

Trip registration is available Monday- Friday in the Travel and Resource Room at the Senior Center in Central Park. Unless otherwise noted trips depart from the Huntington Beach Central Library Theater parking lot on Goldenwest and Talbert next to the Central Library. For any travel and trips related questions please contact the Resource Room at (714) 374-1572



Wheel of Fortune Live!

**At Sony Pictures Studio with The Original Farmers Market
Thursday, January 25, 2024**

Be in the studio audience to watch 2-3 episodes of *Wheel of Fortune* being taped at Sony Pictures Studios in Culver City. One of the world's most popular game shows, this 75-year-old game show is the longest running syndicated game show in U.S. history. The show has featured Pat Sajak and Vanna White for more than

40 years and this will be Pat Sajak's final season! See all the behind-the-scenes action that goes into taping a game show – from the nervous contestants and eagle-eye producers to what Pat and Vanna do during the commercial breaks. Prior, enjoy time at leisure for lunch on your own at The Original Farmers Market or The Grove L.A. offering a variety of eateries and an open-air environment pulsing with energy. *Suggested: sweater or jacket as the studio is kept cool. All studio tapings usually involve various amounts of standing and/or sitting while waiting to enter the studio.* Member Price: \$86; Non-Member Price: \$96 ● Depart: 11:00 a.m. ● Return: 7:30 p.m.



Donna, Diana & Diamond – 3 Legends Live!

**Musical Tribute to Donna Summer, Diana Ross & Neil Diamond
With Downtown Palm Springs
Tuesday, February 13, 2024**

Get ready to *rock your socks off* and take a nostalgic musical journey back in time during this high-energy, jam-packed tribute show to three of the greatest icons in popular American music from the 60s, 70s and 80s – Neil Diamond, Donna

Summer and Diana Ross. A professional, seasoned cast who exude true “sound-alike” and “look-alike” qualities of their real-life counterparts will be impersonating these well-loved performers using their own voices. From the songs of Motown sung by “Miss Ross,” to the “Queen of Disco,” and the sweet sounds of the legendary crooner, Neil Diamond, this show has something for everyone! Prior to the matinee show at Palm Springs' historic Camelot Theatre, we'll enjoy time at leisure for browsing and lunch on your own in Palm Springs' core shopping district along Palm Canyon Drive. The redesigned downtown plaza area features mom and pop shops, vintage boutiques and name brand stores mixed in with a variety of restaurants. The area captures the city's energetic pulse and offers a welcoming pedestrian-friendly experience. No visit to the Coachella Valley is complete without a stop at Hadley Fruit Orchards. Founded in 1931, this southern California landmark has provided a friendly place to shop for premium quality Medjool dates, dried fruit, nuts, hand-mixed trail mixes, honey, preserves, freshly-ground peanut butter and a variety of gifts. At the snack bar is where you'll find their famous date shakes! Member Price: \$116; Non-Member Price: \$126 ● Depart: 8:00 a.m. ● Return: 6:30 p.m.



Leap Day at Warner Bros. Studio Tour

**With The Americana at Brand
Thursday, February 29, 2024**

What a way to celebrate the “extra” day that comes around once every four years! Explore 100 years of movie making history and walk in the footsteps of Hollywood legends on this highly rated studio tour that takes you ‘behind-the-scenes’ and ‘into-the-scenes’ of your favorite shows and movies. Since this is not a theme park – but rather the busiest working studio in Los Angeles – be on the

lookout for movie and television stars! Your knowledgeable studio guide will lead the way in a 12-passenger vehicle to explore the outdoor sets, soundstages and craft shops of Warner Bros.' Burbank studio. Your guide will point out shooting locations and share filming tricks and techniques. You'll recognize the shooting locations from some of your

favorite shows and movies including *Friends*, *The Big Bang Theory*, *CSI*, *Cold Case*, *Ocean's 11* and *Argo*. Following the guided tour, we'll visit "Stage 48: Script to Screen," the interactive soundstage where you have behind-the-scenes access – literally – to the moviemaking process, from casting calls to the lure of the red-carpet award season. Step onto original sets including the living room from *The Big Bang Theory* and *Friends*' Central Perk Café, where you can act out your favorite scenes from the coffee shop's memorable orange couch. Browse several special exhibits including "The Wizarding World: Harry Potter & Fantastic Beasts" to see the real costumes and props from the original *Harry Potter* and *Fantastic Beasts* films. "DC Universe: The Exhibit" puts you right into the action of your favorite DC films including *Aquaman* and *Wonder Woman* (exhibits subject to change). Before we arrive at Warner Bros. Studio, enjoy time at leisure for browsing and lunch on your own at The Americana at Brand featuring a variety of shops, restaurants and casual eateries. *Required: a driver's license or other government-issued photo identification that must be presented to Studio security.* Member Price: \$149; Non-Member Price: \$159 ● Depart: 9:30 a.m. ● Return: 7:00 p.m.



Colorful Songs Revue

***Luck of the Irish* with Included Lunch & Wine**

Saturday, March 16, 2024

Gather up your "lucky charms" and get your "smiling Irish eyes" onboard for this St. Patrick's Day tradition that celebrates popular Irish music and dance. This Irish celebration features the incredible Colorful Songs Revue cast in their Irish costumes entertaining us with stories, comedy, songs and dances including popular Irish songs like "Danny Boy," "McNamara's Band," "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," "My Wild Irish Rose," "Molly Malone," "Harrigan," "The Band Played On" and scenes from the Broadway shows *Brigadoon*, *Finian's Rainbow* and

more! Enjoy an included three-course waiter-served luncheon with choice of entrée (corned beef and cabbage, roasted chicken, vegetarian pasta or vegan tartare) along with traditional sides, ice cream sundae, and wine, along with sing-alongs, door prizes and more – for a shamrockin' good afternoon! Presented at Almansor Court, a beautiful special events venue in Alhambra. Member Price: \$156; Non-Member Price: \$166 ● Depart: 10:30 a.m. ● Return: 5:00 p.m.



Tacos, Marines & Tiny Machines

Camp Pendleton Ranch House & Miniature Museum

With Included Taco Lunch

Thursday, March 28, 2024

Of all the Marine Corps bases throughout the world, Camp Pendleton perhaps has the most intriguing past – one filled with historical charm and vibrancy. Spanish explorers, colorful politicians, herds of thundering cattle, skillful

vaqueros and tough Marines have all contributed to the history of this spectacular piece of land. This fascinating new tour provides the unique opportunity to travel into Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton's interior for a guided tour of the Santa Margarita Ranch House, Bunkhouse Museum and Ranch House Chapel – the oldest structure on the entire base and a National Historic Site. The 8,500 square-foot house, built in 1827 on 21 acres, is a stunning visual example of early California architecture and over the years has been home to some of California's most famous families, including Pio Pico (who lost it in a horse bet!) and the families of 35 Marine Corps generals. Historic artifacts and exhibits include early ranch equipment, photographs of President Roosevelt's historic visit, antiques donated by Anthony Quinn during the filming of *Guadalcanal Diary* and furnishings of the Rancho period. Then we'll enjoy an included taco bar buffet lunch with dessert at an award-winning family-owned Mexican restaurant located in Carlsbad that has been serving up authentic Mexican food inspired by generations of family cooking for more than 40 years! This afternoon, we'll enjoy a docent-guided tour of the Miniature Engineering Craftsmanship Museum – a *large* museum featuring *tiny* feats of engineering! This impressive collection showcases the "best of the best" in model engineering – from crafting model cars, trains, engines, and clocks – you'll be amazed at the precision and detail involved in each tiny machine. *This tour involves moderate walking over uneven terrain. When booking, provide your full legal name as it appears on your driver's license or other government-issued photo identification that you will be presenting to Camp Pendleton security on the day of the tour. A roster of names and related security information must be submitted on February 26th with no additions or changes allowed after that deadline.* Member Price: \$136; Non-Member Price: \$146 ● Depart: 8:15 a.m. ● Return: 6:00 p.m.