



**SPRING 2019**



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

## A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Spring is here and so are new adventures! We're ready for the flowers to bloom and the sun to shine, and we know you're ready to see what new experiences Platinum Adventures has in store for you.

Join us this season for a variety of educational seminars, day trips, and extended travel opportunities that will inspire and delight you. Be sure to invite a friend to come along to see what Platinum Adventures has to offer. We can't wait to make the most of the warmer weather and enjoy new experiences with you!

Spring has finally sprung! Come defrost with your fellow Platinum Adventures friends. There are so many new and fun experiences to look forward to including an antiques appraisal event with "Antique Roadshow's" Gary Piattoni, plus a trip to the Hamilton Exhibit in Chicago! I will also be escorting the Noah's Ark Encounter in October; come join me! We're traveling to many great destinations in 2019 and 2020. Stop by Glen Ellyn Bank & Trust on Tuesday, August 13 for a showcase of all the extended trips!

Greetings,

*Megan Burke*



**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<sup>®</sup> 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.



**TUESDAY, APRIL 23**

### "Silver Beat:" Preventing Identity Theft

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

**Naperville Bank & Trust**

555 FORT HILL DR. | NAPERVILLE, IL

Far too often, scam artists perceive senior citizens as vulnerable and relatively wealthy due to their ability to access retirement accounts and pensions. As a result, seniors are the targets of a wide range of scams, exploitation, and fraud. An educational training program "Silver Beat" was created by the office of the Illinois Attorney General\* to ensure seniors have the knowledge and tools they need to better protect themselves from con artists and deceptive business practices. Light refreshments will be served.

**TIME: 10:30 AM TO NOON**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

\*The Illinois Attorney General's Office is not an affiliate of Wintrust.

**TUESDAY, MAY 7**

### Antiques and Heirlooms

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

**St. Andrews Golf and Country Club**

2241 IL-59 | WEST CHICAGO, IL

At this unique event, guests will have the opportunity for professional appraiser Gary Piattoni\* to tell them about the origin and value of an antique piece. Based on time, each guest will be invited to bring one item to have it appraised, while other guests are invited to listen to his expert opinion. In addition to being a professional appraiser, Gary is the former senior vice president at Christie's International Auction house and Antiques Roadshow appraiser for more than 20 seasons. Firearms, jewelry, coins, and stamps will not be appraised. Space is limited to 60 guests. A continental breakfast will be served.

**TIME: 9 TO 11:30 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS \$32 | NON-MEMBERS \$37**

*Transportation not provided. Reservations are required by April 26.*

\*Gary Piattoni is not an affiliate of Wintrust.

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## FREE SHRED EVENTS

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Protect yourself from identity theft. Gather your personal, sensitive information and we'll shred it here for free! All paper collected is 100 percent broken down and recycled. This is our way of helping to keep you and your information safe and secure. No plastic bags, limit three paper bags or three small boxes of shredding.

**SATURDAY, MAY 4 | GLEN ELLYN BANK & TRUST**  
357 Roosevelt Rd. | Glen Ellyn, IL

**NEW DATE | SATURDAY, JUNE 15**  
**NAPERVILLE COVENANT CHURCH**  
1150 Hobson Rd. | Naperville, IL

**SATURDAY, JUNE 22 | MONROE MIDDLE SCHOOL**  
1855 Manchester Rd. | Wheaton, IL

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 | NAPERVILLE BANK & TRUST**  
555 Fort Hill Dr. | Naperville, IL

**TIME: 10 AM TO NOON**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

## FRIDAY, MAY 10

### Pens and the Pen Tour

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Big Run Wolf Ranch & Old Joliet Prison

*LOCKPORT & JOLIET, IL*

Big Run Wolf Ranch is a federally licensed nonprofit education facility that has been specializing in North American wildlife for nearly 30 years. In addition to the possibility of interacting with wolf puppies, we will also get to visit with a bear, cougar, Siberian tiger, porcupine, skunk, and more. This will be a unique and unforgettable experience! Lunch will be served family style at Mamma Onesta's Italian Restaurant, and following lunch will be a 60-minute docent-led walking tour of the Old Joliet Prison. We will be outside for much of the day. Please dress appropriately and wear close-toed shoes.

**TIME: 8:45 AM TO 5 PM**

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

**PICK UP: 8:45 AM | OAK BROOK**

**9:15 AM | CLARENDON HILLS**

## TUESDAY, MAY 21 & TUESDAY, JUNE 4

### Hands-on iPhone Workshop

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Join digital trainer Sabrina Nizzi\* to learn more about your Apple phone. These workshops are small and offer a hands-on approach. Classes include take-home handouts. Please be sure to update your phone to the most recent iOS version available.

**SESSION I:** Learn about the new options for texting including sharing photos, videos, websites, and more.

**TUESDAY, MAY 21 | WHEATON BANK & TRUST**  
100 N. Wheaton Ave. | Wheaton, IL

**SESSION II:** Explore the Apple control center and settings features on your phone to learn how to adjust your device to your preferences.

**TUESDAY, JUNE 4 | NAPERVILLE BANK & TRUST**  
555 Fort Hill Dr. | Naperville, IL

**TIME: 9:30 TO 11 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS \$25 | NON-MEMBERS \$30**

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## WEDNESDAY, MAY 29

### "Hamilton: The Exhibition"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Northerly Island

*1300 S. LINN WHITE DR. | CHICAGO, IL*

Join us at the Chicago debut of "Hamilton: The Exhibition," a 360-degree immersive exhibition inspired by the revolutionary musical featuring an audio tour narrated by Lin-Manuel Miranda. The exhibit will take us deeper into the life and times of Alexander Hamilton, while at the same time chronicling the American Revolution and the creation of the United States. Post-exhibit, we will enjoy lunch at Park Grill where you will have your choice of the PG burger or crab cake. Weather permitting, we will have an optional self-guided walking tour of Millennium Park following lunch.

**TIME: 8:15 AM TO 5 PM**

**COST: MEMBERS \$110 | NON-MEMBERS \$120**

**PICK UP: 8:15 AM | CLARENDON HILLS**

**8:45 AM | OAK BROOK**



**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12**  
**Honoring Our Veterans**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

**Wintrust Financial Center**

9700 W. HIGGINS RD. | ROSEMONT, IL

Join us to recognize Flag Day with 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 remember their friends. We will also enjoy a musical review dedicated to our patriotic songs and the Great American Songbook. Lunch is included.

**TIME: 11:30 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

**COIN APPRAISALS**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

**Various Locations**

Bring your old coins, proof sets, commemorative coins, paper money, and gold jewelry to find out what they're worth. Ron Beckstrom from Golden Rule Coins\* will appraise your items. If you have something to sell, bring in your pieces. This is a first come, first served event.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5 | GLEN ELLYN BANK & TRUST**  
357 Roosevelt Rd. | Glen Ellyn, IL

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 17 | NAPERVILLE BANK & TRUST**  
555 Fort Hill Dr. | Naperville, IL

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 15 | NAPERVILLE BANK & TRUST**  
1205 S. Naper Blvd. | Naperville, IL

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11 | BOLINGBROOK BANK & TRUST**  
198 S. Bolingbrook Dr. | Bolingbrook, IL

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10 | WHEATON BANK & TRUST**  
370 S. County Farm Rd. | Wheaton, IL

**TIME: 10 AM TO 3 PM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

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**THURSDAY, JUNE 13**  
**"Matilda the Musical"**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

**Drury Lane Theatre**

100 DRURY LN. | OAKBROOK TERRACE, IL

Wonder and amazement abound with this award-winning musical. Based on the beloved novel, Roald Dahl's "Matilda the Musical" tells the tale of a precocious 5-year-old girl with special talents. Facing many obstacles caused by her family and school, the book-loving Matilda befriends her teacher and helps the woman reclaim her life. Tied for the most Olivier Awards ever, including Best New Musical, "Matilda the Musical" went on to win five Tony Awards, including Best Book of a Musical. Lunch will be your choice of sea bass, filet mignon, or shrimp pasta.

**TIME: 11:15 AM TO 4 PM**

**COST: MEMBERS \$75 | NON-MEMBERS \$80**

*Transportation not provided.*



**TUESDAY, JUNE 18**  
**Chicago Architecture Cruise**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

**Chicago, IL**

Let's kick off summer with an architecture cruise through Chicago! Join us for a 90 minute tour along the Chicago River. Docents will teach us the history of more than 50 beautiful and historic buildings that line the river's banks. And, we'll also visit the new Chicago Architecture Center to explore the exhibits including the Chicago City Model Experience in the Chicago Gallery. We'll start our day with a delicious brunch at Park Grill.

**COST: MEMBERS \$110 | NON-MEMBERS \$120**

*Call for departure information.*

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## TUESDAY, JUNE 25

### Estate Planning 101

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Glen Ellyn Bank & Trust

357 ROOSEVELT RD. | GLEN ELLYN, IL

Join this thoughtful discussion around an often difficult subject: planning for death and incapacity. Todd Cordell from Wintrust Wealth Management will address the importance of having an estate plan. Learn what documents are part of an estate plan and how they all work together. Todd will discuss the roles and responsibilities of a trustee and how they should interact with your family. We hope you will join the conversation and learn about how a complete estate plan can help you and your family. Refreshments will be provided.

TIME: 9:30 AM TO 11 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



## TUESDAY, JULY 9

### Music and The Brain

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Naperville Bank & Trust

555 FORT HILL DR. | NAPERVILLE, IL

Music enhances memory and can enrich your life during daily stressors and challenges. Come join us for a fun and spirited program guaranteed to get your toes tapping and your heart singing! Mary Helen Ekstam from Journey Life Programs by JourneyCare\* will show us how to use music to enhance one's mind, body, and spirit. Light refreshments will be served. There is limited availability, so please call right away to reserve your spot!

TIME: 10 TO 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

\*Mary Helen Ekstam and JourneyCare are not affiliates of Wintrust.

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 10

### Medicare Made Easy!

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Glen Ellyn Bank & Trust

357 ROOSEVELT RD. | GLEN ELLYN, IL

Diane Adduci,\* a community educator and licensed insurance representative, will present an educational program about Medicare Parts A and B and discuss Medicare Supplement Plans. Come and learn about eligibility, enrollment, and the benefits of Medicare and Medicare Supplements. This program is designed for people turning 65, already 65 or over but leaving their employer plan, or people who would simply like to learn more about Medicare. Questions are welcome! Refreshments will be provided.

TIME: 10 TO 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

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## FINANCIAL SOLUTIONS FOR YOU

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## THURSDAY, JULY 18

### "The Music Man"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Goodman Theatre

170 N. DEARBORN ST. | CHICAGO, IL

Charming and charismatic con man Harold Hill assumes he can easily fleece the citizens of River City, Iowa with the promise of a marching band. But the smooth-talking swindler can't tell a trombone from a treble clef and Marian, the local librarian, knows it. In his attempt to steal her heart and save his hide, Harold learns about moral responsibility and unexpectedly enriches the town with a love of music. You'll hear memorable favorites such as "Goodnight My Someone," "Seventy-Six Trombones," "Gary, Indiana," and "Till There Was You." We'll have lunch at Petterino's before the performance.

**COST: MEMBERS \$138 | NON-MEMBERS \$148**

*Call for departure information.*

## TUESDAY, JULY 30 & WEDNESDAY, JULY 31

### AARP Driver's Safety Course

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Naperville Bank & Trust

555 FORT HILL DR. | NAPERVILLE, IL

By taking a driver refresher course you'll be updated on the current rules of the road, defensive driving techniques, and how to operate your vehicle more safely in today's increasingly challenging driving environment. You'll also learn how you can manage and accommodate common age-related changes in vision, hearing, and reaction time. Attendees may be eligible for an insurance discount after completing this course. A light lunch will be served both days. AARP membership is not required to take the course. Your AARP card is required to receive member discount. Please bring your Illinois driver's license.

**TIME: 9 AM TO 1 PM**

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

*Reservations are required by July 24. Guest must attend both days.*



## THURSDAY, AUGUST 1

### Chicago White Sox vs. New York Mets

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Guaranteed Rate Field

333 W. 35TH ST. | CHICAGO, IL

Let's cheer on the Chicago White Sox as they welcome the New York Mets to town! You won't want to miss this fabulous day at the ballpark. Before the game begins, we'll have lunch on the patio and enjoy fun activities with a visiting former White Sox player. The view will be great from our lower box seats. The game begins at 1:10 p.m., and the price includes the game ticket, deluxe motor coach transportation, and lunch with unlimited beer, wine, and soft drinks on the patio. It's free tee-shirt Thursday at the ball park too. Let's go, Sox!

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

*Call for departure information.*

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 13

### Extended Trips Preview

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Glen Ellyn Bank & Trust

357 ROOSEVELT RD. | GLEN ELLYN, 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 Noah's Ark Encounter; Nashville Holiday; Spectacular South Africa; Arizona Getaway featuring Chicago Cubs Spring Training; Virginia Adventure featuring Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival; Portugal and the Douro River Cruise; Iconic Israel; Alaska; the British Isles - Castles, Countrysides and Capitals; New York City; and more. You'll want to start packing your bags!

**TIME: 11:30 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**



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## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

### Extended Trips Preview

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Wintrust Financial Center

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TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



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## THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

### Chicago Cubs vs. San Francisco Giants

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Wrigley Field

1060 W. ADDISON ST. | CHICAGO, IL

We're taking you out to the ballgame! Join us as we cheer on our World Series Champion Chicago Cubs at Wrigley Field. It's always a fun day at the ballpark. The view will be great from our terrace reserved preferred seats. Lunch will be on your own at one of the food vendors or restaurants located at Wrigley Field. The game starts at 1:20 p.m., and the price includes the game ticket and deluxe motor coach transportation. Let's go, Cubs!

MEMBERS \$105 | NON-MEMBERS \$115

Call for departure information.

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 29

### "And Then There Were None"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

#### Drury Lane Theatre

100 DRURY LN. | OAKBROOK TERRACE, IL

Ten strangers meet on a clandestine island. Each holds a murderous secret. Who will pay the ultimate price? Penned by master of the craft Agatha Christie, "And Then There Were None" brings together tension, fear, and the macabre to weave a tale that captivates the audience until the final curtain. Can you unravel the mystery? This classic murder mystery play is based on the world's best-selling mystery and one of the best-selling books of all time. Lunch will be your choice of grilled salmon, filet mignon, or vegetable linguine pomodoro.

TIME: 11:15 AM TO 4 PM

COST: \$75 MEMBERS | \$80 NON-MEMBERS

No transportation provided.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4**

**"The Band's Visit"**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

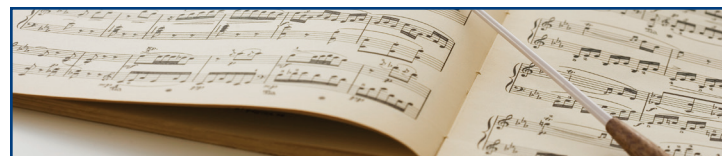
*Cadillac Palace Theatre*

151 W. RANDOLPH ST. | CHICAGO, IL

Come see one of the most Tony Award-winning musicals in history! The winner of 10 Tony Awards including Best Musical, "The Band's Visit" also won the 2019 Grammy award for Best Musical Theater Album. In this delightfully offbeat story, set in a town that's way off the beaten path, a band of musicians arrive lost, out of the blue. Under the spell of the desert sky, and with beautiful music filling the air, the band brings the town to life in unexpected and engaging ways. Even the briefest visit can stay with you forever. We'll enjoy lunch before the performance at Osteria Via Stato.

**COST: MEMBERS \$165 | NON-MEMBERS \$175**

*Call for departure information.*



**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2**

**Lerner & Loewe's Greatest Hits**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

*Nichols Concert Hall*

1490 CHICAGO AVE. | EVANSTON, IL

Alan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe wrote some of the most famous and beloved shows ever to grace a Broadway stage: "Brigadoon," "My Fair Lady," "Gigi," "Paint Your Wagon," and "Camelot." Join us for a concert of Lerner and Loewe's greatest hits, including "I Could Have Danced All Night," "If Ever I Would Leave You," "They Call the Wind Maria," "Almost Like Being In Love," and more! 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**

*Call for departure information.*

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11**

**Sanfilippo Holiday Concert**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

*Sanfilippo Estate*

BARRINGTON, 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 follows the performance. You'll also see the new Paris Fragrance Passage, General Store Gallery, and Art Deco Gallery. This musical adventure is sure to get you in the holiday spirit!

**COST: MEMBERS \$125 | NON-MEMBERS \$135**

*Call for departure information.*



If you're traveling to the Sunshine State, you won't have to worry about leaving your community bank behind. That's because we've opened a brand-new location in Naples! So, you'll have access to your finances and the reliable banking services you've come to expect from us, including wealth management and mortgage options. Sit back, relax, and enjoy the warm weather. We'll be right there and ready to serve you!

*Now open!*

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



## 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.

**AUGUST 3 - 9 | 2019**

### Canadian Rockies

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

*VANCOUVER AND BANFF, CANADA*

Let's explore the magnificent Canadian Rockies! Our adventure begins in Vancouver with a visit to Capilano Canyon, a city tour, and free time at picturesque Granville Island Public Market. Then, we'll board the Rocky Mountaineer train for the next two days as we watch the stunning landscape transform from farmland and semi-arid desert to the majestic mountains of the Canadian Rockies. In Banff, we'll see Bow Falls and the hoodoos, visit the unforgettable Icefields Parkway, and stop at stunning Peyto Lake. You won't want to miss this!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$6,474 PP | SINGLE \$7,774 PP**  
**NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$6,674 PP | SINGLE \$7,974 PP**

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

**OCTOBER 10 - 18 | 2019**

### Greece

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

*ATHENS, MYKONOS, AND SANTORINI*

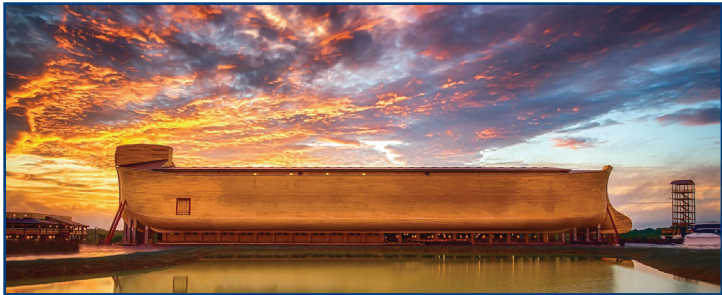
Join us on an exotic adventure through the islands of Greece! We'll step into history, and discover a place where the mythical Greek gods ruled the world, with a visit to the Parthenon, a city tour of Athens, and a trip to the Acropolis Museum. Next, we're off to the island of Mykonos to explore the villages on an island tour and see the famous windmills. Our next stop is Santorini, an island paradise known for its whitewashed houses and bright blue domed churches. And, there will be plenty of time to relax and immerse yourself in the local culture on this Greek adventure. Opa!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,350 PP | SINGLE \$3,850 PP**  
**NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,550 PP | SINGLE \$4,050 PP**

**NEW DEPARTURE DATE ADDED**

### 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!



**OCTOBER 20 - 22 | 2019**

**Noah's Ark Encounter**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

*KENTUCKY AND INDIANA*

Take a trip back in time while visiting a full-sized, wooden replica of Noah's Ark. Built according to dimensions given in the Bible, it is the largest timber frame structure in the country. You'll tour three decks filled with exhibits to explore what Noah's life may have been like aboard this massive boat. Next, we'll visit the Creation Museum, taking you on a journey through history as revealed in the Book of Genesis. Join us on this fascinating experience!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$795 PP | SINGLE \$975 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$995 PP | SINGLE \$1,175 PP**

**DECEMBER 3 - 7 | 2019**

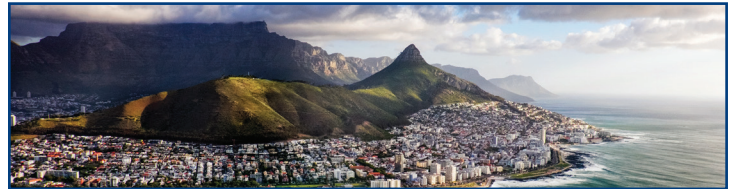
**Nashville Holiday**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

*NASHVILLE, TN*

Celebrate the holiday season in the capital of country music! Your toes will be tapping as we tour Music City and see the Country Music Hall of Fame, the Ryman Auditorium, and 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 and we'll visit President Andrew Jackson's mansion "Hermitage," Barbara Mandrell's log home "Fontanel," Nelson's Green Brier Distillery, and the Opryland Hotel's holiday display featuring more than three million twinkling lights.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,220 PP | SINGLE \$2,725 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,420 PP | SINGLE \$2,925 PP**



**FEBRUARY 20 - MARCH 3 | 2020**

**Discover Spectacular South Africa**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

*JOHANNESBURG AND CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA*

Journey to a country full of breathtaking mountains, winding coastlines, and wildlife in its natural habitat. You'll visit Sandton, Soweto, Knysna, and Cape Town. Search for the "Big five" animals on a safari game drive at Kruger National Park, relax on a lagoon cruise to the famous Knysna Heads, enjoy a tour of an ostrich farm, and a cable car ride to the top of Table Mountain. You can add an optional post-tour extension to Victoria Falls too. This is a unique experience you won't want to miss!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$6,029 PP | SINGLE \$6,729 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$6,229 PP | SINGLE \$6,929 PP**  
*Price is guaranteed for bookings through August 21, 2019.*

**MARCH 8 - 13 | 2020**

**Arizona Getaway featuring  
Chicago Cubs Spring Training**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

*PHOENIX, SEDONA, AND TUCSON, AZ*

Let's cheer on the Cubs as they prepare for the 2020 baseball season in sunny Arizona! You'll visit Sloan Park to see the Cubs play and enjoy taking in beautiful scenery and warm temperatures as we tour the Phoenix area. Highlights include Scottsdale, Sedona and Tucson. You'll see the red rock formations in Sedona, the lush gorges and spectacular cliffs of Oak Creek Canyon, and Old Tucson Studios featured in movies and television shows that were set in the "Old West." Come along with Platinum Adventures as we escape the cold weather.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,999 PP | SINGLE \$3,649 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,199 PP | SINGLE \$3,849 PP**

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**APRIL 21 - 27 | 2020**

## Virginia Adventure featuring the Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

NORFOLK AND VIRGINIA BEACH, VA

Join us for an adventure full of military history and an opportunity to see the unique Virginia International Tattoo Festival! The Tattoo features more than 1,000 performers including fife and drum corp, bagpipers, military bands, drill teams, and more! We'll also attend the "Hullabaloo," a special pre-Tattoo event. You'll visit the Military Aviation Museum, the Norfolk Naval Station, the General Douglas MacArthur Memorial, and Nauticus National Maritime Center. Lastly, we'll see the NATO Parade of Nations featuring military bands and floats representing the NATO member nations. Come along on this patriotic journey!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,198 PP | SINGLE \$2,898 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,398 PP | SINGLE \$3,098 PP**



**MAY 19-28 | 2020**

## Iconic Israel

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

TEL AVIV, TIBERIAS, AND JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

Explore the ancient lands and rich traditions of Israel. You'll enjoy energetic Tel Aviv, the ancient Roman capital of Caesarea, the Crusader city of Acre, and the Sea of Galilee. Visit the Church of Annunciation and Mary's Well in Nazareth, as well as the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem. Explore the old walled city of Jerusalem, the Western Wall, and walk the path of the Stations of the Cross/Via Dolorosa. You'll also visit Yad Vashem, the World Holocaust Remembrance Center, ascend to the top of Masada and more.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,459 PP | SINGLE \$6,609 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,659 PP | SINGLE \$6,809 PP**

*Price is guaranteed for bookings through November 13, 2019.*

**SEPTEMBER 16 - 26 | 2020**

## Portugal & The Douro River Cruise

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

SPAIN AND PORTUGAL

**FREE AIRFARE\***

Start your adventure by exploring two nights in Lisbon and then set sail through the Portuguese frontier. Visit expansive vineyards and sample some regional wines throughout your trip. See Spain's walled city of Salamanca and the quaint and historic towns of Portugal as you traverse the Douro River. Each port brings you to spectacular and alluring surroundings. Enjoy and relax on the lovely Emerald Radiance river cruise ship with first class service and a variety of international cuisine, onboard entertainment, and more!

**COST: STARTING AT \$5,440 PP BASED ON CABIN PREFERENCE. CALL FOR PRICING.**

*\*Free round trip airfare from Chicago is offered if you book with deposit by May 31, 2019.*

**OCTOBER 1 - 12 | 2020**

## British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

SCOTLAND, ENGLAND, WALES, AND IRELAND

Discover the history and charms of the British Isles as you visit Scotland, England, Wales, and Ireland. See historic royal castles, the beauty of England's Lake District, and the charm of Ireland's countryside. You'll tour the capital cities of Edinburgh, Cardiff, and Dublin. Learn about the lure of Scotland's famous Gretna Green, known as the "marriage capital of the UK," and explore the Viking city of York. Enjoy a cruise on the tranquil English lake, Windermere; a stop to Stratford-upon-Avon, the birthplace of William Shakespeare; a visit to the House of Waterford Crystal; and experience the Blarney Castle. This will be a magical journey through four magnificent countries!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,630 PP | SINGLE \$6,180 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,830 PP | SINGLE \$6,380 PP**



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Clarendon Hills, IL 60514

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