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### NOTES FOR TRAVEL CLUB MEMBERS:

**\*\*Time to RENEW TRAVEL CLUB for 2023, only \$10!, Don't miss your Mailings & Discounts!\*\***

The next Monthly Travel Club Meeting is held at FREEDOM SQUARE at 10901 Johnson Blvd. Seminole FL 33772 at 9:30 AM & THE BIG APPLE BUFFET in TYRONE GARDENS SHOPPING CENTER ON WEDNESDAY, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 PM, and will also be presented on YOU TUBE LIVE! at 1:30 PM, don't miss it!! A link for the YouTube Live! presentation will be posted on our website at [WWW.TIFTOURS.COM](http://WWW.TIFTOURS.COM) Come & enjoy a presentation on tours, fun & prizes! Our pickup location for both single & multi-day tours in Seminole is at Home Depot at 10550 Park Blvd Seminole FL 33772. We also offer parking/pickup for all tours at our Tyrone Gardens location at the corner of 58<sup>th</sup> St & 9<sup>th</sup> Ave N. in St. Petersburg.

### NOVEMBER 2022

**NOV. 11, FRI. – REBA McENTIRE, LIVE AT AMALIE ARENA** "Queen of Country", Sold more than 75 million albums worldwide! 7:30 PM Show includes Lower-Level seats in section #102 & bus r/t...\$159

**NOV. 15, TUES. – MANNHEIM STEAMROLLER at Mahaffey Theater in St. Pete, 8 PM show.** A Neoclassical New-Age music group actively recording & touring since 1974! They found great success with their modern contemporary interpretations of Yuletide favorites. A great start to the holiday season...\$129

**NOV. 17, THURS. – LUNCH BUNCH with TODD at the LINGER LODGE,** after a recent renovation, our Lunch Bunch group revisits this highly-rated, favorite of many at last!!...\$66

**NOV. 24, THURS. – THANKSGIVING BUFFET MEAL at DER DUTCHMAN in Sarasota, 2 PM Meal, a Holiday Favorite...\$74**

**NOV. 27, SUN. – "WHITE CHRISTMAS"** Matinee & buffet lunch included at the **Suncoast Broadway Dinner Theater in Hudson.** "Recapture the holiday magic with WHITE CHRISTMAS this holiday season. A gentleman song & dance duo join a sister act to perform a Christmas show in rural Vermont. This smash Broadway musical includes 17 Irving Berlin songs including "Blue Skies", "I Love a Piano" and the perennial title song "White Christmas" is sure to make your holidays merry and bright...\$119

### DECEMBER 2022

**DEC. 4, SUN. – HENRY B. PLANT MUSEUM VICTORIAN STROLL in Tampa** Dinner incl at **Yeoman's Cask & Lion in Tampa**, then, on to the museum. Enjoy a variety of delightful themes & displays in each exhibit room, the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Victorian Christmas Stroll has many beautiful sights to enjoy incl a 14-foot tree bedecked with antique ornaments. Enjoy cider, cookies and Holiday music on the veranda too...\$95

**DEC. 6, TUES. – MARINA JACKS LUNCHEON CRUISE on BEAUTIFUL SARASOTA BAY** Narrated sightseeing cruise with **terrific lunch buffet** aboard a beautiful 150' Yacht! Enjoy views of the Ringling property, Bird Key celebrity homes & more!...\$84

**DEC. 9, FRI. – "FOR KING & COUNTRY"** present **A Drummer Boy Christmas, 7 PM Show at Tampa's Amalie Arena.** Looking for the true meaning of Christmas? You'll love seeing Grammy Award winning duo-brothers Joel and Luke will be bringing holiday cheer performing Christmas classics as well as brand-new fan favorites. Food concessions available at venue...\$89

**DEC. 10, SAT. - WANTILAN LUAU - Universal Studios Royal Pacific Resort** Authentic Luau includes beer, wine and Mai Tai drinks, plus a buffet of Pit Roasted Suckling Pig, Fire Grilled Tender Beef, Catch of the Day, Chicken Teriyaki as well as Vegetable and Rice Specialties & desserts including the Kona Coffee Ganache Pineapple Macadamia Tart, Passion Fruit Crème Brulee & more. A festive Feast & Live music with amazing hula & fire dancers. Seating at 6:00 PM, don't miss this authentic Luau!...\$179

**DEC. 12, MON. – PARROTS OF THE CARRIBEAN – DUCK BOAT – TWO GREAT ADVENTURES IN ONE!** Come for a crazy 1 ½ hour land & sea adventure of the local area. Learn about the area's history, places to see and don't worry, you won't get wet unless you jump! We'll drive right into the water where you will learn all about our marine life, birds and even have a chance to see dolphins & manatees. Free time at **John's Pass** for lunch on your own. Don't miss this exciting, new adventure...\$79

**DEC. 13, TUES. – BEARADISE RANCH Bear Preserve in Myakka City.** The history of the Welde family traces back to its beginnings with trained Bears performing in the Circus in the 1940's, but, over the years the animals have become trained for movie and television roles! When the bears are not working on a project, they live at beautiful Bearadise Ranch, a natural habitat facility the bears call home. Here, they swim, climb trees, and enjoy life in Florida while keeping in tune with nature. Educational presentations are part of the tour as well as plenty of photographic opportunities for the nature lover or bear enthusiast. While here, lunch is included with a choice of chicken salad sandwich, turkey sandwich or pulled pork sandwich with side and beverage too...\$74

**DEC. 15, THURS. – LUNCH BUNCH with TODD at THE ITALIAN GRILL in SARASOTA,** our second visit by popular demand...\$69

**DEC. 17, SAT. – HOLIDAY SHOPPING with WENDY - Red Barn Flea Market - Bradenton & Detwiler's Farm Market, Palmetto.** Great prices & unique finds for those looking to surprise loved ones! You may wish to bring a cooler for shopping Detwiler's Deli, Meats, Produce and Amish Specialties...\$59

**DEC. 21, WED. – CHRISTMAS EVE, EVE, EVE –** Visit St. Pete. Pier for a bit of free time to take in the Holiday Atmosphere and an included early dinner at **Doc Ford's** followed by a driving tour on and about Pinellas County for a festive look at holiday lights...\$75

### JANUARY 2023

**JAN. 6, FRI. – AUSTRALIAN BEE GEES at the RP FUNDING CENTER LAKELAND'S YOUKEY THEATER,** A 7:30 PM show with dinner buffet included before the show. "It's Saturday Night Fever every night with the Australian Bee Gees show – Tribute to the Bee Gees." You will adore the recreation of one of the most successful acts in musical history in a 75-minute multi-media concert event. The performers give a very authentic take on the trio's clothes, style and moves throughout five decades....\$129

**JAN. 12, THURS. – BIG CAT HABITAT & GULF COAST SANCTUARY –** This is an ever-growing large-animal rescue in eastern Sarasota County. Animals you will see here include: Lions, Tigers, Ligers, Tigons, Bears, Primates, Birds and an adorable petting zoo. Safari Snack bar on site in case you want a bite to eat. Don't miss the Bird Show at 1:00 PM & the Live Variety Animal Demonstration at 2:00 PM. Ask about Veterans discount for Big Cat Habitat...\$75

**JAN. 17, TUES. – "RIVERDANCE" at Ruth Eckerd Hall, 8:00 PM Show** This is the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Edition of Riverdance! It's been celebrated the world over for its GRAMMY® award-winning score and the thrilling energy and passion of its Irish and international dance. Don't miss the powerful, stirring reinvention of this beloved favorite. If you've seen this show before will be astonished that something so familiar can be so different with its fully re-designed lighting, projection and scenery...\$109

**JAN. 19, THURS. – LUNCH BUNCH with TODD! - MEL'S HOT DOGS, TAMPA'S TOP DOG (SO MUCH MORE) SINCE 1973!** Featuring Chicago dogs and many other choices, next to Busch Gardens!...\$59

**JAN. 20, FRI. – TECO MANATEE VIEWING CENTER & visit to IKEA** At Tampa Electric's Mantee Viewing Center there is a lot to see and do! Visitors can wander along boardwalks overlooking the warm-water area where manatees gather; visit the newly remodeled education center to learn about the plant-eating warm-blooded "gentle giants." Next, we will pay visit to **IKEA** in Tampa this afternoon where you can get lunch (on your own) in their cafeteria and spend some time browsing, (great kitchen wares here) and all types of household items you didn't even know you needed...\$49

**JAN. 21, SAT. – "JUST DESSERTS" Matinee w/buffet lunch & cash bar, at the Off-Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Ft. Myers** "It's sweet, it's savory. It's five strangers putting their hearts, reputations and baking skills on the line to become the crême de la crême of bakers at a county fair. There's a little mystery, a little romance, some potential cheating, and some back-stabbing-exactly what you expect when the competition is fierce-and the results are deliciously satisfying!"...\$139

**JAN. 22, SUN. – "THE BUDDY HOLLY STORY" a matinee with delicious buffet lunch at the Suncoast Broadway Dinner Theater in Hudson** "Follow the incredible true story of Buddy Holly's meteoric rise to the top of the record charts during the golden days of rock 'n' roll in this dynamic tribute musical featuring such rousing 50's favorites as *Peggy Sue*, *Oh Boy*, *That'll be the Day* as well as the music of Richie Valens and the Big Bopper." You'll be dancing in your seat! ...\$119

**JAN. 27, FRI. – "JOSEPH & the AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT" Matinee w/buffet lunch & cash bar, at the Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Ft. Myers** "One of the most spectacular & entertaining musicals tells Biblical story of Joseph and his coat of many colors through a kaleidoscope of song and dance. When Jacob gives Joseph a magnificent coat of many colors, his eleven brothers become jealous and sell him into slavery. Because of Joseph's gift for interpreting dreams, he rises to become the Pharaoh's advisor. Songs include *Any Dream Will Do*, *Close Every Door and Go, Go, Go Joseph*." ...\$149

**JAN. 30, MON.** – “GARTH BROOKS” Matinee w/buffet lunch & cash bar, at the **Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Ft. Myers** “This stunning tribute to the music of Garth Brooks features Drew , who has an uncanny resemblance to the legendary country music icon. Hear some of the greatest music ever produced including *Friends in Low Places, The Thunder Rolls, The Dance* and more as you go on a country music journey that is unmatched.”...\$149

**JAN. 31, TUES.** – “BLUE MAN GROUP” at **Van Wezel Performing Arts Hall in Sarasota** ...\$119

### FEBRUARY 2023

**FEB. 4, SAT.** – “TINA TURNER MUSICAL” 2:00 PM show at **STRAZ in Tampa** HER VOICE IS UNDENIABLE. HER FIRE IS UNSTOPPABLE. HER TRIUMPH IS UNLIKE ANY OTHER. This new musical reveals a comeback story like no other – of a woman who dared to defy the bounds of racism, sexism and ageism to become the global Queen of Rock n Roll. *TINA – The Tina Turner Musical* is a celebration of resilience and an inspiration of triumph over adversity. One of the best-selling artists of all time, Tina Turner has won 12 Grammy Awards and her live shows have been seen by millions, with more concert tickets sold than any other solo performer in music history...\$109

**FEB. 6, MON.** – “Dwight Icenhower’s TRIBUTE TO THE KING” at the **Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Fort Myers, Matinee show w/buffet lunch & cash bar.** “Back again by popular demand is one of the best **Elvis Tributes** in the country! Award winning impersonator Dwight Icenhower has the look, the voice, and the hip-swiveling dance moves of the King himself! Hear Elvis favorites such as *Can’t Help Falling in Love, Heartbreak Hotel, Love Me Tender, Hound Dog* and so many more”...\$149

**FEB. 11, SAT.** – **SEMINOLE BRIGHTON CASINO w/BINGO SESSIONS STARTING AT 2:00 PM (SEVERAL Bingo Card PACKAGES AVAILABLE)** Plus, over 400 slot machines and Table Games, and full-service restaurant – Josiah’s too! ...\$89

**FEB. 14, TUES.** – **CALYPSO QUEEN - VALENTINE’S DAYTIME CASUAL, TROPICAL BUFFET CRUISE** featuring included Beer, Wine, Rum Punch & soft drinks and a Tropical Style Luncheon Buffet with assorted salads, chicken, pork, beef, fish and pasta, rice, vegetables, bread & dessert. See the beautiful sights of Clearwater Harbor on this smooth, inland water cruise with Captain’s live sightseeing narration...\$79



**FEB. 16, THURS.** – **LUNCH BUNCH with TODD!** at **DUFF’S ORIGINAL BUFFET IN CLEARWATER** with Soups, Salad Bar, Hot items including carved meats and a nice variety of desserts & ice cream machine. An awesome, delicious variety!...\$59

**FEB. 17, FRI.** – **RENNINGERS & MOUNT DORA** Renningers is Central Florida’s largest Flea Market with over 800 vendors! Don’t miss the **Antique Extravaganza**, Florida’s largest indoor & outdoor Antique Show! Or, visit downtown **Mt. Dora** if you prefer...\$69

**FEB. 18, SAT.** – **LAKE WALES “MARDI GRAS”** The first Lake Wales Mardi Gras was created in 1984 in memory of Vinton Davis, original owner & operator of Vinton’s New Orleans Restaurant. When he passed his wife & daughter decided to have a parade in his memory and called it Lake Wales Mardi Gras. Pageantry, Parades, Exotic Floats, High Stepping strutters moving to the Rhythms of Dixieland Jazz. Parade at 3:00 PM, plus, craft and food vendors and more, don’t miss it!...\$59

**FEB. 20, MON.** – **POP STROKE PUTT-PUTT in Sarasota. Tiger Woods** & his TGR team created two 18-hole putting courses that can be played with just a putter and any skill level. Rooftop Bar, Full Service Restaurant, Ice Cream (putt-putt golf included)...\$59

**FEB. 24, FRI.** – “MAN IN BLACK- A Tribute to Johnny Cash” at **The Capitol Theater in Clearwater 8 PM Show** With his striking resemblance, spot-on mannerisms and baritone voice, Shawn Barker embodies the character & spirit of Johnny Cash...\$79

**FEB. 25, SAT.** – “JERSEY BOYS” at the **Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Fort Myers, Matinee show w/buffet lunch & cash bar.** “Winner of Best Musical at both the Tony Awards and the Olivier Awards, go behind the music of Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons with Jersey Boys! Discover the secret of a 40-year friendship as the foursome work their way to the heights of stardom. The chart-topping hits include *Sherry, Big Girls Don’t Cry, Can’t Take My Eyes off of You, Dawn, My Eyes Adored You & more!*...\$149

**FEB. 27, MON.** – “Celebrating TOM JONES starring David Burnham” at the **Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Ft. Myers, Matinee show w/buffet lunch & cash bar.** “Through stories & songs, award-winning David Burnham, celebrates one of the most electrifying performers and iconic voices of the past five decades-the legendary TOM JONES! Audiences will be wowed by Burnham’s unique renditions of Tom Jones hits including *It’s not Unusual, Delilah, What’s New Pussycat and She’s A Lady.*”...\$149

**FEB. 28, TUE.** – **BARTOW HISTORY TOUR** visit the LB Brown House, Bartow History Center, Incl. lunch at Broadway Diner...\$79

## 2 DAYS AND LONGER TOURS/MULTI-DAY TOURS

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- DEC. 8, 3 DAY - ST. AUGUSTINE SPECTACULAR Nights of Lights Tour** incl. 3 meals (2B, 1D) two nights at **Courtyard by Marriott, St. Augustine w/included hot breakfast each morning, familiarization bus tour first afternoon, first night's dinner included & Nights of Lights Trolley Tour** featuring more than 3 million Holiday Lights & displays with special effects throughout the **Historic District**, Day two independent touring with **all day on/off privileges on Old Town Trolley**, spend your final morning in town through lunch (on your own) in historic St. George Street area.....\$499\*/\$659
- DEC. 12, 6 DAY - SO MUCH CHRISTMAS AT OPRYLAND RESORT in NASHVILLE!** 9 meals (5B, 1L, 2D + 1 Drury Dinner). Features of this trip of a lifetime include: 3 nights at the luxurious Opryland Resort, buffet breakfast each morning at Opryland, Christmas Dinner Party with the Oak Ridge Boys, Live!, General Jackson Dinner Cruise on Cumberland River with entertainment, lunch at Blake Shelton's Ole Red restaurant, and much more.....\$1319\*/\$1745
- DEC. 25, 3 DAY - A TROPICAL CHRISTMAS** Incl. 6 Meals (2B, 2L, 1D) PLUS, two night's hotel accommodations at the **Holiday Inn Express & Suites Fort Myers Airport**, with a full, hot buffet breakfast, included daily, **The Broadway Palm Dinner Theater** for Christmas dinner and **White Christmas Holiday Show**, Christmas Night! Our second day includes a scenic luncheon cruise aboard the **Naples Princess**. Day three will cap off a great holiday tour with a visit to **Fisherman's Village** in Punta Gorda and an included, elegant, waterfront group lunch at **The Captains Table** followed by a narrated, sightseeing cruise on the Peace River.....\$539\*/\$623
- DEC. 30, 3 DAY - A SPECTACULAR NEW YEAR'S EVE** incl. 5 meals (2B, 3L) two night stay at **Holiday Inn Express Airport in Ft. Myers**, a narrated tour of **Sanibel Island** with an included lunch at George & Wendy's, visit **Gulf Coast Town Center** with time to browse & dinner on own, visit **Babcock Ranch Eco Tour** with lunch, visit **Leoma Lovegrove Gallery and Garden**, bring in the New Year at the **Seminole Casino Immokalee**, finally, an **Airboat Tour of Lake Okeechobee** with lunch.....\$529\*/\$619
- JAN. 23, 4 DAY - SOUTH FLORIDA, THE KEYS AND KEY WEST** Incl. 3-night stay at the **Best Western Plus in Kendall**, a suburb of Miami. A day will be spent traveling to and touring in Key West. This is your day to see and do what you wish in Key West. The free Duval Loop Bus will help you get all around the Island. We will spend day three touring some of the Miami sights and enjoy a special "Millionaire Row" cruise on Biscayne Bay.....\$663\*/\$898
- FEB. 13, 3 DAY - AMELIA ISLAND AMELIA ISLAND/FERNANDINA BEACH VALENTINE'S ADVENTURE** 2 nts. Hampton Inn Harbor Front with hot breakfast included each morning, Guided Historic tour, Beach Creek Boat Tour near Cumberland Island (we may see the Wild Horses), quaint town, shopping and dining.....\$435\*/\$579
- FEB. 19, 4 DAY - AMAZING ATLANTA** incl. 7 meals (3B, 1L, 3D) 3 Nts. at Drury Inn in Atlanta area. A Day at the **Georgia Aquarium**, The Road to **Tara** "Gone with the Wind" museum, **The Center for Puppetry Arts** with a fantastic Jim Henson Exhibit and the original puppets from the Classic "Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer"! The State Capitol, The Governor's Mansion, a City Tour plus a few surprises!.....\$699\*/\$899
- MARCH 21, 4 DAY - HISTORIC SAVANNAH Spring Blossoms**, incl. 5 meals, (3B, 2L) 3 nts. Springhill Suites, 2 days guided tours including historic areas, Davenport House Museum, Atlantic Ocean Low Country Tour w/Savannah's Beach at Tybee Island & included lunch at Lady & Sons & Paula Deen's Creek House Seafood & Grille...\$699\*/\$926
- MAY 7, 6 DAY - MYRTLE BEACH with SAVANNAH & CHARLESTON** Incl. 8 Meals (5B, 3D) three nights in Myrtle Beach, all rooms w/Ocean View, three shows while here, also, one night in Savannah with time at historic River Walk shops & restaurants and an afternoon in Charleston w/sightseeing in historic City Market area.....\$1157\*/\$1515
- JUNE 10, 9 DAY - BRANSON SHOW EXTRAVAGANZA** Incl. 14 meals (8B, 6D), 6 Fabulous shows.....\$1151\*/\$1436

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