



Historic Philadelphia, Gettysburg and the Amish Country October 7 – October 11, 2009

Philadelphia is America's most historic city – discover the contributions to our heritage as you view period history, architecture and furnishings. Independence National Park and the National Constitution Center will help us retrace the footprints of our Founding Fathers and Mothers, from Betsy Ross's house to Elfreth's Alley and Colonial Society Hill.

You will visit Gettysburg, situated on the historic Mason-Dixon Line that once divided the North from the South, and made famous by the Civil War's 1863 Battle of Gettysburg, turning point of the war. If you look on your map, between Philadelphia and Gettysburg, you'll discover Hershey, Pennsylvania, the home of the Hershey Chocolate Company. If you didn't know beans about cocoa, you will after our tour at Chocolate World. You'll, see, feel, and hear the processes that deliciously transform the beans into chocolate. We'll leave time so you can sample some chocolate before leaving Hershey... THE SWEETEST PLACE ON EARTH.

Also featured is a trip to Lancaster County and the scenic Pennsylvania Dutch Country. You'll find beautiful scenery dotted with one-room schoolhouses and wooden covered bridges, modern farm machinery being pulled behind four-and six-mule teams, homemade clothing and quilts gently blowing in the breeze, and Amish communities where life moves at a slower pace and centers around time-honored traditions and values.

Trip includes:

- Ground transportation from campus to airport and return
- Round-trip airfare from Milwaukee to Philadelphia
- Four nights stay in Omni hotel near Independence National Park
- Bus trip to Gettysburg and guided tour of the battlefield
- Bus trip to Lancaster County
- Stop in Hershey, Pennsylvania

Cost: \$1495 based on double occupancy. Add \$600 for single occupancy. \$100 non-refundable deposit is necessary to hold reservation. You will receive a confirmation and payment schedule upon registration. This trip is limited to 30 travelers – register early!!

A pre-trip meeting will help you plan your stay. Group leaders will be Kathy Palmer, UW-Manitowoc Continuing Education Director, and Cathy Paynter, UW-Fox Valley Continuing Education Director.

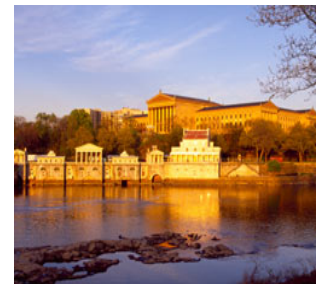
About your stay in Philadelphia

- **Wednesday:** You will leave from UWFox via coach bus to Milwaukee and fly to Philadelphia International National Airport, arriving late morning. Then we'll head to Omni hotel, located at 401 Chestnut Street Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Grab something to eat and then join our group leaders for a walking tour beginning at Independence Visitor Center, or explore the area on your own.



- **Thursday:** Board a coach bus for the 2 and ½ hour trip to Gettysburg where we will trace the path of the war during those three fateful days. A licensed Battlefield guide brings history alive as you experience a chronological look at the most riveting battle every fought on American soil and visit the fields where the battle raged. (Frequent stops and walking involved.)

- **Friday:** Explore Philadelphia on your own or join optional excursions with our trip leaders. Philadelphia is rated as one of the best walking cities in the country. The city layout is simple to master and the neighborhood streets are filled with fun and diverse shops, restaurants, museums, parks and people. Philadelphia ranks in the top five of great American cities for the arts with renowned collections of the Philadelphia Museum of Art.



- **Saturday:** Today we will board the bus to Lancaster County where we will explore the Pennsylvania Dutch Country. Enjoy an educational guided tour through this 1840's farm house furnished as a typical Lancaster County Old Order Amish house. We will have time to wander and enjoy a simpler, quieter pace in these local communities.
- **Sunday:** Spend the morning catching those last moments of history. Check out a quaint coffee shop, or that historical site that you missed, before flying out in the afternoon. We arrive in Milwaukee in the late afternoon and head for home.

Pre trip meetings will be held to help you plan your stay – there is so much to see!!

Yes! Please register me for the Philadelphia trip

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ WI Zip _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Payment Method: Check Master Card Visa

Credit Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Signature: _____ V code: _____

I will be traveling with _____

Confirmation of your reservation and payment schedule is sent upon receipt of your deposit. No registration is held without deposit. Trip limited to 30 persons.

DEPARTURE & ARRIVAL TIMES at the campuses will be determined later

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND SIGN:

Description: This tour includes round-trip transportation to and from airports-both here & in Philadelphia-round-trip air transportation on Midwest Airlines from Milwaukee to Philadelphia, all hotel accommodations (double occupancy), and tours outlined on previous page. Meals are the expense of the registrant.

Refunds/Penalties: There is a \$100 non-refundable deposit required with registration. Written cancellations will follow a cancellation policy as follows: Before June 7, 2009 – full refund less \$100 deposit; June 8 to July 7, 2009 - \$325 cancellation fee plus \$100 deposit; July 8 to Sept 7, 2009 - \$750 cancellation fee plus \$100 deposit; after Sept 7, 2008 – no refunds will be issued. We reserve the right to cancel this trip due to inadequate registrations. All payments are refunded should we cancel this trip.

Travel Insurance: Participants can purchase their own travel insurance from a vendor of their choice. Travel Guard (travelguard.com) and insuremytrip.com are two options, there are other options available, and we do not work directly with any travel insurance company.

Responsibility: The Offices of Continuing Education at UW-Manitowoc, UW-Fox Valley, UW-Marinette, UW-Fond du Lac give notice that they act only as the agent for the owners, contractors, and suppliers providing travel service and accommodations, and assume no responsibility or liability for injury, loss or damage to person or property in connection with any service resulting directly or indirectly from any defect in any vehicle, or through neglect or default of any company person engaged in carrying out the tour or other purpose. We reserve the right to modify or change this itinerary if the safety or well-being of the group is at risk. Baggage is at owner's risk at all times.

Signature _____

Date _____

Questions....Contact:

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