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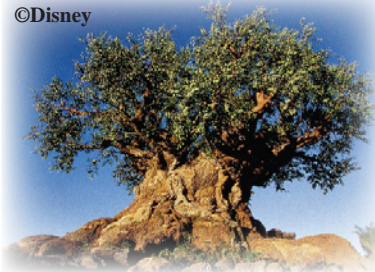
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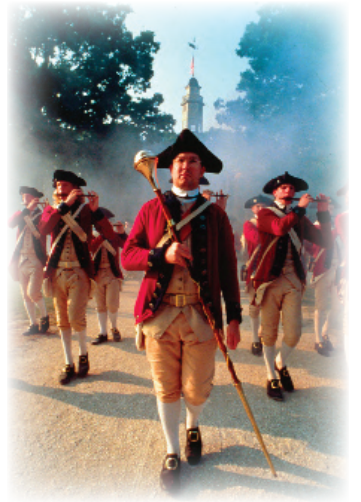
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Dear Educator and Youth Activities Coordinator:

Destination Services Unlimited, Inc. (also known as **DSU**) proudly presents to you our 2010-2011 guidebook of educational excursions for your students and youth groups. As we go into our 17th season, we want to thank everyone that has supported DSU.

In the 2010-2011 guidebook you will find many exciting destinations. We are sure that you will be motivated and inspired to take your students out of the classroom and into the exciting world of hands-on learning. All tours can be customized according to educational requirements, class or group size and budget. We pride ourselves on our personal service and with having the most knowledgeable, courteous and professional staff in the industry.

Please call ***Destination Services Unlimited, Inc.*** at **954.973.6527**, so that we can begin planning your field trips for the upcoming school year and answer any questions you might have. We suggest that you call early in the academic year to insure the best venue tour times, transportation, rooms, etc. We look forward to working with you, your students and parents in planning an outstanding and affordable tour experience that will be remembered for years to come.

Sincerely,

Connie Marcus
President of Sales/Operations

Discover the Big Cypress Seminole Indian Reservation



South Florida is the threshold into the fascinating world of the Seminole Tribe of Florida and the Everglades region they have long inhabited. From educational to exciting, the Seminole attractions on the Big Cypress Seminole Indian Reservation offer a variety of experiences that will give you a hands-on view of tribal traditions. Experience all the wonders of the Florida Everglades that have been preserved for thousands of years. Visit an authentic Seminole village and experience traditional stories, arts and crafts. For the adventure you'll never forget, stay overnight in a thatched roof Chickee surrounded by over 2,200 untamed acres of wildlife.

Witness first hand the delicate ecosystem of a land on the edge of civilization and the solitary beauty of tropical hardwood hammocks, cypress domes, and an abundance of flora and fauna.

Marvel at the thriving native and exotic wildlife from the rare Florida panther to alligators and crocodiles, deer, antelope, bison, and southern Razorback hogs and even gopher tortoise burrows.

Your students can dive into the land of an unconquered nation whose rich culture & heritage continue to have a profound impact on our lives today.



REPTILE and CRITTER EXHIBITS & SHOWS:

See the wonders of nature while viewing the reptile and critter shows and aboriginal tools show.



SWAMP BUGGY ECO-TOURS & AIRBOAT RIDES:

Ride off on a swamp buggy or airboat where you will see native and exotic wildlife and learn about the fragile ecosystem of the Florida Everglades..



SEMINOLE CAMPING VILLAGE:

Spend the night in a thatched roof chickee nestled on the edge of the Everglades.



HISTORY and CULTURE: At the Museum, which has been constructed near historical ceremonial grounds, you can learn about the culture and heritage of the unconquered Seminole Tribe of Florida. The Museum features a five-screen film highlighting the history of the Seminoles, rare artifacts from the Smithsonian National Museum of the American Indian, displays featuring life in the Everglades in the 1800's and a nature trail with a Living Village that includes Seminole Tribal members at work making handmade arts & crafts.





One of the world's great zoos, Miami Metrozoo is rated among the top ten zoos in the U.S. by *Travel & Leisure* magazine, voted #1 for family fun in Miami by the *Best of Citysearch*, consistently voted by the readers of *South Florida Parenting Magazine* as Miami's best attraction and the *Zagat Survey*® "Top-Rated Attraction in Miami" by travelers who have experienced traveling with children. Metrozoo houses more than 1,200 wild animals in a cageless setting that closely approximates the animals' natural habitats and gives the visitor the feeling of embarking on an international safari. Large, open-air exhibits allow visitors to enjoy beautiful and endangered wildlife at a safe yet remarkably close range. With nearly 300 developed acres on a 740-acre parcel land, Metrozoo is the only zoo in the continental United States located in a subtropical climate. This enables the Zoo to showcase animals that cannot easily be exhibited in colder climates.

CLASSROOM PROGRAMS AT THE ZOO

Our programs are fun, innovative and can complement your curriculum. Join us as we bring the wonders of the zoological world to you and your students.

GRADES 1-2:

"Classified Information" - It's no secret how all animals in the world are categorized. Students will discover the characteristics that separate vertebrates into major groups in this innovative and fun program through observations and the use of biofacts.

"Reptiles are Cool!" - Whether you love 'em or fear 'em, cold-blooded reptiles have been around for millions of years. Through the use of snakeskins, tortoise shells and other reptilian biofacts, students are sure to slither away knowing how "cool" reptiles are.



GRADES 1-6:

"Reptile Rascals" - Students will "slither" over the Ecology Theater and meet some of our zoo's cold-blooded residents. Besides a live animal, we'll use biofacts such as a huge snakeskin or a crocodile skull to illustrate some of the things that make these reptiles so remarkable.

"Animal Adaptations" - Come see how animals are fit for life with all the right moves. Survival for them is a daily adventure. Through distinctive traits such as coloration, specialized teeth and unrivaled behavior discover the adaptations animals use to stay alive in their habitats.

GRADES 3-5:

Built for Survival - To survive in the wild, it helps to have a bag of tricks. Animals have developed a variety of astonishing specializations to find food, escape predators and raise their offspring. We will look at the incredible variety of adaptations in the animal kingdom and how animals share the same world.

How Do You Measure Up? - How do you weigh an elephant? Math is necessary for Zoo staff to track the weights and sizes of animals. Through hands-on activities discover how it is done, by letting us help you prepare for the FCAT! Using estimates and different units of measurements, students will have a better understanding of how the Zoo keeps track of animal lengths and weights while having a great time.

Explore Florida- So what is lurking in your back yard? Florida is not just a vacation destination! It's a unique group of habitats found nowhere else, in the world. Learn all about Florida's native inhabitants such as alligators, panthers, snakes and eagles that all make their home in the sunshine state.

Keeping an Eye on Primates - Become a Zoo scientist observing primate behaviors, using similar tools utilized by field biologists. In addition, find out why this type of study is important for wildlife conservation.

MIAMI METROZOO (Continued)

Animals in Motion - Meet some interesting Zoo animals and explore a variety of traits that help them to move around their habitats in search of food and to protect themselves and their families.

GRADES 6-12:

Nature Keepers - Why is it so important to conserve wildlife and natural resources? Are we doing enough? Students will explore a variety of measures at the Zoo and around the world, and look at how each one of us is doing our part.

NEW! Camel Ride - Take a ride on one of our Dromedary Camels! A stroll down Mr. Humpy's loop is a guaranteed great time for all.

Giraffe Feeding - They have the longest tongues you will ever see and feel! Have your students feed our giraffes some of their favorite foods up close and personal

Also available:

THE AMERICAN BANKERS FAMILY AVIARY, WINGS OF ASIA: Real live dinosaurs are taking up residence. The story is that Tyrannosaurus rex is a relative of the tiny Mandarin duck! Miami Metrozoo's Wings of Asia is the only known zoo exhibit in the world to explain this link in such a comprehensive educational and dramatic way. More than 300 exotic, rare and endangered Asian birds representing over 70 species will be residing in the largest open air Asian aviary in the Western Hemisphere.

TRAM TOURS: (All Grades) Let us be your safari guide! Students and chaperones can relax their feet on a privately narrated tram tour around the Zoo and behind-the-scenes to locations not otherwise seen. Knowledgeable tour guides give students many interesting facts about the Zoo's animal collection; many of which are endangered species.

ZOO-INNS: Every Friday and Saturday during the School Year, 6:00PM-9:00AM. Bring your youth group, scout troop, biology class or adult group to spend the night! In this sleepover program you will have a Behind-the-Scenes walking tour of the Zoo after dark and a special morning activity.

DR. WILDE'S WORLD: Get up-close and personal with cool reptiles at the Close Encounter Counter! Walk around and explore the sights, scenes and smells of the Tropical Rainforest of South America. Have you ever been nose to nose with a bee without getting stung? Check out our working beehive and see thousands of bees making honey! Walk into the Tortoise Pen Encounter and touch real tortoises of the rainforest!

TOADSTOOL is an interactive adventure for explorers of all ages. There are colorful poison dart frogs in a tropical paradise. All the animals are in glass cages so you can get very close to inspect them. Observe the bearded dragon, snakes and fish. Your guide will introduce you to each species and tell you about their individual care and temperament and natural history. Enjoy the diversity of nature and the world of natural science!



Major projects underway include the second phase of the Zoo's 20-year master plan, the Hidden Ruins of Tropical America, scheduled to open in 2008.

Programs are Subject to Availability and change

MIAMI SEAQUARIUM®



Enjoy world class marine life shows and attractions including Lolita, the Killer Whale - top predator of the seas. Dolphins from the Atlantic and Pacific fill the sky with high flying acrobatics. Frolic with the comic genius of Salty and his laughable band of sea lions. Get a close-up look at some of Florida's loveable yet endangered species such as the Florida manatee and green sea turtle. Miami Seaquarium will give you an intimate peek at life in the deep where fearsome moray eels lurk in the caverns of the coral reef and shimmering schools of exotic fish paint an underwater seascape.

"Now you can enjoy a once in a lifetime dolphin experience at the all new Dolphin Harbor. Choose from the funfilled programs, Dolphin Odyssey or Dolphin Encounter for a customized experience to fit your needs. Then slip into a wetsuit and spend some time learning, touching, feeding, and playing with these loving mammals. The two-hour program, also includes all day admission to the park. Sessions are available everyday, rain or shine. Don't miss the opportunity to get up close and personal with the dolphins at Dolphin Harbor!"

Field Trip Presentations: In addition to your trip to the park, the Education Department offers themed presentations that include a guided animal discussion and interaction for your group.

Salty's Pirate Ship Playground is the latest attraction at the Miami Seaquarium.

OVERNIGHT ADVENTURES:

Ever wonder what goes on when the lights go down at Miami Seaquarium? Take a guided *Flashlight Tour* through the park after hours to see how our animals sleep at night! Choose from three themed programs which include animal interactions, art projects, field activities, photos and much more!

EXHIBITS AND PRESENTATIONS:

Discovery Bay Mangrove Habitat: Home to twenty-six Nile crocodiles, the white tailed deer, indigenous fish rays, alligators and a host of native wild birds - herons, egrets and ibis. At the all new Discovery Bay Presentation, participants get a unique look at native wildlife as a guide describes and hand feeds fish, birds and sea turtles.

Manatee exhibit: Come face-to-face with Florida's state marine mammals through poolside and underwater viewing areas. The Manatee Presentation provides participants with an opportunity to learn about this fascinating and highly endangered animal, and more importantly, explains ways that you can help save these gentle creatures of the sea.

MIAMI SEAQUARIUM® (Continued)

Shark Channel: At the Shark Presentation, animal care specialists feed 200-pound nurse sharks while explaining about the different species of shark that exist around the world.

Main Reef Aquarium: The 750,000 gallon main tank displays reef fish of every size, color and description. During the Reef Presentation, a diver slowly works his way around the tank allowing visitors to watch as he hand feeds the colorful tropical fish, large groupers, cobia, loggerhead turtles and moray eels. This presentation is accompanied by an environmental narration.

Special Educational Presentations: Seal studies, manatee expedition, sea turtle alert, incredible invertebrates and techniques in training.



Tropical Wings: Toucans, macaws, reptiles and other tropical birds find themselves at this new renovated exhibit. The area consists of a new waterfall approximately thirteen feet high, twice the size of the previous one, a collective variety of coconut and queen palm trees, a meandering concrete path walk and a tin hut home to a multitude of new habitats for reptiles and birds. The area allows visitors more accessibility to the fish pool for feeding opportunities. The exhibit also houses a new pool for the park's flamingos.

SHOWS:

Whale & Dolphin Stadium, home to the killer whale, Lolita and her Pacific white sided dolphin companions.



“Flipper” Dolphin Show takes place at the Flipper Lagoon, film location for much of the popular 1960’s television show.

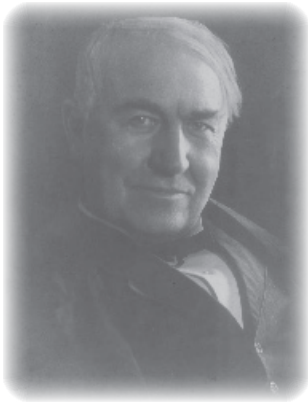
Golden Dome is home to “Salty” the Sea Lion Show.



Top Deck Dolphin Show features the natural athletic ability of the Atlantic Bottlenose Dolphin.

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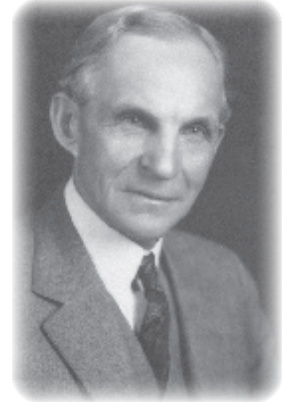
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WINTER ESTATES

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(Fort Myers, FL)

The newly restored Edison & Ford Winter Estates contain the side by side Winter Homes of two of America's most famous early 20th century inventors and industrialists.



THOMAS EDISON WINTER HOME - The "Seminole Lodge," is the place where the inventor spent his "working vacations" from 1886 until his death in 1931. Visitors can tour the Main House, Caretaker's House, Botanical Gardens, Edison's Laboratory and the Museum containing hundreds of inventions that have changed the way we live today.

HENRY FORD WINTER HOME - Known as the "Mangoes," the Ford family Winter Estate has been restored and furnished in the style of the 1920's. Ford bought the home in 1916 to be close to his good friend Thomas Edison. On the Estate grounds, a garage houses antique cars. As friends and neighbors, these two families enjoyed many years in their Southwest Florida Homes located on the Caloosahatchee River.



INVENTIONS ON DISPLAY:

Phonographs
The Storage Battery
Light Bulbs
Motion Picture Cameras
Ticker Tape Machine
First Talking Doll

Historic Vehicles owned by Edison & Ford



KEY WEST, FL

ATTRACTIONS



Conch Train Tour - A 90 minute tour through old and new Key West features an informative narration about area history.



Key West Aquarium - One of the first open-air aquariums built in 1934. Shark and turtle feedings take place daily and a touch tank offers opportunities to interact with the marine life.



Wreckers Museum/Oldest House - Said to be, the oldest house in South Florida. The house contains displays about the history of 19th century shipwrecks, including maritime documents, ship model and undersea artifacts.



Mel Fisher Maritime Museum - Displays both precious and functional artifacts recovered from the wreckage of two Spanish galleons which sank 40 miles off Key West in a hurricane on September 6, 1622, while in route to Spain from Havana.



Harry S. Truman Little White House Museum - The vacation retreat that President Harry Truman used during his administration. The house has been restored to its 1948 appearance. A 10-minute videotape introduces visitors to Truman, and a 20-minute guided tour gives insight into both his experiences in Key West and his presidency.



Ernest Hemingway's Home and Museum - Hemingway bought the 1851 Spanish colonial-style mansion in 1931. Some of his most important works were written here, including "For Whom the Bell Tolls."

EVENING ACTIVITY

Hard Rock Café for Dinner

Mallory Square - Enjoy jugglers, palm readers, contortionists, musicians, and other entertainers.

Attractions Subject to Availability



VISITOR COMPLEX
(Kennedy Space Center, FL)



Experience the past, present and future of America's space program at Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex!

Education Standards: Meet Florida Sunshine Standards, FCAT requirements and national science standards by taking a field trip to Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex. New Educator's Activity Guides are now available for Kindergarten - 12th grade educators. These guides contain pre-trip, on-site and post-trip experiences designed to promote cooperative learning, problem solving and guided research.

Check out the exciting tours, exhibits and shows that await KSC field trip participants.

KSC TOUR (approx. 2 hours) - A must-see Visitor Complex experience, this tour takes guests on a narrated, video-supplemented bus tour of "NASA's Launch Headquarters." The first stop on this go-at-your-pace tour is the **LC-39 Observation Gantry**, where guests enjoy a panoramic view of Kennedy Space Center and the Space Shuttle launch pads, as well as the rocket launch pads at Cape Canaveral Air Force Station. A short film and interactive displays demonstrate how the launch pad is constructed and how a shuttle is launched.

The second stop is the **Apollo/Saturn V Center**, where dramatic multi-media shows and numerous hands-on displays provide visitors with an inspirational and exhilarating look into America's quest for the moon. Guests relive the historic launch of Apollo 8 at the Firing Room Theater, then marvel at a monstrous 363-foot Saturn V moon rocket, the most powerful rocket ever built, and one of only three Saturn V rockets in existence. Finally, the Lunar Theater provides a rare look at the harrowing final moments before a man landed on the moon.

EXHIBITS:

SHUTTLE PLAZA - "Explorer," a full-size Orbiter replica, allows guests to picture more clearly what it's like to live and work in space. Full-size, genuine solid rocket boosters and an external tank are also on display, representing all three components of a Space Shuttle. Real Space Shuttle mission hardware is displayed at the nearby Launch Status Center, and live briefings on a variety of space-related topics are presented daily.



EARLY SPACE EXPLORATION - Highlighting the Mercury and Gemini space programs, this facility features artifacts from the first manned space flights and houses the original Mercury mission control consoles.

U.S. ASTRONAUT HALL OF FAME - Located six miles west of the main Visitor Complex, the Astronaut Hall of Fame is Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex's newest attraction. The Hall of Fame features the world's largest collection of personal astronaut mementos, plus historic spacecrafts, hands-on activities and astronaut training simulators. Sit at a mission control console, take a virtual moonwalk and feel the pull of 4 Gs in the G-Force Simulator.

KENNEDY SPACE CENTER (Continued)

ASTRONAUT MEMORIAL - Dedicated May 9, 1991, the Astronaut Memorial honors the 16 U.S. Astronauts who gave their lives for space exploration.

LIVE SHOWS:

ASTRONAUT ENCOUNTER - Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex is the only place on earth where students have the opportunity to come face-to-face with a real astronaut every day of the year. This half-hour, interactive Q&A-oriented program aims at inspiring children and adults alike to strive for excellence.

NEW Exploration Space: Explorers Wanted - Learn About the Future of Space Exploration
Step into the center of space travel and become part of the future of exciting possibilities at Exploration Space: Explorers Wanted. Visitors will be immersed into an environment of discovery and exploration beyond our home planet. Live theater, interactive experiences and large scale multimedia presentations display what the future of space travel may look like, emphasizing that space exploration is not just about the hardware, but about the people behind the technology that make it all possible.

IMAX® SPACE FILMS - Five Stories High!!!

“Hubble 3D” - Float beside space-walking astronauts and experience the powerful story of the Hubble Space Telescope during the new IMAX® film Hubble 3D at Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex. Narrated by Leonardo DiCaprio, Hubble 3D offers an inspiring and unique look into the Hubble Space Telescope’s legacy and highlights its profound impact on the way we view the universe and ourselves.

“Magnificent Desolation” - This film takes audiences to the lunar surface to walk alongside the extraordinary astronauts who have been there to experience what they saw, heard, felt, thought and did. There is no better place to witness this awe-inspiring interpretation of man walking on the moon than from where the Apollo missions launched: Kennedy Space Center.

OVERNIGHT ADVENTURE:

Bring your sleeping bags and camp out at Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex. Interact with an actual NASA astronaut, see the new larger than-life “Space Station” 3-D IMAX film and participate in team building space activities, led by our Overnight Adventure instructor team. Program includes pizza dinner, midnight snack and breakfast. This program is designed for youth groups, scout troops and school groups in 2nd - 9th grades.



Dine with an Astronaut - This meal opportunity, currently offered every day of the week at 12:30pm at the Visitor Complex, includes a banquet style lunch with a speaking appearance by a real Astronaut hero.

Attractions Subject to Availability



Killer whales and killer rides.



SeaWorld Orlando

The world's premier marine adventure park with 200 acres of up-close animal encounters, thrilling attractions and unforgettable performances. At SeaWorld, vacation adventures become lifelong memories.



Educational Courses at SeaWorld (All grades)

For the ultimate field trip, team up with a SeaWorld Instructor for either a one-hour or five-hour course that includes visits to our animal attractions or behind-the-scenes areas. Each program includes age-appropriate activities that are themed to our most popular subjects including conservation, training and careers.



Animal Sleepovers at SeaWorld (Grades 2-12)*

Your hardest decision will be where to spend the night: next to dolphins, manatees or beluga whales. Each sleepover contains age-appropriate educational content, standards-based activities and even animal encounters; plus a pizza dinner and continental breakfast.



Manta – Dive Deep. Fly High. Now Open.

Manta is the next generation of SeaWorld thrills. Taking you on an extraordinary journey from "seeing to being," immersing you in the beautiful and mysterious world of rays, then taking you for a flying roller coaster thrill ride. You'll glide, speed, soar and spin headfirst like a ray on an experience that only SeaWorld could create. Manta, open now only at SeaWorld Orlando.



SoundWaves – SeaWorld Orlando Performance Program

Whether marching past Shamu Stadium or performing at the Waterfront, SeaWorld offers some of the most unique performance venues in the world. Your group will have the opportunity to entertain thousands of guests during an experience they won't soon forget.



Catered Events

SeaWorld offers a wide variety of venues, entertainment options and delicious catering selections. Enjoy a private daytime picnic, dining certificates or gift cards to satisfy the heartiest appetites in your group. Exclusive night events and park rentals are also available.



Aquatica

Orlando's whimsical, one-of-a-kind waterpark that could only come from SeaWorld. From enclosed tube slides through a lagoon of black and white dolphins to tranquil and rapid rivers, the fun here is as endless as the sea.

Experience three great parks for one low price!

With a 3-Park Combo Ticket, enjoy 14 days of unlimited access to SeaWorld Orlando, Busch Gardens Tampa Bay and your choice of water parks – either Adventure Island in Tampa or Aquatica in Orlando. It's unbelievable adventure at an unbeatable value, only at Worlds of Discovery.

*Add a day to play at SeaWorld and/or Aquatica with any of the above suggested activities. Programs and events subject to change without notice. ©2009 Busch Entertainment Corporation. All rights reserved.



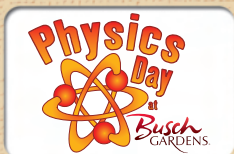
From Wildlife to Wild Rides

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Busch Gardens Tampa Bay

World-class thrill rides, Broadway-style live entertainment and one of North America's largest zoos combine to create an unforgettable adventure for all ages. Coming in Spring 2011, prepare yourself for a new, one-of-a-kind experience that pairs up-close and immersive animal encounters with an incredible, world-class thrill ride adventure.



Physics Day at Busch Gardens

Watch our "science of thrills" expert bring physics to life in our exciting world-class theme park. Students will also get one hour of exclusive park ride time, enjoy standards-based interactive areas and see a live *Physics in Motion* interactive show.

- December 3, 2010: Park opens at 9:00 a.m. to physics groups
- March 24, 2011: Park opens at 8:30 a.m. to physics groups



Interactive Stations (Grades 5 to 12)*

Enhance your group's day at Busch Gardens with two unique 90-minute, standards-based educational opportunities.

- School on the Serengeti and Bio Basics: Encounter African animals up-close and learn all about endangered, threatened and at-risk species.
- School on the Serengeti and Wild Rides: Learn about the physics of the park's awesome thrill rides and get up-close to amazing African animals.



Sleepover at Busch Gardens (Grades 2 to 12)**

Imagine your students sleeping overlooking tigers or waking up to hippos. All sleepovers include special animal encounters, hands-on educational activities, a pizza dinner, a continental breakfast and overnight accommodations at Busch Gardens.



A Night of Celebration: 8th Grade Grad Nite

Busch Gardens opens exclusively for graduating 8th grade students the night of May 13, 2011. Celebrate this milestone with tons of cool coasters, rock out to hot DJs and live entertainment, and see wild animals up close! Experience thrill rides under the stars during this safe and fun event.



SoundWaves – Busch Gardens Tampa Bay Performance Program

Feel the excitement as your students give the most memorable musical performances of their careers. Busch Gardens will select the perfect venue to showcase your group's talent. Your group will have the opportunity to entertain thousands of guests during an experience they won't soon forget.



Catered Events

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Adventure Island

30 acres provide water-soaked excitement for guests of all ages. Escape to the soothing Key West atmosphere where slides, waterfalls and waves create a tranquil atmosphere and hours of sun-drenched fun.



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ST. AUGUSTINE, FL

ATTRACTIONS

Travel to St. Augustine for an educational experience about the history of the oldest continuously occupied city in Florida and the U.S.A. Listed below are a few of the many attractions that make learning Florida history FUN!:



Oldest Wooden School House in the U.S.A. –Built prior to 1763 of cypress and cedar, the Oldest School re-creates what early school days were like through exhibits of educational artifacts and an animatronics portrayal of the old schoolmaster and his pupils. (allow 30 minutes).

The Old Jail –You will be CAPTIVATED with the jail, built by Henry Flagler, to resemble a fine hotel. The tour includes a visit to the sheriff's quarters, male and female cells, and the maximum-security area. The inmates share tales of justice and punishment when Florida was America's southernmost frontier. (allow 30 minutes)

Florida Heritage Museum - A combination of historical displays and private collections bring over 400 years of Florida history to life. The museum features displays of the various countries that ruled over St. Augustine: England, Spain, and France. You can visit a Spanish sunken treasure room, a Timucan Indian Village and the Florida Cracker trading post. (allow 45 minutes)

Ripley's Believe it or Not! Museum - Explore 3 floors of an historic Moorish revival mansion filled with more than 800 bizarre and unusual oddities from around the world – many from Robert Ripley's personal collection. (allow 1 hour)

Castillo de San Marcos – Built in 1672-1695 out of coquina as an outpost to the Spanish Empire, the Castillo served as a refuge and protected the sea route for treasure ships returning to Spain. Learn how the Castillo was built, how the townspeople lived and how the Spaniards protected the city. (allow 1 hour)

Ponce de Leon's Fountain of Youth Archaeological Park. - On April 13, 1513, Ponce de Leon discovered the fabled Fountain of Youth. The park contains foundations and artifacts of the first St. Augustine mission and colony. Enjoy the Landmark Spring, Cross of Discovery, the first North American excavated Christian Indian burials, Explorers Globe and Navigators Planetarium. (allow 1 hour).

Oldest House – Also known as the Gonzalez-Alvarez House, the Oldest House site dates back to the early 1600's. The present structure, with its coquina walls and hand-hewn beams, dates back to the early 1700's. The Oldest House complex houses two other museums, including the only exhibit in St. Augustine covering 400 years of St. Augustine history. (allow 1 hour)



St. Augustine Sightseeing Trains – Tour through Florida's history aboard the Sightseeing Trains as the guides narrate the city's history exploring Ponce de Leon's landing in 1513, Don Pedro Menendez' establishment of the Spanish settlement in 1565 and the gala of the Flagler era of the 1890's. The tour follows a 7-mile route and makes stops at more than 20 attractions, shops, restaurants and points of interest. (allow 1 hour)

Old Town Trolley Educational Specialists – The popular Discovery Tour brings students in contact with some of the most important and exciting historical sites and museums in St. Augustine. It is designed to link the students' classroom exercises with authentic hands-on history experiences.

Attractions Subject to Availability

Potter's Wax Museum

America's first wax museum invites you to experience over 160 figures from History to Hollywood! These life like figures seem to come to life as you study the amazing detail of the faces, hands and clothing.



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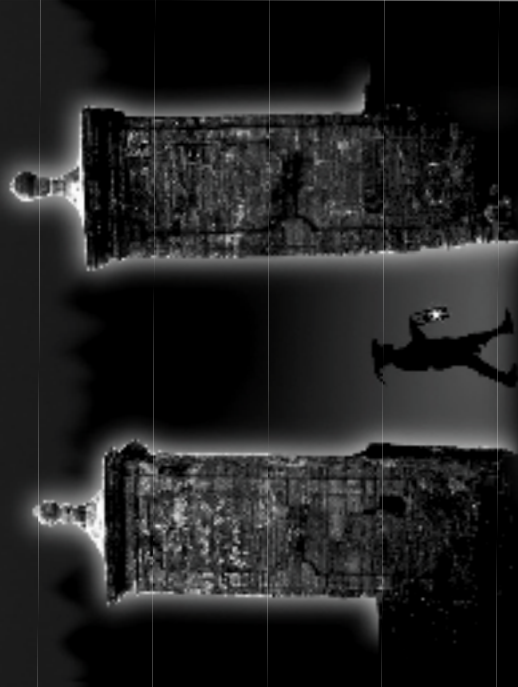
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Disney Magic Music Days

Disney Magic Music Days offers bands, orchestras, choirs, drill teams, dance ensembles, and other performing groups the chance to perform for the world at the **Walt Disney World®** Resort. It's the "performance of a lifetime" that is sure to be the highlight of the year and a magical moment to be treasured forever. Groups interested in adding a touch of "Disney Magic" to their next performances can take part in a *Disney Entertains* performance workshops taught by professional **Walt Disney World** Resort entertainers.

- ♪ A dedicated Disney Guest Talent Coordinator to personally work with you on all aspects of your performance.
- ♪ Disney Magic Music Days Incentives.
- ♪ A keepsake award recognizing your group's performance.



"DISNEY ENTERTAINS" WORKSHOPS (Workshops 2 ½ hours)

"Jazz It Up" involves jazz bands in a hands-on showcase of the essential components of jazz. Examine phrasing, improvisation, ensemble sound, jazz styles and the rhythm section.

"You're Instrumental" takes concert bands into a recording studio and gives them the unique chance to record their own soundtrack to a portion of a Disney animated feature.

"Disney Sings" focuses on singing styles, interpretation and vocal dynamics. A Disney vocalist and recording artist also demonstrates how movement can impact song and ways vocal warm-ups enhance performance.

"Disney Dancin'" emphasizes the importance of discipline, show presentation and movement to dance teams, show choirs, drill teams, and color guards. Participants put this insight into action as they learn an actual Disney production number for a backstage performance!

"Disney's Performance Fundamentals" is designed to raise the level of your groups performance skills by exposing them to different teaching styles, interpretations and performance techniques while heightening their awareness of the importance of solid technical and musical fundamentals.

"Disney's Featured Performer Series" enhances your *Disney Magic Music Days* experience by giving your group the unique opportunity to rehearse with and to accompany a professional *Walt Disney World* musician in a live concert. A critique by the musician on the rehearsal and performance gives your group unique insight into ways to be better performers.

"Disney's Show Choir Magic" shares elements of live performance with show choirs by focusing on the fundamentals of vocal technique and the basics of staged movement.

"Disney's Auxiliration" provides your auxiliary/color guard the unique opportunity to rehearse and perform an original Disney style production. Raise the quality of the groups spinning abilities by focusing on proper technique, warm-ups, stage presence and the complete understanding of their equipment.

NOTE: Directors should apply to participate in *Magic Music Days* two to 12 months in advance.

WALT DISNEY WORLD® Resort

Disney's Animal Kingdom® Theme Park

"A New Species of Theme Park"



Hang on to your open-air vehicle as you are surrounded by free-roaming creatures of the African Savannah on *Kilimanjaro Safaris®*, or whisk back 65 million years to rescue the last dinosaur on *DINOSAUR*. Meet tigers, giant bats, and other exotic animals up-close, enjoy spectacular live stage shows, and experience the thrill of a white-water expedition on *Kali River Rapids®*—all in the same day!

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Disney Youth Education Services offers educational field trip programs to K-12 grade student groups of 10 or more. More than 20 curriculum-based, academic journeys examine and explore the scientific, cultural, creative, and natural exhibits of the *Walt Disney World®* Theme Parks. Specially trained *Walt Disney World* facilitators use a captivating mixture of thought-provoking information, hands-on experiences, and fun to involve students in the learning process.

DISNEY'S ANIMAL KINGDOM® THEME PARK OFFERS THESE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS:

"Team Up For Wildlife" (6th - 10th Grade) - Natural Science (3 hours) - Inspire students to plan an active part in the protection and preservation of wildlife and wild places and provide them with the tools to make effective conservation decisions.

"Keepers of the Kingdom at Disney's Animal Kingdom® Theme Park" (10th - 12th Grade) - Life Management (3 hours) - During this in-depth program, students get an insider's look at the innovative ways that *Disney's Animal Kingdom®* Theme Park is meeting the challenges of animal care and conservation.

"Disney's Wild By Nature" (2nd - 9th Grade) - Natural Science (3 hours) - Explore the fascinating and surprising world of animal behavior!

No children under the age 11 will be permitted backstage at Disney's Animal Kingdom® Theme Park.

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WALT DISNEY WORLD® Resort



The Magic Kingdom® Park

Once Upon A Time Comes To Life

Timeless stories come to life in seven whimsical lands of fun and adventure. Plunge down a breathtaking waterfall on *Splash Mountain®*, share the patriotic spirit at *The Hall of Presidents*, zoom through space at *Space Mountain®* and feel the excitement of the gold rush on *Big Thunder Mountain Railroad*. By captivating the imagination, the *Magic Kingdom Park* brings the world of make-believe alive and brings out the child in everybody.

A rollicking, frolicking “sym-funny” of surprises at the enchanting 3-D spectacular *Mickey’s PhilharMagic*. The attraction, located at the *Fantasyland Concert Hall*, stars classic Disney animated characters.

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The Magic Kingdom® Park Offers These Exciting Educational Programs:

“The American Story” (2nd - 12th Grade) - History and Social Studies (3 hours) - Students are transported back in time to Colonial Boston and Philadelphia to discover significant events which led colonists down “The Road to Revolution” and to ultimately ratify the Constitution of the United States.

“Disney’s World of Physics: Energy and Waves” (3rd - 12th Grade) - Physical Science (3 hours) - Students gain real world understanding of the forces of light, sound and magnetism as well as gain an appreciation for how these forces can be manipulated.

“Disney’s World of Physics: Properties of Motion” (3rd - 12th Grade) - Mathematics and Science (3 hours) - Explore the concepts of the basic properties of force, motion and gravity at select ***Magic Kingdom® Park*** attractions.

“STITCH’S GREAT ESCAPE!™” - Stitch has taken one of the fastest journeys ever from movie screen to Theme Park attraction - Guests go back to a time when the loveable blue hero was still known as “Experiment 626” - Public Nuisance No. 1 - Will feature some of the most sophisticated AUDIO ANIMATRONICS figures ever created by Walt Disney Imagineering.

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Disney's Hollywood Studios

Into The Action And Thrills Of Hollywood

Everyone is part of the show and laughter resounds. Each epic experience launches students into the action and thrills of movies and television. The **Disney's Hollywood Studios** captures the allure and power of Hollywood by giving everyone the chance to be a star. Learn how movies are made and discover the power and allure of movie-making and television production and enjoy live stage shows based on the animated Disney classics.



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Direct the Spotlight to These Exciting Programs at Disney's Hollywood Studios

“Disney's Animation Magic” (3rd - 12th Grade) - Animation Art (3 hours) - The art of animation comes to life as students discover the history, creativity, and innovation behind the creative process of animation.

“Disney's Production Arts and Sciences” (3rd - 12th Grade) - Production Arts and Media Literacy (3 hours) - Students discover how individual shots can be altered, organized, and manipulated to produce different story concepts. Increase the students' understanding of the Art and Science of making and marketing visual media.

“Disney's Career Discovery” (6th - 12th Grade) - School-toWork Careers (3 hours) - Formulate strategies to achieve career goals and identify barriers to career development.

“Lights, Motors, Action!™ Extreme Stunt Show” - cars, motorcycles and even jet skis go flying during intricately choreographed stunts - Will give an insiders look at how Hollywood's best capture all the explosive action on film and some guests are even pulled into the action - Part of the larger redevelopment of the back lot area of Disney's Hollywood Studios that also includes cityscapes for Chicago and San Francisco.

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WORLD SHOWCASE

The eleven countries of **Epcot® World Showcase** present a hands-on approach to culture, traditions, art, history and cuisine from every corner of the world. Stroll from the heart of Paris to the Great Wall of China. Sail through the fury of the North Sea on *Maelstrom* in Norway and cruise the ruins of Mayan and Aztec civilizations on *El Rio del Tiempo* in Mexico.

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Epcot® (Continued)

Take your students out of the classroom and into one of these *Epcot®* World Showcase Programs.

“Synergy in Science” (1st- 5th Grade) - Physical Science (2 hours) - Understand how synergy is the integration of a variety of elements: Individuals and technology connecting, communicating, and collaborating together ensures that the whole is greater than the sum of the parts.

“Disney’s Magic Behind the Show: Improv & Teamwork” (6th - 12th Grade) - Arts & Humanities (3 hours) - Build self-confidence by discovering and exploring the art of improvisation and learning how to apply improvisational theories at home, work and school. Through teamwork, participants create an original, improvised production for an audience of peers.

“Millennium Cultures” (4th -12th Grade) - Arts & Humanities (3 hours) - Discover how cultural gateways have been created through technology, communication and commerce. The culturally authentic pavilions of World Showcase serve as the backdrop for this interactive study of people and places around the world. Students learn that while people are all different, they all share similar needs and interests in the global community.

“Dynamics of Technology” (6th - 12th Grade) - Physical Science (3 hours) - Students discover the evolutionary nature of technology as they explore the people and processes that challenge and inspire technological development.

“Disney’s Leadership Excellence: The Inside Track” (9th - 12th Grade) - Life Management (3 hours) - See how effective leadership produces innovation. Tomorrow’s business leaders discover proven management strategies employed within the Walt Disney Company and identify tactics they can adapt to help promote their own personal and professional success.

“Disney’s Ocean Discoveries” (3th - 9th Grade) - Natural Science (3 hours) - Inspire students to take an active role in the preservation of marine habitats and marine life by increasing their awareness of impacts on the marine environment.

“Making Waves with a Marine Career” (9th - 12th Grade) - Life Management (2 hours) - Enhance students’ awareness and knowledge of career opportunities in the marine science field, while showcasing skills needed for a career in the marine profession.

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2008

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Thurs 23	Fri 7	Thurs 20
Thurs 30	Thurs 13	Fri 21
	Fri 14	Fri 12

2009

JANUARY		FEBRUARY		MARCH	
Thurs	15	Fri	6	Fri	6
Fri	23	Fri	13	Thurs	26
Fri	30	Fri	20		
		Fri	27		
APRIL			MAY		
Thurs	2	Tues	21	Fri	1
Fri	3	Thurs	23	Mon	4
Thurs	9	Fri	24	Tues	5
Tues	14	Tues	28	Thurs	7
Thurs	16	Thurs	30	Fri	8
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				Thurs	14

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Medieval Times®
DINNER & TOURNAMENT

Additional Dinner /Evening Activities in ORLANDO

- ↳ **Point Orlando** features over 70 shops and restaurants including FAO Schwarz, Muvico Point 21 Theaters, and Graham Cental Station. **Muvico Point 21 Theaters/ Muvico IMAX Theater** - This movie megaplex features Orlando's first and only IMAX Theater with personal sound environment and 20 state of the art commercial theaters in an enchantingly themed setting.
- ↳ **Sleuth's Mystery Dinner Theater** offers dinner shows featuring comedy, murder and mystery. The audience participates in solving the mystery.
- ↳ **Arabian Nights** is a 2 hour dinner show featuring equestrian acts in and indoor arenas. The performances include a Wild West act, Lipizzan horses and a Roman Chariot Race. A three-course dinner is served during the show.
- ↳ **Makahiki Luau Polynesian Feast and Celebration** at SeaWorld® Orlando - Join the Club Tiki tribe at sunset as they arrive by outrigger boat for a beautiful, beautiful luau celebration-filled with ancient customs, authentic costumes, rhythmic music and dance, and the tasty cuisine of the Pacific Islands.
- ↳ **Hoop-Dee-Do Musical Revue Dinner Show** at Disney Fort Wilderness Resort and Campground is a hilarious hoedown style entertainment and all-you-can-eat country vittles make this a special evening.
- ↳ **Polynesian Luau Dinner Show** at Disney's Polynesian Resort has hula and fire dancing accompanying a luau feast.
- ↳ **DisneyQuest®** is Disney's indoor interactive theme park. Five floors of interactive attraction rides and games that let you take control of your own adventure.
- ↳ **Pirates Dinner Adventure** is a musical dinner show which includes stunts, special effects and aerial acts and takes place aboard a galleon.
- ↳ **Dolly Parton's Dixie Stampede Dinner & Show** is the most exciting dining and entertainment experience. Featuring 32 magnificent horses, American buffalo, animal races, singing and dancing, a patriotic finale, audience participation and a fabulous four-course feast. "The Most Fun Place to Eat in Orlando", guarantees Dolly!

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The Official All Star Café



Arabian Nights

Arabian Nights is a treat for horse lovers, but you don't need to be an equestrian expert to appreciate the spectacular stunts, horsemanship and marvellous costumes as some 60 horses, including Arabians, Quarter Horses, Belgians and Walter Farley's Black Stallion, perform a 20-act show

Loosely based on a tale of Princess Scheherezade returning to her rightful place on the throne and finding the Prince of her dreams, the show is staged in the huge indoor Moorish-themed arena at the center of this 1,200-seat 'Palace of Horses.' Daring gypsy acrobatic riding, magical genies, square-dancing cowboys, and the thrilling chariot race all add up to a memorable show that kids, especially, adore. The recent addition of new characters, a new story, costumes and special effects, including a belly dancer now entertains guests prior to the show, have made Arabian Nights the most popular dinner show in Orlando.

Guests dine on a sumptuous three-course dinner with a choice of Sirloin steak, grilled chicken breast, certified Black Angus chopped steak with gravy, Vegan/Vegetarian penne pasta primavera or chicken tenders. Dinner also includes salad, rolls and dessert with unlimited soft drinks.

Also available:

- Student educational programs with hands-on experience
- Holiday Shows / November 23, 2009 - January 1, 2010
- Post-show DJ parties
- Performance opportunities



LIVE THE ADVENTURESM



Right next door to Universal Studios® you can experience the innovative thrills of **Universal's Islands of Adventure®** theme park. Here students will take a journey through uniquely themed islands where timeless myths, legends, children's stories, cartoons, and comic books come to life before your eyes. From **The Incredible Hulk Coaster®** to the **Jurassic Park River Adventure®** to the eye-popping, first-of-its-kind 3-D thrill ride **The Amazing Adventures of Spider-Man®**, the world's most cutting-edge rides, shows, and interactive attractions challenge all your senses!



Behind the Adventure – A Science and Technology Tour

Discover how science is involved in creating the world's most technologically advanced theme park. Find out about real life applications of physics, technology, horticulture and general sciences that were used to design and build this state-of-the-art theme park.

In this program, students will:

- Marvel at the technology used to make **The Amazing Adventures of Spider-Man®** so amazing.
- Take a look "under the hood" at how **The Incredible Hulk Coaster®** launched.
- Learn how we choose and care for the foliage throughout the park.

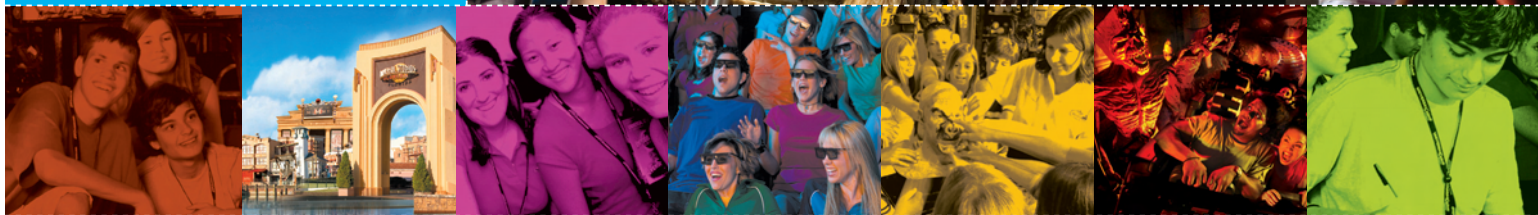
These three-hour facilitated tours begin one hour before the theme park opens and allow students access to areas of the theme park unavailable to the general public.

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GO BEHIND THE SCENES

Jump right into the action of the movies at **Universal Studios Florida®**, the world's premier movie and TV based theme park. At this real, working film and TV studio, students get a backstage look at how movies are made while they plunge into darkness on **Revenge of the Mummy®**, see, hear and feel the action in the hilarious **Shrek 4-D™**, and zap aliens on the interactive ride **MEN IN BLACK™ Alien Attack™**.



Special FX – The Secrets of Movie Making Tour

Find out how the arts and sciences are used to create some of the most spectacular special effects in motion picture history—and what it took to re-create those effects in some of Universal Studios' most popular attractions in this hands-on, interactive tour.

In this program, students will:

- Uncover secrets of set design and construction at **Revenge of the Mummy®**.
- Learn how make up effects are created at **Universal Horror Make-Up Show**.
 - Get backstage access to our soundstages and production facilities.
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Marketing and Sales – Getting the Message Out ▶ Get the details about tactics used in effective marketing and sales campaigns to promote Universal Orlando, increase its market share, and influence visitors to come to Central Florida. Learn more about advertising, group sales, brand marketing, promotions, and being a successful marketer.

Culinary Arts – Recipe for Success ▶ Think about cooking for all the guests that visit Universal Orlando Resort each day! Learn basic food preparation principles, culinary techniques, and culinary art strategy in a fun, interactive setting. Ask about the Lunch and Learn Pizza Party!

Additional Programs Available ▶ Career Preparation, Finance, Social Studies Assembly Programs, and Workshops for Performing Arts and Entertainment.



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TAMPA BAY'S SCIENCE CENTER

The sunshine state has more to offer than theme parks and beaches. **MOSI**, Tampa's Museum of Science & Industry, is the largest science center in the southeastern United States featuring the IMAX *Dome* Theatre and indoor and outdoor exhibits. MOSI houses over 350 hands on exhibits ranging from the human body to the vast reaches of outer space and the natural world. MOSI also provides a variety of educational programming both at the science center and off-site in diverse settings.

Permanent exhibits include *Disasterville*, featuring *WeatherQuest*, The Amazing You (medical health) sponsored by Metropolitan Life Foundation, and flight and space. Other features include The Science-To-Go store, the Galaxy Cafe and Shop, Hillsborough County Science Library at MOSI, 3.5 miles of nature trails, and the IMAX *Dome* Theatre. Popular exhibits include the Gulf Coast Hurricane, Verizon Challenger Learning Center, The Saunders Planetarium, and Southwest Florida Water Management District/Bank of America BioWorks Butterfly Garden, and the high wire bicycle.

IMAX *Dome* Theatre: Florida's only IMAX *Dome* Theatre features 340 seats and an 82-foot hemispherical movie screen, housed within a distinctive 85-foot blue stainless dome. Completely immersing the viewer, this experience combines the latest technology in cinematography with powerful visual imagery, creating an experience so strong, so compelling, that there is no equal in the film industry today. Current schedule:

"Deep Sea" Now Showing!

Sea life in a whole new way! ***Deep Sea***, the new immersive, underwater adventure from IMAX, transports audiences deep below the ocean surface in multiple locations around the waters of the globe and gives them never-before-seen, up-close encounters with a wide range of undersea life. IMAX moviegoers will be able to swim alongside some of the most exotic creatures on the planet, from the bizarre Rainbow Nudibranch to the Giant Pacific Octopus.

"Spider-Man 3: The IMAX Experience" Now Showing!

Peter Parker has finally managed to strike a balance between his devotion to M.J. and his duties as a superhero. But there is a storm brewing on the horizon. When his Spider-Man suit suddenly changes, turning jet-black and enhancing his powers, it transforms Peter as well. Under the influence of the suit, Peter becomes prideful and overconfident and he begins to neglect the ones he cares about the most. As two of the most-feared villains yet, Sandman and Venom, gather unparalleled power and a thirst for retribution, Peter's greatest battle is the one within himself. Spider-Man will need to rediscover the compassion that makes him who he is: a hero. ***This is a special engagement film and may require additional fees.***

"Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix: The IMAX Experience"

Harry returns for his fifth year of study at Hogwarts only to discover that much of the wizarding community has been led to believe that the story of the teenager's recent encounter with the evil Lord Voldemort is a lie, putting Harry's integrity in question. Worse, the Minister for Magic, Cornelius Fudge, has appointed a new defense against the Dark Arts teacher, the duplicitous Professor Dolores Umbridge. But Professor Umbridge's "Ministry-approved" course of defensive magic leaves the young wizards woefully unprepared to defend themselves against the Dark forces threatening them, so, at the prompting of his friends Hermione and Ron, Harry is convinced to take matters into his own hands. ***This is a special engagement film and may require additional fees.***

HIGHLIGHTS:

Kids In Charge! The Children's Science Center at MOSI:

A uniquely designed space for children twelve and under. An advisory board of twenty-six children between the ages of ten and seventeen provided guidance and direction for the development of "Kids In Charge!," which emphasizes the value of learning through play by bringing together science, creative thinking and imagination. With a total size of 40,000 square feet, including 25,000 square feet of exhibit space, "Kids In Charge!" is the largest children's science center in the country, and it's only at MOSI!

Metropolitan Life Foundation's ***The Amazing You:***

Tour the human body in all its complexity-from DNA to cells to organs to individuals. Follow three themes in this 5,500 square foot presentation: "How We Work," "Wellness-How We Keep Ourselves Going," and "Taking Care of Ourselves When Things Go Wrong."

The Back Woods:

Forty-seven acres of special water conservation elements and various outdoor interactive environmental exhibits including compass trails and a boardwalk.

MOSI (Continued)

High Wire Bicycle:

The longest high wire bike in a US museum. Guests will be harnessed into the bike and ride across a 98-foot-long cable suspended 30 feet above the Founders' Lobby.

Verizon Challenger Learning Center:

Born out of tragedy, the Challenger Learning Center is a living memorial to the crew of the shuttle orbiter Challenger. It is part of an international network of centers established by the families of the Challenger crew. The 21st century classroom features a space vehicle and a mission control in which guests assume roles of astronauts and engineers at 12 interactive work stations. Each mission is based upon a scenario.



Southwest Florida Water Management District / Bank of America BioWorks Butterfly Garden:

An engineered eco-system that emulates natural wetlands and demonstrates how the natural wetlands clean water. BioWorks contains five hands-on components: microbiology station with microscope viewing; biology station and nutrient puzzle; botany station with magnifying glasses; engineering station with sediment settling jars; and chemistry station for pH measuring. BioWorks also houses a free flying butterfly garden sponsored by the Jacarlene Foundation.

Gulf Coast Hurricane:

Experience the impact of 74 mph hurricane force winds and learn how to "Get Smart, Get Ready" for a tropical storm.

Historic Tree Grove:

MOSI's Historic Tree Grove is a makeup of 17 culturally significant trees originating from historical people and places from around the United States. For over 10 years, volunteers and donors have contributed to the preservation of the Historic Tree Grove. The recent tree, the Yaupon Holly, was planted on a simulated Indian Mound and was used by Florida Indians for making tea sipped before hunting and battle. MOSI's Historic Tree Grove is located near the museum entrance.

Our Place in the Universe: An Exhibition on Space, Flight, and Beyond:

Flight, space exploration, and astronomy are the main focus of this 5,000-square-foot exhibit. Meet planet Earth and learn about its place in the solar system. See technological advances in aviation. Encounter this holistic view of the universe and the knowledge that science had provided thus far.

Demystifying India: The Exhibition:

The exhibition is part of a large-scale education initiative called Demystifying India. A collaborative between the Indo-US Chamber of Commerce and MOSI, Demystifying India comprise of seven specific areas with an emphasis on educating children and the community on Indian culture. The underlying premise is **Education - Awareness - Acceptance**.

Disasterville, featuring Bay News 9 WeatherQuest:

This permanent exhibition located on MOSI's second floor, features 10,000 sq. ft. of interactive exhibits on the science of natural disasters, how it affects lives and property, and what can be done to minimize property damage and loss of life. The exhibition will cover nine disaster genres: floods, hail storms, hurricanes, lightening, tornados, wildfires, volcanoes, earthquakes and tsunamis.



The Saunders Planetarium:

MOSI is home to Tampa's only planetarium. Since opening in 1992, The Saunders Planetarium has shown the starry nighttime sky to more than 200,000 guests. Family shows and adult programs are scheduled throughout the day and on weekends. The planetarium staff, with the assistance of the Museum Astronomical Resource Society (M.A.R.S.), sets up telescopes and holds "star parties" Saturday evenings.

Science Works Theater:

A high-tech, multipurpose theater that takes science and makes an interactive audience experience.

PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE



FLORIDA AQUARIUM

(Tampa, FL)

The Florida Aquarium, home to more than 20,000 aquatic plants and marine animals from around the world, is one of the country's top 5 family-friendly aquariums!

See river otters, alligators, stingrays and sharks! Then, immerse yourself in interactive programs like 'Swim With The Fishes' and 'Dive With The Sharks' where coming face to face with a 250-pound Goliath Grouper is common place. And forget the acrylic windows! Get up close and personal with penguins in the 'no borders, no barriers' Penguin Promenade daily or sign up for one of our special Behind the Scenes experiences like Penguin Encounter or Shark Feeding.

Wetlands Gallery - Birds soar overhead, turtles bask in the sun, and fish dart through the water as you enter the Aquarium's Gallery.

Bays and Beaches Gallery - In this gallery, you will encounter the creatures that live in Florida's many bays and beaches. Here fresh water from rivers flow into the bays, while the tide washes seawater in and out each day. These rich habitats are home to some unusual creatures like the bonnethead shark, spiny lobster and goliath grouper.

Coral Reefs Gallery - The gallery simulates a 60-foot dive starting in shallow-water reefs and descending to deeper, darker waters. Each viewing window represents a micro habitat which changes as the depth increases.

Ocean Commotion - Check out an aquarium gallery you can't experience anywhere else! Get connected to the ocean through incredible sights, sounds and action found around the globe. Using Smart Wi-Fi, floor to ceiling interactive projections, animation and multi-media, guests experience all the commotion found in the sea. Follow Raldo the shark, as the number one reporter in the sea for Ocean Commotion Network as he interviews a host of nominees for the coveted Golden Gill Awards. Who is the best protector of the sea? Wait and see!

EDUCATION PROGRAMS: (Optional & additional cost)

Grades 3 - 5:





Adaptive Advantage - (Maximum 150 students) What's the advantage to having special adaptations? Find out as students compete with animals to learn why they are the way they are. Get to know some of the most interesting LIVE animals during this educational, interactive and fun competition about adaptations.




Wild Wetlands - (Maximum 40 students) What's wild about wetlands? Engage students with some of Florida's wild and beautiful creatures. Come face to face with interesting critters found in Florida wetlands. Learn about wetlands ecology with the help of these awesome animals through this interactive, educational and FUN program.


Florida Aquarium (Continued)


 ***Aquatic Field Studies: What's in Your Water?*** (up to 25 students) Students will learn aquatic habitats. Studying a water system will give your students a whole new outlook on water and what lives in it.

 ***Who Wants to be a Marine Scientist?*** - (Maximum 150 students) Experience the lights, cameras, and action of a real game show and come one step closer to becoming a Marine Scientist! Students will be in the “hot seat” as their knowledge of The Florida Aquarium’s animals and habitats is tested. From freshwater streams to salt water oceans, how many species of plants and animals does the Aquarium have? Is that your final answer? Meet a live animal at the end of the program.


Grades 6 - 8:


 ***Invaders!*** - (Maximum 40 students) Explore plants and animals with an attitude through interactive games about Florida’s invasive species. You’ll learn how these invaders arrived here, what makes them so successful and how they impact Florida’s ecosystems. Then meet a few live invaders and learn how they are invading Florida.

 ***MSI: Tampa Bay*** - (Maximum 40 students) Intrigued by scientific investigation? Choose Marine Science Investigations: Tampa Bay and discover the amazing world of marine invertebrates. Uncover mysterious sea creature adaptations, lifecycles, relationships and behaviors. Learn how scientists use observations of live animals to unlock mysteries of the natural world and then solve a mystery at the Aquarium!

 ***Shark Island*** - (Maximum 75 students) Ever wish your students could experience life on a deserted island and visit the ocean realm where sharks dwell? Students will work together in teams in this “Survivor” style game to complete a series of shark related questions and activities. Which team has enough shark knowledge to get off the deserted shark-infested island?

Grades 9 - 12:

 ***Splendors of the Reef*** - (Maximum 40 students) A fish is a fish. Or is it? Assume the role of biologist, and discover the form and function of fishes that call the coral reef home. Build a foundation in reef ecology, observe fish behavior, and get a chance to survey the coral gallery.

 ***Wild Jobs: Working with Animals*** - (Maximum 40 students) Ever think about a career working with animals? Discover a multitude of career opportunities; what it takes to get those jobs and what to expect from working with animals. This program will provide active learning opportunities, live animal discoveries, and access to a knowledgeable Aquarium Instructor who works with animals.



OVER NIGHT PROGRAM

Spend the night at The Florida Aquarium! Dive into your sleeping bags in front of snoozin’ sharks and evening eels and have a wet & wild sleepover! Includes: late-night pizza snack, morning juice and light breakfast admission to the Aquarium the next day.

Prices based on group size for most sleepovers and may include a dive show fee, and/or a lab fee.

PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

TALLAHASSEE, FL

ATTRACTIONS

Subject to Availability



The Challenger Learning Center of Tallahassee is a 32,000 square foot facility located on beautiful Kleman Plaza in downtown Tallahassee. The Center is the K-12 outreach facility of the Florida A & M University - Florida State University College of Engineering and uses aerospace as a theme to foster a long-term interest in math, science and technology, create positive learning experiences, and motivate students to pursue careers in these fields. To accomplish this mission, the Challenger Learning Center features a state-of-the-art Space Mission Simulator and utilizes the immersiveness of an IMAX theatre and a high definition digital domed planetarium to create a holistic educational experience.

Tallahassee Museum of History and Natural Science - 52-acre natural habitat zoo, nature trails, authentic 1800's farmstead, hands-on Discovery Center, birds of prey aviary, reptile exhibits, annual events and more!

Florida State Capitol - A 22 story tower with House and Senate chambers on either side, both with public viewing galleries. Florida's Legislature is in session from March through April.

FAMU Black Archives Research Center & Museum - Located on campus of Florida A & M University - Extensive collection of African-American artifacts including a 500 piece Ethiopian cross collection and more than one-half million historical documents.

De Soto State Archaeological Site - The 1539 encampment of Spanish explorer Hernando de Soto and site of first North American Christmas celebration, with an annual re-enactment in January.

Downtown Marketplace - Fine arts, crafts, authors, writers/poets, live jazz, chefs, historic chats, children's storytelling and farmer's market, plus special events throughout the season. (open Saturdays)

Mary Brogan Museum of Art & Science - The Mary Brogan Museum of Art and Science is committed to stimulating interest in its visitors about the visual arts, sciences and technology. Several exhibits are displayed and many educational programs are offered.

Museum of Florida History - Permanent exhibits include a nine-foot mastodon, Spanish galleon treasures, Civil War memorabilia, reconstructed steamboat and Prehistoric Florida plus traveling exhibits.

Governor's Mansion - Georgian-style Southern mansion patterned after Andrew Jackson's home "The Hermitage" features antique furnishings and gifts from foreign dignitaries.

Old Capitol Museum - Restored to 1902 appearance featuring red candy-striped awnings, stained glass dome, House and Senate Chambers, Supreme Court and Governor's office.

Devil's Millhopper State Geological Site (located in Gainesville, FL) - This huge sinkhole was formed when an underground cavern roof collapsed, creating a bowl-shaped cavity 120 feet deep. Small streams tumble down the steep slopes of the sink, disappearing through crevices at the bottom. The lush growth of plants and many of the animals of the park are similar to those of the Appalachian Mountains region. The sinkhole may be explored from the boardwalks and stairways or from the 4-foot wide nature trail that follows the rim.



ATLANTA, GA

ATTRACTIONS



Martin Luther King Jr. National Historic Site - This is a 23.5 acre area that includes the birthplace, church and grave of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., civil rights leader and Nobel Peace Prize winner.



Stone Mountain Park - Georgia's most popular attraction, this 3,200 acre recreational and historic park features displays and a videotape presentation detailing the geological and cultural history of the granite mountain. Children can explore Southern farm life of the 1800's at the Great Barn (the park's newest attraction), through interactive adventures including a gigantic climbing structure with rope nets, mazes and a 40-foot ultimate super slide. Also new, Crossroads - recaptures a small Georgia town from the 1800's and brings to life the story, people and craftsmakers of the South.



CNN Studio Tour - This is a 45-minute guided walking tour emphasizing network operations and technical aspects of CNN and Turner Broadcasting, Inc., including demonstrations about weather broadcasts.



Zoo Atlanta - The zoo exhibits more than 1,000 animals on 37 acres. It also includes the Ford African Rain Forest, (home of western lowland gorillas), Flamingo Plaza (home to 50 Chilean Flamingos), Masai Mara, (features browsing giraffes, antelopes and endangered black rhinoceros). A sightseeing train circles the perimeter. Don't miss the Giant Pandas, Lun Lun and Yang Yang, the new baby gorilla and the newest additions, Bengal tiger cubs - Sareeka and My-lee.



Centennial Olympic Park - A 21-acre landscaped green space that is the focal point of downtown Atlanta. Sculptures, walkways and the Fountain of the Rings grace the park where the 1996 Summer Olympics were held.



NEW: World of Coca-Cola Museum - The story of Coca-Cola - past, present, and future - is told through fascinating exhibits and eye-popping collection of memorabilia, classic radio and television advertisements, a fanciful representation of the bottling process and a futuristic soda fountain that you "must see to believe."



GEORGIA AQUARIUM is the World's Largest Aquarium. With 8 million gallons of fresh and marine water, and more than 100,000 animals representing 500 species from around the globe, you're sure to see things you've never seen before! Trixie and Alice, the new female whale sharks, have arrived!.



Six Flags Over Georgia - With heart-pounding rides, live Broadway-style shows and thrilling attractions, Six Flags Over Georgia is the World of Fun, Not A World Away!



Atlanta Cyclorama - This Civil War Museum has a 360-degree painting of the Battle of Atlanta. Visitors view the 43-foot high painting from seats on a revolving platform as sound and light effects, narration and 3-D figures heighten the experience of watching the battle.



Underground Atlanta - Six city blocks in the heart of Atlanta have been transformed into a spirited urban marketplace featuring 20 eateries, over 100 specialty shops and entertainment emporiums, as well as street-cart merchants.

OTHER ATTRACTIONS:

Clark Atlanta University
Georgia Tech University

Spelman College & Morehouse College
Morris Brown College
Georgia State University

Emory University
Oglethorpe University

Attractions Subject to Availability

NEW YORK CITY

ATTRACTIONS



Radio City Music Hall - This 1932 Art Deco Theater presents musical stage spectaculars with the Rockettes, theatrical productions and live concerts.

NBC Studios - Offers a one hour behind-the-scenes tour of the production areas of several television shows.

St. Patrick's Cathedral - The Cathedral is one of the largest churches in the United States, with a seating capacity of 2,400.



Empire State Building - The 1931 Art Deco building, soaring 1,454 feet has two million square feet of office space. Elevators go to the observatory on the 86th floor where visitors can see approximately 50 miles.

Chrysler Building - New York City's first skyscraper typifies 1930's Art Deco architecture. Known for its unusual night-lit skyscape spire.

Metropolitan Museum of Art - The largest art museum in the western hemisphere. Its permanent collection of nearly 3 million works of art from all over the world include objects from the Paleolithic era to modern times.

Ellis Island - Ellis Island was the nation's main point of entry for millions of immigrants 1892-1954. Exhibits chronicle the history of the processing station and the island.

Statue of Liberty National Monument - The Statue was presented to the United States by France in 1884 in commemoration of the countries' alliance during the American Revolution. The tallest statue of modern times, it measures 151 feet high on a 154 foot high pedestal.



NEW YORK CITY (Continued)

Central Park - The park was designed as a refuge for New York City residents by its architects. The park contains 840 acres of wooded and landscaped grounds, gardens, woodlands and a carousel.

Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts - A 14-acre complex of educational and artistic institutions. The buildings were designed by some of the nation's finest architects.

The Museum of Modern Art - Offers a survey of 20th century paintings, sculptures, drawings, prints, photographs, architectural models and plans, design objects, films and video tapes.



Rockefeller Center - This is a model of urban planning and design, housing 24 acres of underground shops and restaurants.

United Nations Headquarters - The complex consists of the majestic Secretariat Building, the domed General Assembly Building and the Hammarskjöld Library.



Other Attractions:

Broadway Shows
Newseum/NY
Chinatown
New York 3-D "Across The Sea of Time"
Greenwich Village
Little Italy
South Street Seaport



Attractions Subject to Availability

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WASHINGTON, DC

Washington, D.C., also known as the District of Columbia, is the capital city of the United States of America. It is designated as a “federal district” and is not a state itself, nor is it part of any state.



ATTRACTIONS

The White House has been the home of every president except George Washington.

J. Edgar Hoover F.B.I. Building - This building occupies an entire block. Exhibits explain the history and jurisdiction of the FBI as well as the work of the FBI laboratory.

John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts - The center is known as America’s center for the performing arts, and is the nations’ memorial to President John F. Kennedy. Domestic and International music, drama, dance and film are presented in six theaters.



The Old Post Office - The Old Post Office was built in 1899 as the country’s postal headquarters. It now contains shops and restaurants.

U.S. Capitol - The House of Representatives and the Senate meet here to make laws for the United States.

Arlington National Cemetery Tram Tour - This famous cemetery occupies approximately 612 acres overlooking the capital from the west. One of America’s most famous national shrines, it honors many national heroes and more than 240,000 war dead, veterans and dependents. Visit the grave sites of John F. Kennedy, Robert Kennedy, Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

Mount Vernon - The home of George Washington. George Washington acquired the Mount Vernon estate in 1754, when he was 22, and made it his home until his death in 1799 at age 67. A total of 14 rooms are open for viewing, all furnished with original items, replicas and 18th century antiques.



WASHINGTON, DC (Continued)

Bureau of Engraving and Printing - This site is where the U.S. Government designs, engraves, and prints paper money, bonds, postage stamps and other miscellaneous items.

Supreme Court Building - Supreme Court Building is a white marble edifice where the country's highest judicial body holds its sessions. Exhibits and a film describing the court are presented on the ground floor.

National Museum of Natural History - Popular exhibits include the African bush elephant, the renowned Hope Diamond and life-size models of a blue whale, dinosaurs, birds, mammals and prehistoric life.

National Museum of American History - Depicts the scientific, cultural, technological and political development of the United States.



National Air & Space Museum - The focal Milestones of Flight gallery displays such historically important times as the Wright Brothers' 1903 Flyer, Charles Lindbergh's Spirit of St. Louis, Chuck Yeager's Bell X-1, John Glenn's spacecraft Friendship 7, the Apollo 11 Command Module and a Viking Mars Lander.

Christ Church - Completed in 1773, the stately church is nearly in its original condition. George Washington and Robert E. Lee attended the church regularly.

Ford's Theater - Restored to its 1860's appearance, the theater is where Abraham Lincoln was fatally shot by John Wilkes Booth on April 14, 1865.

International Spy Museum - The museum houses devices related to the history and practice of espionage. Interactive exhibits provide an insider's view into the world of spying and emphasize its importance in recent history.

National Museum of the American Indian - The 18th of the Smithsonian Institution's world-reowned museums, features the lifeways, history, and art of Native Americans throughout the Western Hemisphere.



Lincoln Memorial
Thomas Jefferson Memorial
Vietnam Veterans Memorial
Korean War Veterans Memorial
Washington Monument
IWO Jima Marine Memorial

Attractions Subject to Availability



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VIRGINIA

Colonial Williamsburg has been named “Favorite Historic Site.”

At Colonial Williamsburg students will rush forward to volunteer for demonstrations of trades and crafts in a town where hands-on was quite often the way colonists made their living. In addition, programs let students experience a key date in Williamsburg’s colonial history while stepping into the past to join in the creation of a new nation. Here in the restored capital of Colonial Virginia, you will be swept up in the daily life of a bustling 18th century city.



Jamestown Settlement & Yorktown Victory Center



Jamestown Settlement recaptures the adventure of America’s first permanent English colony. Extensive galleries and a dramatic film bring history to life. Outdoors, visitors can climb aboard replicas of the settlers’ ships, explore a re-created colonial fort and discover the world of Pocahontas in a Powhatan village. Costumed interpreters demonstrate 17th-century activities.

The Yorktown Victory Center explodes with the drama of the American Revolution. Powerful galleries tell the stories of everyday people who lived during the war. In the recreated Continental Army encampment, costumed interpreters demonstrate camp cooking, musket firing, military drills, music and an 18th-century farmsite. Interpreters depict typical Virginia farm life with demonstrations of cooking, gardening, flax breaking and carpentry.



SOUTH CAROLINA

ATTRACTIONS

Subject to Availability

SPOLETO FESTIVAL USA/Charleston, SC (May 23 - June 8, 2008) was founded in 1977 as the American counterpart to the Festival dei Due Mondi (Festival of Two Worlds) in Spoleto, Italy. The Italian festival was founded in 1958 by Pulitzer Prize winning composer Gian Carlo Menotti as a forum for young American artists in Europe. The Festival quickly became an artistic home for a large group of artists, both traditional and experimental, who found the mix of dance, theater, opera, music and the visual arts to be both exciting and stimulating.

CHARLES PINCKNEY NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE - The historic site was established to interpret Charles Pinckney's role in the development of the United States Constitution; his plantation Snee Farm, and the transition of the United States from a group of colonies to a young nation. Interpretive exhibits located in a house built circa 1828 but which is not Pinckney related, highlight these areas as well as the influences of African-Americans in the development of Snee Farm.

FORT MOULTRIE NATIONAL MONUMENT - Fort Moultrie's history covers 171 years of seacoast defense including the first decisive victory in the American Revolution and the firing onto Fort Sumter during the first battle of the Civil War. The third Fort Moultrie, built in 1809, stands today. By touring the fort, visitors can see how coastal defenses have evolved.

AVERY RESEARCH CENTER FOR AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY AND CULTURE - Houses permanent and visiting exhibits and archives relating to the history of the sea islands and the "Gullah" culture. This was the site of the Avery Normal Institute (c. 1865), one of the most prestigious African-American private schools in the country.

MCLEOD PLANTATION - A large residence, barns, stable, gin house, kitchen, dairy and a street of slave dwellings offer a glimpse into antebellum life and are among the best preserved in the south. At its height in 1860, some 74 slaves lived here and cultivated the cotton, making the plantation among the South's largest. The plantation was occupied by Confederate and Union forces during the Civil War. It was used as a field hospital and office headquarters, and for brief periods was home to the 54th and 55th Massachusetts Volunteers.

The South Carolina Aquarium, located on historic Charleston Harbour, is home to thousands of live plants and animals. Through more than 60 exhibits representing areas throughout the state, this educational and conservation-oriented Aquarium provides a comprehensive view of the power, mystery and beauty of South Carolina's unique aquatic habitats—from the mountains to the sea!



MAGNOLIA PLANTATION HOUSE AND GARDENS - A tour of the Drayton Family's home for nine generations showcases views of the plantation from its elegant porch, the history of the family and an extensive collection of Early American furniture. Highlights include the 50-acre Historic Garden, Orientation Theater, Barbados Tropical Greenhouse, Petting Zoo, Antebellum Cabin, Horticultural Maze, Biblical Gardens, Herb Garden, Wildlife Observation Tower and trail access to the entire 500-acres of the plantation.



FORT SUMTER NATIONAL MONUMENT - The first engagement of the Civil War took place at Fort Sumter on April 12 and 13, 1861. After 34 hours of fighting, the Union surrendered the fort to the Confederates. From 1863 to 1865, the Confederates at Fort Sumter withstood a 22 month siege by Union forces. During this time, most of the fort was reduced to brick rubble. Fort Sumter became a national monument in 1948.

NORTH CAROLINA

ATTRACTIONS

CHIMNEY ROCK PARK - Ride the 26 story elevator built inside 500 million year old Chimney Rock. Find the best of the mountains in one place; a spectacular 75 mile view, trails to a 404 foot waterfall, native wildlife, rare plants and unique rock formations that otherwise would take days to find. Naturalist will give a tour.



BILTMORE ESTATES "BEHIND THE SCENES" TOUR - America's largest privately owned home sits on 8,000 acres surrounded by the Blue Ridge Mountains. A visit to the 1895 estate also includes acres of gardens, shops and restaurants.

BLOWING ROCK - A large rock formation, 4,000 feet above sea level, overhanging The John River Gorge. The observation tower affords a view of the gorge and surrounding mountain range.

GRANDFATHER MOUNTAIN - Grandfather Mountain, the highest peak in the Blue Ridge, is the only private park in the world designated by the United Nations as an International Biosphere Reserve. You can photograph bears, river otters, panthers, deer and eagles in spacious natural wildlife habitats. A park ranger will give your group a tour.

LINVILLE CAVERNS - Deep beneath Humpback Mountain, nature has sculpted a veritable masterpiece in stone. Slowly moving ground water has been the primary artist for this creation of underground labyrinths.



CHEROKEE INDIAN RESERVATION - In the heart of the Smoky Mountains lies the ancient homeland of the Cherokee. Here, history, culture and beauty blend. Relive history at the Museum of the Cherokee Indian, Oconaluftee Indian Village and "Unto These Hills" outdoor drama.

MYSTERY HILL - The Mystery House offers the challenge of a gravity room where the theories of Sir Isaac Newton are challenged. The Hall of Mystery includes over 40 mind-bending puzzles, hands-on experiments and illusions. The Native American Artifacts Museum boasts 50,000 relics.

TWEETSIE RAILROAD - Family theme park with a three-mile train ride, crafts, live entertainment, country fair rides and a petting zoo.

DISCOVERY PLACE - One of the nation's top hands-on science museums, featuring an OMNIMAX Theater, Planetarium, Life Center, Science, Circus, Rain Forest and more.

PARAMOUNT'S CAROWINDS WATER and THEME PARK - One of the most popular family entertainment parks in the Carolinas. The 100 acre water and theme park straddles the North Carolina and South Carolina state line. The park features more than 100 state-of-the-art rides, shows and movie themed experiences for all ages.

GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAIN RAILROAD - Takes you through a beautiful corner of eastern America into river gorges, across fertile valleys and through tunnels cut through the mountains by convict laborers using pickaxes.



Attractions Subject to Availability

BOSTON, MA

ATTRACTIONS



USS Constitution - Also known as “Old Ironsides.” The USS Constitution Museum brings the USS Constitution’s tale alive by collecting, preserving and displaying over 3,000 original artifacts through artwork and hands-on exhibits.

Bunker Hill Monument - The Monument marks the site of the first major battle of the American Revolution. The 221-foot monument was dedicated in 1843 to those who fought and died in the famous battle of June 17, 1775. (Exhibits about the battle are on display.)

John Hancock Observatory - Located on the 60th floor of New England’s tallest building, the Observatory offers unparalleled views of Boston and beyond and features several exciting interactive and audio exhibits.

House of the Seven Gables Historic Site - Tour the mansion made famous by Nathaniel Hawthorne’s novel. Includes author’s birth place, interactive video, seaside gardens and museum stores.

Salem Witch Museum - The Museum brings to life the Witch Trials of 1692, re-creating the drama of the accused and court proceedings.

The Freedom Trail - More than 200 years ago, they drew the line with the British Empire and started a revolution. Now the 2 ½ mile red line connects 16 historic sites that tell the story of America’s birth.

Plymouth Plantation - Outdoor museum re-creates village and life of Plymouth in 1627.

Plymouth Rock - The Pilgrims’ 1620 landing place.

The Boston Tea Party Ship and Museum - History comes alive aboard the Boston Tea Party Ship. Participate in a re-enactment presentation with Paul Revere and Sam Adams. Participate in throwing tea chests overboard.

John F. Kennedy Library and Museum - Serves as a memorial to the 35th president of the United States. Exhibits include the president’s Oval Office desk, documents, tape recordings and a 17 minute film about the life and times of John F. Kennedy.

The Paul Revere House - The oldest house in downtown Boston was built about 1680. The restored home, contains 17th-18th century furnishings and Revere memorabilia.

Mayflower II - Pilgrim ship reproduction with exhibit relating to the story of their journey.

New England Aquarium - Colorful and educational exhibits featuring over 12,000 aquatic creatures. Highlights include a 4-story glass ocean tank that houses a coral reef display plus an outstanding variety of sharks and sea turtles.

Theatre District - Drama, comedy, ballet, opera, Broadway shows, home-grown talent and restaurants...it’s all a part of the cultural resurgence in Boston’s Midtown Cultural District. The tiny neighborhood of Bay Village, noted for its narrow streets, brick townhouses and gas lamps borders the Theatre District.

Cranberry World - Contains exhibits tracing the history, cultivation and uses of the cranberry from colonial times to the present. Daily cooking demonstrations. Free samples!

OTHER ATTRACTIONS: Stop at “Cheers” and Quincy Market - Shops and Restaurants

Attractions Subject to Availability



PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA AND GETTYSBURG

*“Pennsylvania where our nation was born
...Gettysburg where our nation was saved.”*



ATTRACTIONS

The United States was born at the Pennsylvania State House, better known today as Independence Hall, in Philadelphia on July 4, 1776, with the adoption of the Declaration of Independence.

Hall of Presidents - Displays life-size, wax representations of the United States presidents.

National Civil War Wax Museum - Presents an audio-visual account of the Civil War. More than 200 life-size wax figures delineate the causes and effects of the conflict.

Gettysburg National Military Park - Gettysburg National Military Park virtually surrounds the town of Gettysburg. The park comprises the Gettysburg battlefield where one of the most important and hotly contested battles of the Civil War was fought July 1, 2, and 3, 1863. Resulting in 51,000 casualties, it also was the bloodiest battle of the war.

Betsy Ross House - This is where the Colonial seamstress stitched the first American Flag in 1777.

Christ Church - The house of worship for 15 signers of the Declaration of Independence. Christ Church Burial Ground contains the graves of Benjamin Franklin and four other signers of the Declaration of Independence.

Independence Hall - In this 1732 brick building, the Declaration of Independence and Constitution were signed.

Liberty Bell Pavilion - This is a glass structure that forms a permanent home for the Liberty Bell, which was moved from Independence Hall on January 1, 1976.

United States Mint - Where you can witness the making of pennies, dimes, nickels and quarters.

Confederate States Armory and Museum - Displays a variety of Confederate and Union Civil War memorabilia that includes small weapons and swords.

Hersheypark - Amusement Park with live entertainment; includes a marine mammal presentation, numerous song and dance reviews. (allow 4 hours)

Franklin Court - Once owned by Benjamin Franklin who lived in Philadelphia from 1722 until his death in 1790. In the buildings are the refinished “Aurora” newspaper office, a working reproduction of a 1785 printing press and bindery operation, an archeological exhibit and a post office.

Valley Forge National Historical Park - The 3,600-acre park was the site of the 6 month winter/spring encampment by the Continental Army.

Lancaster, PA - The Amish Farm and House - House tours explain the Amish way of life. Major crops, farm equipment, barns and animals can be seen on the grounds of the working farm.

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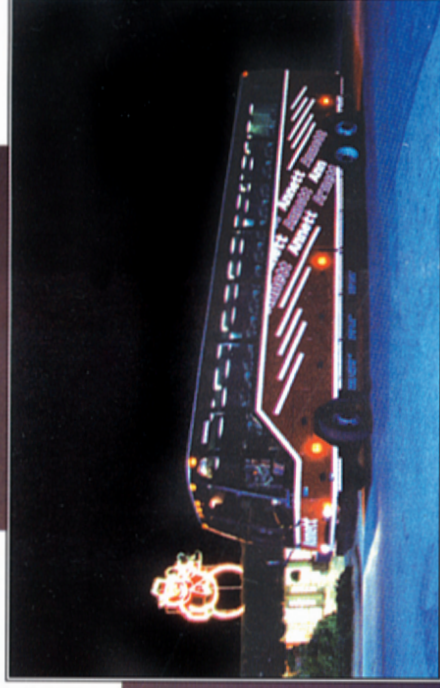
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