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ST. PATRICK'S DAY CRUISE

Friday, March 17, 2023

MARINERS VS ANGELS

Wednesday, April 5, 2023



SKAGIT VALLEY GETAWAY

Tue - Wed, April 11-12, 2023

ACTIVITY LEVELS



Easy. Minimal walking, primarily flat surfaces, walkers ok.



Moderate. Walking short distances. Extended standing. Possibly uneven surfaces or a few stairs. No wheelchairs, walkers with approval.



More Difficult. Walking tours. Hikes up to 2 miles. Uneven surfaces. Possibly one or more flights of stairs. No wheelchairs or walkers.

Trips and Tours are open to everyone 18 and older. We strive to accommodate people of all abilities. Individuals requiring assistance must provide their own caregiver. People in wheelchairs or electric scooters may be accommodated on some trips. Please notify our office at 360.586.6181 ext. 126 at least 30 days before the trip to make arrangements for a vehicle with a wheelchair lift.

DEPOSITS

Your **non-refundable** deposit reserves your space and constitutes acceptance of these terms and agreements. \$20 for day trips and \$50 for overnight trips.

PAYMENTS

Final payments **are due two weeks prior to day trips and four weeks prior to overnight trips.** You can pay with a credit card online at www.south-soundseniors.org or by phone. You can also pay with cash or check. Make checks payable to Senior Services and mail or deliver to:

Senior Services for South Sound Attn: Trips Office
222 Columbia Street NW, Olympia, WA 98501

MEMBER DISCOUNT

Member discounts per trip: \$20 off for day trips up to \$119, \$30 off for day trips \$120 and over, and \$50 off for overnight trips.

TRIP DEPARTURES

Olympia Senior Center: 222 Columbia Street NW, Olympia.

Lacey Community Center: 6729 Pacific Ave SE, Lacey – turn right at the roundabout and bear right into the parking lot. The Senior Services bus will pick you up near the bathrooms. ***Note: Not at the Lacey Senior Center.***

TRIPS & TOURS

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RESERVATIONS & CANCELLATIONS

The Trips & Tours staff act only as agents for trips and shall not be held responsible for any accidents, loss, or injuries that may occur. All passengers are covered by common carrier insurance. Trips & Tours does not accept liability for any carrier's cancellation penalties.

Senior Services reserves the right to refuse any person as a tour participant and expel anyone whose conduct is incompatible with the interest of the group.

Trips & Tours is a fragrance free business. We appreciate your cooperation.

If it becomes necessary, Senior Services reserves the right to change the schedule without notice.

CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS

- Overnight trip cancellations require 30 days notice.
- Day trips cancellations require 14 days notice.

A \$20 fee will be charged for all day trip cancellations and a \$50 fee will apply to overnight trip cancellations.

NON-REFUNDABLE

Late cancellations and gift certificates are non-refundable.

If a trip is canceled by Trips & Tours, a full refund will be issued within four weeks.

WINTER/SUMMER CANCELLATIONS

On rare occasions, impassable roads due to snow, ice or poor air conditions may cause cancellation of a trip. The safety of our clients is our priority.

Senior Services for South Sound is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization.

JANUARY

TASTE OF PIKE PLACE MARKET & WINGS OVER WASHINGTON

Thursday, January 26, 2023

#42303

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We start with a private guided food tour of the world-famous Pike Place Market. Taste the best the market has to offer while a friendly local guide shares entertaining stories of the market's checkered history, legendary characters, and one-of-a-kind small businesses with you. We'll

give you some free time to explore the market on your own before our next adventure: Wings Over Washington. Take a ride in the state-of-the-art "flying theater" that will transport you on an aerial adventure above one of America's most scenic and beautiful states. If you haven't had enough excitement, you can take a ride on the Great Wheel (\$16 not included) before heading home.

\$169 Members \$189 General Public

Includes transportation, private market tour, admission and snack.

Bus leaves Olympia at 8:30 am; Lacey at 9:00 am.

Approximate return: 6:00 pm

FEBRUARY

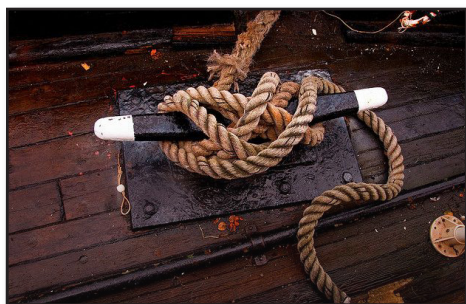
A SALTY MYSTERY TRIP

Friday, February 10, 2023

#42304

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Roll up! Roll up for the Mystery Tour. This is an invitation. So make your reservation. If you love surprises but hate getting up early, this is the trip for you! Join us as we visit two "salty" venues and enjoy an early supper at a fun historic location (the meal is not the reason the trip will be "salty," though!) This trip will include lots of fun, an invigorating learning opportunity, and could be a little spooky! You will want to wear comfortable shoes



as there is some walking involved, though not outdoors. Have we piqued your interest?

\$135 Members \$155 General Public
Includes transportation, admission, tour and meal. Bus leaves Olympia at 1:00 pm; Lacey at 1:30 pm
Approximate return: 8:30 pm

ASTORIA'S FISHER POET GATHERING

Fri, Feb 24 - Sat, Feb 25, 2023

#42305



This weekend getaway centers around the lively cultural experience known as the Fisherpoets Gathering! We'll travel south by way of Raymond and visit the impressive Carriage Museum, before continuing into Astoria for lunch and a chance to explore the downtown venues a bit before

checking in for one night at the Best Western Astoria Bayfront Hotel.

The Fisher Poets Gathering, now in its 26th year, attracts poets, songwriters and storytellers from fishing communities across the nation and beyond. They gather in the pubs, restaurants, theaters and galleries to read for each other and the hundreds of fans who come to hear these authentic creative voices. You'll get a full pass to the festival so you can experience all the poetry, storytelling and music you want. Your guide will offer a suggested itinerary, and you can join her, or go your own way. Whether you want to hop from venue to venue or spend the evening in one spot as the acts rotate through, you can suit yourself. We'll provide a shuttle to and from the hotel for your convenience. After breakfast at the hotel, you'll have more time in town Saturday for another round of performances or shopping before heading home.

\$310 Members; \$360 General Public; Single supplement \$110
Includes transportation, admission, festival pass, lodging, two meals and snacks.

Bus leaves Lacey at 8:00 am; Olympia at 8:30 am
Approximate return: Saturday 6:00 pm.

MARCH

MUSIC LOVER'S MYSTERY TRIP

Monday, March 13, 2023

#42311



Our Mystery Trips are popular with those who love a surprise. We guarantee you'll get a meal and admission to something, but other than that, we aren't telling. Another feature of our Mystery Trips is that they are to a venue that we have not been to before, so if you think you've done it all, you might be surprised to discover a new place. The title gives you a hint, just to get you guessing.

\$89 Members; \$109 General Public

Includes: transportation, event and meal

Bus leaves Olympia at 3:30 pm, Lacey at 4:00 pm

Approximate return: 10:00 pm.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY CRUISE

Friday, March 17, 2023

#42316



You don't have to be Irish to enjoy this trip, but you will want to wear green for our St. Patrick's Day Cruise with Argosy. We start on the Seattle waterfront where we will give you time to explore and pick up lunch on your own before boarding at noon for a one-way trip through the Hiram M.

Chittenden (Ballard) Locks aka the 'Boat Elevator.' Your cruise includes live narration with facts about Seattle history and industry, up-close views of large fishing vessels, seaplanes, floating home communities, and coverage of multiple Seattle neighborhoods and well known attractions like Gas Works Park and the Space Needle. A full-service bar on board with cocktails, local

wine and beer, non-alcoholic beverages and snacks will be available for purchase.

\$119 Members; \$139 General Public

Includes: transportation, cruise and snack. Meal on your own.

Bus leaves Olympia at 8:00 am, Lacey at 8:30 am

Approximate return: 5:30 pm.

TASTE OF GRAY'S HARBOR

Tuesday, March 21, 2023

#42315



Seabrook, here we come! We'll start with some appetizers in Aberdeen before continuing to the village that looks like it is from a bygone era, with winding lanes and wraparound porches, shingled cottages, and an appealing downtown core. Seabrook sprang into being in 2005, built up from scratch like a movie set. We'll

enjoy another round of appetizers, sample some main dishes and even hit the sweet shop. You will also have time to explore the town or check out the beach.

\$139 Members; \$159 General Public

Includes: transportation and all tastings.

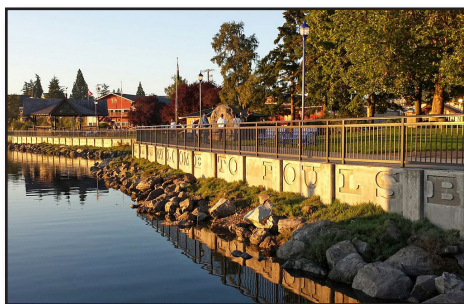
Bus leaves Lacey at 10:30 am, Olympia at 11:00 am

Approximate return: 7:30 pm.

EASE INTO NATURE #1: POULSBO'S PARKS

Tuesday, March 28, 2023

#42312



Our Ease Into Nature (EIN) series begins with a trip to charming Poulsbo. EIN trips are perfect for people who like to get outdoors and do some walking, but with a shorter program than our Step Into Nature hiking series. EIN trips generally include .5 to 1.0 miles of easy

walking, little no elevation gain and usually on a paved trail. For this outing you will visit two parks in the Poulsbo area. The first stop includes a half mile walk through the woods and along a gorgeous lake, and the second short walk takes you along the Poulsbo waterfront ending downtown where we will enjoy lunch together. We'll give a little extra free time to explore some of the charming shops in Poulsbo if you choose.

\$99 Members; \$119 General Public

Includes: transportation, snack, and lunch.

Bus leaves Olympia at 9:00 am, Lacey at 9:30 am

Approximate return: 5:00 pm.

APRIL

MARINERS VS ANGELS

Wednesday, April 5, 2023

#42313



Boy, oh boy! Our Mariners had a fantastic 2022 season, making it into the post season playoffs before those Astros knocked them out. President of Baseball Operations, Jerry Dipoto and General Manager, Justin Hollander, traded a few top prospects in 2022 deals that netted the team

Jesse Winker, Eugenio Suarez, Luis Castillo, and most recently, Teoscar Hernandez. Julio Rodriguez was our AL Rookie of the Year and only

looks to improve. So much to look forward to! Come help us root for our home boys against the LA Angels; win or lose we'll have a blast. Snacks are provided, trivia on the bus, and great seats in the Terrace Club (200 level) down the first base line. Food and beverages are available for purchase just a few steps from our seats.

\$125 Members; \$145 General Public

Includes: transportation, admission and snacks

Bus leaves Olympia at 9:30 am, Lacey at 10:00 am

Approximate return: 7:00 pm.

JOHN DENVER TRIBUTE CONCERT

Saturday, April 8, 2023

#42310



Folk, pop, country and rock are all genres used to describe the music of crossover artist, John Denver. Olympia's own Ted Vigil is a singer, songwriter and John Denver tribute artist extraordinaire. He has wowed crowds, sold out theaters nationwide and has played twice for

John Denver's own "Windstar Foundation" in Aspen, Colorado. Joining him on stage are a group of professional musicians and the very talented singer Amanda Bacon. Join us as Ted performs many of John Denver's greatest hits including, Rocky Mountain High, Sunshine on My Shoulders, Country Roads, and more. Dinner is included before the concert at Auburn Performing Arts Center.

\$119 Members; \$139 General Public

Includes: transportation, admission and dinner.

Bus leaves Olympia at 4:00 pm, Lacey at 4:30 pm

Approximate return: 10:30 pm.



There simply is nothing like Skagit Valley during tulip season; it's a feast for the senses. Acres of vibrant, multi-colored tulips bloom throughout the landscape eliciting smiles from young and old alike. Our overnight excursion starts with lunch and little free time in Mt. Vernon before our tour of the sprawling tulip fields. This year we will visit Roozengaarde where you can purchase bulbs, bouquets, gifts and more, or wander the fields taking advantage of some of the most amazing photo-ops ever!

You'll have some time in quaint Laconner, before checking in at The Laconner Country Inn. That evening

you're free to grab a meal or cocktail on your own at one of the many establishments within a few blocks of the hotel. The next morning after breakfast at the hotel, we will meet at the docks around 10:35 to board a boat for a 2.5 hour cruise out the Swinomish Channel and through the awe inspiring beauty of Deception Pass. The cruise includes a cracked crab and BBQ chicken lunch. We will return to Laconner and start for home around 1:30 pm.

\$339 Members; \$389 General public (ppdo) +\$85 Single Supplement
Includes transportation, admission, lodging, three meals, and cruise.
Bus leaves Olympia at 8:00 am; Lacey at 8:30 am.
Approximate return: Wednesday 6:00 pm

SOUND OF MUSIC

Sunday, May 21, 2023

#42314



Beloved by audiences for generations, The Sound of Music by Richard Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein captures the power of music to transform lives. Inspired by the memoir of Maria Augusta Trapp, the musical is set in 1938 in Austria during the rise of Nazism. The

story follows an aspiring nun who is assigned to serve as governess to seven children under the strict watch of their father, Captain von Trapp. It includes many popular musical numbers, including “Climb Every Mountain,” “My Favorite Things”, “Doe-Re-Mi” and “Sixteen Going on Seventeen.” The production will be performed at Centralia College. After the show we will dine at Jeremy’s Farm to Table offering top quality cuisine in a rustic, yet elegant atmosphere. They also have a farm stand you might want to check out.

\$105 Members; \$125 General Public

Includes: transportation, admission and meal.

Bus leaves Olympia at 12:30 pm, Lacey at 1:00 pm

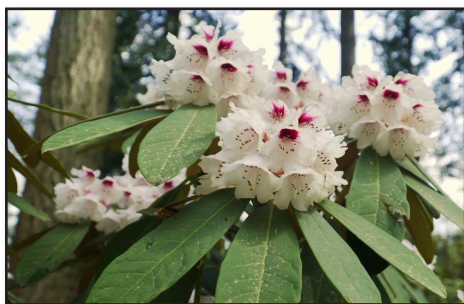
Approximate return: 7:00 pm.

BLOOMTACULAR "RHOD" TRIP

Thursday, May 25, 2023

#42317

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This garden tour centers around rhododendrons in the peak of May bloom. We will tour two rhododendron gardens, a bonsai exhibit, and rose and iris gardens. At the Rhododendron Botanical Species Garden in Federal Way we will get a guided tour and time to shop the

nursery and gift shop. You can also stroll over to the neighboring Pacific Bonsai Museum to see a collection of 150 bonsai that are among the finest examples of bonsai anywhere in the world. Then we're off to lunch before our next stop at Point Defiance Park. Here you can expect to see blooming roses, the iris garden and the Rhododendron Species Garden, which is nestled amongst old growth trees and highlights the wilder side of our marvelous diverse state flower. Expect gravel paths and slight inclines, but a leisurely pace.

\$105 Members; \$125 General Public

Includes: transportation, tours and meal.

Bus leaves Olympia at 8:45 am, Lacey at 9:15 am.

Approximate return: 5:30 pm.

COVID PROTOCOLS

Trips & Tours participants are encouraged to wear masks when on the tour bus and will follow venue protocols. To help reduce the impact of COVID-19 outbreak conditions we have enhanced our cleaning protocols.

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