The Pacific Northwest Coast

Presented by Rocky River Senior Center 9 Days – September 2-10, 2023

This unforgettable adventure includes spectacular sightseeing and colorful landscapes. Discover some of Americas best National Parks out west on this summertime vacation to The Great Pacific Northwest Wonderland!

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

San Francisco, California ~ Seattle, Washington ~ Portland, Oregon Tillamook Cheese ~ Redwood National Park ~ Columbia River Gorge Oregon Dunes National Park ~ Pacific Coast Highway ~ Golden Gate Bridge Sonoma Valley Wine Country ~ The Space Needle ~ Pike Street Market Fisherman's Wharf ~ Rogue River Jet Boat ~ Newport Aquarium

TOUR INCLUDES:

- Round-trip scheduled air transportation
- Deluxe motorcoach transportation
- ❖ Eight nights lodging (2 nights San Francisco 2 nights Portland)
- ❖ Ten meals 4 dinners and 6 breakfasts
- ❖ All sightseeing, admissions, baggage handling and most gratuities
- Professional tour manager

TOUR FARE:

\$3899.00 per person based on double occupancy \$4999.00 per person based on single occupancy

Payment Policy: A \$200 per person deposit is now due to secure your reservation with the balance due by June 29, 2023. Make checks payable to Wendt Touring and send to: Rocky River Senior Center, 21014 Hilliard Blvd., Rocky River, OH 44116 Attention Deb Huff. For more information, contact Rocky River Senior Center, (440) 333-6660. All are welcome.

Refund Policy: Full refund on all monies paid on cancellations made by June 29, 2023. If you wish, optional trip cancellation insurance is available thru numerous travel companies (on your own) including Travel Insured International: (866)-684-0218. Wendt Touring ID #46057

Travel Arrangements made by Wendt Touring

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<u>Day 1: Cleveland – Seattle, Washington</u>

Depart on a regularly scheduled airline for the "Emerald City" of Seattle. Later, enjoy a comprehensive Seattle Sightseeing tour with a local guide. Highlights include the Space Needle, Pike Street Market, The Puget Sound, Lake Washington and the Government Locks. This evening we gather for a "welcome to the tour" dinner. Overnight in Seattle, Washington.

<u>Day 2 and 3: Portland, Oregon sightseeing – Columbia River Gorge – Pioneer Square</u>

See the striking landmarks of the Pacific Northwest – towering Mount Rainier and awesome Mount St. Helens volcano. Continue along the route pioneered by Lewis and Clark as we travel into Oregon and through the lavish Columbia River Gorge for breathtaking views at Crown Point, Multnomah Falls and Bonneville Dam. Portland is a vibrant and cosmopolitan west coast city. It also has a great reputation for beautiful scenery and stunning vistas. Out sightseeing tour includes the Old Town Historic District, Pioneer Square and the International Rose Test Gardens – home to over 700 rose varieties. Two nights in Portland, "The City of Roses".

Day 4: Oregon Coast - Newport - Oregon Coast Aquarium - Tillamook Cheese

Depart Portland and begin a picturesque drive along the spectacular Oregon Coast. Highlights include beautiful beaches, sheer cliffs and the rugged pounding surf along the Pacific Ocean. Visit Tillamook Cheese. Later we arrive in the seaside village of Newport and visit the Oregon Coast Aquarium with dinner included. Overnight at oceanfront hotel in Newport, Oregon.

<u>Day 5: Newport – Oregon Dune Buggy Tour – Coos Bay</u>

Enjoy free time in Newport. This afternoon we continue our scenic coastal drive south to Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area. Climb aboard a four-wheel drive vehicle for an exciting ride across beautiful sand dunes. Overnight in Coos Bay, Oregon.

Day 6: Rogue River Jet Boat Adventure – Eureka, CA

Drive to Grants Pass where we board a jet boat and embark on a nautical excursion along the Rogue River. Enjoy outstanding scenery and varied wildlife as our experienced pilots navigate their way down the mighty Rogue River. Later today we travel back along the Pacific Coast and into northern California and Redwood National Park and see miles of giant forests. Overnight in Eureka, California.

Day 7: Avenue of the Giants – Sonoma Valley – San Francisco

Today we journey into Humboldt State Park and through Avenue of the Giants which includes the largest remaining stand of virgin redwoods in the world. Later, we travel through the famed Sonoma Valley wine country where a stop will be made at a local winery for tastings and shopping. Continue on to San Francisco - The City on the Bay for the last two nights of our trip.

Day 8: San Francisco Sights

Explore the fascinating city of San Francisco. Our guided tour will include Knob Hill, Twin Peaks, Lombard Street, Golden Gate Bridge, Chinatown and more. Enjoy the afternoon to stroll Fisherman's Wharf, ride the famed street cars or explore the shops of Union Square. This evening we will gather for a farewell dinner. Overnight downtown San Francisco.

Day 9: San Francisco – Cleveland

Depart San Francisco and begin our journey home to Ohio.