



Adventure is calling

2021



SENIOR CENTER NETWORK
Grand Traverse County Parks & Recreation

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REGISTRATION PROCESS



Mail-in registration for all trips and passengers now open. Download the registration form from our website, or call 231-922-4911 to have one mailed to you.



Payment Instructions

- Reservations will not be confirmed without a deposit. Write a separate check for each trip.
- Use one registration form per person when signing up for multiple trips and writing multiple checks.
- When paying for a second passenger, complete Passenger #2 section.
- If not paying for that person, but will be traveling with him/her, then complete the "Roommate" section.
- Only checks, not cash, accepted. Registration will not be processed if a check is incorrect. Be sure to make check out to tour company indicated on the form.
- Credit cards accepted only for some trips, which are noted on the registration form.
- Special requests will be honored within capabilities, but not guaranteed.



Cancellation Policy

- Full refund, less insurance, is available up to 30 days prior to departure date.
- Refund less the cost of insurance is available within 30 days prior to the trip, only if covered under the insurance policy.
- Insurance policies may vary.
- All cancellations must be made in writing, unless Senior Center cancels the trip.
- If Senior Center cancels a trip, full refunds will be issued.
- Reservations are non-transferrable, except for Xpedition trips. You may "gift" an Xpedition trip to another passenger by completing a transfer form.
- There is a waiting list for each trip and vacant/cancelled slots may be filled from that list.

ACTIVITY LEVEL GUIDE



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EASY ← Activity Level → HARD

To help you determine your own ability to take part in all the trips we have to offer, each trip has an activity level ranking. Due to the limitations of trip escorts, travelers must be able to address their own personal needs. Individuals with special needs are welcomed, and must be accompanied by someone able to assist them. Please keep in mind that all trips involve using steps to get on and off the motorcoaches, they are not equipped with lifts.

1= Easy, little flat walking.

2= Moderate, some stairs, flat walking.

3= Moderate plus, stairs, hills, and uneven surface walking.

4= Strenuous, lots of distance walking, stairs or hills.



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Extended Trips

A trip registration may not be finalized without a completed registration form. Download the form at the Senior Center Network website or call 231-922-4911 to request a mailed copy. All prices are per-person, based on double-occupancy. Deposit due at time of registration. Insurance included with most trip packages or options available. A pre-departure meeting will take place approximately seven to ten days prior to trip departure to receive parking information, flight arrangements, detailed itineraries, and more. All prices are subject to change, based on circumstances beyond Senior Center Network's control.

Canadian Rockies and Glacier National Park

July 17 through 23

\$4,498 single, \$3,798 double, \$3,768 triple, per person

Insurance included. Includes round trip airfare from Traverse City. Tour Highlights: Head Smashed In Buffalo Jump in Calgary, Waterton Lakes National Park, Glacier National Park, Going-to-the-Sun Road, Banff, Athabasca Glacier, and Lake Louise. Enjoy a drive along the Icefields Parkway, which parallels the Great Divide and is home to some of the most dramatic vistas in all of North America.

Reservations made after February 17, 2021 are based on availability. Guests have until April 1, 2021 to cancel for any reason and have their deposit and insurance fully refunded.

Activity Level: 2

Summer Overnight Mystery Trip

August 11 through 12

\$459 single, \$415 double, \$394 triple, \$383 quad, per person

Insurance included. Deluxe motorcoach transportation; includes breakfast, two lunches and dinner, with one dinner on your own.

Clues:

1. "Whoa, take 'er easy there, pilgrim!"
2. You could get "stamped" here.
3. Get "locked" in
4. American Pickers
5. Go, green! Go, white!

Registration deadline: July 11

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Activity Level: 3

Blue Ridges to Blue Grass

September 18 through 26

\$5,113 single, \$3,974 double per person

Includes insurance; 15 Meals; roundtrip airport transfers; tour of Atlanta; Biltmore Estate; Great Smoky Mountains National Park and Gatlinburg; Titanic Museum; Kentucky Horse Park; Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill; My Old Kentucky Home State Park. Spend two nights in Nashville at the impressive Opryland Resort. Tour Ryman Auditorium, and enjoy a performance at the famed Grand Ole Opry.

Registration deadline: August 18

Activity Level: 3

Laurel Highlands and Southwest Pennsylvania

September 20 through 23

\$938 single, \$764 double, \$699 triple, \$676 quad per person

Insurance included. Deluxe motorcoach transportation; includes three breakfasts and three dinners. Tour Frank Lloyd Wright's "Falling Water," visit the Flight 93 National Memorial, enjoy "Rip Time" show at Mountain Playhouse, visit the Johnston Flood National Memorial and Museum, Quecreek Mine Rescue Site, and the Old General Store.

Registration deadline: August 14

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Activity Level: 4

Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta

October 1 through 6

\$3,583 single, \$2,874 double per person

Insurance included. Includes roundtrip airfare from Traverse City, with five breakfasts and three dinners. During a three-night stay in Albuquerque, take a guided tour of Albuquerque's historic Old Town; enjoy multiple day and night hot air balloon viewings and evening fireworks display; take a private tour of Indian Pueblo Cultural Center with dinner and a live Native American dance performance. Spend two nights in Sante Fe, and visit Pecos National Historic Park, take a walking tour of Sante Fe and the Governor's plaza, and visit the San Miguel Mission and Lorretto Chapel.

Registration deadline: September 2

Activity Level: 3

Grand Experience Mackinac Island

October 25 through 28

\$1130 single, \$836 double, \$756 triple per person

Insurance optional. Trip includes transportation to ferry and the ferry ride. Spend three nights and four days at the Grand Hotel, with breakfast, lunch, afternoon tea, and a five-course dinner, nightly dancing with a live orchestra, and a horse-drawn carriage tour of the island.

Registration deadline: June 1

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Elk Rapids

Activity Level: 2

Travel With Us!

Visit our website for registration form and more details. Dates and prices are subject to change.

Day Trips

A trip registration may not be finalized without a completed registration form. Download the form at the Senior Center Network website or call 231-922-4911 to request a mailed copy. Insurance and gratuities included on all day trips. All prices are per-person, due in full when the reservation is made. Checks only. Day-trip registrants will, within seven to ten days prior to trip departure, receive a mailed postcard indicating check-in times and approximate return times, along with any other necessary details.

Spring Mystery Trip

May 18, \$142

Deluxe motorcoach transportation; lunch included.
Clues:

1. Wild Kingdom
2. Be visually inspired
3. A square you can visit in the Monopoly game
4. Treasures are found here

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Activity Level: 2

Frankenmuth Luncheon Show

TBD

Deluxe motorcoach transportation; lunch included at Zehnder's; and the Dueling Pianos show. Dinner on your own.

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Activity Level: 1

Call the Senior Center to be added to the interest list.

Magical Midland

July 22, \$156

Deluxe motorcoach transportation; lunch included. Tour the Alden B. Dow Home and Studio, enjoy the new canopy walk in Whiting Forest of Dow Gardens, visit Dahlia Hill Garden and The Tridge. Dinner on your own on the way home.

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Activity Level: 4

Mystery History Tour

September 13, \$152

Xpedition Travel arranges tours with historians, educators, and guides who take travelers to places they have only imagined, back in time. If you are an inquisitive traveler wishing to learn more and dig deeper to find local treasures in Michigan, this tour is for you.

Activity Level: 2

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Art Prize

October 7, \$154

Deluxe motorcoach transportation. Take a self-guided tour of Grand Rapids Art Museum and Art Prize exhibits, with Art Prize gift bag included. Lunch on your own. Visit to Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park, with dinner included.

Activity Level: 4

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Fall Color Tour

October 12, \$151

Deluxe motorcoach transportation through Northern Michigan. Visit the Cross in The Woods, tour the Mushroom Houses in Charlevoix, take a wagon ride through Friske's Farm Market (includes cider and donuts), stop at Elk Rapids Art Park "Walk of Art." Lunch included.

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Activity Level: 3-4

"Brown Bag" Fall Mystery Trip

October 22, \$165

Deluxe motorcoach transportation. Everyone will receive a brown bag at the beginning of the tour and receive special treats throughout the trip to fill up the bag. Lunch included.

Clues:

1. Something for everyone
2. A capitol within itself
3. The sweetest thing

Pick-up Locations: Traverse City or Kingsley

Activity Level: 2

Let's Go, Tigers!

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To be placed on the list to receive more trip information when it becomes available call 231-922-4911 or e-mail to dmikowski@gtcountymi.gov.