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NOTES FOR TRAVEL CLUB MEMBERS:

The next **Travel Club Meeting** is **Wed. Oct. 10th at 9:30 AM** at **Lake Seminole Square**, 8333 Seminole Blvd., Seminole 33772
The St. Petersburg Travel Club Meeting is held at THE BIG APPLE BUFFET in TYRONE GARDENS SHOPPING CENTER ON WEDNESDAY Oct. 10th at 1:30 PM, SEE YOU THERE!! Come and enjoy a presentation on our tours, fun & prizes too!

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 58th St & 9th Ave N. in St. Petersburg

SEPTEMBER 2018

SEPT. 17, MON. – KENNEDY SPACE CENTER Apollo 15 astronaut AL WORDEN is scheduled to appear on this day. "He is an American astronaut and engineer who was the Command Module Pilot for the Apollo 15 lunar mission in 1971. He is one of only 24 people to have flown to the Moon." Explore a day at Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex. Experience Space Shuttle Atlantis and get vertical on the Shuttle Launch Experience®. See 3D space films in our IMAX® Theater. Enjoy all exhibits and shows at the Visitor Complex and the Apollo/Saturn V Center. Meet an astronaut!...\$109

SEPT. 19, WED. – "LET'S GO TO THE MOVIES" This matinee show marks the beginning of the 26th Season at the **Broadway Palm** in Ft. Myers! "Here's lookin' at you kid," "Hasta La Vista Baby," and "We're gonna need a bigger boat" are just a few of the iconic movie quotes that have become colloquial sayings. Join Victor Legarreta and his cast as they sing and dance their way through movie history. This all-movie musical revue will feature songs from all your favorite movies and movie musicals along with surprise guest appearances by "the movie stars" themselves! You'll laugh, sing along and become part of the action. As always, you'll enjoy the fantastic buffet lunch with soup, salad bar, hot entrees & sides and dessert table w/ice cream sundaes...\$99

SEPT. 22, SAT. – "CHICAGO the Musical" at the **Straz** in Tampa 2:00 PM Show, Orchestra (main floor) Seats, "CHICAGO has everything that makes Broadway great: a universal tale of fame, fortune and all that jazz; one show-stopping song after another; and the most astonishing dancing you've ever seen. It's no surprise that CHICAGO has wowed audiences everywhere." ...\$99

SEPT. 25, TUES. – THE TWISTED TEAPOT Queen's Birthday, as celebrated in Australia! high tea.\$59

SEPT. 27, THURS. – LUNCH BUNCH at **Shell's** in Tampa! Great seafood & more - Delicious...\$45

SEPT. 28, FRI. – CHIHULY COLLECTION & RUTH'S CHRIS EARLY DINNER Experience the magnificent Chihuly Collection at its' new home—with a grand 20-foot sculpture at the entrance. Also, enjoy an early dinner at Sundial's Ruth's Chris...\$77

SEPT. 30, SUN. – "LEND ME A TENOR" at The Venice Theater "It's an historic night at the Cleveland Opera Company when world-famous tenor Tito Morelli arrives to perform in Otello. Through a series of farcical mishaps, Tito takes a double dose of tranquilizers, setting off a hilarious chain reaction of slapstick and mistaken identity." This is a 2 PM Show with lunch on your own, before the show in downtown Venice with some great choices available...\$59

OCTOBER 2018

OCT. 3, WED. – THE JAMES MUSEUM with Lunch included at the Hangar Restaurant

This museum is a feast for the eyes, before you even step inside! Featuring sandstone entryways and a 20-foot high waterfall, this museum founded by Tom & Mary James houses part of their vast personal collection of Western and wildlife art. Special exhibition "Art and the Animal"...\$69



OCT. 6, SAT. – OKTOBERFEST in ORLANDO Hosted by the Orlando German Club, this is the place to be for Oktoberfest! Features authentic German food & drinks for purchase, traditional German music in the Festhall, & large outdoor Beer Garden with bar featuring Hofbrau imported beer, wine & German schnapps. Enjoy music, dancing and eating at this most authentic festival!...\$65

OCT. 10, WED. – "42ND STREET" at the **Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Ft. Myers**. This is the "dazzling tribute to Broadway, New York City and the world of musical theatre high-kicks its way onto the Broadway Palm stage! Aspiring chorus girl Peggy Sawyer heads to NYC and quickly lands her first big gig in the ensemble of a glitzy new Broadway Show. Just before opening night, the leading lady breaks her ankle, which might give Peggy a chance to step in and become a star! **42nd STREET** sparkles with some of the greatest songs in musical theatre history including *We're In the Money*, *Lullaby Baby*, *Shuffle Off to Buffalo*, *Dames*, *I Only Have Eyes For You* and the *Title Song 42nd Street*. As always, you'll enjoy the fantastic buffet lunch with soup, salad bar, hot entrees & sides and dessert table w/ice cream sundae bar too...\$99

OCT. 11, THURS. – CATFISH JOHNNY’S You’ll enjoy a great lunch and the tall tales of Catfish Johnny, as well as live music. Catfish Johnny is versatile character. A stop at the Russell Stover Outlet too, for your chocolate needs...\$69

OCT. 13, SAT. – WINTER PARK FARMERS MARKET is held at the Old Train Depot which has been restored into an historical landmark that hosts this NUMBER ONE produce and plant market in Central Florida. You’ll find produce, plants, baked goods and much more. Winter Park also is home to quaint shops and museums, great strolling here!...\$49

OCT. 18, THURS. – LUNCH BUNCH with TODD, Come see what Lunch Bunch is all about, enjoy this exceptionally well-priced outing including lunch at the NEW DUFF’S Original Buffet in Clearwater...\$39

OCT. 20, SAT. – “ROOTSTOCK” at BOK TOWER GARDENS Rootstock is back and better than ever with great food, plant sale and spectacular variety of vendors, live music too! Visit Pinewood Estate while you’re here, it is open...\$46

OCT. 24, WED. – BEAR-A-DISE RANCH Home to the famous Welde family bears! Established in 1926 to educate and generate public awareness for habitat preservation and conservation for all bear species. Educational and entertaining presentations are part of this tour. Some of the bears you’ll see here are movie stars! A casual lunch at the Ranch is also included with your visit...\$54



OCT. 27, SAT. – THE 34th ANNUAL MOUNT DORA CRAFT FAIR! Throughout this historic community, the street come alive with more than 400 talented crafters and artists from all over the country displaying and offering for sale their finest works. Plus, there’s food and entertainment to round out a perfect day! Round-trip transportation only...\$44

OCT. 29, MON. – WEBSTER FLEA MARKETS All-in-one The original Webster Flea Market, Webster West Side and Farmer’s Market! You’ll find all kinds of unique items and deals of all kinds, don’t forget to pick up some fruits & vegetables too. Lunch on own...\$44

OCT. 31, WED. – VINOY HOTEL “SPOOKY TOUR” with AMAZING LUNCH INCLUDED! The Vinoy Renaissance St. Petersburg Resort History Tour & luncheon will long be a cherished memory! Mixed with tales of yesteryear and the life of gala events at The Vinoy for over 90 years. You will enjoy an enchanting tour of the landmark Vinoy’s historic building and garden, while learning what famous families, authors, entertainers, sports celebrities & dignitaries visited The Vinoy. It was Aymer Vinoy Laughner’s dream that the Vinoy would become one of the nation’s grandest hotels and it certainly is!...\$59 **W/L**

NOVEMBER 2018

NOV. 1, THURS. – “DAMES AT SEA” at Show Palace Dinner Theater in Hudson “This show is based on the nostalgia of Hollywood Musicals of the 1930’s. It’s big-time New York, into which sweet, little Ruby from far away Hometown, USA has come to make it big on Broadway. Who should she chance to meet but another boy from Hometown, USA: Dick, a sailor who also has ambitions as a songwriter. Ruby begins in the chorus, and by the end of the day, in true Hollywood fashion, Dick saves her doomed Broadway show with a smash tune, as Ruby becomes a star on the deck of a battleship, which just happens to be passing by.” This is a matinee show and a buffet lunch is included...\$85

NOV. 2, FRI. – MARINA JACKS LUNCHEON & SIGHTSEEING CRUISE from Sarasota Marina in beautiful downtown Sarasota. You’ll marvel at the crystal blue water of Sarasota Bay and delicious buffet lunch on the 150-foot **enclosed, climate-controlled yacht** as the captain announces points of interest. Enjoy the lovely Sarasota waterfront, a great day out!...\$69 **W/L**

NOV. 3, SAT. – SOLOMON’S CASTLE Visit the one-of-a-kind “found object” artistic Castle. Lunch included @Boat in the Mote...\$65

NOV. 5, MON. – HARD ROCK CASINO TAMPA, New SMOKE FREE Casino expansion. Bring valid ID...\$29 transportation only

NOV. 6, TUES. – U. S. NAVY BAND COMMODORES, The Navy’s Premier Jazz Ensemble Concert at **The Straz...\$39 Evening Show**

NOV. 9, FRI. – MARINA JACKS LUNCHEON & SIGHTSEEING CRUISE from Sarasota Marina in beautiful downtown Sarasota. You’ll marvel at the crystal blue water of Sarasota Bay and delicious buffet lunch on the 150-foot **enclosed, climate-controlled yacht** as the captain announces points of interest. Enjoy the lovely Sarasota waterfront, a great day out!...\$69

NOV. 10, SAT. – WANTILAN LUAU at Universal Studios Royal Pacific Resort Authentic Luau includes beer, wine and a Mai Tai, as well as a buffet of Pit Roasted Suckling Pig, Fire Grilled Tender Beef, Catch of the Day from Pacific waters, Chicken Teriyaki as well as Vegetable and Rice Specialties & desserts including the Kona Coffee Ganache Pineapple Macadamia Tart, Passion Fruit Crème Brulee & more. Live music with amazing hula & fire dancers. Seating at 6:00 PM, don’t miss this opportunity!...\$129



NOV. 12, MON. – PLANTATION INN One-hour boat ride on Crystal River, very scenic, manatees perhaps. Inquire about swimming with Manatees (additional fee). Lunch on your own at a local favorite restaurant – **The Seafood Seller & Café**...\$64

NOV. 15, THURS. – LUNCH BUNCH with TODD at WOODY'S RIVER-ROO in Ellenton (waterfront!)...\$45

NOV. 17, SAT. – BIG CAT HABITAT & DUFF'S ORIGINAL BUFFET Big Cat Habitat is a non-profit safe-haven for big cats, bears & other animals in need. Founded by Kay Rosaire with over 30 years of experience working with & caring for exotic animals. You'll find the animal demonstrations thrilling to watch, with the opportunity to see the animals in a close encounter of the exotic kind! Be entertained by the individual personalities & characteristics of the animals. The family's unique style of gentle handling, praise & treats encourages natural behaviors, especially in the big cats. Before enjoying the Big Cat Habitat we'll all have a great lunch at Duff's Original Buffet in Bradenton...\$73



NOV. 22, THURS. – THANKSGIVING DINNER AT DER DUTCHMAN AMISH RESTAURANT in SARASOTA You'll find all of your traditional Thanksgiving favorites at Der Dutchman, don't miss the Bakery and upstairs Gift Shop. 3:00 PM reservation...\$65

NOV. 24, SAT. – "WINTER WONDERETTES" at the Off-Broadway Palm Dinner Theater, matinee w/great lunch buffet...\$94

NOV. 28, WED. – "A SHOWPALACE CHRISTMAS with Holiday Inc." "Hold on to your stockings as the Season comes to life with Holiday Inc. This enchanting musical features a magical group of characters, dazzling costumes, spectacular dance numbers and a chart-topping Holiday song list. It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year!! Matinee with lunch buffet...\$89

NOV. 29, THURS. – BOK TOWER & PINWOOD ESTATE w/HOLIDAY DECOR includes lunch choice of Chicken Blueberry Salad, Turkey & Gouda Sandwich or Veggie Wrap, all with accompaniments. Come experience the Carillon Bells during the holidays...\$77

DECEMBER 2018

DEC. 5, WED. – GAYLORD PALM'S HOLIDAY with CIRQUE DREAMS PRESENTATION and MEAL at VILLA DE FLORA - Sit under traditional wood pergolas and enjoy a Mediterranean feast for all your senses. You must experience this buffet and resort – over-the-top holiday splendor!...\$89 **Add optional Ice! Ticket for \$25, ICE! Theme this year is "A Christmas Story"**

DEC. 6, THURS. – SNOOK HAVEN You'll love the beautiful, rustic riverside location, terrific lunch on your own with great BBQ, seafood and more! Beer & Wine too. One-hour Myakka River boat ride usually available (cash only) Music of **Banjo Society**...\$39

DEC. 7, FRI – HOLYLAND EXPERIENCE in ORLANDO "The Holy Land Experience brings together the sights and sounds of the world of the Bible in a unique and interactive way unlike anywhere else. It is a living, biblical museum that takes you 7000 miles away and 2000 years back in time to the land of the Bible. Its combination of sights, sounds, and tastes will stimulate your senses and blend together to create a spectacular new experience" Roundtrip transportation and admission included...\$89

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DEC. 15, SAT. – THE TILTED TEACUP BROOKSVILLE "A DOWNTON ABBEY CHRISTMAS TEA" Be a part of English Royalty while enjoying High Tea to include a teacup of soup, delightful assortment of savories, fresh-baked scone w/Devonshire cream, selection of petit fours & pots of tea. The staff will wear Edwardian attire music entertainment, carriage rides (fee applies) ...\$79

DEC. 15, SAT. – ST. JOHNS RIVERSHIP One of our travelers' favorites! This St. John's River Luncheon Cruise departs from Sanford and is a lovely three-hour, expertly narrated river cruise. This Paddle Wheeler is enclosed & climate-controlled ...\$99

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DEC. 20, THURS. – SPECIAL HOLIDAY LUNCH BUNCH with TODD at COOPER'S HAWK in Tampa. This time with choice of three entrees and a special Holiday Surprise! This is the #1 favorite of Lunch Bunch attendees, so far! ...\$54

DEC. 22, SAT. – TAMPA BAY LIGHTED BOAT PARADE, Dinner on own at NEW Channelside Wharf w/10+ restaurants...\$29

***** JUST ADDED! DEC. 23, SUN. – CIRQUE du SOLEIL "CRYSTAL" at Tampa's Amalie Arena** This is not just an **ice show**, it's the very first experience on ice from *Cirque du Soleil*, watch world-class ice

skaters and acrobats claim their new frozen playground with gravity-defying speed and fluidity. Cirque du Soleil meets the ice to defy all expectations! 1:30 PM Show...\$89



FEBRUARY 2019

FEB. 14, THURS. CALYPSO QUEEN for Valentines Day! Departs Clearwater Beach Marina to experience the beauty of the waters of Clearwater Harbor with live sightseeing narration by the Captain. This casual, tropical themed cruise includes a delicious Island-Style buffet luncheon buffet including beer, wine & rum punch too! Indoors, climate controlled...\$64

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OCT. 7, 4 DAY – PENSACOLA, TALLAHASSEE & FLORIDA GULF COAST Includes a guided tour of historic Pensacola to include Naval Air Museum & Lighthouse with a local, knowledgeable guide. Driving tour of Tallahassee to include visit to the Governor's Mansion. Tour through Florida's beautiful Gulf Coast.....\$489*/\$629

OCT. 14, 6 DAY – FALL FOLIAGE, DOLLYWOOD, SMOKY MTN NAT'L PARK, PIGEON FORGE & GATLINBURG, Dollywood, tour Smoky Mtn Nat'l Park, Dinner Show, The Island w/Smoky Mountain Wheel...\$739*/\$979 W/L

NOV. 6, 3 DAY – KEY WEST & EVERGLADES 2 nts accommodations at Fairway Inn Florida City, airboat ride and Alligator & Wildlife Show in the Everglades, a full day of touring the Keys and Key West including the very popular and entertaining Sunset Ceremony, a visit to the Ranger Station and Welcome Center in the Everglade...\$275*/\$339 W/L

NOV. 14, 2 DAY – SOUTH FLORIDA GETAWAY 3 meals (1B, 1L, 1D) One-night stay at **DRURY INN**, Fort Myers with the **5:30 Kickback** featuring free food and drinks (beer, wine & mixed drinks) & hot breakfast buffet. **JC Cruise 4-hour Sightseeing Luncheon Cruise**, from Ft. Myers. Visit the **Naples Zoo at Caribbean Gardens**...\$245*/\$289

NOV. 29, 3 DAY – ST. AUGUSTINE HOLIDAY NIGHT OF LIGHTS & CHRISTMAS PARADE.....\$339*/\$419 W/L

DEC. 1, 3 DAY - ST. AUGUSTINE HOLIDAY NIGHT OF LIGHTS & NIGHT WATCH PARADE incl. 3 meals (2B 1D), 2 nts. at Sleep Inn w/breakfast each morning. Trolley tour familiarization tour and on/off privileges. The second night features the very special "Night of Lights" holiday lights tour & Dinner at **LePavillon**.....\$339*/\$419 W/L

DEC. 9, 6 DAY – OPRYLAND NASHVILLE HOLIDAY TOUR Incl. 8 Meals (4B, 1L, 3D) First & last nights at ATL area Drury Inn w/5:30 Kickback, evening & breakfast buffet. 3 nights at **Opryland Resort** in Nashville TN! This year featuring **Christmas Dinner & Show with TRACE ADKINS! Luncheon/sightseeing Cruise with entertainment aboard the General Jackson Showboat.** Nashville City tour with **Johnny Cash Museum** & more....\$1027*/\$1395

DEC. 25, 3 DAY – TROPICAL CHRISTMAS 6 meals, 2 NTS. Drury Inn Ft. Myers, Broadway Palm Dinner Theater on Christmas Night, great buffet & see **ELF, The Musical**, tour **Captiva & Sanibel Island**, Der Dutchman.....\$445*/\$569

DEC. 31, 2 DAY – SEMINOLE IMMOKALEE CASINO 2 meals, Der Dutchman lunch buffet on Day one, 1 nt. Springhill Suites Ft. Myers, visit Casino for New Year's Eve Celebration & casino again on Day two.....\$215*/\$275

JAN 15, 3 DAY - KEY WEST & EVERGLADES 2 nts accommodations at Fairway Inn Florida City, airboat ride and Alligator & Wildlife Show in the Everglades, a full day of touring the Keys and Key West including the very popular and entertaining Sunset Ceremony, a visit to the Ranger Station and Welcome Center in the Everglade.....\$299*/\$385

JAN. 27, 3 DAY - AMELIA ISLAND/FERNANDINA BEACH 2 NTS. at **Hampton Inn Harbor Front** w/Hot Breakfast, historic tour, with a step-on guide of Fernandina Beach and Old Town area, an afternoon Beach Creek Boat Tour, plus a driving tour along Atlantic Ocean featuring many historic points of interest, then a driving tour with a brief stop at a historic point of interest in St. Augustine & much more.....\$359*/\$475

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CUBA CRUISE on CARNIVAL'S "PARADISE" – 4 DAYS, Sept. 20, 2018, departing Port of Tampa, overnight in port of Havana, Cuba, one fun day at sea! Starts at \$537.40 PP Inside Cabin, \$583.40 PP Ocean View, \$899.40 PP Balcony. Special \$50 Onboard credit per cabin!

WESTERN CARIBBEAN/CUBA CRUISE on MSC'S New "ARMONIA" – 7 DAYS, Dec. 10, 2018 or Jan. 28, 2019 departing Miami. Ports are: Montego Bay, Grand Cayman, Cozumel, Havana CUBA OVERNIGHT!! Starts at \$490 PP Inside Cabin, \$590 PP Ocean View, \$1040 PP Balcony Cabin. R/T bus available to Miami for \$100.

WESTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE on RCCL'S "RHAPSODY OF THE SEAS" – 7 NIGHTS, Jan. 5, 2019 departing Port of Tampa. Ports are: Key West, Cozumel, Belize, Costa Maya. Starts at \$568.91 PP Inside Cabin, \$708.91 PP Ocean View Cabin or \$1137.91 PP Balcony Cabin. \$50 Onboard Cabin Credit.

WESTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE on CARNIVAL'S "PARADISE" – 5 DAYS, January 28, 2019 departing Port of Tampa. Ports are: Grand Cayman & Cozumel. Starts at \$399.40 PP Inside Cabin, \$447.40 PP Ocean View Cabin. \$50.00 Onboard Cabin Credit. This is a special group Cruise for SOCIAL AND DUPLICATE BRIDGE PLAYERS with Director ROGER PRYOR! All are welcome!

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