# TOUR INFORMATION COASTAL FLORIDA BEACHES – FEBRUARY 20 – MARCH 3, 2018

YOU ARE ALLOWED ONE LARGE SUITCASE AND ONE SMALL CARRY-ON BAG PER PERSON. WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND THAT YOU KEEP YOUR CARRY-ON BAG THE SIZE OF A SMALL TOTE OR BOOK BAG. THERE IS VERY LITTLE OVERHEAD ROOM ON THE MOTORCOACH.

SUGGESTED DRESS IS CASUAL THROUGHOUT THE TOUR. AVERAGE TEMPERATURES WILL MOST LIKELY BE MUCH WARMER THAN THE MIDWEST THIS TIME OF YEAR.

ON-BOARD WIFI HAS BEEN INCLUDED ON THIS TOUR FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE. HOWEVER, AS WITH CELL RECEPTION, INTERNET SERVICE MAY BE SPOTTY AND UNRELIABLE IN MORE REMOTE AND RURAL AREAS.

<u>GRATUITIES:</u> The gratuity has been provided for luggage handling services, step-on-guides, and for all included meal functions. On other meals, tipping is left entirely to your discretion. A general rule is 10-15% of the bill, depending upon the quality of service.

<u>TOUR DIRECTOR & DRIVER GRATUITY:</u> The traditional end-of-tour gratuities for your tour director and driver are NOT included in your tour cost. If you wish to reward them for their performance, this should be handled individually, and not as a group. **PLEASE**<u>REMEMBER YOUR GUIDE & DRIVER</u>

MINIMUM CUSTOMARY TIP TO EACH: GUIDE: \$2.00 TO \$3.00 PER PASSENGER PER DAY

DRIVER: \$2.00 TO \$3.00 PER PASSENGER PER DAY

(YOU MAY WANT TO TIP MORE FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE.)

# THE NAMES, ADDRESSES AND PHONE NUMBERS OF THE HOTELS WHERE YOU WILL BE STAYING ON THE TOUR:

 FEBRUARY 20 – DAY 1
 FEBRUARY 23 – DAY 4

 DRURY INN & SUITES
 FAIRFIELD INN

 1118 CENTRAL PARK DR.
 4101 SW 38<sup>TH</sup> COURT

 O'FALLON, IL 62269
 OCALA, FL 34474

 618-624-2211
 352-861-8400

 888-201-7687 - FAX
 352-861-8401 - FAX

 FEBRUARY 21 – DAY 2
 FEBRUARY 24 – DAY 5

DRURY INN & SUITES SOUTHWEST

160 STATE FARM PKWY

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35209

BEST WESTERN WATER

13021 N CLEVELAND AV

NORTH FORT MYERS, F

205-940-9500 800-713-5499 - FAX FEBRUARY 22 - DAY 3 HOLIDAY INN RESORT 11127 FRONT BEACH RD PANAMA CITY BEACH, FL 32407

850-234-1111 850-249-4139 - FAX OCALA, FL 34474
352-861-8400
352-861-8401 - FAX
FEBRUARY 24 - DAY 5
BEST WESTERN WATERFRONT
13021 N CLEVELAND AVE
NORTH FORT MYERS, FL 33903
239-997-5511
239-656-6962 - FAX

FEB 25 & 26 - DAYS 6 & 7 MICCOSUKEE RESORT 500 SW 177<sup>TH</sup> AVE MIAMI, FL 33194 305-925-2561 305-925-2556 - FAX FEBRUARY 27 – DAY 8 FAIRFIELD INN & SUITES 4735 HELEN HAUSER BLVD TITUSVILLE, FL 32780 321-385-1818

321-385-1819 - FAX

FEBRUARY 28 - DAY 9

FAIRFIELD INN & SUITES

1616 NORTH FIRST STREET

JACKSONVILLE BEACH, FL 32250

904-435-0100 904-435-0106 **MARCH 1 – DAY 10** 

COMFORT INN DOWNTOWN

2420 WILLIAMS ST

CHATTANOOGA, TN 37408

423-265-0077 423-267-6700 – FAX **MARCH 2 – DAY 11** 

DRURY INN & SUITES, WESTPORT

12220 DORSETT ROAD

MARYLAND HEIGHTS, MO 63043

314-576-9966 888-220-8908 – FAX

# BRIEF ITINERARY OF THE TOUR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20 – DAY 1

MORNING BREAK IN ROCK PORT, MO LUNCH ON YOUR OWN IN INDEPENDENCE, MO EVENING DRURY INN KICKBACK (INCLUDED) OVERNIGHT AT THE DRURY INN & SUITES, O'FALLON, IL

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21 - DAY 2

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)
TRAVEL DAY TO BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA
LUNCH ON YOUR OWN
AUTHENTIC SOUTHERN EVENING MEAL AT NIKI'S WEST, BIRMINGHAM (INCLUDED)
OVERNIGHT AT THE DRURY INN & SUITES SOUTHWEST, BIRMINGHAM, AL

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22 - DAY 3

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

MORNING DRIVE THROUGH SOUTHERN ALABAMA TOWARDS THE BEACH!

ENJOY GULF VIEWS WITH LUNCH AT THE BACK PORCH, DESTIN (INCLUDED)

AFTERNOON STEP-ON GUIDED TOUR OF SCENIC, COASTAL HIGHWAY 30A

CHECK-IN TO THE BEACHSIDE HOLIDAY INN RESORT, PANAMA CITY BEACH, FL

THIS EVENING, TIME TO ENJOY THE BEAUTIFUL WHITE SAND BEACH AND THE MANY RESORT AMENITIES

**EVENING MEAL ON YOUR OWN** 

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23 - DAY 4

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

TIME TO SPEND THIS MORNING ON THE BEACH BEFORE CHECKING OUT IN THE LATE MORNING

LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

AFTERNOON DRIVE THROUGH FLORIDA TO OCALA

**EVENING MEAL (INCLUDED)** 

OVERNIGHT AT THE FAIRFIELD INN, OCALA, FL

#### **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24 - DAY 5**

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

MORNING GUIDED TOUR OF ONE OF OCALA'S WORKING HORSE FARMS

LUNCH ON YOUR OWN AND FREE TIME IN CLEARWATER BEACH, FLORIDA

VOTED ONE OF THE BEST BEACHES IN THE WORLD!

AFTERNOON DRIVE TO FORT MYERS, FLORIDA

CHECK-IN TO THE BEST WESTERN WATERFRONT, NORTH FORT MYERS, FL

A SPECIAL TREAT TONIGHT AS YOU BOARD YOUR SUNSET DINNER/DANCE CRUISE ON THE GULF OF MEXICO (INCLUDED)

#### **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25 - DAY 6**

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

MORNING SCENIC DRIVE ALONG THE COAST

ENJOY A FLORIDA EXCLUSIVE, YOUR VERY OWN PRIVATE EVERGLADES AIRBOAT TOUR WITH LUNCH (INCLUDED)

OVERNIGHT AT MICCOSUKEE RESORT AND GAMING, MIAMI, FL

EVENING MEAL ON YOUR OWN AT THE RESORT

### **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26 - DAY 7**

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

THIS MORNING, HEAD SOUTH TO THE FLORIDA KEYS, TRAVELING THE RENOWNED SEVEN MILE BRIDGE

LUNCH AND TIME FOR SHOPPING ON YOUR OWN IN KEY WEST

TAKE THE WORLD FAMOUS CONCH TOUR TRAIN IN KEY WEST

SUNSET EVENING MEAL IN THE FLORIDA KEYS (INCLUDED)

OVERNIGHT AGAIN AT THE MICCOSUKEE RESORT, MIAMI

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27 - DAY 8**

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

LUNCH ON YOUR OWN AT KENNEDY SPACE CENTER

AFTERNOON VISIT TO KENNEDY SPACE CENTER VISITOR COMPLEX

**EVENING MEAL (INCLUDED)** 

OVERNIGHT AT THE FAIRFIELD INN & SUITES, TITUSVILLE, FL

#### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28 - DAY 9

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

MORNING VISIT TO DAYTONA INTERNATIONAL SPEEDWAY, TRAM TOUR USA

LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

STEP ON GUIDED **TOUR OF ST. AUGUSTINE**, THE OLDEST OCCUPIED EUROPEAN SETTLEMENT IN THE UNITED STATES EVENING MEAL ON YOUR OWN

OVERNIGHT AT THE FAIRFIELD INN & SUITES, JACKSONVILLE BEACH, FL

# THURSDAY, MARCH 1 - DAY 10

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

ENJOY THE DRIVE TO CHATTANOOGA, TN - LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

AFTERNOON TOUR OF RUBY FALLS NEAR CHATTANOOGA, TN

EVENING MEAL ON YOUR OWN

OVERNIGHT AT THE COMFORT INN DOWNTOWN, CHATTANOGA, TN

#### FRIDAY, MARCH 2 - DAY 11

BREAKFAST AT HOTEL (INCLUDED)

NOON LUNCH AT THE FAMOUS & DELIGHTFUL KENTUCKY DAM SITE & STATE PARK (INCLUDED)

OVERNIGHT AT THE DRURY INN, ST. LOUIS WESTPORT

**EVENING DRURY INN KICKBACK (INCLUDED)** 

# SATURDAY, MARCH 3 - DAY 12

BREAKFAST AT THE DRURY INN (INCLUDED)

MORNING, NOON (LUNCH ON YOUR OWN) AND AFTERNOON BREAKS... THEN HOMEWARD BOUND!

# LOOK UP MORE GREAT MOOSTASH JOE TOURS ON OUR WEB SITE **TELL ALL YOUR FRIENDS!!**

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