



SPRING

# Platinum Adventures® Newsletter

SPRING 2025 | DAY TRIPS | EXTENDED TRIPS | SEMINARS | AND MORE!

## MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Let's spring forward to warmer days and good times with friends.

The buds of spring are arriving, and so is an exciting schedule of activities for the spring and summer! Now is a fantastic time of year to venture out and explore new places and learn new things. We have a variety of events planned for the next few months, including day trips, educational seminars, and extended travel opportunities. Let's fill your calendar with interesting and fun experiences!

If you're curious about events happening near friends or family, visit [wintrust.com/panewsletters](http://wintrust.com/panewsletters) to see Platinum Adventures events planned at all Wintrust Community Banks. Events and extended trips fill up quickly; be sure to reserve a spot right away for the activities you are interested in.

Reservations are required for all events. For reservations to be confirmed, payment must be made by credit card or check and received in my office (McHenry Bank & Trust, 2205 N. Richmond Rd., McHenry, IL 60051) within seven days after reservations are made. Please make checks payable to Platinum Adventures. Member pricing is for current Platinum Adventures members only.

I look forward to seeing you soon!

*Diane Susong*



For more information about any of the events you see in this newsletter or to RSVP, please contact me:

**Diane Susong**  
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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 just what the Platinum Adventures Club is all about with friends.

Pay close attention to the means of transportation for these trips. We will often gather and transport the group by bus, but some events require you to commute on your own. As always, if you have any questions about 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.

For more information on these upcoming **day trips**, contact your Platinum Adventures Director.

### ENERGY LEVEL SCALE:

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## Honoring Our Veterans

Wintrust Financial Center  
9700 W. Higgins Rd. | Rosemont

**MONDAY, MAY 19**

LEISURELY

Join us in remembrance of the Memorial Day holiday for 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 to remember their friends. We will also enjoy a fun and heart-warming musical trip down memory lane as Sweet Reminder singers Nancy Baumet and Dia Madden entertain with their charming renditions of iconic tunes from the '40s, '50s, and '60s! Lunch is included.

**TIME:** 11:30 AM

**COST:** Members & Non-Members | FREE

## Age Well With A Sharper Brain

Riverside Residence  
3516 Waukegan Rd. | McHenry

**THURSDAY, MAY 29**

LEISURELY

There are things we can adjust and control to ensure we age well with a sharper mind. Staying mentally and physically active, reducing stress, and sleeping well all affect our brain health! Join Certified Health Coach Kim Ramos, RN,\* for a 75-minute workshop exploring the common causes of cognitive decline and some steps you can take now to impact your brain health. We'll also learn a simple and powerful meditation exercise that's been shown to reduce stress and improve mood and memory. Lunch will be served after the presentation.

**TIME:** 11 AM

**COST:** Members & Non-Members | FREE

*Transportation is not provided.*

*\*Kim Ramos, RN, is not an affiliate of Wintrust.*

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## Fraud Prevention

Algonquin Bank & Trust  
4049 W. Algonquin Rd. | Algonquin

**FRIDAY, JUNE 6**

**LEISURELY**

Far too often, scam artists prey on individuals to gain their trust and obtain access to their financial accounts, resulting in exploitation and fraud. We'll learn about the wide range of scams targeting older citizens and how to protect yourself, friends, and family from scam artists and fraudulent businesses. Algonquin Bank & Trust Branch Manager Mary Caporale will lead the discussion and share what the bank does to identify potential fraud on customer accounts and why bankers ask questions.

**TIME:** 2 PM

**COST:** Members & Non-Members | FREE



## Chicago Cubs vs. Pittsburgh Pirates

Wrigley Field  
1060 W. Addison St. | Chicago

**FRIDAY, JUNE 13**

**MODERATE**

We're taking you out to the ballgame! Join us in cheering on our Chicago Cubs as they face the Pittsburgh Pirates at Wrigley Field. It's always a fun day at the ballpark, experiencing the sights and sounds of baseball. Lunch will be on your own at one of Wrigley Field's food vendors or restaurants. The game starts at 1:20 p.m., and the price includes the game ticket and deluxe motorcoach transportation. Let's go, Cubs!

**COST:** Members \$120 | Non-Members \$140

**DEPART:** 9:10 AM Crystal Lake | 10 AM Elgin

## Shred Events

**VARIOUS DATES**

**LEISURELY**

Gather your personal sensitive information, and we'll shred it on-site for free! The limit is three paper bags or three small boxes per carload: no plastic bags.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 21 | 9 TO 11 AM**

Crystal Lake Bank & Trust  
5100 Northwest Hwy. | Crystal Lake

**SATURDAY, JULY 12 | 9 – 11 AM**

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

**SATURDAY, JULY 12 | 9 – 11 AM**

Algonquin Bank & Trust  
4049 W. Algonquin Rd. | Algonquin

**New Date**

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 9 | 9 – 11 AM**

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

**COST:** Members & Non-Members | FREE

**1. Shred Events.** No purchase necessary. Limit three paper bags or boxes per carload. Wintrust Community Banks assume no liability for shredded items.

**SCHAUMBURG BOOMERS**

**PLATINUM ADVENTURES CLUB DAYS**

**THURSDAY JUNE 5**  
12:00 PM

**WEDNESDAY JULY 2**  
6:30 PM

**THURSDAY AUG 7**  
12:00 PM

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## Pizza and Stuffing Party

Senior Care Volunteer Network  
42 East St. Ste. C / Crystal Lake

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25**

**LEISURELY**

Looking for a way to give back? For more than twenty years, the Senior Care Volunteer Network has been helping adults ages 60+ better maintain their independence, dignity, and quality of life by remaining in their own homes. Invite your favorite teen so they can earn service hours, and join us in stuffing envelopes for the not-for-profit Senior Care Volunteer Network's fundraiser. Enjoy pizza and salad afterward.

**TIME:** 4 TO 6 PM

**COST:** Members & Non-Members | FREE

*Transportation is not provided.*

## "Church Basement Ladies"

Fireside Theatre  
1131 Janesville Ave. / Fort Atkinson, WI

**FRIDAY, JUNE 27**

**MODERATE**

It is 1979, the day of the church's Centennial Celebration, and past parishioners have gathered to share hotdish, bars, and stories from the last 100 years. As women work in the kitchen, shared memories burst into life through a series of flashbacks. Travel back to 1897 and meet Vivian's grandmother, see Karin as a newlywed cautiously navigating the politics of the kitchen, and be there in 1944 when Mavis first barreled her way through the door. With your reservation, please select braised pork belly, supreme cut chicken breast, Thai grilled shrimp, or the vegetarian cacciatore.

**COST:** Members \$135 | Non-Members \$155

**DEPART:** 8:40 AM Grayslake | 9:30 AM McHenry

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## Silk Scarf Marbling Workshop

Wauconda Community Bank  
495 W. Liberty St. | Wauconda

TUESDAY, JULY 22

LEISURELY

Enjoy this unique, fun, hands-on experience as Deb Moretti\* demonstrates how to paint your own silk scarf. Choose from various traditional and non-traditional marbling designs. Everyone will create a six-foot scarf with a one-of-a-kind design that you can keep for yourself or give as a gift to that special someone in your life. Light refreshments will be served.

TIME: 1 TO 5 PM

COST: Members \$55 | Non-Members \$65

\*Deb Moretti is not an affiliate of Wintrust



## A Taste of Meads, Wine & Honey

Wild Blossom Meadery & Winery  
9030 S. Hermitage Ave. | Chicago

THURSDAY, JULY 31

MODERATE

A hidden gem awaits as we visit the tasting room of a craft brewery specializing in wines and meads from its own bees' honey. We'll hear a presentation on how the honey and meads are made and view the honeybees. We'll also enjoy a honey tasting, a flight of wines, charcuterie boards, and freshly made pizza.

COST: Members \$115 | Non-Members \$135

DEPART: 9:30 AM Crystal Lake | 10:15 AM Elgin



## Strike Up Some Fun

Sideouts Sports Tavern  
4018 W. Roberts Rd. | Island Lake

THURSDAY, JULY 24

MODERATE

Roll on over; there's no time to spare — we're going bowling, and we want you there! Enjoy an afternoon of fun with your Platinum Adventures friends. Invite your grandkids or other special children in your life to go bowling with you. We'll have a ball! Lane and shoe rental, pizza, and soda are included.

TIME: 3 TO 5 PM

COST: Members \$20 | Non-Members \$25

Transportation is not provided.

## UPDATE YOUR PLATINUM ADVENTURES® MEMBERSHIP

Retroactive to January 1, 2024, all event attendees must have a new Platinum Adventures membership form on file. Keep your membership current — if you haven't filled out a membership form since January 2024, stop by your local branch and complete one today!

*Platinum Adventures membership is free, and member benefits include member pricing for events and a mailing of the quarterly newsletter.*

**Platinum Adventures Club.** Membership is for customers 50+ years of age.

## Financial solutions FOR YOU

Whether you're preparing for retirement, managing your retirement income, or planning for your family's financial security, we're here to help. Our team of experts offers the personalized attention you deserve with the financial solutions you need for every stage of your life.



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### Barry Manilow Tribute

Starved Rock Lodge & Conference Center  
One Lodge Lane | Oglesby

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 5**

**MODERATE**

No stranger to the tribute world, Jay Gates' impersonation of Barry Manilow has "Fanilows" agreeing that this act is rapidly becoming the show to see! Be it the classic "Copacabana," sing-along "Can't Smile Without You," or show-stopping "Even Now," Jay's faithful representation of Barry's voice combined with a jaw-dropping visual portrayal and multimedia presentation always leaves audiences wanting more! We'll enjoy a lunch buffet before the performance.

**COST:** Members \$130 | Non-Members \$150

**DEPART:** 8 AM Grayslake | 8:55 AM Crystal Lake

### Yacht Rock Revue Concert

The Salt Shed  
1357 N. Elston Ave. | Chicago

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 15**

**ACTIVE**

Embark on a nostalgic voyage through the shimmering seas of music with Yacht Rock Revue performing their immaculate renditions of classic hits from the late '70s and early '80s that evoke memories of palm trees, ocean breezes, and carefree summers. We'll enjoy heavy appetizers, refreshments, and the concert from the exclusive Three Top Lounge. Enjoy an unforgettable journey across the azure waters of musical history. So, grab your captain's hat and set sail with Yacht Rock Revue for a melodic adventure.

**COST:** Members \$170 | Non-Members \$190

**Depart:** 3:45 PM McHenry | 4:30 PM Mundelein

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## Extended Trips Preview

Wintrust Financial Center  
9700 W. Higgins Rd. | Rosemont

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 19**

**LEISURELY**

Join us for a special trip presentation and travel the world with us! You'll hear all about the exciting trips and see slideshows of the great destinations we've planned for you, including Australia and New Zealand; Branson, Missouri; a Greek Islands cruise; America's Canyonlands; a summertime Mystery Trip; Alaska; Paris and a Seine River cruise; the colors of New England; Nashville Holiday; 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 on availability at the time of the trip preview.*

## Extended Trip Preview

Crystal Lake Bank & Trust  
5100 Northwest Hwy. | Crystal Lake

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20**

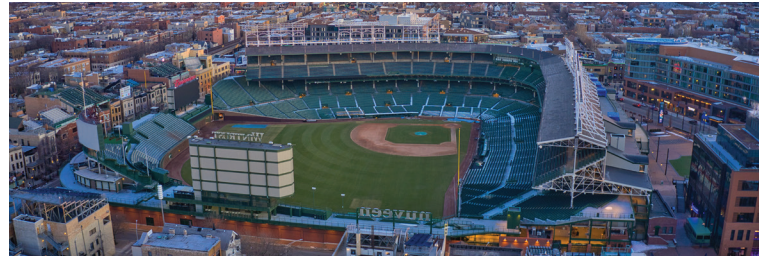
**LEISURELY**

Are you looking for a travel experience either near or far? We have just the tours for you! Come and hear about our newest trips, including Australia and New Zealand, Branson, a Greek island cruise, America's Canyonlands, an Alaskan cruise, Paris and the Seine River cruise, fall in New England, and Nashville. You'll want to start packing your bags! Don't delay, as these trips are filling up fast.

**TIME:** 2 PM

**COST:** Members & Non-Members | FREE

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## Explore Wrigley Field

Wrigley Field  
1060 W. Addison St. | Chicago

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4**

**ACTIVE**

Join us for a behind-the-scenes look at the legendary home of the Chicago Cubs! You'll experience the beauty, charm, and historic features fans have come to know and love while visiting the dugout, clubhouse, press box, outfield ivy, field, and more. The tour is approximately 90 minutes of walking, standing, and climbing several flights of stairs. After the tour, we'll have time to shop at the team store and take pictures in Gallagher Way before lunch at the iconic Manny's Deli.

**COST:** Members \$85 | Non-Members \$105

**DEPART:** 8:10 AM McHenry | 9 AM Grayslake



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## Milwaukee: “The Brew City”

Milwaukee, WI

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**

**MODERATE**

Enjoy a beautiful fall day in Milwaukee, WI. Our first stop is at the Pabst Brewing Co. for an educational beer history tour filled with Gemütlichkeit (German for friendliness and good cheer!). Next, we'll feast on traditional German food with apple strudel for dessert at Mader's Restaurant. Visit a tropical rainforest with a waterfall, the desert with an oasis, and a brightly colored floral garden at Mitchell Park Domes.

**COST:** Members \$135 | Non-Members \$155

**DEPART:** 7:45 AM McHenry | 8:20 AM Mundelein  
8:45 AM Grayslake

## Olivia Newton-John Tribute Show

Des Plaines Theatre

1476 Miner St. | Des Plaines

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28**

**MODERATE**

From her early hits to her rise to super-stardom in the hit movie musical “Grease” and beyond, Olivia Newton-John is one of the best-selling, most-loved music artists of all time. Join us at the historic Des Plaines Theatre as Olivia Newton-John sound-alike Nancy Baumet from Sweet Reminder brings you this entertaining tribute to Australia's Sweetheart! Along with spot-on “Olivia-sounding” vocals, costume changes, interesting Olivia trivia, and a bit of audience participation, this special performance also features a live band playing hits like “I Honestly Love You,” “You're The One That I Want,” “Magic,” “Xanadu,” “Physical,” and more. Come experience why we all loved and remain so hopelessly devoted to Olivia!

**TIME:** 2 PM

**COST:** Members \$38 | Non-Members \$48

*Transportation is not provided.*



## Charcuterie & Wine

Cook, Cork & Fork

34 W. Palatine Rd. | Palatine

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7**

**MODERATE**

Whether you're a charcuterie novice or a seasoned pro, this hands-on class offers something for everyone. Create, taste, and learn in a fun environment that celebrates the joy of good food and great wine. Grab an apron and a friend, and let's get creative together!

**TIME:** 1 PM

**COST:** Members \$75 | Non-Members \$85

*Transportation is not provided.*

## Teatro ZinZanni

Cambria Hotel Chicago Loop

32 W. Randolph St. | Chicago

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

**MODERATE**

You don't want to miss this unique performance! Teatro ZinZanni is the legendary theatrical cirque experience that combines unforgettable performances, sumptuous cuisine, and premium entertainment for a day of surprises and delights. Call a friend and join us for this amazing show and lunch before it's too late.

**COST:** Members \$175 | Non-Members \$195

**DEPART:** 9 AM Crystal Lake | 9:40 AM Elgin

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SECOND DATE ADDED!

## Shades of Ireland

IRELAND

SEPTEMBER 11 – 20

CHALLENGING

From history-filled Dublin to the rolling green hills and dramatic coast, experience Ireland's charms on a journey through the Emerald Isle. Explore the cities of Dublin and Waterford on guided tours. See the Blarney Stone at historic Blarney Castle. Enjoy Killarney National Park on an Irish jaunting car. Experience the world-famous beauty of the Ring of Kerry. Stand in awe at the top of the stunning 700-foot Cliffs of Moher. Live like royalty during an overnight stay on the grounds of a castle.

### COST PER PERSON:

MEMBERS: Double \$6,140 | Single \$6,840

NON-MEMBERS: Double \$6,340 | Single \$7,040

*Price subject to change. Call for current prices.*

## Essence of Panama

PANAMA

OCTOBER 9 – 16

CHALLENGING

Discover the colonial architecture of Panama City and Casco Antiguo, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, on a tour of this historic city. Witness the engineering marvel of the Panama Canal at the Miraflores Locks Visitor Center. Sail to the Pacific Ocean on a partial transit of the Panama Canal. Learn about the craftsmanship of traditional clothing handmade by local artisans. Relax and enjoy beautiful beaches with a two-night stay at an all-inclusive resort. You'll experience it all on this tour of Panama.

### COST PER PERSON:

MEMBERS: Double \$4,345 | Single \$5,145

NON-MEMBERS: Double \$4,545 | Single \$5,345



## EXTENDED TRIPS

Have you always wanted to explore the world but don't know where to begin planning 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 as 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 thoughtfully planned by our Platinum Adventures Directors alongside experienced and highly qualified travel professionals. Many 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 want to make reservations for our extended trips, please contact your bank's Platinum Adventures Club Director.

Contact your Platinum Adventures Director for detailed itineraries on any of these upcoming **extended trips**.

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## South Pacific Wonders

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

**JANUARY 28 – FEBRUARY 11 | 2026**

**CHALLENGING**

See what life is like “Down Under” on this incredible journey through Australia and New Zealand. Experience Queenstown, the “Adventure Capital of the World.” Cruise Lake Wakatipu and enjoy a lakeside BBQ. Discover the wonders of Aboriginal culture. Cruise Sydney Harbour and Milford Sound. Enjoy a city tour of Sydney and a tour of the Sydney Opera House. From the tropical splendor of Australia’s Great Barrier Reef to the ethereal beauty of New Zealand’s glacial fjords, enjoy the best of the South Pacific.

### COST PER PERSON:

MEMBERS: Double \$10,105 | Single \$11,705

NON-MEMBERS: Double \$10,405 | Single \$12,005

*Price is guaranteed for bookings through July 23, 2025.*



We know life can get hectic, especially when you’re preparing for a trip. To make things easier, we have euros, British pounds, and Canadian dollars on hand in most branches and can order more than 80 other foreign currencies. When you’re traveling overseas, be sure to stop at the bank first so you know you’re ready for your next adventure!

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## Branson Blast

MISSOURI

**APRIL 20 – 24 | 2026**

**ACTIVE**

Have a blast in Branson on this fun-filled adventure. Our trip includes four live shows, including “David” at the Sight and Sound Theatre, “Million Dollar Quartet,” “SIX®,” and “Grand Jubilee” at the Grand Country Resort. We’ll tour Dogwood Canyon Nature Park and visit the amazing Titanic Museum. You’ll also have time to shop and explore this fun part of the Midwest. If you’ve never been to Branson, now’s the time. Or, if you have, come back and see what’s new!

### COST PER PERSON:

MEMBERS: Double \$2,850 | Single \$3,650

NON-MEMBERS: Double \$3,150 | Single \$3,950



**LIMITED AVAILABILITY!**

## Greek Islands Cruise

ITALY AND GREECE

**APRIL 27 – MAY 8 | 2026**

**CHALLENGING**

Join us on an island-hopping adventure through Italy and Greece as we embark on a seven-night cruise aboard Oceania’s brand-new ship, Allura! You’ll visit ports of call in Positano, Italy; Catania, Sicily; and Corfu, Katakolon, Santorini, and Mykonos, Greece. While on board, enjoy first-class service, delicious cuisine, entertainment, and more as you travel to the islands. You’ll also step into history on city tours of Rome, the Vatican City, and Athens. Relax as you soak up the sun and sights across the sea!

### COST PER PERSON:

Starting at \$9,200 based on cabin preference. Call for pricing.

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## America's Canyonlands

NEVADA, UTAH, AND ARIZONA

**JUNE 2 – 9 | 2026**

**ACTIVE**

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 PER PERSON:**

MEMBERS: Double \$4,550 | Single \$5,450

NON-MEMBERS: Double \$4,850 | Single \$5,750

## Alaska Discovery Land & Cruise

ALASKA

**AUGUST 19 – 30 | 2026**

**ACTIVE**

Join us as we travel north to Alaska! You'll begin by traveling deep into Denali National Park and Preserve for an opportunity to see the region's wildlife. Ride in luxury from Denali to Talkeetna, viewing incredible landscapes from glass-ceiling railcars and an open air observation platform. Relax for seven nights and enjoy the epic Alaskan scenery from aboard one of Holland America Cruise Lines' lovely ships. We'll cruise through the Inside Passage and Glacier Bay, taking in rugged natural wonders. Along the way, we'll visit Juneau, Ketchikan, Skagway, and more. Don't miss out on this Alaskan adventure!

### **COST PER PERSON:**

Starting at \$7,660 based on cabin preference. Call for pricing.

*Price is guaranteed for bookings through October 12, 2025.*



## Splendor of the Seine River Cruise

FRANCE

**SEPTEMBER 22 – OCTOBER 2 | 2026**

**CHALLENGING**

Spend two nights in Paris, the "City of Light," before embarking on a luxurious Scenic ship to cruise along one of Europe's most enchanting rivers through storybook landscapes of vineyards, historic abbeys, Norman castles, tranquil orchards, and medieval towns. Experience shore excursions in some of France's most beautiful cities, including Rouen, Honfleur, and Vernon, and pay tribute to our war heroes at the Normandy-American Cemetery. Each port brings you to spectacular and alluring surroundings. Enjoy and relax on the lovely Scenic Gem river cruise ship with first-class service, a variety of international cuisine, onboard entertainment, and more!

### **COST PER PERSON:**

Starting at \$7,684 based on cabin preference. Call for pricing.

*\*Free roundtrip airfare from Chicago is offered if you book with a deposit by August 31, 2025.*

## Nashville Holiday

TENNESSEE

**DECEMBER 1 – 5 | 2026**

**ACTIVE**

Celebrate the holiday season in the capital of country music! Your toes will be tapping as we tour Music City, visit the Country Music Hall of Fame, and enjoy 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. We'll tour Belle Meade, an 1853 Greek Revival Mansion, and enjoy a wine tasting from its private winery. We'll visit the Opryland Hotel to marvel at their holiday display featuring more than three million twinkling lights and festive décor.

### **COST PER PERSON:**

MEMBERS: Double \$3,395 | Single \$4,155

NON-MEMBERS: Double \$3,695 | Single \$4,455

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### ADDRESS FOR CRYSTAL LAKE BANK & TRUST DEPARTURE SITE(S):

The bus cannot wait for late participants.  
Please arrive at your departure  
site 15 minutes prior to departure  
time. Refunds are not available for  
late or no-show participants.

#### Depart Crystal Lake

Crystal Lake Bank & Trust  
5100 Northwest Hwy.  
Crystal Lake, IL 60014

#### Depart Grayslake

State Bank of The Lakes  
50 Commerce Ave.  
Grayslake, IL 60031

#### Depart McHenry

Meijer Grocery Store  
2253 N. Richmond Rd.  
McHenry, IL 60051  
(Park in the NW corner closest to  
our branch facing Blake Blvd.)

#### Depart Mundelein

Mundelein Community Bank  
1110 W. Maple Ave.  
Mundelein, IL 60060

### Reservation Policy For Day & Extended Trips

Reservations may be made by phone to Diane Susong at 815-788-3231 or by email at [dsusong@wintrust.com](mailto:dsusong@wintrust.com). For your reservation to be confirmed, payment must be in my office within seven days after reservations are made: Diane Susong, McHenry Bank & Trust, 2205 N. Richmond Rd., McHenry, IL 60051. Please make checks payable to Platinum Adventures. Please remember to make your menu selections when you reserve your tour. Member pricing is for current Platinum Adventures Club members only. Refunds are not available for day trips unless there is a waitlist and Platinum Adventures can find a substitute for your reserved seat(s).

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