.

TIME: 11 AM

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

Transportation is not provided.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18 | 2022

"A Mighty Fortress is Our Basement"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Fireside Dinner Theatre

1131 JANESVILLE AVE. | FORT ATKINSON, WI

The Church Basement Ladies are back. The year is 1960 and a reformation is underway. Beverly gets her first pair of high heels for confirmation. Mrs. Snustad wins top honors at the county fair for her grand champion pickles. Mavis must find a way to deal with the new super highway that cuts through her farm. Karin finds freedom behind the wheel of her husband's pickup truck. And, the pastor has found new love and announces his impending nuptials. We'll enjoy lunch before the performance.

TIME: 8 AM TO 5:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$102 | NON-MEMBERS \$112

Pick-ups: Antioch and Crystal Lake

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

FRIDAY, MAY 20 | 2022

Mother's Day High Tea

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

High Tea With Gerri

144 N. OLD MCHENRY RD. | LONG GROVE, IL

Join us for Mother's Day at Gerri's Tea Room. The tea room represents Gerri's roots and heritage as a native of Ireland. The tea room features a classic experience and introduction to the past time of afternoon tea in an elegant and charming setting. Enjoy an artful array of finger sandwiches, raisin scones, and petite pastries while drinking tea from antique cups. Feel free to dress up and wear your fancy hat if you wish. This is a day to celebrate you and all that you do!

TIME: 11:30 AM

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

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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 hometown 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. Come along with Platinum Adventures to escape the cold weather!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,400 PP | SINGLE \$4,095 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,600 PP | SINGLE \$4,295 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



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 \$4,080 PP | SINGLE \$4,480 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,280 PP | SINGLE \$4,680 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 \$7,045 PP | SINGLE \$8,130 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$7,245 PP | SINGLE \$8,330 PP

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JULY 5 - 9 | 2022

Summertime Mystery Trip

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Get ready for a fun, creative time on our Summertime Mystery Trip, where every destination and event is a surprise! You'll visit interesting places with clues, entertainment, and festive activities wrapped up in good old-fashioned fun. Excellent dining, hotels, fascinating attractions, and a professional tour director all make this motorcoach tour a great value. Wherever we go, it's sure to be an adventure you won't want to miss!

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$1,650 PP | SINGLE \$2,110 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$1,850 PP | SINGLE \$2,310 PP
Motorcoach trip



AUGUST 13 - 19 | 2022

Mount Rushmore, Deadwood, and the Badlands

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

DEADWOOD, WALL, AND RAPID CITY, SD

Discover South Dakota's history and beauty as you embark on a journey to "The Mount Rushmore State." See the magnificent sculptures of Mount Rushmore and the Crazy Horse Memorial. Tour the Badlands National Park and Custer State Park. Marvel at the spectacular scenery of the Black Hills as you ride the Black Hills Central Railroad 1880 Train. Explore local attractions in Deadwood, see fossils at The Mammoth Site of Hot Springs excavation site, and learn about local Native American culture. A trip to South Dakota is not complete without a stop at Wall Drug, a unique shopping emporium.

COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,770 PP | SINGLE \$3,600 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,970 PP | SINGLE \$3,800 PP
Motorcoach trip



SEPTEMBER 8 - 18 | 2022

Jewels of the Rhine River

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 \$4,660 PP | SINGLE \$5,455 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,860 PP | SINGLE \$5,655 PP

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Depart Crystal Lake
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Crystal Lake, IL 60014

Depart Antioch
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