

JULY 2021

Summer Adventures

Early on Thursday, June 10, an excited group of Spirit Club baseball fans hopped on a motorcoach for an exciting two-day trip to Minneapolis. Our first stop was the SPAM Museum & Store in Austin, Minnesota. We were welcomed with Hawaiian Leis with a single package of Spam attached. It was fun and interesting to learn about the history of SPAM. Our lunch spot, B&J Bar & Restaurant, was within walking distance of the museum. We enjoyed a delicious meal and time to connect with other travelers.

After freshening up at the hotel we arrived at Target Field to cheer on the Twins or the Yankees. We had fans for both teams traveling with us, which made it very interesting. It was a very hot evening, and the game was good, but especially for the Twins fans when they hit 2 home runs in the bottom of the ninth to win the game.

On Friday, our adventures included the Stone Arch Bridge in Minneapolis and a lunch cruise on the Mississippi on the Minneapolis Queen. It was a beautiful and informational tour. On our way home we made a stop at Cabela's to do a little browsing and shopping. It was such a great trip & many great memories were made.



"The Spirit of Us"

It was so nice to travel with the Spirit Club again this past month and the planning of more exciting trips keeps happening! You will notice in this newsletter that we have opportunities for our members to join us for informational meetings on two amazing 2022 tours, Southern Charm and Postcard Perfect Alaska. Please RSVP me if you would like to attend the meetings or if you would like a brochure on either or both tours.

It really feels good to have some of the celebrations and fairs scheduled again this summer. We hope you are able to attend some of the youth fairs, ball games and music festivals. Of course, I want to encourage everyone to take a road trip Iowa, Minnesota, and South Dakota have so much to offer. You don't need to drive very far to find an adventure. Or just invite friends over for some lemonade on your patio. Summer is a great time to reconnect with friends.

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the American Spirit Club Picnic in June. It was wonderful to enjoy a meal and play BINGO with our long-time patrons.

*May the sun in it's course visit no land
more free, more happy, more lovely,
than this our own country.*

Happy 4th of July!

- Lorean Marra, Spirit Club Coordinator
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2021 SPIRIT CLUB TRIPS

Iowa Highway 20 Tour | August 25-27 (Wednesday – Friday)

One of the reasons the state of Iowa is so interesting is it's diversity. On our 3-day road trip we will dig into Iowa history, the farm industry, culture & the beauty of nature. Our tour will take us to central Iowa to the Cedar Falls area. On our journey we will enjoy many delicious meals and the fellowship of friends. To see the complete itinerary, check our website for a brochure or contact Loreen. *(This tour is currently full, but you can put your name on the waitlist.)*

Cost: \$425 Per Person/DBL | Deposit: \$100

Fall Mystery Tour | Tuesday, September 21 or Wednesday, September 22

There has been an overwhelming response to our Fall Mystery Tour. So, we have added another day. Join us on Tuesday, September 21 or Wednesday, September 22 for a fun day of surprises. Fall is a beautiful time of the year for an adventure with friends.

(Both days are currently full, please call Loreen to put your name on the waitlist)

Cost: \$100 | Deposit: \$10

Door County & Mackinac Island | October 3-9 (Sunday – Saturday)

Door County & Mackinac Island # 2 | October 17-23 (Sunday - Saturday)

Our Door County & Mackinac Island tour has been so well received we have planned another for October 17 - 23rd. Members who are on the waiting list for the original tour will have first chance to join the second tour, but we will have some spots available, please call if you are interested.

Prepare to be captivated by Door County, Wisconsin! Our time here will be filled with authentic Door County experiences, including the Cherry Train tour, a tour on a ferry will take us to Washington Island, Seaquist Orchards, and of course, our visit to the area would not be complete without a very special Door County meal loved by locals and tourists alike - a traditional fish boil.

Then we're off to the famous Mackinac Island where cars are banned. Horses and bikes command the roads. With two nights at the Grand Hotel in this Victorian village, we'll have plenty of opportunities to tour the island by horse-drawn carriage, sample delicious foods at the famous Grand Luncheon Buffet, and simply revel in the slower pace on the island. After saying goodbye to Mackinac Island, our journey will take us home with a dune buggy ride and visit to Starved Rock State Park along the way.

(Both tours are currently full, but you can put your name on the waitlists.)

Cost: \$2,299 Per Person/DBL | Deposit: \$500

Girl's Day Out | Saturday, November 6

We are going to try again! This play was cancelled and rescheduled in 2020. Come and join the sisterhood on Saturday, November 6! Join us for a fun girl's day out. We have some exciting surprises for the morning and a delicious lunch before we attend the hilarious celebration of women in "Menopause the Musical" at the Sioux Falls Orpheum Theater. This Hilarious musical parody set to classic tunes from the '60s, '70s & '80s will have you cheering and dancing in the aisles!

(This tour is currently full, but you can put your name on the waitlist.)

Cost: \$135 | Deposit: \$25

Branson & Kansas City | November 15-19 (Monday – Friday)

The Spirit Club will be traveling to Branson, the Midwest's finest entertainment center for amazing entertainment, delicious food, and fun. The entertainment line-up will include The Presley Country Jubilee, Hughes Brothers, SIX Christmas Show, Texas Tenors, Dogwood Canyon Tour, Daniel O'Donnell, and Jesus at the Sight and Sound Theatre. On Thursday, we will travel to Kansas City to attend a dinner theatre. This amazing tour includes 8 shows, 10 meals, 4 nights lodging, gratuities, and motor coach transportation. This tour fills up very quickly so if you are interested please send in your deposit asap!

(This tour is currently full, but you can put your name on the waitlist.)

Cost: \$910 Per Person/DBL Deposit: \$100

“White Christmas” Browns Theater | Wednesday, December 8

The Spirit Club will be attending the afternoon performance of “White Christmas” at the Browns Theater in Le Mars on Wednesday, December 8. The talented Brown family will be performing many of the beloved classic holiday songs made popular in the musical “White Christmas”. We will enjoy a delicious lunch before the 1:30 pm performance.

Cost: \$80/\$60 for Le Mars motor coach pick up | Deposit: \$10.00

Home Free Concert | Friday, December 17

Our second Christmas outing for 2021 will be on Friday, December 17. We will be attending Home Free, Warmest Winter Holiday Tour at the Sioux City Orpheum. Home Free is an American acappella group of five vocalists. They sing a variety of genres from country to easy listening music. The guys will bring their velvety harmonies and holiday spirit to Sioux City. We will enjoy a delicious dinner before the concert. *Just a reminder, this is an evening show so it will be a late night.

Cost: \$125 | Deposit: \$25

Southern Charm | April 24-30, 2022

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 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.*

Join us for a FREE no obligation presentation

on Wednesday, August 11, at 4:00pm at ASB in Sioux Center.

RSVP to Loreen at 712-722-4846 or loreen.marra@myasb.com

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

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.

Join us for a FREE no obligation presentation

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

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

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