

THE GRAND CANYON OF PENNSYLVANIA  
IN THE POCONOS WITH  
*Independence Day in Philadelphia!*  
*June 30 - July 7, 2021*

Boarding in Davenport & Dubuque, IA and Galena and Moline, IL

Partnering with Plus 55 Club

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

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ❖ 13 Meals: 7 Breakfasts/3 Lunches/5 Dinners
- ❖ Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation with Full Time Tour Director
- ❖ Millionaire Row Trolley Tour
- ❖ Hiawatha Paddlewheel Riverboat
- ❖ Ole Covered Wagon Tour
- ❖ National Constitution Center
- ❖ Liberty Bell
- ❖ Independence Hall
- ❖ Eastern State Penitentiary
- ❖ Salute to America Independence Day Parade
- ❖ 4<sup>th</sup> of July Concert and Fireworks
- ❖ Amish Farmland Tour
- ❖ Fallingwater
- ❖ White River Gardens

Your Tour Includes: Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation, 7 Nights' Accommodations, Full Time Tour Director, Luggage Handling for One Suitcase Not to Exceed 50#, Taxes and Gratuities on Included Accommodations, Attractions, Meals and Step on Guide

Not Included: Travel Protection Plan, Gratuities to Tri-State Travel Tour Director and Motorcoach Driver or Items of a Personal Nature

Your Tour Price:

- \$2535.00 per person - 4 to a room
- \$2625.00 per person - 3 to a room
- \$2785.00 per person - 2 to a room
- \$3455.00 per person – single

**Day #1            Wednesday, June 30, 2021**

AWAY WE GO! Our appetite for what Pennsylvania has to offer is whetted by the conversations with our fellow travelers. We pass thru Illinois and Indiana into Ohio for the first overnight in Richfield. (D)

**Day #2            Thursday, July 1, 2021**

After an included breakfast we make our way into Pennsylvania. Our first taste of this beautiful state is lunch at the Peter Herdic House situated on Millionaires Row followed by a trolley tour and a chance to visit the Taber Museum, Rowley House, and the Peter Hedric Museum. We then board the Hiawatha Paddlewheel Riverboat for an hour-long relaxing cruise on the Susquehanna River. We depart Wellsboro, PA and check into our overnight accommodations. Dinner is included at the hotel. (BLD)

**Day #3            Friday, July 2, 2021**

Prior to checking out enjoy breakfast at the hotel this morning. Our local guide joins us for a day of touring. We arrive at the Leonard Harrison State Park located on the eastern rim of the Pine Creek Gorge also know as the Grand Canyon of Pennsylvania. We leave our motorcoach behind and board a covered wagon. Here you will follow the trail of early settlers as well as the New York Central Railroad. Learn about the canyon and keep your eyes wide open for wildlife. A special cowboy lunch has been prepared with the Wagon Staff. You will have some free time to visit the quaint one-of-a-kind shops along the Historic Main Street. Do not miss “The Creamery” for a homemade hand dipped ice cream in the Historic Shattuck House. We now depart for Philadelphia. Dinner is included prior to checking into our hotel. (BLD)

**Day #4            Saturday, July 3, 2021**

Breakfast is included at the hotel prior to checking out. Our first stop today is the National Constitution Center. This is the first museum in the world dedicated to honoring and explaining the US Constitution through more than 100 interactive and multimedia exhibits, photographs, artifacts, etc. Our tour continues as we visit The Liberty Bell, America’s most cherished artifact and Independence Hall where the Declaration of Independence and US Constitution were signed. Enjoy lunch on your own at The Bourse where you will find the best Philly Cheesesteak in the city! This afternoon we will visit the Museum of the American Revolution. Original artifacts, immersive settings and dynamic theaters will take you on a journey from the roots of conflict to the outbreak of fighting and from the bold Declaration of Independence through the long years of warfare and creation of a new nation in our engaging galleries. We have one last stop before returning to our hotel, Eastern State Penitentiary. This 19<sup>th</sup> century landmark was once the most famous and expensive prison in the world, but today stands in ruin. Former inmates include bank robber Willie Sutton and Al Capone. Dinner is on your own. (B)

**Day #5            Sunday, July 4, 2021**

Our step on guide will join us after our included breakfast for the Celebration of Freedom Ceremony...claim your spot! Kick off Philadelphia’s premier celebration of July 4<sup>th</sup> where it all began in front of Independence Hall with a live patriotic ceremony featuring special guests. Enjoy a special reading of the Declaration of Independence. **The Salute to America Independence Day Parade.** Celebrate America’s birthday in America’s birthplace! This is a

parade you do not want to miss! Party on the Parkway this afternoon...Enjoy free entertainment, food, and fun for all ages. Spend the afternoon noshing on goodies from local food trucks, beer gardens and enjoy FREE entertainment for all ages on three stages. Pssst! Check out Chill Moody's specially curated stage featuring local rising stars. An All-American Dinner Buffet will be served at the hotel. Wawa Welcome America July 4<sup>th</sup> Concert & Fireworks featuring performances by two-time Grammy Award winning artist and Academy Award-winning Jennifer Hudson alongside Philly POPS Big Band and Grammy Award winning singer songwriter Meghan Trainer. Our evening is highlighted by the July 4th Fireworks. (BD)

**Day #6            Monday, July 5, 2021**

Breakfast is included prior to our hotel check out. We depart for Lancaster, PA where you will meet your step on guide for the day. Your tour includes Amish Farmlands, a traditional all-you-can-eat family style lunch and dinner. We check into our Somerset, PA hotel. (BLD)

**Day #7            Tuesday, July 6, 2021**

Prior to our hotel check out enjoy breakfast. We arrive at Fallingwater, a vacation home for the Kauffman family of Pittsburgh and designed by Frank Lloyd Wright. You can stand in the living room and see a graceful waterfall. Fallingwater appears to have grown out of the ground and into the light making present the power of the boulder on which it sits. It is time for us to depart "The Keystone State" and make on our way to Indianapolis for our last overnight stay. After checking into our hotel, we have a farewell dinner planned. (BD)

**Day Eight, Wednesday, July 7, 2021**

Enjoy a leisurely breakfast before we reboard our motorcoach. Our last stop is a visit to the Indianapolis White River Gardens located at the Indianapolis Zoo. Our tour comes to an enjoyable ending as we say goodbye to our traveling companions and take home the many memories of our Pennsylvania Holiday. (B)