

## **Ark Encounter & Creation Experience**

**June 22-26, 2021**

**Boarding in Davenport & Dubuque, Iowa and Galena & Moline, IL**

Partnering with Plus 55 Club

**TO MAKE A RESERVATION, PLEASE CONTACT US AT 1-800-779-4869**

### **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

- ❖ **9 Meals: 4 Breakfasts/1 Lunch Coupon/2 Dinner Shows/1 Dinner**
- ❖ **Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation with Full Time Tour Director**
- ❖ **The Ark**
- ❖ **Alpaca Farm**
- ❖ **Aurora Feed Mill**
- ❖ **Casey's Outdoor Creations**
- ❖ **Holtkamp Winery**
- ❖ **Creation Museum**
- ❖ **Churchill Downs**
- ❖ **Fair Oaks Dairy**

#### **Your Tour Price:**

- \$1205.00 per person – 4 to a room
- \$1259.00 per person – 3 to a room
- \$1365.00 per person – 2 to a room
- \$1679.00 per person – single

Your Tour Includes: Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation, 3 Nights' Accommodations, Full Time Tour Director, Luggage Handling for One Suitcase Not to Exceed 50#, Taxes and Gratuities on Included Accommodations, Attractions, Meals, Tri-State Travel Tour Director and Motorcoach Driver

Not Included: Travel Protection Plan or Items of a Personal Nature

#### **Day # 1 Tuesday, June 22, 2021**

Welcome aboard as we meet our fellow passengers and enjoy the scenic views as we travel to Indianapolis, Indiana. Enjoy a Kick-Back-reception at the Drury Inn & Suites Hotel North Indianapolis, Indiana. This evening we enjoy dinner and entertainment at the popular **Beef & Boards Dinner Theater. (DS)**

**Day # 2            Wednesday, June 23, 2021**

This morning we travel to Williamstown, Kentucky and experience **The Ark Encounter**. It is a one-of-a-kind, historically themed attraction that presents several historical events centered on Noah's Ark as recorded in the Bible. As the largest timber-frame structure in the world, the 510-foot-long full-size Ark is designed to be family-oriented, historically authentic, and environmentally friendly. We have included lunch at **Emzaras Restaurant** on sight. Later this afternoon we check into our hotel. **(BL)**

**Day # 3            Thursday, June 24, 2021**

This morning we visit the **Mt. Tabor Alpaca Farm** located in Aurora, IN. Our hosts will explain the commercial importance and care of Alpacas and an opportunity to get acquainted with these loving animals. Next, we will visit the **Aurora Feed & Garden Seed Company**. Originally a feed and milling business at the turn of the century, the business today handles animal feeds and supplies as well as bulk garden seed. The four-story building is a mecca of colorful advertising and memorabilia. After free time for lunch (on own) in Aurora, we travel to Lawrence, IN to visit Casey's Outdoor Creations. They have something for everyone—gardening enthusiasts, nature lovers and inspirations for those of you who want to tackle projects around your home. Next, we visit **Holtkamp Winery** for an opportunity to taste several of their award-winning wines. Following our wine tasting we stop at the **Guilford Covered Bridge** built in 1879. This is one of 31 bridges still in existence in the state of Indiana. Enjoy dinner this evening at the popular **Whiskey's Restaurant** famous for their award-winning ribs, in addition to its other specialties and traditional offerings. Founded in 1984, Whiskey's Restaurant is a tribute to "The Whisky City", otherwise known as Lawrenceburg, IN for its history of distilling dating back to the 1800's. Return to hotel. **(BD)**

**Day # 4            Friday, June 25, 2021**

This morning we travel to Petersburg, KY and visit the **Creation Museum Center**. This 75,000-square-foot facility allows families to experience earth history as God has revealed it in the Bible. Nearly 150 exhibits feature fearsome animatronic dinosaurs, talking heroes of the faith, and professional displays that honor God's Word. The museum also boasts a fun-filled, 200-seat special effects theater, a state-of-the-art planetarium, a petting zoo, nature trails, and more. Next, we travel to Louisville, Kentucky to visit the **Kentucky Derby Museum**. Enjoy a 30-minute historic walking tour of Churchill Downs Racetrack, "The Greatest Race," a 360° 18-minute media experience that will make your heart race and emotions soar, explore two floors of family-friendly interactive exhibits and time at the gift shop. It is a short drive to our hotel to freshen up. This evening we walk the short distance to the **Derby Dinner Theater** and enjoy the delightful show and dinner. **(BD)**

**Day # 5            Saturday June 26, 2021**

This morning we visit **Fair Oaks Farms** for a tour of this automated Mega farming operation. What better way to complete the tour than with an ice cream treat! Enjoy the scenery as we travel home arriving in the late afternoon. **(B, Treat)**