

Blue Horizon Travel Time

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The Quaintest Villages of the Alps July 2018 Germany- Austria- Lichtenstein-Switzerland July 2018 Departure

Blue Horizon Travel is proud to collaborate with German American Heritage Center in developing this custom tour to experience Alpine traditions at their best with extra time for hiking and independent discovery. Beginning in Germany's Black Forest, you will see preserved homesteads, wood carvers and a medieval monastery, as well as Lake Constance (Bodensee) and Hitler's Eagle's Nest above the beautiful Bavarian village of Berchtesgaden.



In Switzerland savor snowcapped Alpine vistas, waterfalls, lakes and castles before boarding a cogwheel train to Grindelwald (village of the glaciers) then casting your eyes upon the majestic Jungfrau mountain peak. Approaching the border, enjoy Appenzell with its car free streets, traditional craft shops and cafes.



In Austria spend several nights in the Tyrolian ski village of Kitzbuhel before entering the old fortress city of Salzburg. No doubt you will hear "the sounds of music" while touring Salzburg's cathedral, catacombs, the Getreidegasse shopping street, Mirabell Gardens & the Mozart Museum. A full day at leisure is planned to hike in the lake region, book a specialty tour, or just relax at a local café or wine cellar.

GAHC Board of Trustees member, Cori Tate, who lived extensively in Austria and Germany will serve as your tour liaison accompanied by her husband Dr. Art Tate. Linda Meadors of Blue Horizon Travel will serve as tour director. Final touches to the itinerary to be discussed at the June meeting with participant input welcome. If unable to attend please call Linda at 309-912-4888 in late June to request a tour kit with final pricing + registration form or look for a posting at www.bluehorizon.net. Additional days in Germany, France, Italy or a river cruise can be easily added. Air will be available in early fall.

Bring your friends! Everyone is welcome!

**The Quaintest Villages of the Alps
Germany- Austria- Lichtenstein-Switzerland**

**Informational Travelogue
Sat. June 17th 2:00 PM**

**German American Heritage Center,
712 W. 2nd St. Davenport, IA 52802**

RSVP (309) 912-4888 or Linda@bluehorizon.net by Fri 6/16

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A Journey Through Scotland with Joe & Bonnie Newman July 26 - August 4, 2018

LOWER PRICE!

More seats requested due to popularity!

Extended to June 16th, 2017 - 5% Early Booking Group Discount with a non-refundable deposit!

Join the Newman's & Blue Horizon Travel on their 10 Day/9 Night Scottish Clans and Castles Tour with reserved seats for the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo; an annual celebration of music and entertainment. The focus of this tour is on the history and scenery of the Scottish Highlands. Travel at a leisurely pace to absorb the history and experience gentle lake cruises, the dramatic scenery of the Isle of Skye and a train ride along the Road to the Isles. See many castles of different styles and sample whisky in a Speyside distillery.

Highlights include a Scottish dinner with piper and music, Sheep-dog trials at the Leault Farm, Loch Katrine and Loch Ness cruise, Isle of Skye and the Trotternish Peninsula, St Andrews, Palace of Holyroodhouse, a train ride over the Glenfinnan Viaduct, Stirling, Eilean Donan & Urquhart Castle visits. We will have two or three nights in all locations, full breakfast daily and 8 dinners!



\$2905 per person (dbl occ)

Air available in September from all major gateways



Want to golf St Andrew's or lengthen your time in Scotland? We do too!
An optional 3 night extension can be added on.

Please contact Bonnie at 309-737-0059 or bonnie@bluehorizon.net for more information or visit our website www.bluehorizon.net.

NOTE - This tour is selling out fast. Call today!

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Enchanting Vietnam and Cambodia January 15 - 27, 2018

This custom trip to Southeast Asia has been developed by Linda Meadors and Blue Horizon Travel for a small group of up to 16 physically active travelers with a passion for the more exotic corners of the world. Enchanting Vietnam & Cambodia is a comprehensive 12 day tour which begins in Hanoi with walking tours of the Old Quarter, various temples and the Ho Chi Minh mausoleum followed by a drive through rice paddy fields to beautiful Ha Long Bay for an overnight cruise.



Continuing on to the ancient capital city of Hue, you will see the Imperial Citadel before boarding a relaxing cruise on the Perfume River. Two nights in the charming World Heritage city of Hoi An will mesmerize you with ancient merchant buildings, the 400 year old Japanese Bridge and a vibrant riverside market. A flight to Ho Chi Minh City brings you back to modern Vietnam to scout out some remnants of its former Saigon days and its role in war activities.



The grand finale will encompass a journey to nearby Cambodia's Siem Reap with visits to Angkor Wat and Angkor Thom followed by a trip deep into the jungle to see other overgrown temples. You will conclude your journey with a stop at a local monastery to participate in a blessing ritual. Rest assured, you will always be graciously welcomed into this beautiful region of the world by some of the kindest people you will ever meet.

\$4099 per person (dbl occ) including internal air
International air available from major gateways

Optional extensions

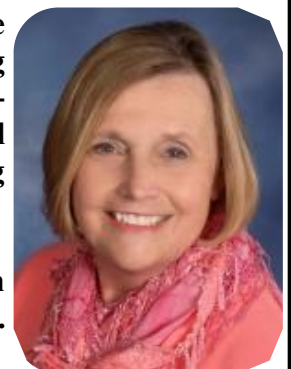
PRE-TOUR

Arrive early for a two day pre-tour Vietnam War study in Hanoi for those wishing to re-visit the war years through the eyes of knowledgeable local guides. This focused *pre-tour* will take you to memorials, museums and remaining historic structures within Hanoi to help set the scene for the remaining days of your country visit. \$449 per person (dbl occ)

POST-TOUR

Stay on for five more days to fly up to Laos and the French city of Vientiane to see some of the most reverent sites for practicing Buddhists including the That Luang Golden Stupa. A second short flight will take you to Luang Prabang with its colorful palaces, museums and markets overlooking the Mekong River. Your last full day will be spent cruising on the Mekong. \$1749 per person (dbl occ) including internal air

Call Linda Meadors 309-912-4888 or email Linda@bluehorizon.net to request an extensive day-by-day itinerary and registration form or visit www.bluehorizon.net. International air, trip protection and visas are extra.



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Sail Away On Your Own Private Yacht in the Caribbean!



Breanker is our featured yacht this spring! Breanker is a 55' beautiful luxury Simonis catamaran with 4 queen cabins each with private bath. Spacious and airy with lots of deck space. Easy access into the water. Water toys galore. Good for Couples, Singles and Families!

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