

AMERICA'S MAGNIFICENT NATIONAL PARKS

August 13 - 28, 2016



TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- » Grand Canyon
- » Monument Valley
- » Lake Powell
- » Bryce Canyon National Park
- » Las Vegas
- » Grand Teton National Park
- » Zion Canyon
- » Yellowstone
- » Cody
- » Ride horseback in Clearwater
- » Deadwood

INCLUDED FEATURES

- » Free parking with roundtrip transfers to Philadelphia International Airport
- » Roundtrip airfare - Philadelphia, PA to Phoenix, AZ/Denver, CO
- » Roundtrip transfers – airport/hotel
- » 15 night hotel accommodations
- » Sightseeing as stated in itinerary by luxury coach
- » Services of Professional Tour Director
- » Meals: 14 Full Breakfasts & 8 Dinners
- » All admissions and fees listed in itinerary
- » All local taxes, hotel service charges & portorage for one suitcase per person
- » AAA Group Leader

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PRICE PER PERSON

OCCUPANCY	AAA MEMBER	NON MEMBER
Double	\$5,729	\$5,774
Single	\$7,789	\$7,834

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TOUR ITINERARY

Saturday, August 13: Depart for Phoenix

Motorcoach from Central PA to Philadelphia International Airport for flight to Phoenix, Arizona. Transfer to your hotel in Scottsdale, where you can enjoy the superb facilities and grounds of this desert oasis. This evening, join your Tour Director for a Welcome Reception with drinks and light meal. Hotel: *The Westin Kierland Resort and Spa, Scottsdale* (Dinner)

Sunday, August 14: Sedona and the Wonders of the Mighty Grand Canyon

Head north to the quaint bohemian colony of Sedona, where you can browse the stores and galleries. Enjoy one of Arizona's finest drives through Oak Creek Canyon, before traveling on to the Grand Canyon National Park, where you can take an optional flightseeing tour by helicopter or plane over this natural wonder. Spend the night inside the park, enjoying the peace and quiet after the crowds have departed. Take time to experience the breathtaking vistas and sunset on the canyon walls. During your stay, join a Local Expert for an informative presentation about the wonders of the Grand Canyon. In the evening, enjoy a Highlight Dinner in the Thunderbird Room while taking in the magnificent views of the Grand Canyon's South Rim. Hotel: *National Park Lodges, Grand Canyon* (Full Breakfast, Dinner)

Monday, August 15: Excursion to Monument Valley and Lake Powell

Head to the historic Cameron Trading Post, featuring Southwest American Indian arts and crafts. The journey carries on through the Painted Desert, a colorful fantasyland of mesas, buttes and badlands, and through the Navajo Indian Reservation. Later, join an excursion to Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park for a guided tour. Stop at the Glen Canyon Dam to learn about its impact on the Colorado River before arriving at your lakefront resort. Check into your room which has guaranteed lake views. Hotel: *Lake Powell Resorts and Marinas, Page* (Full Breakfast, Dinner)

Tuesday, August 16: Leisurely Lake Powell

This day is entirely yours to do as you please. Relax and enjoy the resort's facilities or join an optional float trip down one of the most scenic stretches of the Colorado River. Take a leisurely cruise through scenic Antelope Canyon with its dramatic steep, sandstone walls. (Full Breakfast)

Wednesday, August 17: Bryce Canyon's Stony Symphony

Head to Bryce Canyon National Park in Southern Utah and enjoy a leisurely walk along Sunset Point to view the great amphitheaters of odd-shaped monoliths known as hoodoos. In the evening, join your Tour Director and newfound friends for a dinner including drinks. Hotel: *Bryce Canyon National Park Lodge or Zion National Park Lodge* (Full Breakfast, Dinner)



Yellowstone National Park

Thursday, August 18: Zion to Las Vegas – From Nature to Neon

Travel through more amazing scenery to the lush cliff-and-canyon landscape of Zion National Park. Board a private Zion Canyon Shuttle with a live commentary to experience the scenic highlights of the park, followed by some time to explore at your own pace. A complete change of scenery awaits you in the afternoon when you arrive in Las Vegas; bright lights, shopping malls, huge themed hotels of unbelievable design and the omnipresent slot machine. Your hotel is a breath of fresh air – modern and luxurious. Hotel: *The Cosmopolitan*, Las Vegas (Full Breakfast)

Friday, August 19: Salt Lake City

Travel to Salt Lake City, the capital and most populous city in the state of Utah, and headquarters of the Mormon faith. Hotel: *Hilton Salt Lake City Center*, Salt Lake City (Full Breakfast)

Saturday, August 20: Jackson and Grand Teton National Park

Join a morning orientation tour of Salt Lake City to see the famous Temple Square. Then travel north across the Oregon Trail to visit historic Jackson, where arches of elk antlers adorn the central square. Later, continue to your lakeside lodge overlooking Jackson Lake and the stunning peaks and glaciers of Grand Teton National Park. Hotel: *Jackson Lake Lodge*, Moran (Full Breakfast)

Sunday, August 21: Nature on the Boil at Yellowstone National Park

The Grand Tetons thrust skyward 6,562 feet from the valley floor. Stop to admire some of the incredible views at Jenny Lake. Then enter Yellowstone, established in 1872 as the world's first National Park and known for its unique geothermal activity, spectacular landscapes and abundant wildlife. You will be joined by a Local Expert for an informative stroll through Yellowstone's Upper Geyser Basin. Hotel: *National Park Lodges*, Yellowstone (Full Breakfast, Dinner)

Monday, August 22: Geysers and Colorful Mudpots at Yellowstone

After breakfast, walk among the geysers and watch them erupt. There is plenty of time to see the colorful bubbling mudpots and observe Old Faithful shooting water 120 feet in the air. View free-roaming deer, elk and bear in their natural habitat. Then experience the roar of the Lower Yellowstone Falls as they thunder down the steep canyon walls. (Full Breakfast)

Tuesday, August 23: Relaxing at the Ucross Ranch

Depart Yellowstone National Park and travel through the stark Shoshone Canyon and Absaroka Rocky Mountains to reach the Wild West town of Cody. Visit the Buffalo Bill Center of the West, built in honor of one of the America's great Western legends. Head to Clearmont in Wyoming and after checking into your hotel, ride horseback enjoying stunning scenery before enjoying a ranch style dinner. Hotel: *The Ranch at Ucross*, Clearmont (Full Breakfast, Dinner)

Wednesday, August 24: Devil's Tower into the Black Hills

After a morning at leisure, head towards Devil's Tower, an astounding geologic feature that protrudes out of the rolling prairie surrounding the Black Hills. This site is considered sacred to the Lakota and other tribes that have a connection to the area. Then travel to Spearfish Canyon, a great spot for wildlife enthusiasts, where the breathtaking limestone palisades of this creek-carved gorge are more ancient than the Grand Canyon – albeit much closer together. Enjoy the scenery before sitting down to dinner. Hotel: *Spearfish Canyon Lodge*, Lead (Full Breakfast, Dinner)

Thursday, August 25: Custer and the Wild, Wild West

Keep a lookout for pronghorn antelope as you cross the great high plains to the Black Hills of South Dakota. In Deadwood, join Kevin Costner's Original Deadwood Tour and explore this once lawless town. With a Local Expert, hear about the days of Wild Bill Hickok and Calamity Jane, who made this town famous during the gold rush of the 1870s. Also enjoy stories told by Chief Bald Eagle who shares a live narrative of the Great Sioux Nation. Continue on to Custer State Park, renowned for its beautiful landscape and abundant wildlife. Perhaps get up close and personal with herds of buffalo on an optional jeep safari. Hotel: *The State Game Lodge*, Custer State Park (Full Breakfast)

Friday, August 26: The Mountain Monuments of the Black Hills of South Dakota

View the Crazy Horse Memorial, dedicated to preserve Native American culture. Move on to the Mount Rushmore National Memorial, where carvings of Presidents Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Roosevelt dominate the Black Hills. The rest of the day is yours to spend at your leisure before enjoying a farewell Celebration Dinner. (Full Breakfast, Celebration Dinner)

Saturday, August 27: Denver

Travel south from Custer State Park where your tour ends on arrival in Denver. The remainder of the day is yours to explore Denver on your own. Hotel: *The Westin Denver Downtown*, Denver (Full Breakfast)

Sunday, August 28: Depart for Home

Transfer to Denver International Airport for your flight home and transportation to Central PA.

Hotels and itinerary are subject to change at any time without notification and/or compensation.



GENERAL INFORMATION

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

A government issued photo I.D. is required for airport security.

PAYMENT

Deposit of \$300 per person will confirm your reservation. Final Payment is due to AAA by May 31, 2016.

CANCELLATION/PENALTIES

Deposit date to day of departure	\$25 per person, plus...
From May 11 – June 14, 2016	\$300 per person, plus additional suppliers' fees
From June 15 – 29, 2016	10% per person, plus additional suppliers' fees
From June 30 – July 22, 2016	25% per person, plus additional suppliers' fees
From July 23 – August 5, 2016	30% per person, plus additional suppliers' fees
From August 6 – 12, 2016	50% per person, plus additional suppliers' fees
After August 12, 2016	NON REFUNDABLE

***Airfare is non-refundable after final payment.**

INSURANCE

For your protection AAA recommends travel insurance. Pre-existing medical conditions may be waived with proper coverage if travel insurance is purchased within 14 days of initial deposit only. Other conditions may apply; ask your travel agent. AAA recommends Allianz.

FLIGHT

Air arrangements are handled by the tour operator. Seat assignments cannot be confirmed until the tour operator releases names to the airline(s) 30 days prior to departure. Specific seat requests cannot be guaranteed. Some flight schedules may contain code share agreements.

CLOTHING/CLIMATE

Temperatures for this region may vary depending on location with cooler evenings. Pack for a variety of temperatures. Comfortable walking shoes and a small umbrella are recommended.

BAGGAGE

One suitcase per person will be allowed. You may also bring a carry-on bag small enough to fit under your seat. Baggage fees and other charges may be directly assessed by airlines or airport.

TRAVEL ASSISTANCE

For personal comfort, group participants who need assistance are required to have a traveling companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the needed assistance.

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