Adult Program Trip Cherokee, NC



Wednesday, June 3 thru Friday, June 5, 2020

Does the Cherokee history interest you? Enjoy a 3 day 2 night trip to Cherokee, NC. We will be leaving from the Anne Gordon Active Adult Center at Millbrook Exchange Park (1901 Spring Forest Road) at 7am.

Day 1: Travel to through the Great Smokey Mountains to Cherokee, NC. There will be a rest break en route. Enjoy a lunch (on-your-own) upon arriving to Cherokee. Check into the Hampton Inn and unpack your bags before we head out for a night at the Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort. Chose from so many things to do here: gambling at the



casino, shopping at their unique shops or maybe enjoy a show at their event center. Enjoy dinner (on-your-own) at one of the many restaurants located at the resort.

Day 2: Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before we head out for a day of adventure. Begin the day by immersing yourself in the Cherokee culture and history at the Oconaluftee Indian Village. Tour the authentic working Village with dwellings, residents, and artisans right out of the 1760's. Enjoy a guided tour and lectures on the life and crafts of the Cherokee, explore the village at your own pace, and watch a live dance performance. You will be given options for lunch and dinner today (on-your-own). Tonight enjoy Unto These Hills, a drama recently rewritten to reflect the true Cherokee history from years before the heartbreak of the Trail of Tears to the present day.

Day 3: Breakfast will be at the hotel before you pack your bags. We will visit the Museum of the Cherokee Indians, where you will guide yourself through the moving journey of interactive videos, intriguing displays and a full sensory experience of the Cherokee people; who they really are, where they came from and why they are still here. Lunch will be on-your-own before we depart for home. The group will arrive back in Raleigh at approximately 8:00pm.

Price:

Double Rate: \$437.00 City of Raleigh Resident \$467.00 Non-City of Raleigh Resident \$607.00 Non-City of Raleigh Resident

Price Includes:

Transportation via charter bus, , hotel stay, tickets and guides: Oconalfee Indian Village, "Unto These Hills" drama, and Museum of Cherokee Indian Village are included. Lunches and dinners are on your own.

Patron Expectations:

This trip has a <u>moderate</u> volume of walking expected. There may be some steps, uneven paths with loose bricks and gravel. Patrons must be able to keep to the scheduled timeline of the trip. Please remember there is no one-on-one assistance provided by the escorts. If ADA accommodations are needed notify Carmen Rayfield upon registration at 919-996-4734 or carmen.rayfield@raleighnc.gov.

Walnut Terrace Center 919-996-6160

Five Points Center 919-996-4730

Anne Gordon Center 919-996-4720

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Cancellation Policy:

Cancellations must be made in writing at least 14 days prior to trip departure date to receive a refund. Full or partial refunds are subject to non-refundable expenses incurred by the department. If the department cancels a trip, a full refund will be given. Please send all withdraw requests to Carmen Rayfield at carmen.rayfield@raleighnc.gov or in person to any Active Adult Center.

Make checks payable to: City of Raleigh

To Register: Complete the form below and return with full payment to: Walnut Terrace Center *Adult Program* 1256 McCauley Street, Suite 126 Raleigh, NC 27601

Walk-in registrations are taken at any of our Active Adult Centers.

Credit Card payments can be made by phone or by RecLink: #258127

For Additional Information, Contact: Adult Program Staff at 919-996-6160, 919-996-4720 or 919-996-4730

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All participants must have a current Yearly Trip Registration Form filled out and returned to the Adult Program to be registered for any Adult Program trip. The Yearly Trip Registration Form covers all trip waivers and registration January thru December. Forms can be obtained from any the Adult Trip Brochure, an Active Adult Center or on line at www.parks.raleighnc.gov (keyword search Adult Yearly Trip).

Individuals without a current Yearly Trip Registration Form: A spot on the trip will be held while being placed on the trip waitlist until a current Yearly Trip Registration Form is received. Once the form is received participants on the waitlist will be moved over to the trip list.

By submitting a registration form and payment it is understood that it is the responsibility of the patron to update any personal information prior to participating in any and all Adult Program trips.

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