

REUNION FOLKS...TAKE \$50 OFF TOUR PRICE!*

HOW DO THEY

DO THAT??

November 1-6, 2010

For Curious Minds...

Ever wondered how certain things were made? You will come away with the answers to questions you never thought about before!

How do they make peanut butter and chocolates, pass laws, make flags and banners, and trim bushes to look like people and animals? How do they put the little rubber ball in a whistle, and fold napkins into beautiful works of art? How, how, how? Come along and see just how its done!



This tour is designed for folks who just want to have fun! You will return home with a bag full of goodies, saying to yourself “I always wondered how they did that!” Join us on this, our ‘reunion’ tour*. Yes, if you have ever traveled on a ‘reunion’ tour, you know it is really something special! And, if you haven’t been, then it is time to come and find out what makes it ‘special’!!

This is a tour you will never forget!

(Check out the fantastic ‘Day by Day Itinerary’ on pages 2-3.)

***FOLKS WHO HAVE DONE A ‘REUNION’ TOUR WITH US,
TAKE \$50 OFF THE PRICE OF THIS TOUR.**

BASED ON PER PERSON/DOUBLE OCCUPANCY.

Remember, no credit cards and no other discounts apply.

**\$865 pp/double \$839 pp/triple \$815 pp/quad \$1049 single
\$100 deposit required with reservation.
Mail your reservation and deposit today. We hope this tour will fill up quickly.**

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Remember, “Expect something special with Carolina Tours!”

Day One- MONDAY, November 1, 2010 (Dinner included)

Travel day from Lexington, South Carolina to Lawrenceburg, Indiana. 520 miles/8 hours of travel time with two breaks and lunch on own. Check into the **HOLLYWOOD Casino and Hotel**. Guests will enjoy this comfortable property, attached to the pavilion, which houses the most popular Riverboat Casino in the country! This hotel sits on the Ohio River, and, even though it is a casino hotel, all rooms offer coffee makers. The Pavilion offers a sports bar, the Out-Post lounge and the Passport Buffet. Guests are free to enjoy their surroundings and take advantage of **HOLLYWOOD'S Grand Dinner Buffet** (at your own leisurely pace), which offers an incredible variety of irresistible selections. The feast of foods includes a fresh salad bar, a medley of international cuisine, including Italian, Southwestern and American dishes, and a mouthwatering dessert station.

THE NEW HOLLYWOOD Casino (opened July 2009) - the largest casino in the Midwest features art deco columns and a miniature Hollywood Bowl intended to evoke the heyday of the 1940's. With 40-foot ceilings and over 4,200 gaming positions you are going to step out of Indiana and into Las Vegas! The new space will accommodate up to 8,500 guests. There are 200 flat screen TV's along an 80-foot long serpentine wall that will broadcast movies, television and other entertainment. There are also two indoor streetscapes - one themed "Water Works" to project an urban feel and another "Central Park", will make you feel you are in New York City. There are 300 slot machines in a non-smoking section and the Celebrity Grill offers a full-service restaurant on the casino's main level. Hollywood Casino was voted as one of the top 10 places in the world to strike it rich. It is also considered by Slot World magazine to have the *loosest slots* in the world. Red hot slots, Poker, Blackjack, Roulette, and every game you can imagine, on this massive floating casino riverboat. Guests are free to come and go as they please.

Day Two -TUESDAY, November 2, 2010 (Full Breakfast and lunch included)

Breakfast buffet at HOLLYWOOD Casino, at the Grand Pavilion. Guests will journey through the buffet offering a wide array of taste tempting breakfast favorites, including a fresh fruit bar and sweet delights. Then we will be accompanied by a tour guide as we travel into Greater Cincinnati. You won't believe what we have planned for you!

Guided tour of Verdin Bell – HOW DO THEY MAKE BELLS??

Verdin Bell Museum: Visit the world's largest supplier of bells, carillons and clocks. Housed in the historic St. Paul's Church (circa 1848), guests will view the magnificent architecture as well as mosaics, antique clocks, bells and organs.

Tour of the American Sign Museum – This NEW and fascinating attraction offers more than 200 historic exhibits, ranging from 19th century glass signs to 1950s neon and 1970s plastic displays. It covers the gamut - from early Drugstore to McDonalds and Holiday Inn...it's a trip down memory lane and will definitely bring remarks like "I remember this"!!!

Enjoy a late lunch at **Washington Platform Restaurant** (corner of Court and Elm Cincinnati)- This is a restored piece of Cincinnati history and heritage. Originally established in 1860 and heavily supported by the location on the Miami-Erie Canal (now Central Parkway), the influx of German immigrants established this enterprise as a favorite gathering place. The restaurant went through a myriad of owners and businesses and was once a Chinese hand laundry, a produce shop and a boarding house. The building was re-established in 1986 and now offers a reputation as "Deliciously Friendly". Guests will dine on a hot two entrée buffet.

Tour of Music Hall -The elegant Czechoslovakian crystal chandeliers that grace the foyer and auditorium... the beautifully restored hardwood floors of the stage... the fly system that starts in the basement and stretches to the roof... the courtyards that separate the main building from the north and south wings -- Cincinnati's historic Music Hall holds many treasures, and many stories. During our tour, you will get a personalized view of the many architectural details of the structure, and you will also hear about the structure's amazing history and the people who created and maintained it. **CURIOUS MINDS** will love going behind the scenes and learning how things are done. We will then travel on to Grove City, Ohio where we will spend the next 2 nights.

Check into the **Drury Inn - Grove City, Ohio** (out-skirts of Columbus, Ohio). Happy Hour each evening beginning at 5:30 PM. Snacks, adult beverages are complimentary. Luggage handling upon arrival. Indoor pool. Dinner on own – there is a variety within walking distance of the hotel...including Hoggy's for BBQ.

Day Three - Wednesday, November 3, 2010 (Breakfast and dinner included)

Begin the morning with a deluxe continental breakfast including hot items. Meet tour guide at our hotel -guide will share history and highlights of the area we will be visiting throughout the day. **Guide will have gift bags for everyone!!** Begin the morning with a *tour of Anthony-Thomas Candy Factory*. Walk along an air conditioned, elevated, glass enclosed cat walk, and learn how chocolates are made. You'll be surprised by some of the company's well known customers. Naturally, there's a store at the end. **Everyone will receive a special gift.**

Next, a visit to the **Krema Nut Factory**. Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood filmed a segment here on how peanut butter was made. Learn of the different types of Peanuts, and about Cashews, Brazil Nuts etc., as you tour and taste-test your way through the plant and gift shop. **Everyone will receive a special gift.**

Lunch on own in Columbus' "short north" area with plenty of options to choose from.

Enjoy a tour of American Whistle Factory -See the factors of production beginning with the process of manufacturing a whistle from raw material to shipping packaged product to our customers. View mechanical engineering at work in one-of-a-kind machines designed and built specifically for our exact manufacturing needs. Learn who buys whistles and why, and how a commonplace - yet fundamental - product is successfully marketed.

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Graeters Ice Cream tour. Guests will enjoy visiting this premier ice cream company. Learn how they make ice cream, see the memorabilia and the Ice Cream Hall of Fame. Then enjoy an **ice cream cone prior to departing.**

See what it is like to **DINE at the Statehouse** in downtown Columbus. Guests will become the guests of Miss Emma.....Dining around **Miss Emma Jones'** table was common back in the 1880s. Born into one of Columbus' founding families, Miss Emma was a socialite who lived beside the Ohio Statehouse. She and her family often provided gracious hospitality in her home and at her dinner table, offering hearty meals to the leadership of the Ohio House and Senate, legislators from all corners of Ohio and officers of the Union Army during the Civil War. She lived in her home on Capitol Square from 1850-1938. It was the last private residence on the Square when it was demolished in 1939. * Please note that this meal is a set menu of Ohio Specialties. Following dinner, guests will receive a **PRIVATE tour of the Statehouse.** Since 1861, the Ohio Statehouse has served as the literal and symbolic center of Ohio State Government. The building's striking Greek Revival architecture expresses the pride of citizens and their fondness for democratic ideals, first among them...that all Ohioans are welcome and invited to participate in the process of governing. Restored to its original beauty, Capitol Square is a living monument to be shared with all who visit the buildings and grounds.

Day FOUR - November 4, 2010 (Breakfast and dinner included)

Begin the morning with a deluxe continental breakfast including hot items. Travel to Zanesville – 62 miles.

Meet **tour guide** at first stop which will be the Zanesville Visitors Center for restroom break and **gift stop!! Guide will present guests with gifts for their gift bag (Items made in Zanesville - it's a surprise)!!**

Conn's Potato Chip Factory- Potato chips are America's favorite snack food. In fact, we consume more than any other people in the world. And one small company in the southeast Ohio city of Zanesville has been turning out its own special version of chips for 70 years. **Conn's Potato Chip Factory** - guests are invited into the factory to see how these delicious, mouth-watering chips are made with 50,000 pounds of potatoes per day!!

Take a manufacturing tour at 5 B's (Zanesville), the largest contract embroidery company east of the Mississippi. See computer-driven embroidery machines at work with over 700 sewing heads. 5 B's embroiders for retailers such as Wal-Mart, J.C. Penney, Sears, and Gap to name a few. **Save time to shop** in the B-Wear Factory Outlet Store located on-site. Lunch will be on own in Zanesville area – fast food stop.

After lunch, we'll enjoy a tour of Hartstone Pottery (Zanesville) - this company was created to produce cookie molds but has now expanded and manufactures hand-decorated dinnerware, cookware, bakeware, and tabletop accessories in many different patterns. In addition to the **factory tour**, Hartstone Pottery offers a 14,000 sq. ft. factory **outlet** which features discount prices on pottery as well as candles and unique gifts. **Guests will receive a gift.**

Enjoy a *city tour of Zanesville* and the historic Putnam district and cross the "Y" bridge and learn how you can cross a bridge and still be on the same side of the River.

Relive the 50's for lunch, not included, at a quaint diner playing all your favorite tune of the fifties! Memorabilia galore and ice cream for ALL!!! Return to Columbus, Ohio.

Enjoy dinner and Entertainment at Schmidt's in historic German Village. This is a Columbus institution and guests will dine on a complete German Buffet including mini cream puffs for dessert. Enjoy accordion music and dance the polka if you dare!! Fun and Food for everyone!!

Day FIVE, Friday November 5, 2010 (Breakfast included)

Enjoy breakfast this morning at host property, followed by departure for home.