

Road Runners Travel Club 2020 FLANAGAN STATE BANK NEWSLETTER



A Ouick Look at the Numbers:

As we gear up for a new year, we thought it would be fun to take a closer look at some of the numbers involved with our Road Runner Travel Club. Whether you're considering joining for the first time, or you've been a part of these numbers for a while, we're looking forward to 2020 with you!



Founded in 1996, the Road Runners Travel Group has been open and offering fun travel for 24 years.

Number of Road Runners and staff who went on the Northern National Parks tour in

Estimated Road Runner trips taken since we started in 1996.

Road Runners Coordinators who work at Flanagan State Bank — one for each local branch.

The required minimum age to join the Road Runners Travel Club.



Flanagan State Bank's Trust Department

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Have questions?

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2020 TRIP LINE-UP

Tuesday, April 7, 2020

Spotlight on San Antonio Pre - Departure
Informational Meeting
Flanagan State Bank Community Room in Gridley
Time: 5:00 PM

This meeting is for all the participants who have reservations for the Spotlight On San Antonio tour scheduled for April 19 – 23, 2020. Meet and greet your fellow travelers and the bank representatives. Receive final traveling instructions from our Collette District Sales Manager, Lora Carlson.

April 19 -23, 2020

Spotlight On San Antonio / Fly and Tour

- Relax Texas-style as we settle into our River Walk Hotel.
- Discover the German settlement of Fredericksburg set in the Hill Country.
- Experience El Mercado, the Mexican Marketplace.
- Visit the LBJ Ranch, birthplace of the 36th President of the United States.
- · Visit the Alamo
- Tour San Antonio with an expert local guide
- · Cruise down the Paseo de Rio
- Reserved Seating for the Texas Cavaliers River Parade
- Enjoy the local flavors of Texas with a wine and olive oil tasting at an olive orchard, followed by a memorable dinner.
- •Savor dinner in a restored convent in the King William Historic District

Highlights: Mission San Jose, The Alamo, Paseo del Rio Cruise, LBJ Ranch, Fredericksburg, Choice of South Texas Heritage Center or San Antonio Botanical Gardens, El Mercado, Olive Orchard.

We have been taking reservations for this tour since October 2019, call Marsha Pokarney a 309-747-3600 for updated details on this tour.

Note Reservations made after the deposit due date of November 12, 2019 will be based upon availability.

Wednesday, May 27, 2020 **Kinky Boots** The Paramount Theatre Aurora, IL

A REGIONAL PREMIERE! This flashy, sassy, sexy story of big heels invading a small town shook Broadway and was universally adored by critics and audiences. Now, it's Paramount's turn to try these shoes on for size. Charlie Price is a reluctant shoemaker. Lola is a fierce drag queen. These two could not be any more different, but when they find common ground in shoes, they see a whole new world of possibilities open up to them that will turn their small-town upside down, and just might save Charlie's failing shoe factory. Kinky Boots tears up the stage and never lets go. From its glorious costumes to its dizzyingly tall heels and songs you'll be humming for days, no show on Broadway has captured what it means to do what you love and love what you do as much as Kinky Boots.

Suggested for ages 12+ Includes sexual content and adult language.

Sign up: NOW!

Direct line: 312-690-7603 / 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Price: \$ 98.00 per person Motor Coach: Green River Lines Pick up: Normal and El Paso

This trip includes transportation, a hot buffet lunch across the street from the Paramount Theatre. Afternoon performance of **Kinky Boots**, all taxes and gratuities. We will be waiting for your call!

Wednesday, July 29, 2020 **The Savannah Sipping Society** Circa 21 Rock Island, IL

Written by the team that brought us THE DIXIE SWIM CLUB and THE HALLELUJAH GIRLS, this delightful and poignant comedy, features four unique Southern women, all needing to escape the sameness of their day-to-day routines, drawn together by fate – and an impromptu happy hour. They decide it's high time to reclaim the enthusiasm for life they've lost through the years. Over the course of six months and through hilarious misadventures, these middle – aged women successfully bond and find the confidence to jumpstart their new lives. Together, they discover lasting friendships and a renewed determination to live in the moment – and most importantly, realize it's never too late to make new old friends. So, raise your glass to these strong Southern women and their fierce embrace of life and say "Cheers!" to this joyful and surprisingly touching comedy.

Sign up: Monday, June 8, 2020 Direct line: 312-690-7603 / 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Price \$ 88.00 per person Motor Coach: Green River Lines Pick up: Normal and El Paso

This trip includes transportation, hot plated lunch and upgraded dessert choices, pre-show with the Circa 21 bootleggers, afternoon production of The **Savannah Sipping Society**, all taxes and gratuities. We hope you will join us!



Thursday, September 17, 2020 **A Day At The Races**Arlington Park International Racecourse Arlington Park, IL

People have said it many times over; Arlington Park is a showcase for the "Sport of Kings". From the lush gardens and sparkling clean facility to the decorative touches that provide the feeling of elegance, Arlington offers the ultimate setting to experience thoroughbred racing. We have reserved boxed seats under Arlington's world famous cantilevered roof located on the third level. The box seats provide the best outdoor seating available. With commanding views of the track and easy access to wagering and concessions, this sporty location is a great place to socialize freely as we share the thrills of every race.

Sign up: Monday, July 27, 2020

Direct Line: 312-690-7603 / 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Price per person: \$59.00 Motor Coach: Green River Lines Pick up: Normal and Flanagan

This trip includes transportation, reserved boxed seats, general admission into the park, an Arlington daily racing program. **Lunch will be on your own.** Eateries are conveniently located throughout the facility with easy access by escalators or elevators. We hope to see you at the starting gate!

October 19 - 23, 2020

Autumn Spectacular Featuring The Hidden Gems of Branson and The Ozarks Branson MO, Eureka Springs AR

Join your Road Runner travel friends and escorts as we journey to Branson, Mo and Eureka Springs, AR for a 4 night / 5-day excursion! We will be using the Radisson Hotel in Branson located right on the strip as our hub for the 4-night stay. You'll only have to unpack once!

Your tour for 2020 includes:

- · Evening meal on day one at the Wildwood Bistro at the Radisson Hotel.
- · Clay Cooper's Country Music Express Morning Show on day two.
- Harvest Festival Featuring Craft Days and the New Pumpkin Nights Illumination at Silver Dollar City, day two.
- Meal Voucher for evening meal at your Leisure at one of the many eateries at Silver Dollar City.
- Tram Ride of Historic Eureka Springs, AR on day three.
- Tour of Thornecrown Chapel and the Christ of the Ozarks Statue and Grounds, day three
- · Evening meal at Florentina's Restaurant on day three.
- Evening Show, "NOAH" at The Sights and Sound Theater, day three.
- Dogwood Canyon Nature Preserve, 2 hour guided Tram Tour of Dogwood Canyon, day four.
- •Cook out lunch at the Canyon Pavillion, day four.
- Self- guided Golf Cart Tour of the Lost Canyon and Cave trail at the Top of The Rock Complex, day four.
- · Admission to the Museum of the Ancient Ozarks at The Top of The Rock.
- · Evening meal at The Grand Country Buffet, day four.
- The Dutton Family Evening Show on day four.

Price of this tour includes: Transportation by Tri-State Travel, four nights lodging at the Radisson, 4 breakfast buffets at the hotel, 1 lunch, 1 evening meal voucher, 3 evening meals, all activities and reserved seating for shows listed in bold above, luggage handling, all taxes and gratuities. The fall colors should still be pretty and, as always, we promise entertainment to and from!

Sign up: Monday, March 30, 2020

Direct line: 312-690-7603 / 8:00 AM - 10 AM

A \$200.00 deposit and insurance (optional, \$92.00) is required per person at sign up.

Motor Coach: Tri State Travel Pick up: Flanagan and Normal

Price Per Person: (if you purchase the optional insurance add \$92.00 per person). It's a peace of mind to take insurance out as we never know when emergencies will arise, unfortunately without insurance we can-not guarantee refunds if you cancel.

Single occupancy: \$1,137.00 with insurance \$1,229.00 Double occupancy: \$937.00 with insurance \$1,029.00 Triple occupancy: \$917.00 with insurance \$1,009.00 with insurance \$989.00

Fun Facts & For Your Info:

- We have Road Runner gift certificates available for purchase at every branch in various denominations. Great for any occasion!
- Don't forget, it's easy to earn rewards as a Road Runner member. Just sign a referral card and give it to your friends when you tell them about how much fun you have on trips!
- We have a whole section on our website dedicated to the Road Runner travel program, including upcoming and past trip information, photo highlights, and much more! Check us out at www. FlanaganStateBank.com

PRICE POLICY:

Cost for all trips is subject to change due to fluctuating gas/diesel prices. Actual price will be given to you at sign up.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

As a reminder, our cancellation policy is as follows: once you have signed up, you are responsible for that seat/ticket. In the event you will not be able to attend and the waiting list has been exhausted, you will remain responsible for your fee. In the event of an emergency, your refund will be determined on a case-by-case basis.

RESERVATION POLICY:

Our phone system allows us to have a "Road Runner Friendly" sign up system. You are able to sign up by calling a direct phone line, which is

312-690-7603

on the designated dates between 8 AM and 10 AM.

When you call, you will receive our answering machine. Please leave your message with your NAME, PHONE NUMBER, and HOW MANY seats you want to reserve (you and a spouse or you and a guest). Our answering machine records the dates and time of your call. Please don't call the office before 8 AM or your call will not be counted. ONLY phone sign ups will be accepted during those two hours.

After 10:00 AM, you may stop in or call any FSB branch to reserve your seat. If all seats are sold, you will be placed on the waiting list. One of our Road Runner representatives will call you back to confirm your reservation, and fill you in on the necessary details within two days. We feel this gives every Flanagan State Bank customer a fair opportunity.

Tuesday, December 8, 2020 **The Most Wonderful Time of the Year**Henry Jacob Mansion Estate

Joliet, IL

You will feel right at home in The Jacob Henry Mansion, which will be dressed and beautifully decorated for the holidays! Enjoy the self – guided tour of the Mansion before we dine together in the Victorian Ballroom.

Join "Randy Williams" and special guest stars for a holiday reunion. You will tap your toes and sing along as these outstanding performers entertain in the style of Stevie & Edie, Bing & Danny, Rosemary & Vera, Frank & Dean, and of course Andy Williams. Inspired by the Carol Burnet Show, The Andy Williams Show, The Dean Martin Variety Show, The Steve Allen Show and many more. These seasoned, knockout talents will warm your heart with touching renditions of favorite songs: "Count your Blessings," "I'll be home for Christmas," "Winter Wonderland," "White Christmas," "It's the most Wonderful Time of the Year," and many more.

Sign up: Monday, October 5, 2020 Direct Line: 312-690-7603 / 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Price \$ 92.00 per person Motor Coach Line: Green River Lines Pick up: Normal and Flanagan

This trip includes transportation, hot plated luncheon with upgraded dessert, afternoon performance of **The Most Wonderful Time of the Year**, all taxes and gratuities. Please consider joining us for this Holiday Celebration.















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STOP BY ONE OF OUR SIX LOCATIONS OR GIVE US A CALL!



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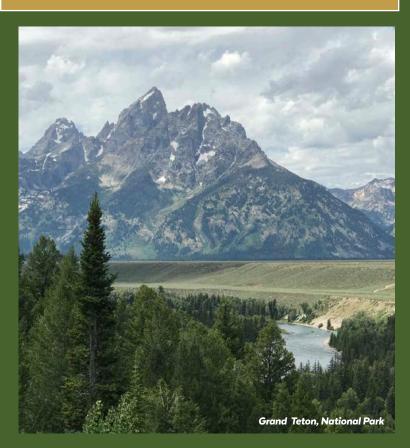
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