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Solo Travelers Club newsletter

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2023

Travel With Friends

MESSAGE FROM SUE SMITH

Program Manager



Dear Solo Friends:

Are you lacking a travel buddy? Don't let that stop you from getting out there! Book one of our group departures and make new friends. AAA will take care of all the logistics, so you can sit back and enjoy the experience. You can book a single room, or find a roommate with our Roommate Connection board. Many Solo members who have used the board now travel all the time with their new friend. If you haven't taken one of our group tours before, there's nothing like it. Traveling with a group gives you a sense of security – and the chance to grow your social circle!

I hope everyone enjoyed the summer and is looking forward to the beautiful fall season. Fall is truly the best – I love the weather and beautiful colors. I hope to see you at our October meetings, where we'll introduce our winter 2024 trips and begin taking reservations for our holiday lunches.

Stay safe and healthy, my friends!
See you at our next meeting.

Sue 😊

OCTOBER MEETING DATES

Reservations must be made by **October 9, 2023** by visiting AAA.com/Solo or contacting your AAA Travel Advisor. Reservations will not be accepted after the deadline and are required to attend a meeting. Solo Travelers Club membership is required to attend all meetings. All meetings start at 6pm with a light dinner served. Doors open at 5:30pm

DATES AND LOCATIONS

October 17: Buffalo - Classics V

October 18: Syracuse – Bella Domani

October 19: Rochester – Glendoveers

HOLIDAY LUNCHEONS SAVE THE DATE

December 5: Shadow Lakes Country Club - Rochester

December 6: Salvatore's - Buffalo

December 8: Bellevue Country Club - Syracuse

ROOMMATE CONNECTION

Let your AAA Travel Advisor know and you'll be added to the list.

Hershey & Lancaster | Nov. 13-15, 2023 | Female

N.E. Christmas Castles | Dec. 12-15, 2023 | Female

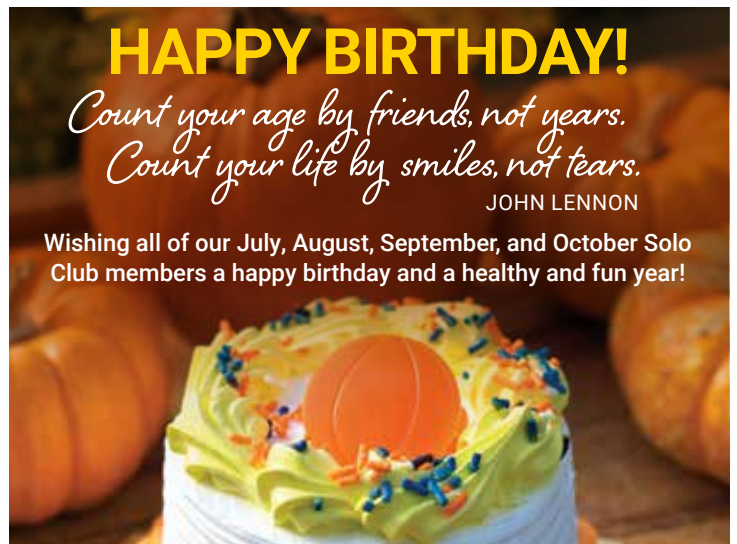
Royal Caribbean-S. Caribbean Cruise | Jan. 18-29, 2024 | Female

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

*Count your age by friends, not years.
Count your life by smiles, not tears.*

JOHN LENNON

Wishing all of our July, August, September, and October Solo Club members a happy birthday and a healthy and fun year!



TRAVEL

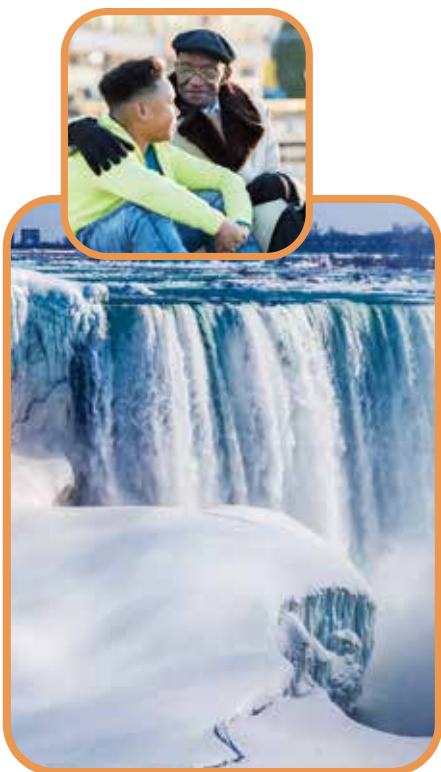
TIPS

- 1. BE FLEXIBLE** Always plan for delays and try not to get upset when things inevitably don't go as planned. Patience is extremely important when traveling!
- 2. MAKE A LIST** About a week or so before each trip, make a list of items you don't want to forget. Packing lists are essential!



AAA Travel with Kids

Our newest program is designed to provide families with kid-friendly travel opportunities. These trips will have shorter itineraries, and provide meals and attractions suited for kids 5 and older. These trips offer wonderful opportunities for multi-generational families to travel together and create memories that last a lifetime!



WINTER WONDERLAND NIAGARA FALLS, USA

DEC 2-3, 2023

TRIP INCLUSIONS & HIGHLIGHTS:

- Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Syracuse, Rochester, and Buffalo
- 1-night hotel accommodations
- 3 family-friendly meals
- Cave of the Winds and the World Changed Here Pavilion
- Light projections and fireworks over the Falls
- Niagara Falls State Park Welcome Center
- Culinary Institute's Gingerbread Wonderland
- Free time for hotel pool and arcade
- AAA Group Travel Tour Manager
- Driver gratuity

TMC1853

AAA Member Price **\$289**
per person/quad occupancy from



PRESIDENTS' WEEK AT AMERICAN DREAM MALL WITH NEW YORK CITY

FEB 21-25, 2024

TRIP INCLUSIONS & HIGHLIGHTS:

- Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, and Syracuse
- 4-night hotel accommodations in New Jersey
- 5 family-friendly meals
- Free day in NYC
- American Dream Mall with admission to Nickelodeon Universe Theme Park, DreamWorks Water Park, TiLT Museum, Backlight Mini-Golf, and Mirror Maze
- AAA Group Travel Tour Manager
- Driver gratuity

TMC1854

AAA Member Price **\$789**
per person/quad occupancy from



SPRING BREAK – WASHINGTON DC & CHERRY BLOSSOMS

APR 1-7, 2024

TRIP INCLUSIONS & HIGHLIGHTS:

- Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, and Syracuse
- 6-night hotel accommodations
- 11 family-friendly meals including a lunch sightseeing cruise
- Hershey's Chocolate World
- White House and United States Capitol
- Free time to explore Smithsonian Museums
- Monument & Memorial Tour
- Arlington National Cemetery
- National Zoological Park
- Ford's Theatre
- National Cherry Blossom Petalpalooza festival
- AAA Group Travel Tour Manager
- Driver gratuity

TMC1864

AAA Member Price **\$1,429**
per person/quad occupancy from



Scan here to view additional trip details plus other
AAA Travel with Kids trip opportunities!

CHRISTMAS IN KENTUCKY INCLUDING THE ARK

DECEMBER 4-8, 2023



INCLUDED NIGHTS



INCLUDED MEALS



ACTIVITY LEVEL



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Northern Kentucky and Cincinnati Highlights tour, the Ark Encounter, Creation Museum, EnterTRAINment Junction, New Riff Distilling Tour and Tasting, Newport on the Levee (playground of Northern Kentucky), Armco Park Holiday in Lights, and more! *TMC1844*

Per Person single from **\$1,729** | Per Person/Double from **\$1,399**

NEW ENGLAND CASTLE CHRISTMAS

DECEMBER 12-15, 2023



INCLUDED NIGHTS



INCLUDED MEALS



ACTIVITY LEVEL



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Holiday Pops Concert at Symphony Hall Boston, Boston's Stocking Stuffer Tour with Gifts, Holiday Shopping at Faneuil Hall and Quincy Market, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Trinity Church Tour, and more! *TMC1821*

Per Person single from **\$2,198** | Per Person/Double from **\$1,799**

ATLANTIC CITY WITH A BILLY JOEL MUSICAL TRIBUTE SHOW

MARCH 13-15, 2024



INCLUDED NIGHTS



INCLUDED MEALS**



ACTIVITY LEVEL



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Tropicana Casino Resort North Tower accommodations, Slot machine free-play credit, Billy Joel Musical Tribute matinee show, and more. ***Meal credit vouchers* *TMC1858*

Per Person single from **\$649** | Per Person/Double from **\$499**

CELEBRITY CRUISES – BERMUDA & MARTHA'S VINEYARD

MAY 11-19, 2024



INCLUDED NIGHTS



INCLUDED MEALS



ACTIVITY LEVEL



NO FLY CRUISE



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse with driver gratuity, 8 nights selected shipboard accommodations, all shipboard meals and entertainment, classic beverage package, onboard Wi-Fi, stateroom gratuities, baggage handling, AAA Group Travel Tour Manager, and more.

PORTS OF CALL: Cape Liberty, NJ; Martha's Vineyard, MA; Royal Naval Dockyard, Bermuda; Cape Liberty, NJ *TCR2060*

Per Person single: **call for pricing** | Per Person/Double from **\$1,949**

IN SEARCH OF THE NORTHERN LIGHTS

DECEMBER 7-13, 2023



INCLUDED NIGHTS



INCLUDED MEALS



ACTIVITY LEVEL



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Overnight flights included, guaranteed early hotel check-in upon arrival in Iceland, Northern Lights search via bus, walking, & cruise, Thingvellir National Park, Geysir, Gullfoss Waterfall, Kerid Crater, Glacier Lagoon, Skaftafell National Park, Icelandic LAVA Show, Reynisfjara Beach, Skogafoss Waterfall, Blue Lagoon, Seljalandsfoss Waterfall, Krysuvik, Bridge between Continents, Vik, and more! *TGT952*

Per Person single from **\$4,359** | Per Person/Double from **\$3,699**

NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE – EASTERN CARIBBEAN

MARCH 7-17, 2024



INCLUDED NIGHTS



INCLUDED MEALS



ACTIVITY LEVEL



NO FLY CRUISE



INCLUDES: Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse with driver gratuity, 10 nights selected shipboard accommodations, all shipboard meals and entertainment, choice of "perks" based on selected shipboard accommodations, baggage handling, AAA Group Travel Tour Manager, and more.

PORTS OF CALL: New York, NY; Bermuda; St. Maarten; St. Thomas; Puerto Rico; Dominican Republic; New York, NY *TCR2068*

Per Person single: **call for pricing** | Per Person/Double from **\$1,899**

AUTHENTIC SPAIN

MARCH 15-26, 2024



INCLUDED NIGHTS



INCLUDED MEALS



ACTIVITY LEVEL



INCLUDES: Overnight flights included, Barcelona, Valencia, La Nit del Foc on Paseo de la Alameda (annual fireworks display), Fallas Valencia, Granada, Wine Tasting, Flamenco Dance Show, Ronda, Sentenil de las Bodegas, Marbella, Fuengirola, El Ingenio, Torremolinos, Madrid, Mercado de San Miguel, Chueca, and more. *TGT945*

Per Person single from **\$5,899** | Per Person/Double from **\$4,959**

HERSHEY & LANCASTER

MARCH 25-27, 2024



INCLUDED NIGHTS



INCLUDED MEALS



ACTIVITY LEVEL



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Paradise Station Dinner & Show, Kitchen Kettle Village, Amish Farmlands, Amish Quilt & Craft Shop, "Daniel" at Sight & Sound Theatre, Kreider Farm Tour, Lititz visit, and more. *TMC1862*

Per Person single from **\$959** | Per Person/Double from **\$789**

SOUTH AFRICA – CAPE TOWN TO VICTORIA FALLS

MARCH 31-APRIL 11, 2024



10
INCLUDED
NIGHTS



13
INCLUDED
MEALS



4
ACTIVITY
LEVEL



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: All flights included, Cape Town, Table Mountain, Boulders Beach, Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, Stellenbosch and Franschhoek wine districts, Sabi Sand Game Reserve, Kruger National Park, six guided game drives, Johannesburg, Victoria Falls Safari Lodge, Victoria Falls, time for self-exploration, sunset cruise on the Zambezi River, and more.

TGT951

Per Person single from **\$11,199** | Per Person/Double from **\$8,999**

CELEBRITY CRUISES – ICELAND & GREENLAND

AUGUST 4-16, 2024



12
INCLUDED
NIGHTS



36
INCLUDED
MEALS



2
ACTIVITY
LEVEL



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse to Cape Liberty, NJ, motorcoach transportation from New York, JFK airport to Buffalo, Rochester, or Syracuse, One-way flight from Reykjavik, Iceland to New York, JFK airport, Pier/airport transfers in Iceland, 12 nights selected shipboard accommodations, all shipboard meals and entertainment, classic beverage package, onboard Wi-Fi, stateroom gratuities, baggage handling, AAA Group Travel Tour Manager, motorcoach driver gratuity, and more.

PORTS OF CALL: Cape Liberty, NJ; Halifax, Nova Scotia; St. John's Newfoundland; Qaqortog, Greenland; Prins Christian Sound; Akureyri, Iceland; Isafjordur, Iceland; Reykjavik, Iceland

TCR2061

Per Person single: **call for pricing** | Per Person/Double from **\$3,892**

SPECIALTY GROUP TRIPS



AAA Unique Travel Experiences

Developed to provide new experiences and inclusions for individuals looking to travel with

others with similar interests. These trips may offer advanced activity levels, ample free time for self exploration, and/or unique inclusions.



AAA Travel with Pride

Developed to provide individuals of the LGBTQ+ community and their allies with opportunities to travel alongside

a group of their peers in an inclusive environment. These trips are open to all travelers that are open to all travelers!

CELEBRITY CRUISES – BERMUDA *Solo Exclusive!*

JUNE 2-9, 2024



7
INCLUDED
NIGHTS



21
INCLUDED
MEALS



2
ACTIVITY
LEVEL



NO FLY
CRUISE



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Roundtrip motorcoach transportation from Buffalo, Rochester, and Syracuse, 7-nights selected shipboard accommodations, all shipboard meals and entertainment, classic beverage package, onboard wi-fi, stateroom gratuities, baggage handling, AAA Group Travel Tour Manager, and motorcoach driver gratuities.

PORTS OF CALL:

Cape Liberty, NJ; Royal Naval Dockyard, Bermuda; Cape Liberty, NJ

TCR2066

Per Person single: **call for pricing** | Per Person/Double from **\$1,799**

BEST OF POLAND

SEPTEMBER 14-25, 2024



11
INCLUDED
NIGHTS



15
INCLUDED
MEALS



3
ACTIVITY
LEVEL



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Warsaw, Gdansk, European Solidarity Center, Long Market, Long Lane, Golden Gate, Torun, Leaning Tower, Tourn Castle, Wroclaw, Wroclaw Cathedral, Salt Square, Tatra Mountains, dinner and experience with a local Polish family, Zakopane, Krakow, Royal Castle, Auschwitz, Jasna Gora Monastery, Black Madonna of Czestochowa, time for self-exploration, guided tours, and more. *Overnight group flights will be offered at an additional cost.*

TGT955

Per Person single from **\$3,799** | Per Person/Double from **\$2,999**

SUE'S FAMOUS RUM SWIZZLE

Drink it in good health and enjoy!
I make it by the gallon ~ Sue

- 46 ounces of Orange Juice
- 23 ounces of Pineapple Juice
- 2 ounces of Rose's Lime Juice
- 2 ounces of Grenadine
- 16 ounces of Glossling's Dark Bermuda Rum
- 1 quart of ginger ale, Sprite or 7 up

*Shake it well and put on ice.
Garnish with cherries and an orange if you like. Enjoy.*



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