

DECEMBER CHRISTMAS OUTINGS

To get into the Christmas spirit, the American Spirit Club had the opportunity to go on two different Christmas outings.

On Wednesday, December 8, we didn't travel far but it was a wonderful day in Le Mars. We had a delicious lunch at Central Event Center and then attended the Brown's White Christmas performance at the Brown's Theater. The Brown family shared their many musical talents with the audience, and we all left inspired by the beautiful Christmas music. To finish our day in the festive city of Le Mars, we enjoyed a yummy ice cream treat at Wells Blue Bunny.

The next Christmas getaway was on Friday, December 17, in Sioux City. Before our concert we had a lovely dinner at Minervas Restaurant. Then we attended the Home Free Concert at the Sioux City Orpheum. Best known for their incredible mix of harmony and humor, Home Free shared a mix of their country hits and Christmas melodies. Both of our December trips were a great way to finish up the Spirit Club's 2021 travels.





"The Spirit of Us"

It's time to turn the calendar to the year 2022! Even though the world has seen a lot of turmoil and affects from the COVID pandemic this past year, the Spirit Club was very busy. We had many exciting tours, and we are looking forward to many more in the upcoming year. You will find a listing of the day trips and extended tours in this newsletter. If this year is anything like last year, the trips will fill up very fast, so if any of the tours interest you, please send in your Sign-up Sheet and your deposit asap! The spots will go to the first people who pay their deposits! If you have any questions about the itineraries, please give me a call. Be assured that the Spirit Club will continue to monitor the pandemic and will adjust or cancel tours as needed. We will also maintain our safety measures and would strongly encourage the vaccines. There will be some of our venues that will require proof of vaccinations or a negative COVID test before attending their

Thank you to everyone who attended the Estate Planning and Financial Planning Seminar this past month. We had a very good turnout and hope to plan more informational seminars for the upcoming year.

Our offices will be closed on Monday, January 17, in observation of Martin Luther King Jr Day. For your convenience you may use our ATM machines and online banking.

Thank you for your continued loyalty to our company and the American Spirit Club.

Wishing you a truly remarkable and blissful year ahead.

- Loreen Marra, Spirit Club Coordinator Loreen. Marra@myasb.com

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2022 SPIRIT CLUB TRIPS

Footloose/Chanhassen | April 1 & 2 (Friday & Saturday)

The American Spirit Club will be rocking to Footloose on Friday, April 1. On Friday evening we will attend the Tony Award-nominated musical at the Chanhassen Dinner Theatre. We also will have mystery stops on the way to Chanhassen and on Saturday, April 2. The fee for the weekend includes tours, dinner theatre, hotel accommodations, 4 meals and motor coach.

Cost: \$360 per person/Dbl | Deposit per person: \$100

Southern Charm | April 24-30, 2022

We have a few seats left on this Southern Charm Tour and so we encourage our Spirit Club members to invite friends, sisters, sons, or daughters to join us. It's fine if they aren't customers of our bank or are younger, we feel this would be a great experience to share with someone special. We will fly into Savannah and return home on a flight from Charleston. April is a glorious time to walk in the beautiful gardens of Savannah and Charleston! Enjoy the bountiful Magnolia trees, the blossoms of Azaleas and Hyacinths in contrast to the live Oak trees hanging with the thick Spanish Moss. Take in the architecture of these Southern cities in walks and carriage rides. Savor the delicious cuisine served up in outdoor cafes and explore the city markets and curiosity shops. Delight in the Southern hospitality of two very special hotels that just exude the charm of yesteryear. This tour is a filled with Civil War history, the lure of the Gullah culture and the gentle nature of the Historical South. To see the complete itinerary and inclusions check our website for the brochure, pick one up at your local branch or contact Loreen and she will mail you one.

Cost: \$3,429/DBL | Deposit: \$500

Wicked/Omaha Orpheum | Saturday, May 7, 2022

Join the Spirit Club for the hit musical "Wicked" on Saturday, May 7, at the Omaha Orpheum Theatre. "Wicked" is the popular Broadway musical retelling the classic 1900 novel, "The Wonderful Wizard of Oz" from the perspective of the witches of the Land of Oz. Our day will begin with an early departure for the amazing Omaha Farmer's Market, followed by lunch, and then the 2:00 pm performance. You will not want to miss this remarkable day of fun.

Cost: \$230 per person | Deposit: \$50

Twins Adventure | Tuesday, June 7 - Wednesday, June 8

Hey baseball fans, join the Spirit Club for the Twins vs the Yankees night game on Tuesday, June 7. We have seats in the shade near first base. Plans are being made for activities to do on our way to Minneapolis and then we will check into our hotel before heading for Target Field. On Wednesday, another day of fun is being organized. Watch for details in the upcoming newsletters.

Cost: \$290 per person/Dbl | Deposit: \$100.00

River Dance | Tuesday, June 14

Join us for Riverdance as you've never seen it before at the Sioux City Orpheum on Tuesday, June 14! A powerful and stirring reinvention of this beloved favorite celebrated the world over for its GRAMMY award-winning score and the thrilling energy and passion of its Irish and international dance. Immerse yourself in the extraordinary power and grace of its music and dance—beloved by fans of all ages. Fall in love with the magic of Riverdance all over again. We will enjoy dinner before the performance.

Cost: \$140 | Deposit: \$25

Mystery Day Trip | Tuesday, July 12 or Wednesday, July 13

Are you intrigued by the unknown or do you like surprises? If so, you should join us for our Summer Mystery Day Trip on Tuesday, July 12 or Wednesday, July 13. None of the details are shared except what time to meet the motor coach. We will have a fun day!

Cost: \$100 | Deposit: \$10

The Kenai & Wonders of Alaska Cruise | August 7 - 19, 2022

Explore Alaska by land and sea on this incredible tour with a unique twist - we are breaking the mold and pairing the Kenai Peninsula with a Celebrity cruise experience! Throughout our journey, we will be immersed in Native traditions and languages, learn how to pan for gold, and step into the world of dog sledding with the Iditarod's preeminent mushing family. From the top of Mt. Alyeska to the calm waters of the Kenai River and Kenai Fjords National Park, we'll encounter magnificent scenery and amazing wildlife at every turn. Combined with a seven-night cruise from Seward to Vancouver on board the beautiful Celebrity Millennium, it is an experience few will ever have! To see the complete itinerary and inclusions check our website for the brochure, pick one up at your local branch or contact Loreen and she will mail you one.

This tour is filling up quickly so if Alaska has always been on your bucket list contact Loreen asap!

Cost: Starting at \$5,199 Per Person/Dbl | Deposit: \$500

Fall Mystery Tour | Tuesday, September 20 or Wednesday, September 21

Join us for our Fall Mystery Tour on Tuesday, September 20 or Wednesday, September 21, for a fun day of surprises. Fall is a beautiful time of the year for an adventure with friends.

Cost: \$100 | Deposit \$10

Octoberfest Tour | Dates to be determined

Plans are being made for a tour in October. Watch for details in the next newsletter.

Cost: TBD/DBL | Deposit: \$100

Branson & Kansas City | November 14-18 (Monday – Friday)

Our annual tradition is to visit Branson in November for some of the best entertainment around. Watch the upcoming newsletters for the listing of the exciting shows and fun attractions we will attend. This is one of our more popular tours and it fills up very fast, so if you are interested, send in your deposit quickly.

Cost: TBD/DBL | Deposit: \$100

December Christmas Outing | To Be Announced

The Christmas season has a wide variety of amazing productions, and the Spirit Club enjoys attending them. Unfortunately, they are not finalized and announced until mid-summer. When we have a chance to check out the opportunities, we will publish the December outing in the newsletter.

Cost: TBD | Deposit: \$10

Due to the uncertainty of the COVID-19 pandemic, all tours are subject to change.

American Spirit Club will continue to monitor the situation and adjust or cancel tours as needed.

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