



SUMMER 2019



PLATINUM ADVENTURES NEWSLETTER

DAY TRIPS • EXTENDED TRIPS • SEMINARS • AND MORE!

A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Summer is in full swing, and so are our new adventures! We've been busy soaking up the sunshine and planning exciting new events and activities for you.

Join us for a variety of educational seminars, day trips, and extended travel opportunities that will let you enjoy the summer. And, be sure to invite a friend to come along and see what Platinum Adventures has to offer. We can't wait to savor the rest of the season and enjoy new experiences with you!

Join us for our next Lunch Bunch. The last one we had was super fun and popular! Extended trip previews are a great way to see the destinations we will be offering through Platinum Adventures. These trips can be a short two-night getaway or as long as a 14-day adventure! Do not forget to check your pickup times and location as per the confirmation letter you receive for all day trips. We have multiple pickup locations and want to be sure you are at the correct location.

Sunny regards,

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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UPCOMING
DAY TRIPS,
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DAY TRIPS

You'll have the unique opportunity to explore the wonders we have nearby. We carefully plan each of our day trips, events, and seminars to ensure they are packed with as much adventure and education as possible. Plus, each event offers a great chance to share with friends just what the Platinum Adventures Club is all about.

Pay close attention to the means of transportation for these trips. Often times, we will gather and transport the group by bus, but there are some events that require you to commute on your own. As always, if you should have any questions about any of these day trips, or would like to RSVP, contact your bank's Platinum Adventures director at the phone number or email listed in this newsletter.

JULY AND SEPTEMBER 2019 Extended Trip Previews

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Various Locations

Join us for a special trip presentation where you'll hear all about the exciting extended trips we are offering and see slide shows of each. The destinations we will feature include Discover Spectacular South Africa; Virginia Adventure featuring the Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival; Iconic Israel; Summertime Mystery Trip; Alaska Discovery Land and Cruise; Portugal and the Douro River Cruise; British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals; and more. Light refreshments will be served.

MONDAY, JULY 29 | 1 TO 2:30 PM

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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31 | 9:30 TO 11 AM

State Bank of The Lakes | 440 Lake St. | Antioch, IL

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 | 9:30 TO 11 AM

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 | 9:30 TO 11 AM

State Bank of The Lakes | 8700 75th St. | Kenosha, WI



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

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 Nashville Holiday; Discover Spectacular South Africa; Arizona Getaway featuring Chicago Cubs Spring Training; Virginia Adventure featuring the Virginia International Tattoo Military Festival; Iconic Israel; Michigan Treasures featuring Mackinac Island and the Grand Hotel; Summertime Mystery Trip; Portugal and the Douro River Cruise; Alaska Discovery Land and Cruise; British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals; New York City Holiday; and more. You'll want to start packing your bags! Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 16 Lunch Bunch

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Jameson's Charhouse

5016 NORTHWEST HWY. | CRYSTAL LAKE, IL

Our first Lunch Bunch was such a success, we scheduled another one! If you are looking to try a new restaurant or want to get to know other Platinum Adventures members, join us for lunch. There is no set topic, but feel free to ask questions and learn more about what the club has to offer. Share ideas of places you wish to visit while we share a meal together. You will have your choice of a salmon salad, cheeseburger, broiled chopped steak, baby beef liver, or a chicken kabob. Please specify meal selection when registering.

TIME: 11:30 AM

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

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29

My Kind of Town for Fountains

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

100 E. ONTARIO ST. | CHICAGO, IL

Did you know that Chicago has more than 130 outdoor public fountains? Greg Borzo, author of "Chicago's Fabulous Fountains," is going to "whet" our appetite with a presentation on some of the Chicago landmarks we will see. Discover new fountains and learn about familiar ones. Hear about how these fountains came to be and what they represent. Lunch will be at the SideDoor, a gastropub located in the historic McCormick Mansion. Afterward, we will get on our bus and be on the look out to see some of these beautiful fountains.

TIME: 9 AM TO 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$116 | NON-MEMBERS \$126

PICK UP: ANTIOCH AND MCHENRY



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Fraud Seminar

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Lindenhurst Park District

2200 GRASS LAKE RD. | LINDENHURST, IL

Join the Active Adult Coffee Club at the Lindenhurst Park District for a fraud seminar presented by Connie Barszcz, branch manager of State Bank of the Lakes. Connie will teach you how to avoid getting scammed and how to stay safe. Space is limited, so make your reservation today.

TIME: 9:30 TO 10:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

**Luck of the Irish Tour:
University of Notre Dame**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

University of Notre Dame

2010 MOOSE KRAUSE CIR. | SOUTH BEND, IN

We'll enjoy a walk around the famous stadium and take some photos. Next, we will have a guided tour of the Basilica of Sacred Heart on the campus with free time to shop at the Hammes Notre Dame Bookstore. Then, we will have a plated lunch at Tippecanoe Place, which is the embodiment of everything that great wealth in the late 1800s stood for. This 26,000-square-foot mansion was designed by Henry Cobb and built by local craftsmen for the Clement Studebaker family. Lastly, at the Indiana Whiskey Company, you will discover the rich history of whiskey and enjoy a four-shot sampler. The owner of the Indiana Whiskey Company is a veteran and a University of Notre Dame graduate.

TIME: 7 AM TO 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$100 | NON-MEMBERS \$110

PICK UP: ANTIOCH AND MCHENRY

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

Sweets and Swedes Mystery Day Trip

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Without giving too much away, we will start our day filled with something sweet! Of course, a delicious lunch cannot be beat. Then, we will have a few other Swedish surprises to end your day! Mystery day trips are a fun way to interact with other Platinum Adventures members and discover where we are going. We share a lot of laughs, good food, and great times. Space is extremely limited for this event.

TIME: 8 AM TO 6 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$100 | NON-MEMBERS \$110

PICK UP: ANTIOCH AND MCHENRY

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30
Senior Safety Presentation

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Crystal Lake Bank and Trust

5100 NORTHWEST HWY. | CRYSTAL LAKE, IL

Join Platinum Adventures as we hear from the Attorney General's Office and Detective Sandra Rogers from the McHenry County Sheriff's Office regarding actual scams occurring in McHenry County. You will learn tips on how not to fall victim to these fraud schemes. Many current scams are taking place via the internet or telephone, so come and see what they have to share with us to keep us safe! A light breakfast will be provided.

TIME: 9:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

Arthritis Pain Workshop

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

State Bank of The Lakes

440 E. LAKE ST. | ANTIOCH, IL

Due to popular demand, Jennifer Fremgen, physical therapist with Colletti Physical Therapy, will present a seminar on how to manage arthritis pain. At this workshop, she will discuss exactly what arthritis is and how it develops, three common causes of arthritis, and what successful treatments look like. A light breakfast will be served.

TIME: 9:30 TO 11 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9
"The Buddy Holly Story"

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

The Fireside Theatre

1131 JANESVILLE AVE. | FORT ATKINSON, WI

Before The Beatles and The Rolling Stones ever played a note, popular music was forever changed by a bespectacled kid from Lubbock, Texas: Buddy Holly! Now, you can witness his story on the Fireside stage in a toe-tapping, hand clapping extravaganza, which will have you up and dancing. The show tells the true story of Buddy Holly through his short, yet spectacular, career and features the classic songs including "That'll Be the Day," "Peggy Sue," "Oh Boy," "Everyday," "Not Fade Away," "Heartbeat," "Rave On," as well as The Big Bopper's "Chantilly Lace," Ritchie Valens' "La Bamba," and many more! Viewed by more than 23,000 performances worldwide, "The Buddy Holly Story" opened in London's West End in 1989 and has won numerous awards along the way. Lunch will include a roast boneless pork chop with crouton dressing with sauerkraut and sausage.

TIME: 8 AM TO 5:30 PM

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

PICK UP: ANTIOCH, GRAYSLAKE, AND MCHENRY



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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23
Halim Time & Glass Museum

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

1560 OAK AVE. | EVANSTON, IL

Explore elegant beauty and stunning craftsmanship in one of the finest collections of timepieces in the world. View more than 1,100 restored and preserved tower clocks, chronometers, pocket watches, and tall case clocks at the Halim Time & Glass Museum. The museum galleries also include magnificent treasures by Louis Comfort Tiffany, John La Farge, Frederick Lamb, and more. We'll enjoy lunch in the museum's Wisteria Room, which is crowned by an exquisite stained glass dome and features Tiffany landscape windows and three rare Tiffany portrait windows. During lunch, a museum expert will share highlights about some of the special pieces in the exhibits. Lunch will include salad, entree, and dessert.

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

Call for departure information.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24
The Shrine of All Saints

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

St. Martha of Bethany Church

8523 GEORGIANA AVE. | MORTON GROVE, IL

We will visit the Shrine of All Saints at St. Martha of Bethany church in Morton Grove, which contains relics of more than 2,500 different saints, making it the second largest collection of such relics in America. Father Dennis O'Neill, current pastor of St. Martha of Bethany, will give us a tour. He has brought many of the relics to the Shrine since he was just a teenager. The Shrine offers a unique experience of total immersion in the mystery of the Communion of the Saints. Lunch, including a glass of wine, will be on-site after the tour. Before heading back, we will drive by the famous "Home Alone" house from the movie in Winnetka.

TIME: 9 AM TO 4:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$50 | NON-MEMBERS \$60

PICK UP: ANTIOCH AND MCHENRY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

Sweetest Day on the Railway

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

East Troy Railway

2002 CHURCH ST. | EAST TROY, WI

Join your Platinum Adventures friends for a special Sweetest Day luncheon while leisurely traveling the seven-mile stretch on board the East Troy Electric Railroad. You will have a choice of grilled pork medallions drizzled with a balsamic apricot glaze or bacon wrapped meatloaf for lunch. During dessert, you will learn the fascinating history of the railroad. After lunch, we will board the coach and travel down the road to the Elegant Farmer where you will find goodies such as homemade pies, dip mixes, cheeses, and more! Get in the spirit of Sweetest Day by wearing red or pink attire.

TIME: 9 AM TO 5 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$112 | NON-MEMBERS \$122

PICK UP: ANTIOCH AND CRYSTAL LAKE

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11

Denny Diamond

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Cotton Exchange Restaurant

345 HICKORY HOLLOW RD. | WATERFORD, WI

Artists can be a dime-a-dozen, but there is only one Denny Svehla. Emerging from the elite Chicago music scene, the award-winning Neil Diamond tribute artist Denny Svehla began in the music realm in 1999. Since then, he has manifested into one of the most versatile and multifaceted tribute acts to hit the stage. Denny continues to compose, create, and innovate, so there's no doubt that you will enjoy his musical performance. Please specify your lunch choice: beef tips or roast turkey.

TIME: 9:30 AM TO 4:30 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$63 | NON-MEMBERS \$73

PICK UP: ANTIOCH AND CRYSTAL LAKE



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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19

Remembering Marshall Field's

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Jacob Henry Mansion

20 S. EASTERN AVE. | JOLIET, IL

Begin your day with a self-guided tour of the Jacob Henry Mansion, boasting more than 40 rooms with a delightful blend of past and present. The mansion's 26-foot fully-decorated Christmas tree is sure to set the perfect atmosphere. Then, enjoy a holiday luncheon with the traditional ambiance and feel of Marshall Field's "Walnut Room" in Joliet's own Gathering Room. Leslie Goddard, Ph.D.,* will trace the store's beloved holiday traditions during her illustrated performance. Lunch will be your choice of pot roast or chicken pot pie. Don't forget your camera!

TIME: 8:30 AM TO 5 PM

COST: MEMBERS \$93 | NON-MEMBERS \$103

PICK UP: ANTIOCH AND MCHENRY

*Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., is not an affiliate of Wintrust.



WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22 | 2020

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 2020 off right and work on that New Year's resolution to take control of our health. Join us for a series of informative discussions related to health concerns, including cancer, heart health, nutrition, and more. During the fair, there will be a number of expo tables for participants to pick up information on various important health topics. Lunch is included.

TIME: 11:30 AM

COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3 | 2020

"Kinky Boots"

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ **ENERGETIC**

Paramount Theatre

23 E. GALENA BLVD. | AURORA, IL

Charlie Price is a factory owner struggling to save his family business. Lola is an entertainer with an exciting idea. Together, this unexpected pair learn to embrace their differences and create a line of sturdy stilettos unlike any the world has ever seen! The winner of six Tony Awards, including Best Musical, "Kinky Boots" will dazzle you with its glorious costumes, choreography, and songs written by Grammy Award-winning and Tony Award-winning pop icon Cyndi Lauper. We'll enjoy lunch before this matinee performance in the Meyer Ballroom. Lunch will include salad, entree, and dessert.

COST: MEMBERS \$120 | NON-MEMBERS \$130

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Platinum Adventures members enjoyed making a spring welcome sign.



Platinum Adventures members touring the University of St. Mary's of the Lake in Mundelein.



Watching a drone presentation on the "Come Fly With Me" Mystery Day Trip.

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EXTENDED TRIPS

Have you always wanted to explore the world but don't know where to begin to plan your travels? We have the solution for you. Let us handle all of the planning. Our extended trips offer you the chance of a lifetime to see the world like you've never seen it before. Extended trips range in length from a few days to a few weeks. Most transportation, lodging, meals, and

entertainment will be provided and have been thoughtfully planned out by our Platinum Adventures directors alongside experienced and highly-qualified travel professionals. All extended trips that are two nights or longer include at home pick-up and return. Sit back, relax, and join us for this rare opportunity to see the sights you never thought you'd see. If you have any questions, need more information, or would like to make reservations for any of our extended trips, please contact your bank's Platinum Adventures Club director.

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. Then, 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 take 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.

**SAVE THE DATE FOR THE
2020 SUMMERTIME MYSTERY TRIP!**

JULY 7 - 11 | 2020

While the destinations may be a surprise, you'll have an amazing adventure along the way!

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**

APRIL 28 - MAY 4 | 2020

NEW DATE

**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 corps, 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 the Masada fortress, 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.



JUNE 14 - 18 | 2020

**Michigan Treasures featuring
Mackinac Island and the Grand Hotel**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

MACKINAC ISLAND, FRANKENMUTH, AND DEARBORN, MI

See Mackinac Island as a horse drawn carriage guides you through the Victorian downtown and past the natural arch, Fort Mackinac, and the historic West Bluff district. Relax in a rocking chair on the world's longest hotel porch at the magnificent Grand Hotel, where you'll also enjoy a two-night stay. Then, we're off to "Michigan's Little Bavaria," Frankenmuth, to the world's largest Christmas store, Bronner's. In Dearborn, we'll visit the Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation and enjoy a Ford automobile factory tour.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,495 PP | SINGLE \$3,090 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,695 PP | SINGLE \$3,290 PP**

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AUGUST 11 - 22 | 2020

Alaska Discovery Land and Cruise

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

DENALI NATIONAL PARK AND PRESERVE, FAIRBANKS, ANCHORAGE, AND SKAGWAY, AK

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 Princess 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 Anchorage, Juneau, Ketchikan, Skagway, and more. Don't miss out on this Alaskan adventure!

COST: STARTING AT \$5,959 PP BASED ON CABIN PREFERENCE. CALL FOR PRICING AND DETAILS ON CABIN UPGRADE OFFER.

SEPTEMBER 16 - 26 | 2020

Portugal and The Douro River Cruise

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

SPAIN AND PORTUGAL

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.

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**

DECEMBER 6 - 9 | 2020

New York City Holiday

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

NEW YORK CITY, NY

Let's kick off the holidays in the city that never sleeps! We'll start with a city tour where we'll see Broadway, Times Square, the Empire State Building, Central Park, Grand Central Station, and more. You'll marvel at the festive holiday window displays along Fifth Avenue and the magnificent Rockefeller Center Christmas Tree. Enjoy a performance at Radio City Music Hall featuring the famous Rockettes, as well as experience a Broadway show. This adventure is sure to get you in the holiday spirit!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,045 PP | SINGLE \$3,740 PP
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,245 PP | SINGLE \$3,940 PP**

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GENERAL INFORMATION

ADDRESS FOR STATE BANK OF THE LAKES DEPARTURE SITE(S):

The bus cannot wait for late participants. Please arrive at your departure site 15 minutes prior to departure time.

Depart Antioch State Bank of The Lakes 440 Lake St. Antioch, IL 60002 <i>West parking lot across Spafford St.</i>	Depart Grayslake State Bank of the Lakes 50 Commerce Dr. Grayslake, IL 60030	Depart McHenry McHenry Bank & Trust 2730 W. Route 120 McHenry, IL 60051 <i>Park by Culver's</i>	Depart Crystal Lake Crystal Lake Bank & Trust 5100 Northwest Hwy. Crystal Lake, IL 60014 <i>Park near former Culver's</i>
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RESERVATION POLICY FOR DAY & EXTENDED TRIPS:

Reservations may be made by phone to Mary Jo Babiarz at 847-838-7030 or by email at mbabiarz@sbotl.com. For your reservation to be confirmed, payment must be in my office within seven days after reservations are made: Mary Jo Babiarz, State Bank of The Lakes, 440 Lake St., Antioch, IL 60002. 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.

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