



Rock the Mall ~ Washington DC Itinerary

Day 1: Thursday June 7, 2012

Motor Coach

You will depart Middleburg, Florida (North Fork Leadership Center) approximately at 5:00pm, via deluxe motor coach with bathroom, DVD and PA system and drive overnight to Washington DC to arrive next morning. (13 hours with no stops estimated 15 hours with fast food and bathroom stops). ***Bring bag dinner and snacks. (Dinner will not be provided)***

Day 2: Friday, June 8, 2012

Motor Coach, Meals, Hotel

Upon arrival into DC, you will see the **White House** and have the opportunity to take some group pictures from **President's Park**. Then, you will enjoy visiting some of the **Smithsonian Museums** on the Capital Mall, including the **American National History Museum** and the **Natural History Museum**, (**A scavenger hunt will be included in your travel packet**) You will also have the opportunity to visit the **National Archives Building**, where the **Declaration of Independence**, all four pages of the **Constitution of the United States**, and the **Bill of Rights**, (also known as the Charters of Freedom), are on display here. The **Exhibit Hall** contains fourteen new document cases. The exhibits in these cases trace the story of the creation of the Charters and the continuing impact of these fundamental documents on the nation and the world. A special treat will be a visit to the **National Portrait Gallery** where you will see the portrait of **Juliette Gordon Low**. **Lunch** will be provided for you at the **Air and Space Museum**, *Prepaid meal vouchers for McDonalds will be provided in packet.* You will also have the opportunity to visit some **Memorials including the Vietnam Memorial, better known as "The Wall"; The Lincoln Memorial**: overlooks the Reflecting Pool and was patterned on a classic Greek Temple. Inside, inscriptions from his **Gettysburg Address** and **Second Inaugural Address** flank the 19-foot marble statue of our 16th President. Just steps away is **The Korean War Veterans Memorial**. The triangular field contains nineteen ground troopers, clad in foul weather ponchos, fully equipped for battle. Representing those who supported the ground troops are hundreds of faces etched on a polished granite wall. You will continue with your Personal Guide to visit the **World War II Memorial**. It is a memorial to the more than 14,000,000 American men and women who participated in World War II. NBC newsman Tom Brokaw called this group

"America's Greatest Generation. Late evening hotel check in. (*Lunch and Dinner Provided*)



Day 3: Saturday June 9, 2012

Motor Coach, B&D, Hotel

Breakfast provided at hotel. Motor Coach drop off and pick up at Capital Mall. Today will be dedicated to the "**ROCK the MALL**" event, in which you will enjoy Girl Scout sing along, guest speakers and Special Activities! You will have the opportunity to meet other Girl Scout Troops from around the country! **Lunch on your own** at the many cafes located on the Capital Mall. **Dinner tonight will be at National Place Food Court, prepaid meal vouchers provided.** (*Breakfast and Dinner Provided*)

Day 4: Sunday, June 10, 2011

Motor Coach, Meals

Breakfast provided at hotel. This morning, you will visit **Arlington Cemetery, (*Timed Tram tickets included with guide narrating*)**, where you will have the opportunity to see the **Changing of the Guards** and participate in laying a wreath at the **Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.** (*Wreath participation pending confirmation with Arlington*). You will learn about many sites in the cemetery, such as the **Kennedy grave sites** where President John Kennedy and his family are buried, which is also the location of the **Eternal Flame.** You will enjoy visiting the **Memorial Amphitheater.** There are a number of places in the vicinity of the Amphitheater which include: **Audie Murphy's grave, The Challenger Memorial and the Memorial to the USS Main,** which was the mission to rescue hostages from the Tehran, Iran embassy. The next and final site at Arlington is the **Arlington House (Curtis-Lee Mansion).** The recently restored mansion is a memorial to Robert E. Lee. **The grave of Pierre L'Enfant,** the French engineer who designed the city of Washington, is located at the front of the house. Just days before his assassination President John Kennedy stood at the front of the house and remarked, "This is the most beautiful place in the world. I could stay here forever." (*Tram does not go up to Lee's house; to visit you will need to walk up from tram stop at changing of the guards*) **Prepaid Lunch TBA.** This afternoon, you will enjoy walking the historic cobble stone streets of **Old Alexandria** and will enjoy a **Potomac River Boat Cruise!** Late afternoon, you will board your motor coach and will begin the drive home with fond memories of your Rock the Mall adventure to our Nation's Capital. *Optional Fast food dinner stop (at own expense) and bathroom stops provided at lead coordinator's discretion.* (*Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Provided*)

Day 5: Monday, June 11, 2011

Motor Coach

Group will arrive to North Fork Leadership Center in Middleburg, Florida in the morning around 9am.

You are going to have a fabulous trip!



\$440.00 pp, minimum quad occupancy (For double occupancy pricing, please call the Jacksonville Service Center and speak with Michelle Colee and Amy Wilson)

\$75 Non-Refundable Deposit per person is due January 6, 2012. Remaining Balance due March 16, 2012. Once booked, if you would like to change the name of a traveler, there is a \$75 fee per name change.

Note: In order to facilitate this trip, we must have a minimum of 45 travelers. Travelers will be confirmed once a bus is filled. Should we not fill a bus, all fees are refundable.

Trip Inclusion Highlights:

Transportation via Deluxe Motor Coach travel
2 night's hotel accommodations
"Rock the Mall" Event Fee
Patch and T-Shirt
Wreath laying request at Arlington's Tomb of the Unknown Soldier
Private Security Guard at hotel
Potomac Educational River Cruise
You will have the opportunity to earn your "Discovering the Nation's Capital Travel Patch."
All Meals in Itinerary (no lunch on Rock the Mall Day)
All Entrance fees
All Taxes

Other: Appointment with Congressman (pending his schedule)

Drive By Visits:

Einstein Memorial
US Navy Memorial
US Naval Observatory
The Pentagon
Many more government buildings and agencies.

Not included:

*Lunch on your own on day of Rock the Mall

*Optional Professional Panoramic Group Picture in front of the Capital--\$14.99 per picture