

First Friends

September & October 2020

Becky Custer First Friends Director

Join us for these special events...





Barnesville Buggytown Tour September 24, 2020





April 28-May 6, 2021 – Springtime Tulip River Cruise

Halloween Trick or Treat October 28, 2020



Shades of Ireland July 21-30, 2021

Page 2 Memories...and future memory makers!

This is not where I thought we would be at this point of 2020. I had hopes of returning to a little more normal activity by now, but that is not to be. On July 31, 2020 we got to see a great many of you with our "Spread the Sunshine" event. We passed out 111 goody bags to you guys. And it was SO GREAT TO SEE YOU! We had our travel show for the Springtime Tulip River Cruise on August 26. That was interesting as we had it virtually by Zoom. Don't forget this awesome trip scheduled for April of 2021. Check out our brochure online.

There are some really nice sites for virtual tours – we listed some in our May/June newsletter. Here are a couple more.....

Virtual Nashville Experiences – Just because you're not in Nashville right now doesn't mean you can't pretend! From livestreamed home concerts and virtual attractions to Music City documentaries and a virtual trip idea, we're bring Nashville to you. visitmusiccity.com/covid-19/virtualnashville-experiences

National Portrait Gallery – npg.org.uk/visit/360-gallery-views/

To explore art, places, games and museums try – artsandculture.google.com

Perhaps you like to watch animals live – try the Tennessee Aquarium For live penguins – tnaqua.org/live/ penguins-rock/ For otters – tnaqua.org/live/riverotter-falls/ Life on the Reef – tnaqua.org/live/ secret-reef/ Upcoming Events...

September 24, 2020 Barnesville

Buggytown Tour

See New Trips for details

October 28, 2020 9:00 am until 12:00 noon

Drive by our Main Office Parking lot today from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon to see Becky and Dani for little Trick or Treat. We want to see your smiling or ghoulish faces and give you a little trick or treat bag. We still miss seeing you—so we hope to see you on Wednesday, October 28th.

In Memoriam...

Mary Jane Bartholomew Henry Moxley Marvin Smith Fred Edwards Nelda Gaddy Larry Huckaby Beth Smith Donald Gluckin

Upcoming Trips

Springtime Tulip River Cruise Featuring Dutch and Belgian Waterways April 28 – May 6, 2021

Highlights include: Amsterdam, 7night River Cruise, Volendam, Arnhem, Middleburg, Ghent, Bruges, Antwerp, Kinderdijk, Windmills, Keukenhof Gardens. A brochure is available online and at our office.

Shades of Ireland July 21 – July 30, 2021

Hamilton August 31, 2021

One of the most anticipated shows in the past few years will be back at the Fox Theater and we have tickets!! Hamilton is the story of America's founding father, Alexander Hamilton, an immigrant from the West Indies who became George Washington's right-hand man during the Revolutionary War and was the new nation's first Treasury Secretary. Featuring a score that blends hip-hop, jazz, blues, Take a look at our upcoming trips for 2021 and start making your plans to travel with us. Details are available on request and will be in our future newsletters. If you are interested, please stop by the office or go online to view our brochure.

March 24-26, 2021 – Mystery Trip

April 28-May 6, 2021 – Springtime Tulip

River Cruise

(see the highlights in the New Trip section)

July 21 – July 30, 2021-Shades of Ireland

August 31, 2021 – Hamilton at the Fox

September 14-25, 2021 – National Parks (travel show early 2021)

October, 2021 – Louisiana with New Orleans (dates TBA)

Discover Switzerland, Austria, Oberammergau and the Passion Play 2022 New Trips...

Barnesville Buggytown Tour September 24, 2020

We're going to keep a little social distancing, but we're going to do a little tour. Join Dani and Becky today in Barnesville, Georgia for a little history of this Buggy Town. Our tour guide will be Tim Turner and he will show you a little of his town and the history of the Buggy making that went on in this town. We will meet Tim at the old Train Depot in Barnesville at 10:00 a.m. The tour will end in town where you can choose to have lunch at the Pastime Grill or Maxi's Family Restaurant or any of the other eateries within walking dis-There are also optance. tions within a short drive. ie. The Garden Patch. You will meet us in Barnesville and lunch is on your own. There will be a limit to the tour, so call Dani at 678-510 -5145 to get your name on the tour. Let's enjoy a little touring close to home social distancing style!

Remember when A few pictures of past trips – We can dream...



Hawaii Trip



Victoria, BC Butchart Gardens



Australia



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